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Women's Basketball 2011-12

2001 NCAA Champion • 2011 NCAA National Finalist
1997 NCAA Final Four • 9 NCAA Sweet 16 Berths

2011-12 ND Women's Basketball: Game 1

Preseason WNIT — First Round

#2/2 Notre Dame **Fighting Irish** (31-8 / 13-3 BIG EAST in 2010-11) vs.

Akron **Zips** (14-16 / 6-10 MAC East in 2010-11)

- ◆ **DATE:** November 11, 2011
- ◆ **TIME:** 7:00 p.m. ET
- ◆ **AT:** Notre Dame, Ind.
Purcell Pavilion (9,149)
- ◆ **SERIES:** First meeting
- ◆ **WEBCAST:** UND.com (live)
- ◆ **RADIO:** Pulse FM (96.9/92.1) (live)
- ◆ **LIVE STATS:** UND.com
- ◆ **LIVE CHAT:** UND.com/blog



Storylines

- ◆ Notre Dame is 26-8 (.765) all-time in season openers, including a 21-3 (.875) record in the **Muffet McGraw** era and an active 16-game winning streak.
- ◆ The Fighting Irish are tipping off their fourth appearance in the Preseason WNIT, having won the tournament title in 2004, and reaching the semifinals in both 1996 and 2007.

Following a successful and productive pre-season, No. 2 Notre Dame opens its 35th season of intercollegiate competition at 7 p.m. (ET) Friday when it plays host to Akron in the first round of the Preseason Women's National Invitation Tournament (WNIT) at Purcell Pavilion. The game will be air live on the official Notre Dame athletics web site, www.UND.com.

Last week, the Fighting Irish stepped on the hardwood for the first time since last year's run to the NCAA national title game, defeating the reigning Canadian national champion, Windsor (Ontario), 83-34 in an exhibition game on Nov. 2 at Purcell Pavilion. Notre Dame needed much of the first half to shake off the rust from a seven-month hiatus, but eventually slipped into high gear, shooting .515 for the night.

Sophomore guard **Kayla McBride** led four players in double figures with 21 points, while fifth-year senior forward **Devereaux Peters** had 16 points and eight rebounds.

Rankings

- ◆ Notre Dame is No. 2 in the preseason Associated Press and ESPN/USA Today polls.
- ◆ Akron is not ranked.

Notre Dame's Possible Starting Lineup (C = captain // 2010-11 statistics listed)

No	Name	Pos	Ht	Yr*	PPG	RPG	Other	Notes
14	Devereaux Peters (C)	F	6-2	5th	11.9	7.5	1.7 bpg	• Preseason A-A/'11 Final Four All-Tourn.
4	Skylar Diggins	G	5-9	Jr.	15.0	4.0	4.8 apg	• Preseason A-A/BIG EAST Player of Year
21	Natalie Novosel (C)	G	5-11	Sr.	15.1	4.0	1.9 spg	• Preseason A-A/22 pts from 1,000 career
22	Brittany Mallory (C)	G	5-10	5th	7.1	2.2	2.7 apg	• Career-high .402 3FG% last season
23	Kayla McBride	G	5-11	So.	8.7	3.3	1.5 apg	• Game-high 21 pts in exhib vs. Windsor
Off the Bench For the Fighting Irish								
3	Whitney Holloway	G	5-4	Fr.	—	—	—	• 2.82 A/TO ratio, 2 state titles in HS
5	Madison Cable	G	5-11	Fr.	—	—	—	• '11 Gatorade Pa. POY; 3-time state champ
11	Natalie Achonwa	F	6-3	So.	6.9	5.3	1.1 apg	• '11 BE All-Freshman Team; .566 FG%
12	Fraderica Miller	G	5-10	Sr.	1.9	2.1	1.5 spg	• Tallied 12 pts, 4 stls in exhibition win
15	Kaila Turner	G	5-8	Jr.	2.7	1.1	1.7 apg	• Dished out 6 asst (1 TO) vs. Windsor
34	Markisha Wright	F	6-2	Fr.	—	—	—	• Had 12 pts, 6 rebs. off bench in exhib
44	Ariel Braker	F	6-1	So.	1.6	2.2	0.5 bpg	• 1 reb./2.7 min last year (led team)

