

2009-10 Timberwolves Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time/Score
10/28	New Jersey.....	W 95- 93
10/30	Cleveland	L 87-104
11/1	@ Phoenix.....	L112-120
11/2	@ L.A. Clippers	L 90- 93
11/4	Boston	L 90- 92
11/6	Milwaukee	L 72- 87
11/8	@ Portland	L 93-116
11/9	@ Golden State.....	L105-146
11/11	Portland.....	L 84-107
11/13	Dallas	L 77- 89
11/14	@ Memphis	L 87- 97
11/18	Houston.....	L 84- 97
11/21	@ Portland	L 78-106
11/23	@ L.A. Clippers	L 87- 91
11/25	Denver	L111-124
11/27	Phoenix	L 95-120
11/29	@ Denver.....	W106-100
12/2	Memphis.....	L 95- 97
12/4	@ New Orleans	L 89- 98
12/5	Utah	W108-101
12/8	@ Toronto	L 88- 94
12/9	New Orleans.....	L 96- 97
12/11	@ L.A. Lakers.....	L 92-104
12/12	@ Sacramento.....	L100-120
12/14	@ Utah.....	W110-108
12/16	L.A. Clippers.....	L 95-120
12/18	Sacramento.....	W112- 96
12/20	@ Boston	L104-122
12/22	Atlanta	L 87-112
12/23	@ New Jersey.....	W103- 99
12/26	Washington.....	W101- 89
12/29	@ San Antonio	L 99-117
12/30	Utah	L103-107
1/1	Orlando	L 94-106
1/2	@ Indiana.....	L111-122
1/6	Golden State	L101-107
1/8	Indiana	W116-109
1/9	@ Chicago	L 96-110
1/11	@ Denver.....	L 94-105
1/13	@ Houston	L114-120 (3ot)
1/15	@ Memphis.....	L110-135
1/18	Philadelphia.....	W108-103 (ot)
1/20	Oklahoma City.....	L 92- 94
1/22	New Orleans.....	L 94- 96
1/23	@ Milwaukee.....	L 94-127
1/26	@ New York.....	L105-132
1/27	@ Cleveland.....	L 95-109
1/29	L.A. Clippers.....	W111- 97
1/31	New York.....	W112- 91
2/5	@ Dallas.....	W117-108
2/6	Memphis.....	W109-102
2/9	@ Philadelphia	L 97-119
2/10	Charlotte.....	7:00 p.m.
2/16	@ Detroit.....	6:30 p.m.
2/17	@ Washington.....	6:00 p.m.
2/19	Chicago.....	7:00 p.m.
2/21	Oklahoma City.....	6:00 p.m.
2/23	@ Miami	6:30 p.m.
2/24	@ Atlanta	6:00 p.m.
2/26	@ Oklahoma City	7:00 p.m.
2/27	Portland.....	7:00 p.m.
3/3	@ Dallas.....	7:30 p.m.
3/6	Houston.....	7:00 p.m.
3/8	Dallas	7:00 p.m.
3/10	Denver	7:00 p.m.
3/12	San Antonio.....	7:00 p.m.
3/14	@ Sacramento	8:00 p.m.
3/16	@ Phoenix.....	9:00 p.m.
3/17	@ Utah.....	8:00 p.m.
3/19	@ L.A. Lakers.....	9:30 p.m.
3/22	Toronto.....	7:00 p.m.
3/24	@ Charlotte	6:00 p.m.
3/26	@ Orlando.....	6:00 p.m.
3/28	Phoenix	6:00 p.m.
3/31	Sacramento	7:00 p.m.
4/3	Miami	7:00 p.m.
4/4	@ Oklahoma City	6:00 p.m.
4/7	Golden State	7:00 p.m.
4/9	L.A. Lakers	7:00 p.m.
4/11	@ New Orleans.....	6:00 p.m.
4/12	@ San Antonio	7:30 p.m.
4/14	Detroit	7:00 p.m.

(all times Central)

Minnesota Timberwolves (13-39) vs. Charlotte Bobcats (25-25)

Game #53, Home Game #27

Target Center

February 10, 2010 at 7:00 PM CST

TV: None

Radio: KFAN (1130 AM)

Probable Starters:

Pos.	No.	Player	Ht.	Wt.	Notable
F -	8	Ryan Gomes	6-7	240	Last 7 gms: 57.7% (15-for-26) 3pters
F -	25	Al Jefferson	6-10	265	Franchise-record 26 reb 1/13 @Hou
C -	1	Ryan Hollins	7-0	240	Started last 5: avg 11.6 pts (57.9%)
G -	22	Corey Brewer	6-9	188	Avg 17.1 pts (48.1%) in last 14 gms
G -	10	Jonny Flynn	6-0	185	Season-hi 29 pts, 9 ast 1/18 vs. Phi

Injury Report:

Center Ryan Hollins: Returned to the lineup Jan. 18 vs. Philadelphia, having been sidelined for the previous six games with an upper respiratory infection.

Forward Kevin Love: Returned Jan. 22 vs. New Orleans, after missing the previous two contests due to an upper respiratory infection.

Recent Transactions:

Dec. 29: Acquired forward Alando Tucker, a conditional 2nd-round choice in the 2010 NBA Draft and cash from Phoenix in exchange for guard Jason Hart.

Nov. 2: Exercised the 2010-11 contract options on forwards Corey Brewer and Kevin Love.

Oct. 23: Waived guard Antonio Daniels.

Oct. 21: Waived center Jared Reiner.

Oct. 20: Acquired forward Nathan Jawai from Dallas in return for a conditional 2nd-round choice in the 2012 NBA Draft.

Oct. 19: Waived guards Devin Green and Mustafa Shakur.

Oct. 6: Waived guards Alonzo Gee and Jack McClinton.

Sept. 28: Signed free-agent guards Alonzo Gee, Devin Green, Jason Hart, Jack McClinton and Mustafa Shakur, and free-agent center Jared Reiner, to one-year contracts.

Sept. 22: Waived guard Chucky Atkins.

Sept. 17: Signed free-agent forward Sasha Pavlovic to a one-year contract.

Records:

	Record	Home	Road	Overtime
OVERALL	13-39 (.250)	9-17 (.346)	4-22 (.154)	1-1 (.500)
Atlantic	4-5 (.444)	3-1 (.750)	1-4 (.200)	1-0 (1.000)
Southeast	1-2 (.333)	1-2 (.333)	0-0 (.000)	0-0 (.000)
Central	1-6 (.143)	1-2 (.333)	0-4 (.000)	0-0 (.000)
EASTERN	6-13 (.316)	5-5 (.500)	1-8 (.111)	1-0 (1.000)
Northwest	3-7 (.300)	1-4 (.200)	2-3 (.400)	0-0 (.000)
Southwest	2-10 (.167)	1-5 (.167)	1-5 (.167)	0-1 (.000)
Pacific	2-9 (.182)	2-3 (.400)	0-6 (.000)	0-0 (.000)
WESTERN	7-26 (.212)	4-12 (.250)	3-14 (.176)	0-1 (.000)

STREAKS: Overall: Lost 1 Home: Won 3 Road: Lost 1

Next 5 Games:

(all times Central)

Date	Opponent	Time	TV	Radio
Sunday, Feb. 14	***NBA All-Star Game***	7:00 p.m.	TNT	ESPN
Tuesday, Feb. 16	at Detroit Pistons	6:30 p.m.	FSN	KFAN
Wednesday, Feb. 17	at Washington Wizards	6:00 p.m.	FSN	KFAN
Friday, Feb. 19	vs. Chicago Bulls	7:00 p.m.	FSN	KFAN
Sunday, Feb. 21	vs. Oklahoma City Thunder	6:00 p.m.	-	KFAN

Min	Four Factors	Phi
.513	Effective FG%	.606
.191	TO Percentage	.162
.184	Off. Rebound %	.242
.250	FT Made / FG Att.	.275
Min	Scoring	Phi
9	Points off TOs	31
34	Points in the Paint	58
7	2nd-Chance Points	12
14	Fast Break Points	26

Last Game: Tuesday, Feb. 9 – Philadelphia 119, Minnesota 97

Andre Iguodala scored 24 points, Elton Brand added 21 and Philadelphia exploded for a 43-point second quarter en route to an easy 119-97 victory over the Timberwolves on Tuesday night at the Wachovia Center. The Sixers never trailed, opening a 30-23 lead after one quarter behind 10 points from Willie Green. Brian Cardinal's jumper opened the second period, but Philadelphia countered with 15 unanswered points and went in front 45-25 on Jason Smith's three-point play with 9:11 left. Minnesota narrowed the margin to 13 when treys from Oleksiy Pecherov and Corey Brewer keyed a 9-0 rally, but Iguodala tallied the half's final five points to rebuild the Sixers' cushion to 73-51. The Wolves could get no closer than 17 in the second half despite shooting 50 percent from the floor, and Philadelphia took its largest lead when Lou Williams' dunk made it 119-92 with 4:13 left. The final 22-point spread marked the Sixers' biggest win over Minnesota in more than 15 years. Williams finished with 16 points and seven assists for Philadelphia. Wayne Ellington's 16 points led the Wolves, while Al Jefferson contributed 12 points and 10 rebounds.

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Previous Game: Saturday, Feb. 6 – Minnesota 109, Memphis 102

Ryan Gomes scored 26 points and Al Jefferson added 16 of his 23 points in the fourth quarter as the Timberwolves rallied for a 109-102 victory over Memphis on Saturday night at Target Center. The Grizzlies opened a 10-point lead after one quarter by limiting Minnesota to 27 percent shooting, and widened that to 30-17 on Marcus Williams' 3-pointer early in the second. The Wolves shaved their deficit to six by intermission as Gomes collected 20 first-half points, and Corey Brewer's dunk tied the score at 76-76 late in the third period. However, DeMarre Carroll answered with a jumper to reclaim the lead for Memphis entering the fourth, and another Carroll basket built the margin to 89-82 with 7:59 left in the game. Jefferson then reeled off Minnesota's next 12 points in a duel that saw the Grizzlies' Rudy Gay counter four times. Gomes' jumper put the Wolves in front to stay at 101-99 with 1:57 remaining, and Kevin Love followed with a 3-pointer as Minnesota closed with a 15-5 surge. Ramon Sessions tallied 19 points and six assists for the Wolves, while Gay led Memphis with 27 points and Zach Randolph collected 14 points and 13 rebounds.

Min	Four Factors	Mem
.599	Effective FG%	.552
.079	TO Percentage	.144
.216	Off. Rebound %	.219
.148	FT Made / FG Att.	.069
Min	Scoring	Mem
21	Points off TOs	13
52	Points in the Paint	52
15	2nd-Chance Points	13
17	Fast Break Points	16

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Tonight's Opponent: Charlotte Bobcats

2008-09 vs. Charlotte (1-1)

Monday, Dec. 1 at Charlotte L90-100
 Saturday, Mar. 14 at Minnesota W108-100

The victory last Mar. 14 ended a four-game losing streak for Minnesota vs. the Bobcats. The teams will meet again on Mar. 24 in Charlotte.

