



CINCINNATI (57) VS. HARVARD (61) – POSTGAME NOTES

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- In the first half, both teams went on the same four-minute stretch without a field goal from the 17:30 mark to 13:30 mark. Cincinnati's field goal drought lasted 8:30 minutes.
- The teams made a combined seven field goals in the first 10 minutes, shooting 7-of-27.
- Harvard's largest lead of the first half, 22-13, came after a Laurent Rivard three-pointer at the 7:25 mark. The Bearcats countered with a 10-2 run over the next four minutes.
- The Crimson scored seven of the first half's final nine points to lead at halftime, 36-29.
- Cincinnati's largest lead of the first half was one point, with the last lead, 6-5, at 17:09.
- Harvard opened up a 42-33 lead just over three minutes into the second half, before the Bearcats answered with a 7-0 run over a three-minute span.
- Cincinnati then went nearly six minutes without a field goal from 13:51 to 7:57.
- It was only the second meeting all-time between the programs, as the Crimson won the first matchup, 77-76, at the Volunteer Classic in Knoxville, Tenn., on Dec. 13, 1974.
- Appearing in its fifth-consecutive postseason, and its third-straight NCAA Tournament, Harvard won only its second NCAA Tournament game in school history.
- It's now won its first game at the tournament two-straight seasons. It was a 14-seed last year when it earned the program's first postseason victory, a 68-62 win over third-seeded New Mexico in the Second Round of the NCAA tournament.
- The Crimson has a 2-4 all-time record in the NCAA Tournament.
- Harvard now has a nine-game winning streak, and has won 13 of its last 14 contests.
- The Crimson's 27 victories break the program record for wins in a single season; previously was 26 set in the 2011-12 season.
- Harvard's 44 field goal attempts were two more than the Spokane Arena record low for a team in a single game. Washington State attempted 42 against BYU in 2005.
- Harvard's all-time leader in 3-pointers made, Laurent Rivard, made his first three 3-point attempts before finishing with 11 points. He finished 3-of-5 from behind-the-arc.
- Ivy League Player of the Year, Wesley Saunders, finished with 12 points. The 20th game this season he has reached double-digit scoring and 51st time in his career.
- Saunders led Harvard in scoring for the 11th game this season.
- Saunders is 10 points away from joining the 1,000-point club at Harvard.
- Entering the game, the Crimson defense was holding opponents to 60.5 points per outing, which ranks 13th in the NCAA. It held Cincinnati to 57 points.
- Amaker is four wins away from second on the all-time wins list at Harvard.
- Harvard is 15-0 this season when holding opponents to fewer than 60 points, is 14-0 when opponents shoot under 40 percent, and is 23-3 when committing less than 15 turnovers.
- The Crimson is 5-0 this season on a neutral court and 25-2 when leading at halftime.
- Cincinnati is 43-27 all-time in the NCAA Tournament, and 2-2 as a five seed.
- Cincinnati is 1-4 in the NCAA Tournament when playing on March 20.
- Cincinnati's opponents on the year averaged 31 percent from 3-point range, Harvard shot 35 percent.
- Cincinnati is 25-4 this season when their opponent shoots below 50 percent.
- Cincinnati is 19-3 when they outrebound their opponent.
- Sean Kilpatrick became the school's all-time leader in minutes played.
- Sean Kilpatrick has scored 10 or more points 110 times while at Cincinnati.
- Sean Kilpatrick has scored in double figures in 66 of his last 69 games.
- Justin Jackson has recorded three or more blocks in 19 of 34 games.
- Cincinnati is 1-6 when trailing at halftime this season, and 1-7 when trailing with under five minutes to play.
- The Bearcats have held their opponents below their season scoring average in 30 of 34 games this season.
- Cincinnati has held its opponents under 70 points in 31 of 34 games this season.

- Cincinnati is 2-3 at neutral sites this season.