* = players listed by academic class (Mallory and Peters are fifth-year seniors who have earned their undergraduate degrees and are in graduate studies)
Pronunciations: Achonwa (uh-CHAWN-wuh); Fraderica (fruh-DARE-uh-kuh); Kaila (KAY-luh); Markisha (marr-KEY-shuh); Novosel (KNOW-vuh-sell)

2011-12 Schedule

0-0 / 0-0 BIG EAST

N2	(2/2) Windsor (exhibition)	W, 83-34
N11	(2/2) Akron ¹	7:00 ET
N13	Detroit/Indiana State ¹	2:00 ET
N17	Preseason WNIT Semifinal ¹	7:00 ET
N20	Preseason WNIT Final ^{1-CBSSN}	2:00 ET
N25	vs. USC ²	5:45 ET
N26	vs. Duke/Gardner-Webb ²	5:45/8:00 ET
D2	Pennsylvania	7:00 ET
D4	@ Creighton	2:35 ET
D7	• Marquette	7:00 ET
D10	@ Purdue ^{BTN}	Noon ET
D18	Kentucky ^{ESPNU}	1:00 ET
D20	Central Florida	7:00 ET
D28	Longwood	2:00 ET
D30	@ Mercer	7:00 ET
J4	• @ Seton Hall	7:00 ET
J7	• Connecticut ^{CBSSN}	4:00 ET
J10	• @ Georgetown ^{CBSSN}	7:00 ET
J14	• @ Cincinnati	3:00 ET
J17	• Pittsburgh	7:00 ET
J21	• Villanova	1:00 ET
J23	Tennessee ^{ESPN2-BM}	7:00 ET
J28	• @ St. John's ^{BETV}	Noon ET
J31	• @ Rutgers ^{CBSSN}	7:00 ET
F5	• DePaul ^{ESPNU}	1:00 ET
F7	• @ Syracuse	7:00 ET
F12	• West Virginia ^{ESPNU}	3:30 ET
F14	• Providence	7:00 ET
F20	• @ Louisville ^{ESPN-BM}	2:00 ET
F25	• South Florida	2:00 ET
F27	• @ Connecticut ^{ESPN2-BM}	9:00 ET
M2	BIG EAST 1st Round ³	TBA
M3	BIG EAST 2nd Round ^{3-BETV}	TBA
M4	BIG EAST Quarterfinal ^{3-ESPNU}	TBA
M5	BIG EAST Semifinal ^{3-ESPNU}	6/8:00 ET
M6	BIG EAST Final ^{3-ESPN/ESPN2}	7:00 ET
M18	NCAA 1st Round ^{4-ESPN/ESPN2}	TBA
M20	NCAA 2nd Round ^{4-ESPN/ESPN2}	TBA
M24-	NCAA Regionals ^{5-ESPN}	TBA
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A1	NCAA National Semifinals ^{6-ESPN}	TBA
A3	NCAA Championship Game ^{6-ESPN}	TBA

(x) = numbers before opponent name indicate ND rank in Associated Press/ESPN-USA Today polls; numbers after are opponent rank; when only one ranking is shown, it is from the AP poll.

- = BIG EAST Conference game
- 1 = Preseason WNIT (campus sites; teams guaranteed min. three games)
- 2 = Junkanoo Jam (St. Georges High School - Freeport, Bahamas)
- 3 = BIG EAST Championship (XL Center - Hartford, Conn.)
- 4 = NCAA 1st/2nd rounds (Purcell Pavilion - Notre Dame, Ind.)
- 5 = NCAA Regionals (at Des Moines, Fresno, Kingston, Raleigh)
- 6 = NCAA Women's Final Four (Pepsi Center - Denver, Colo.)

BM = Games to be televised as part of ESPN's Big Monday package
CBSSN = Games to be televised on CBS Sports Network
BETV = Games to be televised on BIG EAST Network (syndicated)
BTN = Game to be televised on Big Ten Network
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All games will be broadcast live on South Bend's Pulse FM (96.9/92.1) and worldwide on the Internet at www.UND.com.