First Meeting: Jason Richardson scored 19 of his 25 points in the first half, and Raymond Felton dealt 14 assists as Charlotte sent the Timberwolves to a 100-90 loss on Dec. 1 at Time Warner Cable Arena. Emeka Okafor totaled 24 points and 10 rebounds for the Bobcats. Randy Foye's 23 points led Minnesota, while Mike Miller finished with 19 points, 10 rebounds and five assists.

Second Meeting: Kevin Love scored 22 points while Ryan Gomes and Rodney Carney added 21 apiece as the Timberwolves notched a 108-100 victory over Charlotte on Mar. 14 at Target Center. Craig Smith finished with 15 points and seven rebounds for Minnesota. Gerald Wallace paced the Bobcats with 26 points and 10 boards, with Raja Bell contributing 21 points.

2007-08 vs. Charlotte (0-2)

Tuesday, Mar. 4 at Minnesota L89-109
 Tuesday, Apr. 8 at Charlotte L119-121

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Next Opponent: Detroit Pistons – Tuesday, Feb. 16 at The Palace of Auburn Hills

Series Capsule:	
Timberwolves vs. Pistons	
All-Time Results:	Current Streaks:
Overall 18-21	Overall Lost 1
in Minnesota 11-9	Home Lost 4
in Detroit 7-12	Road Won 1
Preseason 9-4	
Last Win: 106-80 at Detroit (11/23/08)	
Last Loss: 89-98 at Minnesota (1/28/09)	
Biggest Win: 26 – 106-80 at Detroit (11/23/08)	
Biggest Loss: 30 – 83-113 at Detroit (2/19/96)	

2009 Preseason vs. Detroit (1-0)

Thursday, Oct. 22 at Detroit W122-114

2008-09 vs. Detroit (1-1)

Sunday, Nov. 23 at Detroit W106-80
 Wednesday, Jan. 28 at Minnesota L89-98

First Meeting: Randy Foye collected 23 points and a career-high 14 assists as the Timberwolves notched their biggest road win in nearly four years with a 106-80 victory over Detroit on Nov. 23 at The Palace. Ryan Gomes tallied 20 points and Al Jefferson had 19 for Minnesota, with Craig Smith chipping in 16 points and nine rebounds. Tayshaun Prince's 20 points topped the Pistons.

Second Meeting: Rasheed Wallace registered seven of his 25 points in the final two minutes as Detroit rallied for a 98-89 triumph over the Wolves on Jan. 28 at Target Center. Wallace added 10 rebounds and five steals for the Pistons, winners of four straight in Minnesota. Al Jefferson's 24 points led the Wolves, while Kevin Love tallied 17 points and 10 boards.

2007-08 vs. Detroit (0-2)

Tuesday, Apr. 1 at Minnesota L90-94
 Tuesday, Apr. 15 at Detroit L103-115

Miscellaneous Team Notes:

2009-10 STARTING LINEUPS:

Game #s	Forward	Forward	Center	Guard	Guard	Record
1-2,17-22,42-44,46-47	Wilkins	Gomes	Jefferson	Flynn	Brewer	4-9
3-7	Gomes	Pecherov	Jefferson	Flynn	Brewer	0-5
8	Brewer	Gomes	Jefferson	Flynn	Ellington	0-1
9, 12-16, 48-52	Gomes	Jefferson	Hollins	Flynn	Brewer	4-7
10-11	Gomes	Jawai	Hollins	Flynn	Brewer	0-2
23-24	Gomes	Love	Jefferson	Flynn	Brewer	0-2
25-41, 45	Wilkins	Love	Jefferson	Flynn	Brewer	5-13

2009-10 TIMBERWOLVES LEADERS (through Feb. 9):

	TIMES LED TEAM			---- DOUBLE FIGURES ----					DOUBLE-DOUBLES	
	Pts	Reb	Ast	10+	20+	30+	10+	10+	Pt/	Pt/
				Pts	Pts	Pts	Reb	Ast	Reb	Ast
Corey Brewer	10	1	5	38	10	0	1	0	1	0
Brian Cardinal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wayne Ellington	1	0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jonny Flynn	13	0	28	38	10	0	0	0	0	0
Ryan Gomes	7	2	4	25	6	0	1	0	1	0
Ryan Hollins	0	3	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nathan Jawai	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Al Jefferson	15	23	5	46	24	0	27	0	25	0
Kevin Love	4	20	3	28	5	0	25	0	22	0
Sasha Pavlovic	0	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
Oleksiy Pecherov	1	3	0	6	1	0	2	0	1	0
Ramon Sessions	1	1	15	16	2	0	0	0	0	0
Alando Tucker	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Damien Wilkins	0	4	6	12	0	0	5	0	3	0

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BY THE NUMBERS: The Wolves are...

- 12-11 when scoring 100+ points
- 1-28 when scoring less than 100 points
- 11-12 when shooting 45%+
- 2-27 when shooting less than 45%
- 7-26 when allowing 100+ points
- 6-13 when allowing less than 100 points
- 4-30 when allowing 45%+
- 9-9 when allowing less than 45%
- 9-9 when outshooting their opponent
- 4-30 when being outshot
- 10-16 when outrebounding their foe or even
- 3-23 when being outrebounded
- 8-19 when committing <16 TOs
- 5-20 when committing 16+ TOs
- 10-3 when leading or tied after 3 quarters
- 3-36 when trailing after 3 quarters
- 4-26 in games decided by 10+ points
- 9-13 in games decided by <10 points

DUNK-O-METER: Wolves players' dunk totals for 2009-10 (through Feb. 9):

Corey Brewer	35
Ryan Hollins	34
Al Jefferson	30
Damien Wilkins	12
Nathan Jawai	10
Ramon Sessions	9
Jonny Flynn	8
Kevin Love	8
Wayne Ellington	6
Ryan Gomes	2
Sasha Pavlovic	2
Oleksiy Pecherov	2

ROOKIE ROUNDUP: Jonny Flynn scored a game-high 29 points in the Jan. 18 win over Philadelphia, the most by a Timberwolves rookie since Stephon Marbury tallied 29 at the Clippers on Apr. 10, 1997 (a 108-96 triumph). A glance at the NBA's rookie class of 2009-10 (through Feb. 9):

#	Name	Team	G	Min	FG%	3Pt%	FT%	Reb	Ast	Stl	Blk	Pts
4.	Tyreke Evans	SAC	46	36.9	.460	.264	.795	4.8	5.1	1.52	0.48	20.5
10.	Brandon Jennings	MIL	50	34.1	.376	.382	.807	3.5	6.3	1.24	0.30	17.1
7.	Stephen Curry	GS	50	34.3	.455	.423	.869	3.7	4.7	1.84	0.26	14.4
6.	Jonny Flynn	MIN	52	29.4	.418	.345	.821	2.5	4.3	1.08	0.04	14.0
23.	Omri Casspi	SAC	49	28.1	.470	.377	.669	5.0	1.4	0.73	0.29	12.1
43.	Marcus Thornton	NO	43	21.3	.433	.378	.784	2.3	1.0	0.65	0.12	10.9
3.	James Harden	OKC	51	22.7	.386	.378	.808	3.2	2.0	1.00	0.24	9.7
18.	Ty Lawson	DEN	48	22.5	.512	.435	.783	2.2	3.4	0.83	0.04	9.6
39.	Jonas Jerebko	DET	48	27.1	.475	.276	.677	5.7	0.7	0.60	0.33	8.5
--	Wesley Matthews	UTA	50	21.9	.463	.356	.779	2.0	1.2	0.48	0.16	8.2
44.	Chase Budinger	HOU	43	19.2	.403	.342	.778	3.0	1.2	0.42	0.14	8.2
9.	DeMar DeRozan	TOR	46	21.0	.465	.286	.784	2.9	0.7	0.61	0.35	8.2

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THE BREAKDOWN: Some quick comparisons of Minnesota's 2009-10 numbers to date:

	----- Records -----			----- Wolves -----			----- Opponents -----			----- Margins -----		
	Total	Home	Road	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	FG%	3Pt%	Pts	Reb	TO
2009-10 (thru 52 games)	13-39	9-17	4-22	98.2	.447	.331	106.8	.475	.370	-8.7	+0.7	-1.4
2008-09 (thru 52 games)	17-35	8-17	9-18	98.8	.439	.335	102.6	.472	.374	-3.8	+1.2	-0.9
2007-08 (thru 52 games)	11-41	9-18	2-23	93.5	.438	.331	100.8	.463	.344	-7.3	+0.4	-1.5
2006-07 (thru 52 games)	25-27	16-9	9-18	96.5	.471	.350	97.2	.455	.347	-0.7	+0.6	-1.8
Last 5 Games	4-1	3-0	1-1	109.2	.517	.466	103.4	.464	.347	+5.8	+3.2	-1.4
Previous 16 Games	2-14	2-5	0-9	101.6	.439	.348	112.4	.485	.404	-10.8	+1.1	-2.3
At Target Center		9-17		97.3	.458	.327	101.4	.462	.358	-4.2	+2.9	-1.7
On the Road			4-22	99.1	.437	.334	112.2	.488	.383	-13.2	-1.4	-1.2
vs. .500+ Opponents	6-21	3-11	3-10	98.0	.445	.332	107.8	.481	.382	-9.7	-1.4	-0.1
vs. <.500 Opponents	7-18	6-6	1-12	98.3	.449	.329	105.8	.469	.357	-7.5	+3.0	-2.9
In Wins	13-0	9-0	4-0	108.3	.490	.410	99.7	.444	.314	+8.6	+7.3	0.0
In Losses	0-39	0-17	0-22	94.8	.433	.305	109.2	.485	.388	-14.4	-1.5	-1.9
vs. Western Conference	7-26	4-12	3-14	98.5	.455	.328	107.1	.479	.362	-8.6	-0.2	-1.3
vs. Eastern Conference	6-13	5-5	1-8	97.6	.433	.336	106.3	.468	.385	-8.7	+2.3	-1.6
1+ Days Rest	10-29	7-15	3-14	97.6	.441	.342	105.8	.466	.365	-8.1	+1.1	-1.9
0 Days Rest	3-10	2-2	1-8	99.8	.465	.295	110.0	.503	.388	-10.2	-0.3	+0.1

LOVE, FLYNN MAKE ALL-STAR PLANS: The NBA announced on Jan. 27 that Wolves forward Kevin Love and guard Jonny Flynn are among 18 players selected for the 2010 T-Mobile Rookie Challenge, to be played on Friday night at the American Airlines Center in Dallas as part of All-Star Weekend. Participants were chosen by the NBA's assistant coaches, with each team submitting one ballot. *Love and Flynn become the third and fourth Timberwolves players named since the Rookies vs. Sophomores format was instituted in 2000.* Wally Szczerbiak appeared in both 2000 and 2001, earning game MVP honors in the latter following a 27-point effort. Most recently, Randy Foye played for the rookie team in 2007. A look at this year's rosters (listed alphabetically):

Sophomores					Rookies				
Player, Team	Pts	FG%	Reb	Ast	Player, Team	Pts	FG%	Reb	Ast
Michael Beasley, Miami.....	15.7	.462	6.7	1.3	DeJuan Blair, San Antonio	7.5	.547	6.4	0.6
Daniilo Gallinari, New York	14.3	.422	5.3	1.7	Omri Casspi, Sacramento	12.1	.470	5.0	1.4
Marc Gasol, Memphis.....	14.9	.588	9.5	2.3	Stephen Curry, Golden State	14.4	.455	3.7	4.7
Eric Gordon, L.A. Clippers.....	17.0	.457	2.7	2.8	Tyreke Evans, Sacramento	20.5	.460	4.8	5.1
Brook Lopez, New Jersey	19.0	.505	9.1	2.3	Jonny Flynn, Minnesota	14.0	.418	2.5	4.3
Kevin Love, Minnesota	15.1	.464	11.5	2.6	Taj Gibson, Chicago	8.1	.479	6.4	0.7
O.J. Mayo, Memphis.....	17.7	.450	3.8	3.1	James Harden, Okla. City	9.7	.386	3.2	2.0
Derrick Rose, Chicago.....	19.9	.470	3.7	5.9	Brandon Jennings, Milwaukee	17.1	.376	3.5	6.3
Russell Westbrook, Okla. City.....	16.0	.405	5.0	7.5	Jonas Jerebko, Detroit.....	8.5	.475	5.7	0.7

DOUBLING DOWN: Minnesota spotted Philadelphia a 51-31 advantage late in the 2nd quarter before rallying to win in OT on Jan. 18, *matching the fifth-biggest deficit the Wolves have ever overcome (eighth 20+ overall).* They've made up double-figure spreads in eight of their 13 wins, while letting leads of 10+ points get away on five occasions. A look at the Wolves' "volatility factor" for 2009-10:

Comebacks					Blown Leads				
Deficit	Time, Qtr	Opponent	Date	Final	Lead	Time, Qtr	Opponent	Date	Final
20 (31-51)	3:04 / 2nd	Philadelphia	Jan. 18	108-103 (OT)	16 (78-62)	6:32 / 3rd	New Orleans	Dec. 9	96- 97
19 (53-72)	6:02 / 3rd	New Jersey	Oct. 28	95- 93	11 (49-38)	1:12 / 2nd	@ New Orleans	Dec. 4	89- 98
17 (43-60)	3:02 / 2nd	@ Denver	Nov. 29	106-100	11 (19-8)	5:58 / 1st	Memphis	Dec. 2	95- 97
15 (7-22)	6:14 / 1st	New York	Jan. 31	112- 91	10 (14-4)	6:51 / 1st	@ Chicago	Jan. 9	96-110
14 (36-50)	3:30 / 2nd	Utah	Dec. 5	108-101	10 (55-45)	9:45 / 3rd	Boston	Nov. 4	90- 92
13 (17-30)	11:24 / 2nd	Memphis	Feb. 6	109-102					
11 (37-48)	8:26 / 2nd	@ Utah	Dec. 14	110-108					
10 (47-57)	1:48 / 2nd	@ Dallas	Feb. 5	117-108					

CRUNCH TIME: Minnesota outscored Memphis 33-24 in the fourth quarter on Saturday, shooting 76.5% (13-for-17) from the floor to pick up its third victory of the season when trailing after three. *Over their past seven starts, the Wolves are averaging 30.1 points and shooting 56.5% (78-for-138) in the final 12 minutes.* A quarter-by-quarter look at 2009-10 to date for Minnesota:

through Feb. 9	1st Qtr Pts / FG%	2nd Qtr Pts / FG%	1st Half Pts / FG%	3rd Qtr Pts / FG%	4th Qtr Pts / FG%	2nd Half Pts / FG%	Game Pts / FG%
Timberwolves	24.0 / 44.5%	24.2 / 43.7%	48.2 / 44.1%	23.9 / 44.6%	25.4 / 46.5%	49.3 / 45.5%	98.2 / 44.7%
Opponents	27.4 / 49.6%	27.5 / 48.8%	54.9 / 49.2%	26.2 / 47.0%	25.0 / 44.9%	51.2 / 46.0%	106.8 / 47.5%
Scoring Margins.....	(-3.4 pts)	(-3.3 pts)	(-6.8 pts)	(-2.3 pts)	(+0.4 pts)	(-1.9 pts)	(-8.7 pts)

INSIDE THE BOX SCORE: The Wolves racked up 64 paint points Jan. 15 at Memphis, their top single-game total since collecting 68 at Charlotte on Aug. 8, 2008. *For the season, Minnesota ranks 10th in the NBA in paint scoring at 43.1 ppg;* meanwhile, they're 22nd by allowing 43.6 paint points per contest. A look at some of the Wolves' key figures to date (through Feb. 9):

Last 5 Games	FG Pct. Min-Opp	FTAs Min-Opp	Reb Margin	TO Margin	Pts off TOs Min-Opp	Paint Pts Min-Opp	Fast Break Min-Opp	2nd Chance Min-Opp	Bench Pts Min-Opp
1/29 vs. L.A. Clippers	52.4%-41.5%	22-27	Min +6	Min -2	13-14	46-48	29-21	10-23	29-36
1/31 vs. New York	50.0%-39.8%	25-16	Min +22	Min -5	16-12	48-36	14-14	16-10	51- 8
2/5 @ Dallas	53.0%-42.7%	20-35	Min -2	Min -4	8-22	36-32	5-24	14-21	42-45
2/6 vs. Memphis	55.6%-51.7%	19- 8	Min -3	Min +7	21-13	52-52	17-16	15-13	33-16
2/9 @ Philadelphia	47.4%-57.5%	26-25	Min -7	Min -3	9-31	34-58	14-26	7-12	43-49
Season Averages	44.7%-47.5%	23.3-24.4	Min +0.7	Min -1.4	16.2-19.3	43.1-43.6	14.9-17.8	15.2-13.1	31.5-34.5

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Last 5 Games	Wolves	Brewer	Cardinal	Ellington	Flynn	Gomes	Hollins	Jefferson	Love	Pavlovic	Pecherov	Sessions	Wilkins
1/29 vs. L.A. Clippers	W14	+21	DNP	-5	+11	+8	+26	+14	-5	+5	DNP	+3	-8
1/31 vs. New York	W21	-5	DNP	+22	-7	-9	+20	-4	+22	+2	+2	+28	+34
2/5 @ Dallas	W9	-3	DNP	+15	+14	0	+9	-3	+1	DNP	DNP	-1	+13
2/6 vs. Memphis	W7	+9	DNP	-2	-12	+2	-10	+18	+9	DNP	DNP	+19	+2
2/9 @ Philadelphia	L22	-15	-2	-12	-15	-5	-13	-13	-18	+4	+2	-7	-16
Season Totals:	-450	-289	-60	-129	-364	-162	-256	-272	-75	-199	-40	-134	-203
Per Game:	-8.7	-5.6	-2.3	-2.6	-7.0	-3.5	-5.6	-5.4	-2.3	-4.2	-1.2	-2.6	-4.0
Per 48 Minutes:	-8.6	-8.6	-12.1	-6.9	-11.4	-6.1	-15.1	-8.2	-3.8	-15.5	-5.0	-5.8	-9.0

COMING UP BIG: Al Jefferson tied his own franchise record by going 8-for-8 from the floor in the 4th quarter of last Saturday's 109-102 win over Memphis. During the Wolves' recent four-game winning streak, Jefferson totaled 42 points and nine rebounds while shooting 85.7% (18-for-21) from the floor in the 4th quarter. The late exploits helped Minnesota finish above 50% in all four of those victories, one short of the club record for consecutive 50%+ performances. A glance at Jefferson's crunch-time shooting:

Al Jefferson, 4th Quarters, Last Four Games						Most Consecutive Games to Shoot 50%+, Team		
Date	Opponent	Time	FG-A	Reb	Pts	#	Dates	Top Percentage in Streak
Jan. 29	L.A. Clippers	10:17	4-5	7	12	5	Jan. 6-13, 2000	64.2% at Philadelphia (Jan. 9)
Jan. 31	New York	6:48	5-5	0	12	4	Jan. 29-Feb. 6, 2010	55.6% vs. Memphis (Feb. 6)
Feb. 5	@ Dallas	6:31	1-3	1	2	4	Feb. 22-27, 2000	56.0% vs. Golden State (Feb. 22)
Feb. 6	Memphis	12:00	8-8	1	16	3	MR: Mar. 14-17, 2008	51.9% at Portland (Mar. 15)
Four-Game Totals:		35:36	18-21	9	42			

DOUBLE-DOUBLE DUO: Wolves center Al Jefferson hauled down a franchise-record 26 rebounds in the triple-OT loss at Houston on Jan. 13, part of his fifth career 20/20 effort. His 23 defensive rebounds are the most by any NBA player since Kevin Garnett grabbed 23 for Minnesota vs. Orlando on Jan. 12, 2005. Jefferson also becomes just the ninth player in the past 15 years to collect 25+ points and 25+ rebounds in the same game. Meanwhile, forward Kevin Love tallied a career-high 25 points and 11 rebounds Jan. 31 vs. New York, he's grabbed 10+ boards in 25 of 32 outings this year (including 22 point/rebound double-doubles):

25+ Points, 25+ Rebounds, Game -- Since 1995				Highest Rebound Pct., Season, Age 22 or Younger			
Player, Team	Opponent	Date	Pts / Reb	Player, Team (Age)	Season	Minutes	Reb%
Al Jefferson, Min.	@ Houston	1/13/10	26 / 26	Danny Fortson, Den. (22)	1998-99	1,417	23.7
Dwight Howard, Orl.	@ Golden State	1/10/07	30 / 25	Moses Malone, Buf.-Hou. (21)	1976-77	2,506	23.4
Dwight Howard, Orl.	Philadelphia	4/15/06	28 / 26	Moses Malone, Hou. (22)	1977-78	2,107	22.3
Shaquille O'Neal, LAL	Milwaukee	3/21/04	31 / 26	Dwight Howard, Orl. (22)	2007-08	3,088	21.7
Kevin Garnett, Min.	@ Sacramento	12/5/03	33 / 25	Kevin Love, Min. (21)	2009-10	956	21.4
Lorenzen Wright, Mem.	Dallas	11/4/01	33 / 26	Charles Oakley, Chi. (22)	1985-86	1,772	21.2
Chris Webber, Sac.	Indiana	1/5/01	51 / 26	LaSalle Thompson, K.C. (22)	1983-84	1,915	21.1
Dikembe Mutombo, Atl.	Minnesota	12/14/99	27 / 29	Kevin Love, Min. (20)	2008-09	2,048	21.0
Patrick Ewing, N.Y.	@ L.A. Lakers	2/23/97	34 / 25	Dwight Howard, Orl. (20)	2005-06	3,021	20.9
Charles Barkley, Pho.	Houston	3/24/95	34 / 26	Shaquille O'Neal, Orl. (20)	1992-93	3,071	20.6

WOLF TRACKS: Philadelphia halted the Wolves' season-best four-game winning streak with Tuesday's 119-97 decision, avenging a 108-103 overtime loss at Target Center on Jan. 18... It was the first time Minnesota had put together four consecutive wins since last January, when they began 2009 with five in a row... The Wolves rallied for a 109-102 victory over Memphis last Saturday, salvaging the series finale after three losses to the Grizzlies... One night earlier, Minnesota snapped a 13-game, four year drought vs. Dallas with a 117-108 decision at the American Airlines Center... Minnesota completed a two-game homestand by defeating New York 112-91 on Jan. 31, having sustained a 132-105 loss to the Knicks five nights earlier at MSG... The final 21-point spread marks the Wolves' biggest winning margin of the season; they'd posted a 112-96 win over Sacramento on Dec. 18... The Jan. 29 victory vs. the Clippers snapped a five-game losing streak for Minnesota; they also dropped five in a row from Dec. 29-Jan. 6, and endured a 15-game skid from Oct. 30-Nov. 27... Prior to the four-game winning streak, the Wolves had gone 2-14 in their previous 16 starts, capped by a 109-95 defeat at Cleveland on Jan. 27... Milwaukee completed a sweep of its two-game season set vs. Minnesota by winning 127-94 on Jan. 23...

SCHEDULE NOTES: Tonight's game continues a run of five straight (and seven of eight) vs. Eastern Conference foes for the Wolves... This evening also wraps up the 14th of 20 sets of back-to-back outings for 2009-10; Minnesota is 3-10 on the tail end of back-to-backs, beating Utah (Dec. 5), New Jersey (Dec. 23) and Memphis (last Saturday), having finished 6-16 a year ago... Last Friday's 117-108 win in Dallas ended a nine-game road losing streak, dating to the Dec. 23 triumph at New Jersey... It was also the Wolves' first victory vs. a .500+ opponent since beating Utah 110-108 on Dec. 14; they'd dropped 11 in a row since then... On the flipside, the Wolves have won seven of their last 13 vs. sub-.500 teams... The Jan. 2 game at Indiana completed Minnesota's second four-games-in-five-nights set this year; they have three such groupings slated in 2009-10 (next is Feb. 23-27), up from one a year ago...

LONG-RANGE PLANS: New York finished 17-for-40 from beyond the arc on Jan. 26, equaling the highest total of three-pointers ever allowed by Minnesota (Golden State, Apr. 12, 1995); Orlando hit 15-for-37 on New Year's Day, while Indiana finished 16-for-32 a week later (Jan. 8)... The Knicks' 40 attempts are also the most ever by a Minnesota opponent... Meanwhile, the Wolves sank a season-high 12 treys (in 22 attempts) last Friday at Dallas, and are shooting 38.4% (124-for-323) in their last 22 starts... Minnesota has surrendered 10+ three-pointers on 18 occasions (including Milwaukee's 11-for-23 showing on Jan. 23), allowing a league-leading average of 7.79 treys per night (3rd-highest average in NBA history)... They're allowing a combined 37.0% (ranking 29th), including 39.8% (216-for-543) over the last 26 games.... The Wolves stand 26th in three-point accuracy (33.1%) and 26th in treys made (4.44 per game)...

NO FREE LUNCH: The Wolves finished 33-for-45 from the line Jan. 8 vs. Indiana, their busiest night in nearly four years (since a 40-for-51 outing vs. New York on Mar. 26, 2006) and just the third time in 10 years they've attempted 45+... Minnesota has boosted its frequency to 26.0 attempts per game over its past 29 games, after averaging just 20.0 in its first 23 starts... Toronto's 40-for-48 effort on Dec. 8 marks the most prolific night by a Wolves opponent in nearly 10 years (since Phoenix went 43-for-49 on Mar. 14, 2000) and just the 9th time an opponent has converted 40+ FTs... Minnesota sank all 18 of its FT attempts Nov. 21 at Portland, the 17th perfect night in franchise annals; the club record for most FTs made without a miss is 24 (at Phoenix, Apr. 5, 2003)... They rank 20th in FT accuracy (74.5%) and 24th in FTs attempted (23.3 per game); a year ago, Minnesota ended 15th (76.9%) and 19th (23.9 per game)...

FINDING THE RANGE: The Wolves shot 55.6% Saturday vs. Memphis, their 2nd-best percentage of the season and the fourth straight game they'd hit 50%+... Minnesota finished at 53.0% last Friday in Dallas, 50.0% Jan. 31 vs. New York and 52.4% Jan. 29 vs. the Clippers... The latter outing was their top percentage for January and the first time they'd cracked 50% since beating Indiana on Jan. 8 (11 games)... Minnesota has shot better than 46% in seven straight home games (a combined 49.8%), but has been held below 40% in five of its past 11 away from Target Center, most recently a 38.9% effort Jan. 27 at Cleveland... The Wolves shot 57.1% in the Dec. 5 win over Utah, their highest percentage since hitting 59.0% vs. Phoenix on Jan. 29, 2007... They hit a season-low 32.6% vs. Dallas on Nov. 13, one of 11 sub-40% nights; a year ago, they were below 40% on 11 occasions, going 0-11... The 37.4% effort vs. Washington on Dec. 26 marked the first time Minnesota has won with a sub-40% night since Mar. 19, 2008 vs. Memphis... The Wolves rank 23rd in FG accuracy (44.7%) and 20th in scoring (98.2 ppg); they were 29th (44.1%) and 21st (97.8 ppg) last year...

AT THE OTHER END: Philadelphia shot 57.5% on Tuesday, the fifth time in eight games Minnesota has permitted 50%+ and the sixth time overall they've given up 55% or better... Over their past six road starts, the Wolves are allowing a combined 53.5% (272-for-508) while surrendering an average of 121.7 ppg... The 27-point setback in New York on Jan. 26 marked the 12th time this season the Wolves have permitted 120+ points and one of 12 losses by 20+ points; a year ago, Minnesota allowed 120 points on four occasions and suffered 10 losses by 20+... Memphis beat the Wolves for the third time this season on Jan. 15; the Grizzlies' 135 points represent the third-highest total ever allowed by Minnesota... At Target Center, meanwhile, Minnesota is 7-6 in its last 13 starts, with four of the six losses coming by six points or less (including consecutive two-point defeats vs. Oklahoma City and New Orleans on Jan. 20-22)... They've kept four of their past five home opponents below 100 (an average of 96.0 ppg)... For the season, Minnesota ranks 28th in scoring defense (106.8 ppg) and 27th in defensive FG percentage (47.5%); they were 22nd (102.7 ppg) and 26th (47.4%) a year ago...

ALL YOU NEED IS...: Minnesota outrebounded New York 58-36 on Jan. 31, its eighth double-digit margin of the season and the third spread of 20+; the Wolves outboarded Indiana 56-36 on Jan. 8 and New Orleans 49-29 on Dec. 9... Minnesota is outrebounding its opponents by an average of +2.9 rpg (44.8-41.9) over the past 36 games; they'd come up short in 11 of their first 16 (facing a -4.4 rpg shortfall)... The Wolves collected 65 rebounds in the triple-OT game at Houston on Jan. 15, tying the franchise single-game record set vs. Philadelphia on Feb. 3, 1991 (double-OT)... Minnesota has climbed to 8th in the NBA in offensive rebound percentage (.277) and 8th in total rebound percentage (.510), after sitting just 18th and 25th, respectively, in late November... Phoenix outboarded the Wolves 45-35 on Nov. 27, the seventh time in the season's first 16 games they'd faced a double-digit deficit... Minnesota ranks 3rd in the NBA in second-chance points, averaging 15.2 ppg; they finished 3rd in that category a year ago, as well (14.6 ppg)...

WRITING IN THE MARGINS: The Jan. 29 win over the Clippers marked the second game this year in which the Wolves never trailed (also Dec. 18 vs. Sacramento), while their 23-point, 3rd-quarter lead represents the biggest they've enjoyed at any point this season... On the other hand, the Jan. 26 setback at New York was one of four times Minnesota hasn't led; the Knicks jumped out to a 15-0 lead, the most consecutive points ever allowed by the Wolves to start a game... The 96-94 home loss vs. New Orleans on Jan. 22 dropped Minnesota to 2-6 in one-possession games (decided by three points or less); they finished 6-8 in that category a year ago... Meanwhile, the Jan. 31 win over New York was their fourth double-digit victory of 2009-10... The Wolves have now won 13 of their last 15 MLK Day contests, following the Jan. 18 home win over Philadelphia; that outing was also Minnesota's second OT game in six days and 100th all-time (44 wins, 56 losses)... Houston beat the Wolves 120-114 on Jan. 13, the first triple-overtime game in franchise history...

ONE FOR THE BOOKS: Golden State's 146-point explosion on Nov. 9 equaled the top single-game total ever by a Wolves opponent; the Warriors posted a 146-109 victory on Apr. 1, 1994 in Oakland... The final 41-point spread also matches the biggest losing margin in club history; Minnesota suffered a 113-72 defeat at Miami on Mar. 5, 1996... The Wolves committed 28 turnovers at Golden State, one short of the franchise single-game record; they coughed it up 29 times at New Jersey on Nov. 4, 2002... Meanwhile, the Warriors' 22 steals on Nov. 9 mark the highest total in an NBA game in over 12 years, since Atlanta swiped 23 at Philadelphia on Apr. 9, 1997... The Wolves collected 15 steals Oct. 28 vs. New Jersey, the 15th time in franchise history (second in the last six years) they've come up with 15+; the club single-game mark is 17, set most recently at New Jersey on Mar. 24, 2000... Minnesota ranks 9th in steals (7.58 spg); however, they're last in both blocked shots (3.44 bpg) and turnovers (16.2 per game)...

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HOW THE WOLVES WERE BUILT: A breakdown of Minnesota's 2009-10 roster:

June 28, 2007 – **Corey Brewer**, NBA Draft (1st round, 7th overall)
July 31, 2007 – **Ryan Gomes**, acquired via trade from Boston
July 31, 2007 – **Al Jefferson**, acquired via trade from Boston
June 27, 2008 – **Brian Cardinal**, acquired via trade from Memphis
June 27, 2008 – **Kevin Love**, acquired via trade from Memphis
June 24, 2009 – **Oleksiy Pecherov**, acquired via trade from Washington
June 25, 2009 – **Jonny Flynn**, NBA Draft (1st round, 6th overall)
June 25, 2009 – **Wayne Ellington**, NBA Draft (1st round, 28th overall)
July 27, 2009 – **Damien Wilkins**, acquired via trade from Oklahoma City
Aug. 10, 2009 – **Ryan Hollins**, signed as restricted free agent from Dallas
Sept. 11, 2009 – **Ramon Sessions**, signed as restricted free agent from Milwaukee
Sept. 17, 2009 – **Sasha Pavlovic**, signed as free agent
Oct. 20, 2009 – **Nathan Jawai**, acquired via trade from Dallas
Dec. 29, 2009 – **Alando Tucker**, acquired via trade from Phoenix

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2009-10 Minnesota Timberwolves Season Superlatives (through Feb. 9)

Wolves Individual Highs:

Points	29
Field Goals Made	13
Field Goals Attempted	26
Field Goal Percentage (Min. 10 FGM)769
3-Point Field Goals Made	5
3-Point Field Goals Attempted	8
Free Throws Made	11
Free Throws Attempted	13
Free Throw Percentage (Min. 10 FTM)917
Total Rebounds	26
Offensive Rebounds	8
Defensive Rebounds	23
Assists	9
Steals	5
Turnovers	8
Blocked Shots	5
Minutes Played	49:29

