



GATOR BOWL HISTORY

VIRGINIA TECH UNIVERSITY

QUICK FACTS

Gator Bowl Appearances: 5
Gator Bowl Record: 2-3
Last Gator Bowl Played: January 2, 2006

APPEARANCE HISTORY

50th Game: December 30, 1994
Virginia Tech Hokies vs. Tennessee Volunteers
23 45
Stadium: Ben Hill Griffin Stadium
Attendance: 67,000
Coached By: Frank Beamer
Team MVP: Maurice DeShazo, QB

53rd Game: January 1, 1998
Virginia Tech Hokies vs. North Carolina Tarheels
3 42
Stadium: Alltel Stadium
Attendance: 54,116
Coached By: Frank Beamer
Team MVP: Nick Sorensen, QB

56th Game: January 1, 2001
Virginia Tech Hokies vs. Clemson Tigers
41 20
Stadium: Alltel Stadium
Attendance: 68,741
Coached By: Frank Beamer
Team MVP: Michael Vick, QB

57th Game: January 1, 2002
Virginia Tech Hokies vs. Florida State Seminoles
17 30
Stadium: Alltel Stadium
Attendance: 72,202
Coached By: Frank Beamer
Team MVP: Andre Davis, WR

61st Game: January 2, 2006
Virginia Tech Hokies vs. Louisville Cardinals
35 24
Stadium: Alltel Stadium
Attendance: 63,780
Coached By: Frank Beamer
Team MVP: Cedric Humes, RB



Virginia Tech celebrating the win, 2001



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ICONIC PLAYERS, COACHES & MOMENTS

- In the 1994 game, Maurice DeShazo threw for 140 yards and rushed for 39 yards. This was not enough to defeat the Vols in Gainesville.
- In the 1998 game, the Hokies were destroyed by the Tarheels. The Hokies only produced 185 yards from their 42-3 loss.
- In the 2001 game, Michael Vick put on a stellar performance by throwing for 205 yards and a touchdown. He also ran for another touchdown adding on to the win.



Michael Vick, 2001



Alltel Stadium with river background, 2001

- In the 2002 Gator Bowl, Andrew Davis caught for 153 yards. The Hokies were unable to pull out a back-to-back Gator Bowl victory.
- In the 2006 game, the Hokies pulled out a win with Cedric Humes running for 113 yards and a touchdown.



Elvis Dumervil, 2006