

Atlantic Sun Conference

2006 General Shale Atlantic Sun Men's Basketball Championship

East Tennessee State University • March 2-4
 Memorial Coliseum • Johnson City, Tenn.

**Thursday
 March 2**

#1 Lipscomb

Session I - 1:00 pm

#8 Mercer

#4 Gardner-Webb

Session II - 7:00 pm - CSS-TV

#5 ETSU

#3 Florida Atlantic

Session II - 30 min. following conclusion of prior game - CSS-TV

#6 Stetson

#2 Belmont

Session I - 30 min. following conclusion of prior game

#7 Campbell

**Friday
 March 3**

7:00 pm - CSS-TV

30 min. following conclusion of prior game - CSS-TV

**Saturday
 March 4**

2:00 pm - ESPN2-TV



** The 2006 A-Sun Champion will receive an automatic bid to the NCAA Tournament*

Championship Participants

The top eight teams based on Conference winning percentage. The A-Sun Championship will be a three-day, single-elimination tournament. Kennesaw State and North Florida are ineligible for the men's basketball championship until 2009-10.

Tiebreaker Format

The following formula shall be used, in order, until the tie is broken:

- a. Compare tied teams' (two or more) won-loss percentage versus all teams involved in the tie.
- b. Compare tied teams' won-loss percentage versus the top ranked team not involved in the tie, descending to the next highest placed team until an advantage is gained.
- c. Coin flip. (winner of the coin flip shall be declared the higher seed)

Tournament History

For the third consecutive year, the league's representative in the NCAA will be determined in the Volunteer State as ETSU hosts the 2006 General Shale Brick Atlantic Sun Championship. Only two current members own tournament titles: Florida Atlantic (2002) and Mercer (1981 & 1985).