Jonny Flynn vs. Philadelphia (1/18/10) OT
 Al Jefferson at New Jersey (12/23/09)
 Al Jefferson at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
(10-13) (3x) *MR*: Al Jefferson at Memphis (1/15/10)
 Jonny Flynn vs. Orlando (1/1/10);
 Ryan Gomes vs. Memphis (2/6/10)
 Corey Brewer vs. L.A. Clippers (1/29/10)
 Kevin Love vs. Golden State (1/6/10)
 Al Jefferson vs. Indiana (1/8/10)
(11-12) Kevin Love vs. Golden State (1/6/10)
 Al Jefferson at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
 (4x) *MR*: Al Jefferson at Denver (1/11/10)
 Al Jefferson at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
 (4x) *MR*: Ramon Sessions vs. New York (1/31/10)
 Corey Brewer at L.A. Clippers (11/2/09);
 Corey Brewer vs. Oklahoma City (1/20/10)
 Al Jefferson at L.A. Clippers (11/23/09)
 Al Jefferson vs. Utah (12/30/09)
 Al Jefferson at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT

Opponent Individual Highs:

Points	43
Field Goals Made	14
Field Goals Attempted	30
Field Goal Percentage (Min. 10 FGM)722
3-Point Field Goals Made	6
3-Point Field Goals Attempted	13
Free Throws Made	14
Free Throws Attempted	18
Free Throw Percentage (Min. 10 FTM)	1.000
Total Rebounds	20
Offensive Rebounds	8
Defensive Rebounds	13
Assists	15
Steals	8
Turnovers	8
Blocked Shots	5
Minutes Played	59:25

Aaron Brooks at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
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 Aaron Brooks at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
(13-18) Rudy Gay vs. Memphis (2/6/10)
 (3x) *MR*: Aaron Brooks at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
 Trevor Ariza vs. Houston (11/18/09)
 Deron Williams at Utah (12/14/09)
 Deron Williams at Utah (12/14/09)
(11-11) Kevin Durant vs. Oklahoma City (1/20/10)
 Pau Gasol at L.A. Lakers (12/11/09);
 Marcus Camby vs. L.A. Clippers (1/29/10)
 Pau Gasol at L.A. Lakers (12/11/09)
 Dwight Howard vs. Orlando (1/1/10);
 Chuck Hayes at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
 (3x) *MR*: Rajon Rondo at Boston (12/20/09)
 Chris Paul at New Orleans (12/4/09)
 Aaron Brooks vs. Houston (11/18/09)
 (5x) *MR*: Shane Battier at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
 Aaron Brooks at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT

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Wolves Highs:

Points, Game	117	at Dallas (2/5/10)
Points, 1st Half	64	vs. New Orleans (12/9/09)
Points, 2nd Half	69	vs. Denver (11/25/09)
Points, 1st Quarter.....	34	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. L.A. Clippers (1/29/10)
Points, 2nd Quarter.....	35	(3x) <i>MR</i> : at Denver (1/11/10)
Points, 3rd Quarter	40	at Indiana (1/2/10)
Points, 4th Quarter	41	at New York (1/26/10)
Points, Overtime.....	9	(3x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Philadelphia (1/18/10)
Field Goals Made	47	vs. Sacramento (12/18/09)
Field Goals Attempted	111	at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Field Goal Percentage571	(44-77) vs. Utah (12/5/09)
3-Pt Field Goals Made	12	at Dallas (2/5/10)
3-Pt Field Goals Attempted	22	at Dallas (2/5/10)
3-Pt Field Goal Percentage583	(7-12) vs. Phila. (1/18/10) OT
Free Throws Made	33	vs. Indiana (1/8/10)
Free Throws Attempted	45	vs. Indiana (1/8/10)
Free Throw Percentage	1.000	(18-18) at Portland (11/21/09)
Total Rebounds	65	at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Offensive Rebounds	21	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Denver (1/11/10)
Defensive Rebounds	46	at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Assists	31	vs. Utah (12/30/09)
Steals.....	15	vs. New Jersey (10/28/09)
Turnovers.....	28	at Golden State (11/9/09)
Blocked Shots	9	vs. Utah (12/30/09)
Personal Fouls	31	at Golden State (11/9/09)

Wolves Lows:

72	vs. Milwaukee (11/6/09)
33	vs. Dallas (11/13/09)
32	vs. New Orleans (12/9/09)
13	at Houston (1/13/10)
11	vs. Dallas (11/13/09)
14	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at L.A. Lakers (12/11/09)
13	vs. New Orleans (12/9/09)
7	at Houston (1/13/10), 2nd
29	(3x) <i>MR</i> : at Portland (11/21/09)
73	vs. Atlanta (12/22/09)
.326	(29-89) vs. Dallas (11/13/09)
1	(4x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Golden State (1/6/10)
6	at L.A. Clippers (11/2/09)
.067	(1-15) at Memphis (11/14/09)
6	at Memphis (11/14/09)
9	at Memphis (11/14/09)
.550	(11-20) vs. New Orleans (12/9/09)
29	vs. Portland (11/11/09)
3	vs. Portland (11/11/09)
21	at Cleveland (1/27/10)
11	(3x) <i>MR</i> : at San Antonio (12/29/09)
3	vs. Golden State (1/6/10)
7	vs. Memphis (2/6/10)
0	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Philadelphia (2/9/10)
10	vs. Memphis (2/6/10)

Opponent Highs:

Points, Game	146	at Golden State (11/9/09)
Points, 1st Half	74	at Golden State (11/9/09)
Points, 2nd Half	72	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Milwaukee (1/23/10)
Points, 1st Quarter.....	40	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at New York (1/26/10)
Points, 2nd Quarter.....	43	at Philadelphia (2/9/10)
Points, 3rd Quarter	40	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Memphis (1/15/10)
Points, 4th Quarter	42	at Milwaukee (1/23/10)
Points, Overtime.....	15	at Houston (1/13/10), 3rd
Field Goals Made	55	at Memphis (1/15/10)
Field Goals Attempted	106	at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Field Goal Percentage593	(51-86) vs. Phoenix (11/27/09)
3-Pt Field Goals Made	17	at New York (1/26/10)
3-Pt Field Goals Attempted	40	at New York (1/26/10)
3-Pt Field Goal Percentage556	(10-18) (2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Den. (11/25/09)
Free Throws Made	40	at Toronto (12/8/09)
Free Throws Attempted	48	at Toronto (12/8/09)
Free Throw Percentage941	(16-17) at Indiana (1/2/10)
Total Rebounds	58	at Houston (1/13/10) 3OT
Offensive Rebounds	18	vs. Houston (11/18/09)
Defensive Rebounds	46	vs. Dallas (11/13/09)
Assists	36	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Milwaukee (1/23/10)
Steals.....	22	at Golden State (11/9/09)
Turnovers.....	22	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Houston (11/18/09)
Blocked Shots	12	vs. Dallas (11/13/09)
Personal Fouls	29	(3x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Golden State (1/6/10)

Opponent Lows:

87	vs. Milwaukee (11/6/09)
33	vs. Milwaukee (11/6/09)
36	(3x) <i>MR</i> : at Houston (1/13/10)
16	vs. Milwaukee (11/6/09)
17	(3x) <i>MR</i> : vs. L.A. Clippers (1/29/10)
12	at Denver (11/29/09)
15	vs. New Jersey (10/28/09)
4	vs. Philadelphia (1/18/10)
26	at Toronto (12/8/09)
73	(2x) <i>MR</i> : at Cleveland (1/27/10)
.321	(26-81) at Toronto (12/8/09)
0	vs. New Jersey (10/28/09)
8	vs. New Jersey (10/28/09)
.000	(0-8) vs. New Jersey (10/28/09)
6	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Memphis (2/6/10)
8	vs. Memphis (2/6/10)
.519	(14-27) vs. L.A. Clippers (1/29/10)
29	vs. New Orleans (12/9/09)
5	(2x) <i>MR</i> : vs. Phila. (1/18/10) OT
24	(3x) <i>MR</i> : vs. New Orleans (1/22/10)
12	vs. Washington (12/26/09)
1	at Cleveland (1/27/10)
9	(4x) <i>MR</i> : at Memphis (1/15/10)
0	vs. Utah (12/5/09)
12	vs. Houston (11/18/09)

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Top Individual Performances (through Feb. 9)

POINTS

29 Jonny Flynn, 1/18 vs. Phi.
28 Jonny Flynn, 12/14 at Utah
27 Corey Brewer, 12/26 at Was.
27 Al Jefferson, 12/23 at N.J.
27 Ryan Gomes, 11/29 at Den.
26 Ryan Gomes, 2/6 vs. Mem.
26 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
26 Al Jefferson, 1/6 vs. G.S.
26 Al Jefferson, 12/12 at Sac.
25 *MR*: Kevin Love, 1/31 vs. N.Y.

FIELD GOALS

13 Al Jefferson, 12/23 at N.J.
12 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
12 Al Jefferson, 1/6 vs. G.S.
12 Al Jefferson, 12/12 at Sac.
12 Ryan Gomes, 11/29 at Den.

FREE THROWS

11 Kevin Love, 1/6 vs. G.S.
10 Kevin Love, 1/11 at Den.
9 Jonny Flynn, 1/18 vs. Phi.
8 *MR*: Ryan Hollins, 1/2 at Ind.

3-PT. FIELD GOALS

5 Ryan Gomes, 2/6 vs. Mem.
5 Jonny Flynn, 1/1 vs. Orl.
4 Corey Brewer, 1/26 at N.Y.
4 Jonny Flynn, 12/14 at Utah

TOTAL REBOUNDS

26 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
19 Kevin Love, 12/22 vs. Atl.
19 Kevin Love, 12/11 at LAL
16 Al Jefferson, 1/29 vs. LAC
16 Kevin Love, 12/23 at N.J.
16 Kevin Love, 12/18 vs. Sac.
16 Al Jefferson, 12/9 vs. N.O.
15 Al Jefferson, 1/11 at Den.
15 Kevin Love, 1/6 vs. G.S.
15 Ryan Gomes, 11/1 at Pho.

OFFENSIVE REBOUNDS

8 Al Jefferson, 1/11 at Den.
8 Kevin Love, 1/1 vs. Orl.
8 Kevin Love, 12/22 vs. Atl.
8 Kevin Love, 12/11 at LAL
7 *MR*: Kevin Love, 1/27 at Cle.

DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS

23 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
14 Al Jefferson, 1/29 vs. LAC
12 Ryan Gomes, 11/1 at Pho.
11 *MR*: Kevin Love, 1/29 vs. LAC

BLOCKED SHOTS

5 Al Jefferson, 12/30 vs. Utah
4 Al Jefferson, 2/6 vs. Mem.
3 *MR*: Ryan Hollins, 1/31 vs. N.Y.

ASSISTS

9 Ramon Sessions, 1/31 vs. N.Y.
9 Jonny Flynn, 1/18 vs. Phi.
9 Kevin Love, 12/30 vs. Utah
9 Jonny Flynn, 12/2 vs. Mem.
8 Jonny Flynn, 1/31 vs. N.Y.
8 Jonny Flynn, 1/29 vs. LAC
8 Jonny Flynn, 1/20 vs. OkC
8 Jonny Flynn, 1/9 at Chi.
8 Jonny Flynn, 12/9 vs. N.O.
8 Jonny Flynn, 12/8 at Tor.
8 Ramon Sessions, 11/14 at Mem.