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Quick Hitters

- Notre Dame is ranked second in the pre-season version of both major national polls. That's the highest debut for the Fighting Irish in either poll, topping their No. 4 AP ranking to open 2009-10, and their No. 5 ESPN/USA Today position to start 2000-01.
- With its No. 2 preseason ranking in the Associated Press poll, Notre Dame has appeared in the AP poll for 78 consecutive weeks, extending a program record that dates back to the 2007-08 preseason poll. In fact, every current Fighting Irish player has competed for a ranked Notre Dame squad throughout her career, with more than half that time (40 weeks) spent in the AP Top 10.
- The Fighting Irish now have been made the preseason AP poll in 12 of the past 13 years (since 1999-2000), something only seven other schools in the country can match.
- Notre Dame could play as many as half (12) of the other 24 teams in the preseason AP poll if they meet No. 1 Baylor (would be in Preseason WNIT final Nov. 20) and No. 8 Duke (Junkanoo Jam on Nov. 26).
- Senior guards **Fraderica Miller** and **Natalie Novosel** have helped Notre Dame win 82 games to date, the second-most victories by a Fighting Irish class in its first three seasons, trailing only the one-player 2001-02 senior class of Ericka Haney, who was a part of 87 wins through the end of her junior year (including the 2001 national championship).

- Head coach **Muffet McGraw** is fourth on Notre Dame's all-time coaching wins list (across all sports), trailing only men's/women's fencing coach **Michael DeCicco** (774-80 from 1962-95), men's tennis/wrestling coach **Tom Fallon** (579-268-4 from 1957-87) and baseball skipper **Jake Kline** (558-449-5 from 1934-75).
- McGraw also is just the ninth Fighting Irish coach in the 125-year history of Notre Dame athletics to lead her team for 25 seasons, and the first to solely coach a women's sport (**Joe Piane** is in his 37th year as men's/women's track & field coach, while **Michael DeCicco** guided both Fighting Irish fencing teams during his 34-year career). Four of the nine members of this Silver Anniversary coaching club currently are active at Notre Dame — Piane (37 years), **Tim Welsh** (28th year with men's swimming & diving), McGraw and **Bob Bayliss** (25th year with men's tennis).

Other Notre Dame Notables

- Notre Dame is among the nation's winningest programs during the past 16 seasons (1996-97 to present), ranking fifth with 374 victories.
- Notre Dame has ranked among the top 20 in the nation in attendance each of the past 11 seasons. Last year, the program finished fifth in the NCAA attendance rankings with a school-record 8,553 fans per game, topping the previous year's mark of 8,377. The Fighting Irish also have drawn 5,000-or-more fans to 158 of their last 160 home games, logging 17 Purcell Pavilion sellouts (most recently on Feb. 26, 2011, vs. Cincinnati).
- The Fighting Irish have become a regular fixture in the WNBA Draft in recent years, as seven Notre Dame players have been selected in the past 11 seasons. **Charel Allen** was the most recent Fighting Irish player to be chosen, going to the Sacramento Monarchs in the third round (43rd overall pick) of the 2008 WNBA Draft. **Ruth Riley** (San Antonio) was active in the league during the '11 season, helping the Silver Stars return to the playoffs for the fifth consecutive season. Three of Notre Dame's eight WNBA alums have won a total of four league championships — Riley won a pair of crowns with the Detroit Shock (2003 Finals MVP, 2006), **Coquese Washington** toiled for the 2000 Houston Comets, while **Jacqueline Batteast** was Riley's teammate on the 2006 title-winning squad in Detroit.
- For the fifth year in a row, the Fighting Irish posted a perfect 100-percent Graduation Success Rate (GSR), according to figures released by the NCAA in October. What's more, since **Muffet McGraw** became head coach in 1987, every Notre Dame women's basketball player who has completed her

Winningest Teams (1996-97 to present)	
509	Connecticut
475	Tennessee
433	Duke
385	Louisiana Tech
◆374	NOTRE DAME
370	Old Dominion
365	Purdue
NOTE: through end of 2010-11.	

LAST IRISH GAME

#2 Notre Dame 83, Windsor (Ontario) 34
Exhibition Game
November 2, 2011
Purcell Pavilion (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Windsor (34)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Peklova	16	1-4	0-2	0-0	2	0	2	2
Clemencon	30	3-7	0-0	1-2	6	1	0	7
Kovacevic	35	3-13	2-9	0-0	1	0	3	8
Williams	33	5-12	0-2	0-0	7	4	2	10
Langlois	28	1-5	0-1	2-2	2	1	1	4
Abbott	14	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	0	4	0
Belhumeur-Moya	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
LaRocque	9	1-2	1-2	0-0	1	0	1	3
Wachna	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Krieger	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Gordon	8	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0
Mullins, A.	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Mullins, L.	20	0-4	0-4	0-0	2	0	1	0
Team					10			
Totals	200	14-49	3-21	3-4	34	6	14	34

