

**BAYLOR HEAD COACH KIM MULKEY**

"I'm sure y'all want to talk about Juicy. What do y'all want to know?"

*On Juicy's shooting ...*

"At halftime, she had five (3-pointers). We're just casually talking in the coaches' meeting in the coaches' locker room. And they said, 'Juicy could break the record today. She's got five at the half, and she could tie the Baylor record I think at nine.' Well, I had no idea who held the Baylor record. I found out it was Odyssey Sims and Mandy Hayworth. So, at halftime, I just went in there and I thought, you know, Juicy's so quiet, plays a role, kind of unassuming, just let me fit in, and I'll help you win ballgames, but don't bring attention to myself. And I thought, you know what, when you're feeling it as a shooter, you're feeling it. And, I went in at halftime and I told them, if you get a chance, let Juicy break the record today. Well, I was talking about the Baylor record. So, she got to nine, and they were like, let her break it. So, I kept her in there. Well, when she got to 10, then it was, 'Coach, she only needs two more to tie the Big 12' or something. It just kept building. So, each time out, I would say, 'OK, well, find her again.' It's just a joy to watch teammates be happy for each other. When you get to coach an unselfish group, and they understand . . . guys, that's hard to do, to hit that many 3's in a game. You're not going to get that opportunity very often. And for them to find her, for them to be happy for her, and she did it with a lot of young kids here that will always hear that name Juicy for the rest of their lives, because she grew up in Waco. These are Waco little ones. And they're like, 'Gosh, I was there that day when she broke the record.'

*On the other Lady Bears' performances ...*

"There were a lot of good things today. Coop (Te'a Cooper) could have had a double-double if I had put her back in. Queen (Egbo) comes back in and does have a double-double. And if you look at Juicy's stats, she could have had a triple-double, really. It was fun to coach them because we've been off for games for two weeks or so, and you don't really know sometimes how they're going to react. They're ready to go home for the holidays, hard practices, some days not so hard. I just thought we were really into it and very enthusiastic the way we play. And I told them at halftime, 'You play like this, I don't care what the opponent is, you just had a little extra pep in their step today.' And it could have been because of Juicy's shooting. I don't care what it is, but you had a little extra pep in your step today."

*On sharing the ball ...*

"I told them in a time out, it was boom, boom, boom, oh, let me do one more pass. That's this game at its best, that's the beauty of basketball. And guys, you can go back in the NBA and some different eras, that's all they did. They never dribbled. They could just pass the ball and find each other. It was very obvious today. I think in the first quarter, we had six turnovers. The second quarter, we didn't have any. The first quarter, they hit 15 points. The second quarter, I think they had two, maybe four. Those kinds of things you acknowledge to your kids, and you tell them. I don't just look at that scoreboard. You're looking at individual things that will help us in tight games so that I can bring it back to their memory when we're in those tight games."

*On the defensive effort you ...*

"Yes, and we're still missing that extra help. Arkansas State will spread the floor on you. We are still hesitant to really help off of our shooter. And we've got to get better at that. We've got to learn when to help and recover, when not to help, when to take a charge. Because of offenses nowadays, it makes it a lot more difficult. We'll get better."

*On Trinity Oliver ...*

"I thought Trinity Oliver was very good for us and solid today. She found Juicy on penetrating and just flipped little passes over. She did the simple things, didn't try to do too much. And I was just looking at our bench, 34-8, compared to theirs. As much as Juicy scored the ball, you look at your paint points. (48-20). So, we didn't get away from post touches there. Those are not just the Juicy Show today, although it really was. Everybody got some of the action today."

*On DiDi Richards ...*

"Starting DiDi at the 4 (forward or post) was interesting for me. I think I learned a lot. I think DiDi can help us some at the 4 as an undersized post, because she just has a knack, can kind of make an extra pass there. So, it was interesting to kind of watch her, because when she started her career her, that's where I started her was at the 4. And then I thought, this kid is too good defensively with her length and quickness on the perimeter. And then, of course, we had Kalani and a lot of post players. But, she did some things to let me know that if I need her to play the 4 for us, I'm not going to hesitate to do that."

*On Queen Egbo ...*

"We're not even talking about Queen (Egbo), and she had a double-double today. We're not even talking about her, and that's what she does. She quietly comes off the bench. And when the game's over, you don't realize what she's done. And I think Queen just kind of relishes in that role. And when you put her out there starting, I don't know, she doesn't seem comfortable. So, I thought the lineup we started was very good today."

**BAYLOR SENIOR GUARD JUICY LANDRUM***On when she thought it might be a great day ...*

"I mean, maybe like the second shot I took in the corner. Coach has pretty much been getting on me about shooting the ball. So, I've just got to take chances and shoot, even if I'm missing. I kind of get down on myself, but she motivates me to keep shooting the ball."

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“Without (my teammates) and my coaching staff, it wouldn’t have been possible for me to break that record. They were able to find me today, it was just great.”

*On getting the record ...*

“It feels great. I just know we have a lot of basketball to play, so I can’t think about it. just got to keep moving forward.”

*On teammate support after the 14th 3-pointer ...*

“It was a great feeling – family, sisters. Just to have them cheer me on, to help me make that record, it’s just a great feeling. I couldn’t ask for better teammates.”

*On the screams when you made your 3-pointers ...*

“Once the first one went in, and I heard the kids, I was like, ‘OK, OK.’ And I feel like it would get louder as time passed by.”

### **BAYLOR GRADUATE TRANSFER GUARD TE’A COOPER**

*Did you feel pretty early Juicy was going to have a good night?*

“Absolutely. Me and Juicy are partners in shooting drills. That’s my partner. After like the second one, you could tell. Once she starts leaving her hand up, it’s a wrap.”

*On fitting in with the team ...*

“I’ve felt good since I’ve been here. It’s pretty easy. We have great people, they’ve embraced me, I feel like I’ve been here for four years. So, it’s fun.”