

# SAMFORD

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## MEN'S BASKETBALL

### Upcoming Events:

1st Contest (AHSAA)  
November 3

1st Game vs. Clark Atlanta  
November 8

Early Signing Period  
November 12-19

Conference Stars vs. VMI  
December 4

ACT Date  
December 13

### Player Spotlight



**Brandon Roberts**

**#1**

Sophomore

Decatur, Alabama

Major: Journalism

### Favorites

**Food:** Chicken

Tenders and Fries

**Movie:**

Halloween Series

**Artist:** John P. Kee

**TV Show:** Law & Order

**Athlete:** Allen Iverson

## PETE HANNA PALOOZA FILLS THE ARENA



The Samford men's and women's basketball teams held a season preview/fan day, on Thursday, Oct. 30, in the Pete Hanna Center. The event lasted from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. and was open to the public. After team introductions at 6:30 p.m., the players participated in a three-point shootout. Students and kids participated in a half-court shot contest, a layup/free throw/three-pointer contest and a Halloween costume contest. The Samford men's and women's teams then competed in a dance off and relay race. Following the competitions, the players were able to sign the brand new Talladega posters.



## COACHING CLINIC A SUCCESS

Sunday, October 26th Head Coach Scott Padgett and staff hosted its first annual coaching clinic. When taking over, Padgett wanted to put an emphasis on giving back to coaches. This is just the first of many opportunities that that Samford Basketball staff is going to offer as an opportunity to local coaches.

Over 30 coaches from Alabama, Georgia and Tennessee were able to attend as Coach Padgett was able to give some great information about his fast paced system and the benefits of it.

Coaches were able to see many drills for guards and post players as well as some of the team drills that Coach Padgett runs. In addition, coaches were able to speak with Strength Coach Janathan Farris, and Nutritionist Pam Bartz. It was a great opportunity for coaches and they were excited to ask questions.

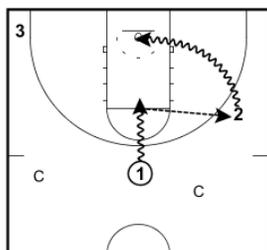
Over lunch, provided by Full Moon BBQ, coaches were able to hear from our Compliance Coordinator and Academic Coordinator talk about the eligibility changes that are taking place beginning in 2016.

The event was a great opportunity and Coach Padgett is only looking to make it bigger and better next year.

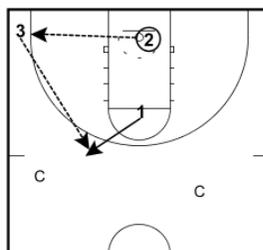


## DRILL OF THE WEEK

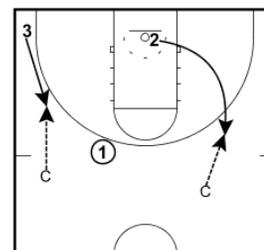
### Drive and Kick Shooting



Each coach has a ball  
1 drives and kicks.  
2 rips and drives baseline



2 kicks to 3  
3 makes extra pass to 1 for shot



3 lifts for shot  
2 curls for shot