Notre Dame (83)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Peters	21	8-9	0-0	0-0	8	1	0	16
Diggins	25	4-9	0-2	0-0	2	7	0	8
Novosel	22	2-11	0-3	1-1	2	1	0	5
Mallory	9	0-2	0-2	0-0	1	0	1	0
McBride	33	7-11	0-1	7-8	6	2	1	21
Miller	18	5-7	0-0	2-2	1	3	1	12
Turner	28	2-5	1-4	0-0	2	6	0	5
Wright	22	4-4	0-0	4-6	6	0	0	12
Braker	22	2-8	0-1	0-0	5	0	1	4
Team					3			
Totals	200	34-66	1-13	14-17	36	20	4	83

Windsor	16	18	—	34
Notre Dame	42	41	—	83

FG Pct: Windsor 28.6, Notre Dame 51.5. **3-PT FG Pct:** Windsor 14.3, Notre Dame 7.7. **FT Pct:** Windsor 75.0, Notre Dame 82.4. **Turnovers:** Windsor 36, Notre Dame 14. **Blocked Shots:** Windsor 1, Notre Dame 4 (Wright 3). **Steals:** Windsor 7 (Kovacevic 3), Notre Dame 25 (McBride 6). **Attendance:** 7,735.

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Media Services

The official Notre Dame athletics web site contains schedules, rosters, updated statistics and some historical information from previous seasons. High-resolution color headshots and action photos of Fighting Irish players, coaches and staff are available upon request.

Official Notre Dame athletics web site:

- <http://www.UND.com>

In-Season Interview Policy

All requests for Notre Dame player, coach or staff interviews must be made through **Chris Masters** and 24 hours' notice is appreciated. Please be aware that student-athletes' academic obligations always take precedence before any interview requests.

Media members also may speak to Fighting Irish team personnel before or after practice sessions. While most practices are open to the media, some may be closed at the coaching staff's discretion — contact **Chris Masters** for the latest practice schedule and availability.

On game days, no interviews will be granted with any Notre Dame player or coach prior to competition.

Credentials / Parking

Season credentials will be issued to all media covering the Fighting Irish on a regular basis. Please note — all Notre Dame basketball season credentials offer access to both Fighting Irish women's and men's basketball games.

For single-game credentials, contact **Chris Masters** no later than 24 hours before tipoff. Credential requests may be submitted via phone, fax or e-mail. Passes will be left at the media will call entrance (Gate 8) of Purcell Pavilion.

Parking is free for all Fighting Irish women's basketball games in the large lot south of Purcell Pavilion. Media members may park in the Gold Lot (adjacent to the baseball/soccer stadium southeast of the arena). Broadcast media may temporarily stop at the Gate 6 (loading dock) arena entrance to unload/load their equipment, but then must park in the designated media lot.

Credentials remain the property of the University of Notre Dame and may be revoked at any time.

Game Notes

Notre Dame's game notes package is made available on-line through the official Fighting Irish athletics web site during the season, usually at least one day prior to tipoff. Notre Dame's game notes are in Adobe PDF format and will be distributed via *electronic means only* (e-mail or web).

Please contact **Chris Masters** if you wish to be added to the e-mail distribution list for Notre Dame's regular women's basketball releases.

Gameday Services

Gameday packages containing game notes, programs and other information will be available prior to all home contests. A pre-game meal also will be served in the Monogram Room media area (exit through stands above Gate 6 to right of press row, entrance on right after exiting outer concourse doors) beginning one hour before tipoff.

A bank of statistics monitors is located on press row for the media's convenience. Final statistics books include an official NCAA box score and play-by-play. Purcell Pavilion also offers wireless Internet capability — check with **Chris Masters** for access.

Post-Game Interviews

Following each Notre Dame home game, Fighting Irish head coach **Muffet McGraw** and selected players, as well as the visiting head coach and selected players, will be available to speak with the media. Post-game press conferences are held in the Hammes Auditorium, located between Gates 1 & 2 on the first floor of Purcell Pavilion (exit court via Gate 1 ramp on opposite end of court from press row, go straight and turn right at the Notre Dame women's basketball office; auditorium entrance will be on your left).