STEALS

5 Corey Brewer, 1/20 vs. OkC
5 Corey Brewer, 11/2 at LAC
4 *MR*: Corey Brewer, 2/6 vs. Mem.

TURNOVERS

8 Al Jefferson, 11/23 at LAC
7 Ryan Gomes, 11/14 at Mem.
6 *MR*: Kevin Love, 1/31 vs. N.Y.

MINUTES PLAYED

49 Al Jefferson, 1/13 at Hou.
46 Ryan Gomes, 1/13 at Hou.
46 Al Jefferson, 1/18 vs. Phi.
45 Corey Brewer, 1/13 at Hou.
43 Jonny Flynn, 1/18 vs. Phi.

Timberwolves in the Community:

The Minnesota Timberwolves FastBreak Foundation will celebrate Black History Month in February. Beginning with the Feb. 6 game vs. Memphis, during which the team will present a \$10,000 grant to The Given Foundation for African American Literature, and continuing throughout the month at each Wolves game and at several events across the community, the FastBreak Foundation's Black History Month initiative will focus on organizations and events that work to educate, honor and celebrate Black history for youth in Minnesota. Highlights of the FastBreak Foundation's 2010 Black History Month include:

FEBRUARY

FEB. 2 – READING TIME OUT

The FastBreak Foundation hosted a Reading Timeout on Tuesday (Feb. 2) at Whittier International Elementary School in Minneapolis. Corey Brewer and Damien Wilkins read the story “Meet Martin Luther King Jr.” to second and third grade students, after which the players and mascot Crunch asked questions about the book and distributed prizes.

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FEB. 6 – GRANT PRESENTATION

Each month, the FastBreak Foundation works to identify a local non-profit with goals that are closely aligned with the Foundation's monthly theme and bolster their programming through a \$10,000 grant. February's recipient is the Givens Foundation for African American Literature. The Givens Foundation enriches cultural understanding through programs that advance and promote African American literature and writers.

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FEB. 6-27 – HEROES IN THE MAKING

At each home game in February, the FastBreak Foundation will honor outstanding individuals who work every day to promote African American history into the lives of Minnesotans.

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FEB. 6-27 – BLACK HISTORY MONTH PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

During each home game the Timberwolves will air a PSA in-game to honor various leaders in Black history. These PSAs will showcase the work that each leader has accomplished to improve the lives of everyone today. The leaders that will be showcased are: Frederick Douglass, the Tuskegee Airmen, Sojourner Truth and Mary McLeod Bethune.

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BRIAN CARDINAL

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#14

10th Year

Season Averages:

1.7 ppg 38.9 FG% 0.8 rpg 0.7 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	DNP-CD									
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	9:35	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1	0	2

Notable: Tuesday's appearance was his first since Jan. 26 at New York (five straight DNPs)... Tallied a season-high nine points Jan. 18 vs. Philadelphia... Posted season highs in rebounds (four) and minutes (19:59) Oct. 28 vs. New Jersey... Has committed only five TOs in 239 minutes to date (1.00 per 48).

2008-09: Wrapped up his ninth year in the NBA (first in Minnesota) by appearing in 64 games, his highest total since playing 76 for Golden State in 2003-04... Averaged 3.0 ppg and 2.2 rpg while playing 14.2 mpg; he shot 38.5% from the field and 85.7% from the line... Also went 30-for-92 (32.6%) from long range, including 21-for-50 (42.0%) in his final 19 outings... Started four contests, all coming in the season's last three weeks... Dished a season-high five assists Mar. 14 vs. Charlotte; he dealt 4.0 ast/48 overall... Blocked a career-high three shots Mar. 13 vs. New York, and scored a season-high 11 points Mar. 11 vs. Memphis (one of two 10+ nights)... Pulled in a season-high 10 rebounds Feb. 18 at Miami, the lone time he led the Wolves and his seventh career double-figure board effort... That game was also the 300th of his NBA career; he passed the 5000-minute mark Mar. 18 at New Orleans... Logged a season-high 40:42 (with a season-high three steals) Apr. 13 at Dallas.

Milestones: Needs 83 points for 2000 career, and 50 rebounds to reach the 1000 mark.

2008-09 vs. Charlotte	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 1 at Charlotte.....	9:10	0-2	0-2	0-0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Mar. 14 at Minnesota.....	23:54	3-5	2-2	0-0	3	5	3	1	0	8

Career Highs – Brian Cardinal

Points:	32	vs. Phoenix.....	2/11/04
Rebounds:	14	@ Chicago.....	2/28/04
Assists:	7	@ Sacramento.....	4/19/06
Steals:	5	@ Seattle.....	1/22/04
Blocks:	3	vs. New York.....	3/13/09
Minutes:	45	vs. Phoenix.....	2/11/04

WAYNE ELLINGTON

G 6-4 200 North Carolina '09

#19

Rookie

Season Averages:

6.3 ppg 42.8 FG% 2.2 rpg 1.0 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	13:12	2-4	0-1	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	4
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	22:29	3-6	2-3	0-0	6	1	0	0	0	8
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	18:21	2-2	2-2	2-2	4	1	0	3	0	8
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	12:45	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	0	0	2
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	22:33	7-10	2-2	0-0	1	1	0	3	0	16

Notable: Led the Wolves with 16 points on Tuesday (12 in the 4th quarter), his eighth double-digit showing; six of those have come in road games... Scored 17 points Jan. 15 at Memphis, tying his season-best output set two nights earlier in Houston; he logged a season-high 34:37 in the Houston game... Shooting 51.1% (23-for-45) from beyond the arc in his past 22 contests, after a 10-for-48 (20.8%) start through 28 games... Scored 16 points Jan. 2 at Indiana; he also dished a team- and season-high five assists in that game... Pulled in a season-high seven rebounds Dec. 23 at New Jersey; he had six vs. the Nets on Oct. 28... Made his lone start Nov. 9 at Golden State... Signed on July 10... Chosen by Minnesota in the 1st round (28th overall) of the 2009 NBA Draft.

College: Named Most Outstanding Player of the 2009 NCAA Final Four after leading North Carolina to national title... Earned All-ACC Tournament honors in each of his three collegiate seasons, and finished his career ranked second in UNC history with 229 three-pointers... Had 25 points, a career-high seven assists and six rebounds Jan. 21 vs. Clemson, and scored a season-high 34 points with nine rebounds Feb. 3 vs. Maryland... Erupted for a career-high 36 points in a come-from-behind OT win at Clemson on Jan. 6, 2008... Earned All-East Regional honors for his play in the 2008 NCAA Tournament... A high school teammate of Charlotte rookie (and former Duke guard) Gerald Henderson at Episcopal Academy in Philadelphia.

JONNY FLYNN

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Syracuse '09

#10

Rookie

Season Averages:

14.0 ppg 41.8 FG% 2.5 rpg 4.3 apg

Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	31:47	7-13	3-5	2-2	1	8	1	3	0	19
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	23:34	3-10	0-2	0-0	8	8	1	2	0	6
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	32:31	6-16	3-7	4-5	2	7	1	1	0	19
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	20:01	2-6	0-0	2-2	0	5	1	0	0	6
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	26:56	4-10	0-2	6-8	6	3	0	5	0	14

Notable: Pulled down a season-high eight rebounds vs. New York, becoming the 15th guard in Wolves history with 8+ rebounds and 8+ assists in a game; *he's averaging 5.5 apg over the past 11 games...* Has dipped to 11.4 ppg in his last seven starts, following a four-game run at 19.8 ppg... Committed a season-high six TOs Jan. 26 at New York (also Nov. 9 at Golden State)... Led all scorers with 29 points Jan. 18 vs. Philadelphia (a team season best) while dealing a season-high nine assists in a season-high 43:17... Sank five treys Jan. 1 vs. Orlando, *and is shooting 36.5% (19-for-52) from long distance since Jan. 1...* Has led Minnesota in scoring 13 times (with 10 20+ efforts) and in assists on 27 occasions; he dished nine assists Dec. 2 vs. Memphis, the most by a Wolves rookie since Randy Foye handed out 10 vs. Philadelphia on Jan. 5, 2007... *Ranks 4th among NBA rookies in scoring (14.0 ppg), 2nd in FT accuracy (82.1%) and 4th in assists (4.3 apg)...* Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (6th overall) of the 2009 NBA Draft.

College: Started all 73 games in his two seasons at Syracuse... Named to the All-Big East Second Team following his sophomore season, while also earning A.P. All-America Honorable Mention honors and being chosen as a finalist for the Bob Cousy Award... Played 67 minutes, scored 34 points and handed out 11 assists in the six-OT victory over Connecticut on Mar. 12 in the Big East Tournament... Dished a career-high 13 assists while scoring 25 points (including 15-for-16 from the line) Feb. 14 vs. Georgetown... Netted a career-high 35 points Jan. 28 at Providence, and scored 22 points in the Orange's Sweet 16 loss to Oklahoma on Mar. 27... Set a Syracuse record by scoring 28 points in his college debut, Nov. 12, 2007 vs. Siena... Logged a string of 313 consecutive minutes played during his freshman season, including seven complete games... Started for the silver-medalist USA Basketball squad at the 2007 FIBA World U-19 Championships, and averaged 8.5 ppg and 5.3 apg for Team USA that earned gold at the 2006 FIBA Americas U-18 Championships... Along with former Syracuse teammate Paul Harris, helped Niagara Falls H.S. become the first team ever from Western New York to win the New York Federation state title (2006-07).

RYAN GOMES

F 6-7 240

Providence '05

#8

5th Year

Season Averages:

10.9 ppg 45.0 FG% 4.4 rpg 1.5 apg

Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	27:14	4-8	1-1	1-2	2	3	1	0	0	10
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	26:46	3-6	3-5	1-2	4	2	1	0	0	10
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	32:15	4-9	2-5	2-2	5	3	1	1	1	12
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	34:44	10-14	5-7	1-2	4	3	1	0	0	26
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	27:40	4-8	0-1	2-2	3	1	0	0	0	10

Notable: Led the Wolves with 26 points vs. Memphis, his sixth 20+ night and the fourth time he's taken scoring honors... Has started 10 of the past 11 games, after playing 11 straight off the bench; *he's shooting 57.7% (15-for-26) from long range in the last seven*, following a 17-game detour at 20.0% (6-for-30)... Handed out a season-high six assists Jan. 8 vs. Indiana, and scored a season-high 27 points Nov. 29 at Denver... Returned Dec. 26 vs. Washington, after missing six games with a sprained left ankle suffered Dec. 12 at Sacramento... *The DNP at Utah on Dec. 14 ended his Ironman streak at 203 games* (dating to March 2007)... Grabbing just 3.6 rpg in his last 35 outings (7.2 rpg over the first 11 games)... Committed a career-high seven TOs Nov. 14 at Memphis... Led the Wolves across the board (23 points, 15 rebounds, four assists) Nov. 1 at Phoenix; it's his sixth career game with 15+ rebounds and the 26th double-double of his career.

