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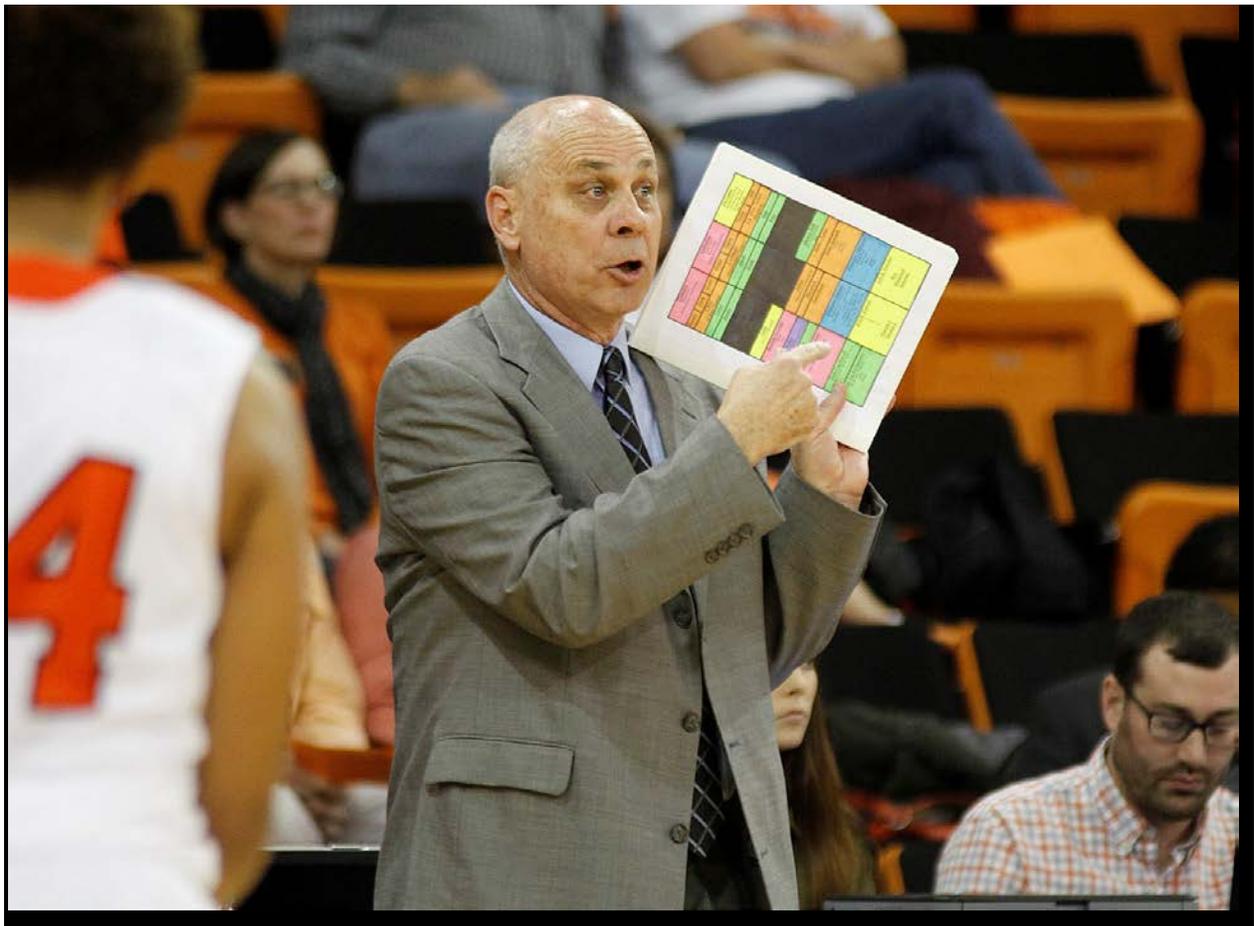
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Alexis Brown and Hailey Dias-Allen set to join Eagles next season



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STATESBORO, Ga. – Georgia Southern head women's basketball coach [Kip Drown](#) and staff have signed another two incoming freshmen for the 2016-17 season. The duo of Alexis Brown and Hailey Dias-Allen join three other incoming freshmen the staff signed earlier to play in Statesboro next season.

Brown and Dias-Allen will join a signing class that includes Amira Atwater from the

Peach State as well as Nakol Franks from South Carolina and Victoria Stavropoulos from Illinois.

"We are excited to have both Alexis and Hailey join our basketball family," Drown said. "Both of these players come out of winning high school programs and they both had distinguished high school careers. Besides their outstanding basketball talents, they have both excelled off the court in the classroom and they are both high character people. We feel that these two top off an outstanding class of five incoming freshmen that will have a major impact upon Eagle basketball for the next four years."

Alexis Brown

5-6 | PG | Madison, Ga. (Morgan County HS)

Alexis Brown is the sister of Georgia Southern men's basketball standout Tookie Brown and she will come to Statesboro from Morgan County High School where she was a four-year letterwinner under head coach Joshua Reeves. While at Morgan County, the 5-6 guard was a four-time All-State honoree. She was named to the All-State Second Team following both her freshman and sophomore years and was a first-team selection as a junior and senior. She was also a four-time All-Region First Team honoree and was named the Region Player of the Year this past year. As a senior, Brown averaged 17.4 points, 6.0 rebounds and 4.0 assists per game and eclipsed 1,000 career points. Also this past season, Brown led her team to the GHSA AAA State Championship with a record of 28-2.

Hailey Dias-Allen

6-2 | F/C | Greensboro, N.C. (Southeast Guilford HS)

Hailey Dias-Allen will join the Eagles next season after spending her prep career at Southeast Guilford High School in Greensboro, N.C. where she played for Rachel Clark. Dias-Allen, a 6-2 forward/center, was a four-year letterwinner for the Falcons and was a three-time All-Conference selection (2014, 2015, 2016). Following her senior season, Dias-Allen was named to the All-Area as well as All-Region teams and was twice named her team most valuable player (2014, 2016). As a senior, she averaged 11.0 points, 7.4 rebounds, 1.3 steals, 1.0 blocks and 0.9 assists and scored her career-high of 32 points against Reidsville on Jan. 19, 2016. She also played travel ball for the Greensboro Pheonix for head coach Eddie Otim and led the team to the 2015 Under Armour National Championships. Away from basketball, Dias-Allen is also a standout for the Southeast Guilford track team and she qualified for regionals in both the 4x400 relay as well as high jump. Her father, Danel Allen, played college basketball for DePaul and then New Jersey City State where he was a two-time all-conference selection as well as an NABC All-American. He went on to play professionally in the European Basketball Association (EBA) as well as the American Basketball Association (ABA).

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