Media members should submit player requests for post-game interviews to **Chris Masters** at the final media timeout of the second half.





Around the BIG EAST

2010-11 Standings (FINAL)

	BIG EAST		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
(1/3) Connecticut	16	0	36	2
◆(9/2) NOTRE DAME	13	3	31	8
(10/10) DePaul	13	3	29	7
Rutgers	11	5	20	13
(24/25) Marquette	10	6	24	9
(-/19) Louisville	10	6	22	12
St. John's	9	7	22	11
(22/14) Georgetown	9	7	24	11
Syracuse	9	7	25	9
West Virginia	8	8	24	10
Providence	6	10	13	16
Pittsburgh	5	11	14	17
South Florida	3	13	12	19
Villanova	3	13	12	19
Cincinnati	2	14	9	20
Seton Hall	1	15	8	22

(n) Ranking in final '10-11 Associated Press/ESPN-USA Today polls

2011-12 Preseason Awards

Player of the Year Skylar Diggins, Notre Dame
Freshman of the YearKaleena Mosqueda-Lewis, Connecticut

2011-12 Preseason All-BIG EAST Team^

Kayla Alexander, Jr., C Syracuse
 *Skylar Diggins, Jr., G Notre Dame
 *Keisha Hampton, Sr., F DePaul
 Bri Hartley, So., G Connecticut
 Tiffany Hayes, Sr., G Connecticut
 Natalie Novosel, Sr., G Notre Dame
 Devereaux Peters, 5th-Yr. Sr., F Notre Dame
 Monique Reid, Sr., F Louisville
 *Sugar Rodgers, Jr., G Georgetown
 Shoni Schimmel, So., G Louisville
 Shenneika Smith, Jr., G St. John's
 Da'Shena Stevens, Sr., F St. John's

^ - unanimous selection // ^ - extra player added due to tie in voting

2011-12 Preseason All-BIG EAST Honorable Mention

Stefanie Dolson, So., C Connecticut
 Khadijah Rushdan, Sr.-RS, G Rutgers
 April Sykes, Sr., G/F Rutgers
 Andrea Smith, Sr., G South Florida

2011-12 Preseason Coaches' Poll

1. Notre Dame (9 first-place votes)..... 219 points
2. Connecticut (7) 216
3. Louisville 191
4. Rutgers 176
5. Georgetown 175
6. DePaul 152
7. St. John's 145
8. Syracuse 123
9. West Virginia 108
10. South Florida 96
11. Marquette 92
12. Pittsburgh 62
13. Villanova 54
14. Providence 51
15. Cincinnati 38
16. Seton Hall 22

athletic and academic eligibility at the University has earned her bachelor's degree (a 64-for-64 success rate). The Fighting Irish also are one of only four schools in the past four years to record a 100-percent GSR and play for a national championship in the same season.

A Quick Look At Akron

Hopes are high in northeast Ohio this season, as Akron looks to build on last year's 14-16 record with four starters and 10 letterwinners back in the fold. The Zips also have nine of their top 10 scorers, as well as their rebounding, assists and steals leaders, returning this season.

UA turned in a balanced effort in its lone exhibition game, defeating Ohio Dominican, 97-43 on Nov. 5 in Akron. The Zips had six players score in double figures, led by sophomore guard **Hanna Lubergh's** game-high 20 points, while junior forward **Rachel Tecca** posted a double-double with 18 points and a game-best 10 rebounds. Akron shot an even 50 percent from the floor, and used a tenacious defense to force 39 ODC turnovers (22 coming on steals).

Tecca was a first-team all-Mid-American Conference choice last season (and a preseason pick this year) after averaging team highs of 15.8 points, 9.6 rebounds and 1.3 steals per game with a .496 field goal percentage. Junior guard **Taylor Ruper** is the team's No. 2 returning scorer (9.4 ppg.), while sophomore guard **Kacie Cassell** is back to run the Zips' offense after tallying 3.4 assists per game as a rookie last year.

Head coach **Jodi Kest** is beginning her sixth season at Akron, holding a 60-92 (.395) record with the Zips. Kest also starts her 20th year as a collegiate head coach, including prior stops at the Division II and III levels, as well as her most recent post at the helm of Texas A&M-Corpus Christi. She has a 286-245 (.539) all-time record, with Friday marking her first-ever matchup against Notre Dame.

