

## BLACK RAZORBACK FANS OF THE JIM CROW ERA: A FORGOTTEN PAST

**T**he history of the African-American athlete at the University of Arkansas has become well-chronicled in the last couple of decades. Many outlets have covered their experiences on the field—ranging from Yahoo sports columnist Dan Wetzel’s look at Darrell Brown, the first black Razorback football player, to the Arkansas African American Sports Center, Inc. an organization which focuses on the histories of black student-athletes at the UA across various sports. The university’s athletic department itself has created a series honoring its minority and women trailblazers.

But what about the history of the Razorbacks’ black fans? Below are accounts pertaining to the Razorbacks’ two biggest football venues in the state: