

**2011 General Shale Brick  
Atlantic Sun Women's Basketball Championship  
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***Quote Sheet: No. 1 ETSU 59, No. 5 Jacksonville 61***

**JACKSONVILLE:**

Head Coach – Jill Dunn *Opening statement*

"I am just extremely proud of pulling that game out. Obviously we have had a huge monkey on our back with ETSU for a couple of years now. From day one I thought that this was the team that could get it done and I just like they believe in themselves, they are playing with confidence really showed the past two days."

*On free-throw shooting almost costing them the game.*

"But, it didn't. It was close. Anytime, you are playing against ETSU its going to come down to the wire and I am just glad that we had the opportunity at the end of the game."

*On second-half comeback*

"I joked around before the tournament saying that we should be the most prepared of any team here the way our season has gone... I think we are peaking and playing with confidence at the right time and we just need to continue for one more game."

*Looking ahead to tomorrow.*

"I think they want it bad enough that we are going to do whatever we can to make sure it's a ballgame tomorrow. We need to keep our routine consistent, we keep our mindset strong we know that we have to come out here and play just as hard as we have the first two games. We cannot have any let downs and we got to keep rolling for 40 more minutes."

Gigi Thomas – *On coming out fast*

"We wanted to jump out on them early so that they would lose a little bit of confidence. All of us just wanted to nail every shot, so we went out with the confidence to take them (shots) and we hit them."

*On second half comeback*

"My job as a leader is to keep everybody up, make sure that everybody believes in what our coaches want us to do. We knew we were going to win last night and we knew we were going to win this morning and when the ball game was tied we knew we were going to win."

**ETSU:**

Head Coach Karen Kemp – *Opening Statement*

"First I want to say congratulations to Jacksonville. They came in on a mission and they came in with a lot of emotion and passion. They took us out of everything we tried to do in the first half, so I give them all the credit for that. We cannot come in and play as flat as we did...It's hard whenever you lose any game, but when you know it's the last one, especially for two players like this it makes it even harder."

Tara Davis – *On the overall performance*

"We can sit here and go through all the 'ifs' and as a senior and captain that's all I am thinking – what should I have done. But, you have to give credit where credit is due and Jacksonville came out ready to play and I only wish I would have played as hard as they did."