Career Highs – Ryan Gomes

Points:	35	@ Golden State.....	1/21/08
Rebounds:	17	MR: vs. Minnesota.....	3/4/07
Assists:	10	vs. Charlotte.....	11/8/06
Steals:	4	MR: @ Cleveland.....	3/27/09
Blocks:	2	MR: @ Houston.....	1/13/10
Minutes:	52	vs. Minnesota.....	3/4/07

2008-09: Wrapped up his fourth NBA season (second with Minnesota) as the only Wolves player to play in all 82 contests... Started 76 times, having a run of 63 consecutive ended with the Mar. 25 bench outing at Philadelphia... Led the Wolves in minutes played (a career-best 2,614) while hitting 43.1% from the floor and 80.7% from the line... Averaged a career-high 13.3 ppg and 4.8 rpg, and connected on 37.2% of his three-point attempts; *his 106 made treys are the second-most ever by a Wolves forward* (Chuck Person hit 118 in 1992-93)... Slipped to 18-for-65 (27.7%) from beyond the arc in his last 18, after a 15-game blitz at 48.3% (29-for-60)... Averaged 16.0 ppg and 5.7 rpg over the final nine (Minnesota went 4-5), following a seven-game dip at 8.4 ppg (30.9%), during which the Wolves were 0-7... Collected a pair of double-doubles; he finished with 24 points and a season-high 13 rebounds Apr. 7 at the Clippers... Tied his career best with four steals Mar. 27 at Cleveland... Registered a season-high 28 points Mar. 13 vs. New York (also Mar. 7 at Portland); he scored 26 points (including the 3000th of his NBA career) Feb. 20 vs. Indiana.

Milestones: Dealt his 500th career assist Jan. 8 vs. Indiana... *Needs 32 points to surpass 4000 for his NBA career.*

2008-09 vs. Charlotte

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 1 at Charlotte.....	36:27	6-12	4-6	0-0	6	1	0	3	2	16
Mar. 14 at Minnesota.....	40:39	8-19	1-6	4-4	6	1	1	2	2	21

RYAN HOLLINS

C 7-0 240 UCLA '06

#1
4th Year

Season Averages:
6.2 ppg 53.4 FG% 2.9 rpg 0.7 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	30:21	7-11	0-0	5-7	3	0	0	0	1	19
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	29:51	6-8	0-0	4-6	3	0	0	2	3	16
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	34:08	6-12	0-0	3-4	5	2	1	3	0	15
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	25:49	2-3	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	2	0	4
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	15:52	1-4	0-0	2-2	2	1	0	0	0	4

Notable: Last Friday's minute total at Dallas is a career high; he fouled out with 2:35 left, his third DQ this year... Matched his career best with 19 points Jan. 29 vs. the Clippers, and tied a season high with three blocks vs. New York... Has started the past five, scoring 11.6 ppg (on 57.9% shooting) in 27.2 mpg; he's made 13 starts overall, including an eight-game run from Nov. 11-27... Returned to the lineup Jan. 18 vs. Philadelphia, having missed the previous six contests with an upper respiratory infection (his first DNP's of the year)... Led the Wolves with a season-high nine rebounds Jan. 2 at Indiana; he also set career highs for FTs made (8) and attempted (10)... Finished with 15 points and eight rebounds (in 29:33) Nov. 14 at Memphis... Signed as a restricted free agent to a three-year contract on Aug. 10.

2008-09: Split his third NBA season between Charlotte and Dallas, appearing in 45 games (three starts)... Acquired by the Mavericks (with Matt Carroll) from Charlotte for DeSagana Diop on Jan. 16, 2009... Averaged 3.2 ppg and 2.2 rpg in 9.9 mpg overall, hitting 53.2% from the floor and 59.7% from the line... Also played in nine of Dallas' 10 postseason contests, scoring eight points (on 4-for-4 shooting) May 5 at Denver and hauling in eight rebounds Apr. 25 vs. San Antonio... Scored a career-high 13 points (in a career-high 33:09) Mar. 19 at Atlanta, his lone double-digit outing... Snared a career-best 12 rebounds Mar. 29 at Cleveland, and totaled nine points, eight rebounds and a career-high four blocks Mar. 27 vs. Denver.

Career Highs – Ryan Hollins

Points:	19	MR: vs. L.A. Clippers.....	1/29/10
Rebounds:	12	@ Cleveland.....	3/29/09
Assists:	3	MR: @ New Jersey.....	12/23/09
Steals:	2	@ Atlanta.....	11/14/07
Blocks:	4	vs. Denver.....	3/27/09
Minutes:	34	@ Dallas.....	2/5/10

NATHAN JAWAI

F/C 6-10 280 Australia

#15
2nd Year

Season Averages:
3.5 ppg 46.7 FG% 2.8 rpg 0.6 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	Inactive									
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	Inactive									
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	Inactive									
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	Inactive									

Notable: His most recent appearance was Jan. 20 vs. Oklahoma City... Led the Wolves with a career-high four assists Jan. 15 at Memphis... Shooting 41.7% (25-for-60) in his last 22, having started the year at 53.3% in the first 12... His seven rebounds vs. the Clippers on Dec. 16 tied a career best... Played a career-high 25:46 Nov. 13 vs. Dallas, the first of two starting nods, and totaled a career-high 16 points Nov. 8 at Portland... Acquired from Dallas (with cash considerations) on Oct. 20 for a conditional 2nd-round choice in the 2012 NBA Draft... Acquired by Dallas from Toronto on July 9 in a four-team, eight-player trade that involved Memphis and Orlando.

2008-09: Appeared in six games with Toronto as a rookie, contributing 0.3 ppg and 0.3 rpg in 3.2 mpg... Missed the first 24 games due to a heart abnormality before being cleared to resume physical activity on Dec. 17... Also saw action in 14 games (nine starts) for the Raptors' D-League affiliate Idaho Stampede, tallying 11.1 ppg and 6.4 rpg (in 24.1 mpg) while shooting 52.6% from the field... Selected by Indiana in the 2nd round (41st overall) of the 2008 NBA Draft, then traded to Toronto (along with Jermaine O'Neal) for T.J. Ford, Rasho Nesterovic, Maceo Baston and Roy Hibbert on July 9, 2008.

Career Highs – Nathan Jawai

Points:	16	@ Portland.....	11/8/09
Rebounds:	7	MR: vs. L.A. Clippers...	12/16/09
Assists:	4	@ Memphis.....	1/15/10
Steals:	1	MR: vs. Philadelphia.....	1/18/10
Blocks:	2	MR: @ Memphis.....	1/15/10
Minutes:	26	vs. Dallas.....	11/13/09

KEVIN LOVE

F 6-10 250 UCLA '08

#42

2nd Year

Season Averages:

15.1 ppg 46.4 FG% 11.5 rpg 2.6 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	23:40	5-11	1-2	2-2	13	2	0	1	0	13
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	31:50	9-18	2-5	5-6	11	4	1	6	1	25
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	29:40	8-12	1-2	0-0	11	2	0	5	0	17
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	25:31	3-7	1-2	5-6	7	2	0	1	0	12
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	23:58	3-8	1-3	3-5	6	3	1	2	0	10

Notable: Led the Wolves with a career-high 25 points vs. New York, becoming the fourth player in franchise history to register 25+ points and 10+ boards in a reserve role... Has come off the bench in eight of nine (drawing a start Jan. 23 at Milwaukee); he'd missed the prior two games with an upper respiratory infection... The Jan. 2 game at Indiana ended his double-double string at 11; he has 22 (in 32 games) overall... Led the Wolves with a career-high nine assists Dec. 30 vs. Utah, and equaled his career best with 19 rebounds Dec. 22 vs. Atlanta (also Dec. 11 at the Lakers)... Topped Minnesota across the board (pts/reb/ast) Dec. 18 vs. Sacramento... Has connected on 20 three-pointers in 32 outings (at a 38.5% clip), after hitting only two a year ago... Made his regular-season debut Dec. 4 at New Orleans, having been sidelined for the first 18 games due to a fractured fourth metacarpal (left hand) suffered Oct. 16 at Chicago; he underwent surgery on Oct. 20... Had his 2010-11 contract option exercised on Nov. 2.

Career Highs – Kevin Love

Points:	25	vs. New York.....	1/31/10
Rebounds:	19	MR: vs. Atlanta.....	12/22/09
Assists:	9	vs. Utah.....	12/30/09
Steals:	3	MR: @ Indiana.....	1/2/10
Blocks:	4	vs. New York.....	3/13/09
Minutes:	40	vs. New Jersey.....	3/29/09

2008-09: Completed his first NBA season by leading all rookies (and ranking 9th overall) in rebounding at 9.1 rpg... Broke the franchise single-season rookie rebounding record Apr. 11 vs. Phoenix, and totaled 734 to surpass Christian Laettner (708 in 1992-93)... Played in 81 games (including 37 starts), missing the Apr. 5 game vs. Denver due to the flu... Averaged 11.1 ppg (9th among rookies) while logging 25.3 mpg and hitting 45.9%; he boosted those numbers to 13.3 ppg (48.4%) and 9.9 rpg after Jan. 1 (50 games)... Led the Wolves in FTs made and attempted by finishing 265-for-336 (78.9%); he averaged 7.9 FTAs/48 on the season... Also broke Laettner's club rookie mark for double-doubles, collecting his 29th (best among NBA rookies) on Apr. 15 vs. Sacramento... Named Western Conference T-Mobile Rookie of the Month for March, the third Minnesota player to claim those honors (Stephon Marbury, Randy Foye)... Pulled in 19 rebounds Mar. 17 at San Antonio, one short of Dean Garrett's club rookie record... Led the NBA in offensive rebounds per 48 minutes (6.4); his 274 offensive boards ranked 3rd behind Dwight Howard (336) and Emeka Okafor (275), and mark the 2nd-highest season total in franchise history (Al Jefferson, 308 in 2007-08).

Milestones: Played in his 100th game Jan. 8 vs. Indiana, and grabbed his 1000th career rebound Jan. 13 at Houston... Went over the 1000-career-point mark Dec. 16 vs. the Clippers.

2008-09 vs. Charlotte	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Dec. 1 at Charlotte.....	22:24	3-7	0-1	4-6	8	1	0	0	0	10
Mar. 14 at Minnesota.....	33:31	9-17	0-0	4-4	7	1	0	0	0	22

SASHA PAVLOVIC

G/F 6-7 235 Serbia

#11

7th Year

Season Averages:

3.6 ppg 32.7 FG% 1.9 rpg 1.0 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	7:30	0-2	0-1	0-0	3	0	0	1	0	0
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	1:50	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	6:51	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Notable: Saturday's DNP vs. Memphis was his fifth of the season... Scored 16 points Jan. 26 at New York, his high total since netting a season-high 17 at Golden State on Nov. 9 (third double-figure night)... Pulled down a career-high 10 rebounds Nov. 13 vs. Dallas, and pilfered a season-high three steals Nov. 25 vs. Denver... His minute (29:46) and assist (three) totals Nov. 9 at Golden State are season bests... Signed as a free agent to a one-year contract on Sept. 17... Waived by Phoenix on Sept. 15; he'd been acquired by the Suns (along with Ben Wallace, a conditional 2nd-round draft choice and cash) from Cleveland on June 25 in exchange for Shaquille O'Neal.

