

Today's LIVE Bets: 02/19/2025

NCAAB: Temple University @ University of NC Charlotte- 3:00pm ET

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Over 148.5

Analysis:

Temple is on a run. A run where the last 15 games they have hit the over line. While it's true that this run has been bolstered by a couple of overtime games, it still highlights the Owls' offensive capabilities. Their recent matchup against Charlotte featured two of those overtime periods, resulting in a game that the 49ers would likely prefer to forget, as they've struggled significantly, losing 11 of their last 13 contests. This poor performance is largely attributed to defensive issues under the direction of coach Aaron Fearne, with the team allowing an alarming average of 80 points over their last eight games. On the other hand, Temple's defensive struggles are also evident, but they continue to find ways to score, even in the absence of their top scorer, Jamal Mashburn Jr., who averages 22 points per game and may be returning tonight. In his absence, the Owls have demonstrated depth with five players reaching double figures in scoring during their recent game against FAU. This combination of Temple's offensive resilience and Charlotte's defensive woes sets the stage for an intriguing matchup, with the potential for high-scoring action continuing in Temple's favor. **68% of the early bets on the middle are on the over here. Take the over.**

NCAAB: Providence College @ Georgetown University - 7:00pm ET

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Georgetown to win

Analysis:

We are taking Georgetown to win outright on the money line in this matchup. The timing seems right for them, especially considering that Providence is dealing with some key injuries. This creates an opportunity for Georgetown to capitalize on turnovers and make quick transitions, which is when Ed Cooley's squad performs optimally. Additionally, I'm cautious about betting on

teams like Georgetown—who have struggled this season—when the spread is over three points. It's often safer to back a team to win outright rather than risk a larger margin of victory. Given these factors, I feel confident in Georgetown's ability to secure a win at home. **This is a weird one as the public bets on the spread are heavily favoring Georgetown yet the money line bets are almost completely opposite with 69% of the bets on the middle against us.**

NCAAB: Furman University @ Samford University - 7:30pm ET

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Under 151

Analysis:

Samford's impressive scoring average of 82 points per game has led to many of their game totals being set in the 150s, including tonight's matchup against Furman. This high total reflects the Bulldogs' dynamic and balanced offense, which excels at shooting from long range, as evidenced by their 295 three-pointers this season—ranking them fifth nationally with an average of 10.9 per game. However, despite their offensive prowess, Samford has struggled to meet the oddsmakers' expectations recently, with 13 of their last 14 games finishing under the projected totals. This trend was evident in their previous encounter with the Paladins on January 29, where the teams combined for only 142 points in a 72-70 victory for Samford. That game was particularly low-scoring at halftime, with just 58 points on the board, highlighting Furman's ability to effectively contain the Bulldogs. Furman's defensive strategy proved successful, as they limited Samford to a mere 41% shooting from the field. Given these factors, it's reasonable to question whether the Bulldogs will be able to break free from this recent trend of lower-scoring games, especially against a Paladins team that has shown it can stifle their offensive output.

NCAAB: Gonzaga University @ Washington St. - 8:30pm ET

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Washington St. +12.5

Analysis:

This matchup marks the most significant home game for Washington State in the history of the West Coast Conference (WCC), though it's worth noting that this is the Cougars' inaugural season in the league. Despite struggling with only two wins in their last eight games, both victories have come on their home court, which could provide them with a much-needed

confidence boost. Notably, Washington State came close to upsetting first-place Saint Mary's in Pullman and secured a win against third-place San Francisco, showcasing their potential to compete with top-tier teams. In their earlier encounter with Gonzaga on January 11, Washington State lost by 13 points, but it was a tightly contested game at halftime, with only a three-point deficit. This could indicate that the Cougars are capable of hanging tough with strong opponents. Additionally, Gonzaga, currently sitting in second place, may be tempted to overlook this game as they prepare for a crucial showdown against Saint Mary's on Saturday, potentially giving Washington State an unexpected advantage. Overall, while the Cougars have faced challenges, their recent performances suggest they could be a formidable opponent in this historic matchup. **Well, if your strategy is to only bet with the public this is a clear winner for you as 97% of the early bets on the spread are in favor of Washington St. to cover.**

NCAAB: Alabama @ Missouri - 9:00pm ET

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Under 170

Analysis:

Alabama is currently the top offensive team in the nation, averaging 90.3 points per game, while Missouri is no slouch either, with an average of 82.6 points. However, predicting a combined total of 172 points for their matchup seems excessive, particularly since both could reach the 80s and still allow for a winning score of 86-85, as models estimate around 167 total points for the game. Complicating matters for Alabama is the potential absence of two key rotation players, coupled with their recent loss in a high-profile game against No. 1 Auburn, which could leave them feeling offensively flat. Additionally, it's notable that no SEC team has scored over 76 points in Columbia this season, suggesting Missouri's defense might effectively limit Alabama's scoring. With a winter storm warning in effect, although the game will still take place, this could impact both teams' performance further. Given these factors, Alabama's offensive firepower might not translate into the anticipated total, leading to the possibility of a lower-scoring affair than expected. **Lets ride with the public here as the early bets on the middle are in our favor at 61%.**