Career Highs – Sasha Pavlovic

Points:	25	vs. Sacramento.....	3/13/07
Rebounds:	10	vs. Dallas.....	11/13/09
Assists:	7	vs. Washington.....	1/23/08
Steals:	4	MR: vs. Charlotte.....	2/2/07
Blocks:	3	MR: vs. New York.....	3/15/09
Minutes:	46	vs. Miami.....	4/5/07

2008-09: Finished his sixth season in the NBA (fifth with Cleveland) by playing in 66 games, with 12 starting assignments... Sidelined for 11 games due to injury (Feb. 3-4, flu; Feb. 10-Mar. 1, sprained right ankle) and drew five DNP-CDs... Averaged 4.6 ppg and 1.9 rpg while logging 16.0 mpg; he shot 42.2% overall, including a career-best 41.0% (48-for-117) from three-point range... Also saw action in 11 postseason games for the Cavaliers... Had eight games with 10+ points, led by a 20-point effort vs. Philadelphia on Apr. 15... Added 19 points and six rebounds (in a season-high 43:06) Jan. 16 vs. New Orleans.

Milestones: The Dec. 5 game vs. Utah was the 400th of his NBA career... Swiped his 200th career steal Nov. 21 at Portland.

OLEKSIY PECHEROV

#4

F 7-0 245 Ukraine

3rd Year

Season Averages:

4.9 ppg 40.9 FG% 3.2 rpg 0.3 apg

Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	DNP-CD									
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	1:50	1-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	Inactive									
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	DNP-CD									
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	15:35	2-3	1-1	1-1	2	1	0	0	0	6

Notable: Saturday's game vs. Memphis was his 18th DNP since Dec. 1 (none through November)... Snagged a career-high-tying 10 rebounds (in just 10:59) Dec. 8 at Toronto... Posted his second career double-double (12 pts/10 reb) Nov. 21 at Portland... Has come off the bench in his last 26; prior to that, he'd tallied 10.2 ppg (55.0%) and 6.0 rpg in starting five consecutive games... Scored a career-high 24 points Nov. 4 vs. Boston, and led the Wolves with nine boards Nov. 6 vs. Milwaukee... Acquired from Washington (along with Etan Thomas, Darius Songaila and the Wizards' 1st-round selection in the 2009 NBA Draft) on June 24 in return for Mike Miller and Randy Foye.

Career Highs – Oleksiy Pecherov

Points:	24	vs. Boston.....	11/4/09
Rebounds:	10	MR: @ Toronto.....	12/8/09
Assists:	3	MR: vs. Utah.....	12/30/09
Steals:	2	MR: @ Denver.....	3/20/09
Blocks:	2	MR: vs. Houston.....	11/18/09
Minutes:	39	@ Orlando.....	4/16/08

2008-09: Concluded his second season in the NBA by appearing in 32 games (all off the bench)... Did not miss a game due to injury/illness... Averaged 3.6 ppg and 2.4 rpg in 8.7 mpg, while shooting 38.6% from the floor and 82.8% from the FT line... Enjoyed four double-figure nights, including a pair of 13-point performances (Feb. 4 vs. New Jersey, Mar. 17 at Utah)... Equaled his career high with 10 rebounds (logging a season-high 28:40) in the Apr. 15 finale at Boston.

RAMON SESSIONS

#7

G 6-3 190 Nevada '07

3rd Year

Season Averages:

7.9 ppg 47.0 FG% 2.7 rpg 3.2 apg

Last 5 Games

	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	16:13	3-4	0-0	2-2	1	4	0	2	0	8
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	24:26	2-5	0-0	1-2	6	9	1	1	0	5
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	18:45	4-8	0-0	1-1	1	4	1	0	0	9
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	27:59	8-12	0-0	3-5	3	6	0	1	0	19
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	21:04	4-6	0-0	1-2	1	4	1	3	0	9

Notable: Dished a game- and season-high nine assists Jan. 31 vs. New York, one of 15 times he's led... Scored 20 points Jan. 26 at New York, his second 20+ night; he's scoring 10.7 ppg (51.4%) in his last nine outings... Hauled in a season-high eight rebounds Dec. 26 vs. Washington (also Nov. 2 at the Clippers); he's averaging 6.1 reb/48 on the year... Contributed a season-high 23 points Nov. 27 vs. Phoenix (first time he's led), and dealt eight assists Nov. 14 at Memphis... Logged a season-high 31:20 Nov. 1 at Phoenix... Signed as a restricted free agent to a four-year contract on Sept. 11.

Career Highs – Ramon Sessions

Points:	44	vs. Detroit.....	2/7/09
Rebounds:	10	vs. L.A. Lakers.....	4/1/09
Assists:	24	vs. Chicago.....	4/14/08
Steals:	4	MR: @ Philadelphia.....	4/2/09
Blocks:	2	@ Indiana.....	4/6/08
Minutes:	53	@ Minnesota.....	4/16/08

2008-09: Completed his second NBA season by playing in 79 games (39 starts) and averaging 27.5 mpg... Drew one DNP-CD and spent two games on the Inactive List... Led the Bucks with 5.7 apg (18th in the league), and averaged 12.4 ppg and 3.4 rpg while hitting 44.5% from the floor and 79.4% from the line... Reached double digits 53 times (12 games with 20+ points) and collected nine double-doubles... Finished the season with a 2.97-to-1 ast/TO ratio, ranking 9th in the NBA... Had a career-high four steals on four occasions, most recently Apr. 2 at Philadelphia... Scored a career-high 44 points vs. Detroit on Feb. 7, going 13-for-18 from the field and 18-for-21 from the line while also passing for 12 assists... Handed out a season-high 17 assists while scoring 15 points and snagging seven boards Feb. 11 vs. Indiana... Tallied 27 points, eight assists, four rebounds and three steals Feb. 22 vs. Denver... Registered his first career triple-double with 16 points, 16 assists and a career-best 10 rebounds Apr. 1 vs. the Lakers... Finished with 18 points, 10 assists, five rebounds and four steals Apr. 2 at Philadelphia... Scored 19 points and added eight rebounds and seven assists Apr. 13 vs. Orlando.

Milestones: The Nov. 2 game at the Clippers was the 100th of his NBA career; he needs 32 rebounds to hit the 500 mark.

ALANDO TUCKER

F 6-6 205 Wisconsin '07 #29 3rd Year

Season Averages:
3.8 ppg 43.8 FG% 0.7 rpg 0.3 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	Inactive									
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	Inactive									
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	Inactive									
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	Inactive									
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	Inactive									

Notable: Made his Timberwolves debut Jan. 26 at New York... Acquired from Phoenix on Dec. 29 (along with a conditional 2nd-round choice in the 2010 NBA Draft and cash) in return for Jason Hart... Saw action in 11 games with the Suns this season, netting 3.9 ppg (43.3%) in 6.5 mpg... Scored a season-high 14 points at New York on Dec. 1.

2008-09: Completed his second NBA season by appearing in 30 games with Phoenix, averaging 4.6 ppg in 9.4 mpg while shooting 43.0% from the floor and 34.8% (8-for-23) from long distance... Made his lone start of the season Feb. 26 at the Lakers, scoring a career-high 16 points (on 7-for-11 shooting) with a season-high four rebounds in a career-best 31:44... Reached double figures five times overall, including a 13-point effort (in just 9:59) Apr. 5 at Dallas; he collected 10 points and two assists at Minnesota on Apr. 11... Also played two games for the D-League's Iowa Energy, chipping in 8.0 ppg with 4.5 rpg.

Career Highs – Alando Tucker

Points:	16	@ L.A. Lakers	2/26/09
Rebounds:	5	vs. Portland	4/16/08
Assists:	2	MR: @ Orlando	11/4/09
Steals:	1	MR: @ Portland	3/26/09
Blocks:	1	MR: @ Philadelphia.....	2/9/09
Minutes:	32	@ L.A. Lakers	2/26/09

DAMIEN WILKINS

G/F 6-6 225 Georgia '04 #3 6th Year

Season Averages:
5.9 ppg 43.1 FG% 3.6 rpg 1.9 apg

Last 5 Games	Min	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	Reb	Ast	Stl	TO	Blk	Pts
Jan. 29 vs. L.A. Clippers.....	19:25	2-4	0-0	0-0	3	1	1	2	1	4
Jan. 31 vs. New York.....	27:54	3-6	0-0	5-5	7	3	2	2	1	11
Feb. 5 at Dallas.....	14:00	3-3	1-1	1-1	2	1	0	0	0	8
Feb. 6 vs. Memphis.....	19:01	0-2	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	1	0	0
Feb. 9 at Philadelphia.....	16:13	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	2	1	4	0	0

Notable: Has come off the bench in the past five games (the Wolves are 4-1), after starting the previous 23 contests (and 29 of 31)... Hitting 51.8% (44-for-85) in his last 18 outings, on the heels of a six-game slide at 28.6%... Dished a team-high seven assists Jan. 22 vs. New Orleans (one off his career best)... Picked up his third double-double Jan. 18 vs. Philly; the Wolves have won all three of those, and are 8-4 when he scores 10+ points... Pulled in a career-high 13 rebounds vs. Washington on Dec. 26, the fourth time he's led... Scored a season-high 18 points Dec. 20 at Boston, while blocking a career-high three shots... Hit the game-winning basket as time expired Oct. 28 vs. New Jersey, capping his first double-double since Feb. 12, 2006... Acquired from Oklahoma City (with Chucky Atkins) on July 27 in return for Etan Thomas and two future 2nd-round draft choices.

2008-09: Completed his fifth season in the NBA (all with the Seattle/Oklahoma City franchise) by appearing in 41 games (14 starts)... Drew a total of 37 DNP-CDs, and was sidelined for the Feb. 27 game at Dallas due to bruised ribs... Averaged a career-low 5.3 ppg, 1.7 rpg and 0.9 apg while logging 15.5 mpg... Shot a career-low 36.2% overall, but drilled a career-best 37.5% (27-for-72) from three-point distance... Reached double figures on seven occasions, including a season-high 18 points (in a season-best 34:53) Mar. 7 at New Orleans... Chipped in 17 points and five rebounds Nov. 19 vs. the L.A. Clippers.

Milestones: Dealt his 500th career assist Dec. 8 at Toronto; he needs 15 rebounds to reach the 1000 mark.

Career Highs – Damien Wilkins

Points:	41	@ Atlanta	11/16/07
Rebounds:	13	vs. Washington	12/26/09
Assists:	8	@ Denver	12/29/05
Steals:	7	vs. Utah	3/5/06
Blocks:	3	MR: @ Boston	12/20/09
Minutes:	51	@ Atlanta	11/16/07