The Notre Dame-Akron Series

Friday will mark the first time Notre Dame and Akron have played in the sport of women's basketball.

Other Notre Dame-Akron Series Tidbits

- Akron is the first of potentially six first-time opponents on Notre Dame's schedule this year. Last season, the Fighting Irish went 5-2 against new foes, defeating New Hampshire (99-48), Morehead State (91-28), Wake Forest (92-69) and Southeast Missouri State (97-21) at Purcell Pavilion, as well as Gonzaga (70-61) on a neutral floor in Seattle, while falling at No. 9/10 Kentucky (81-76) and No. 2/3 Baylor (76-65).
- The Zips will be the 188th different opponent in the 35-year history of Notre Dame women's basketball.
- Notre Dame is 46-7 (.868) against first-time opponents since joining the BIG EAST Conference in 1995-96, including a 26-3 (.897) mark vs. new teams since the start of the 2000-01 season.
- The Fighting Irish have won 23 consecutive home games against new opposition, dating back to Jan. 18, 1996, when Con-

necticut posted an 87-64 win at Purcell Pavilion.

- Notre Dame is 73-16 (.820) all-time against Ohio schools, with a 37-7 (.841) record against the Buckeye State at Purcell Pavilion. The Fighting Irish also have an active 17-game home winning streak against the state of Ohio since a 78-74 home loss to Dayton on March 8, 1993, in the quarterfinals of the Midwestern Collegiate Conference (now Horizon League) tournament.
- Ten Ohio natives have suited up for Notre Dame in its 35-year history, the most recent being Perry resident **Amanda Tsipis**, who was a four-year monogram winner from 2004-08 and co-captain on Notre Dame's 2008 NCAA Sweet 16 team.

ND vs. First-Time Opponents Since '00-01

11/27/00	Fordham*	W, 89-44
12/31/00	Rice*	W, 80-40
1/3/01	Va. Tech	W, 75-64
3/17/01	Alcorn St.*	W, 98-49
3/24/01	Utah	W, 69-54
11/21/01	Colorado St.	L, 66-72
11/26/01	Army*	W, 89-57
3/15/02	New Mexico	W, 58-44
3/25/03	Kansas St.	W, 59-53
11/14/03	Auburn	W, 77-64
3/23/04	Middle Tenn.*	W, 59-46
12/17/05	Arkansas St.	W, 77-54
12/16/06	IUPUI*	W, 75-65
12/28/06	Prairie View*	W, 94-55
3/18/07	California	W, 62-59
11/13/07	W. Kentucky*	W, 78-59
11/27/07	Canisius*	W, 93-47
12/29/07	St. Francis (Pa.)*	W, 82-39
11/25/08	Ga. Southern*	W, 85-36
12/28/08	Charlotte	W, 68-61
11/15/09	Ark.-Pine Bluff*	W, 102-57
3/23/10	Vermont*	W, 84-66
11/12/10	New Hampshire*	W, 99-48
11/15/10	Morehead St.*	W, 91-28
11/21/10	Kentucky	L, 76-81
11/27/10	Wake Forest*	W, 92-69
12/1/10	Baylor	L, 65-76
12/29/10	vs. Gonzaga	W, 70-61
1/2/11	SE Missouri*	W, 97-21

* = home game
NCAA tournament games in bold

ND vs. State of Ohio

	Overall	Home
BG	4-0	2-0
Cedarville	1-0	1-0
CIN	7-0	4-0
CSU	6-0	4-0
Dayton	22-6	10-3
Kent St.	1-0	1-0
Miami	2-4	2-2
Mt. St. Joe	2-0	1-0
Ohio	1-0	0-0
Ohio St.	1-1	1-0
Toledo	3-2	2-0
Wright St.	2-0	1-0
Xavier	20-3	8-2
Y'town St.	1-0	0-0
TOTAL	73-16	37-7
	(.820)	(.841)

Notre Dame vs.

The Mid-American Conference

Notre Dame is 35-14 (.714) all-time against the current Mid-American Conference alignment, with a 21-4 (.840) record at Purcell Pavilion. The Fighting Irish also sport a 20-5 (.800) record against MAC schools in the **Muffet McGraw** era (1987-88 to present) with a 12-1 (.923) record at home.

What's more, Notre Dame has won its last 18 games against current MAC schools since an 87-64 loss to Northern Illinois on March 10, 1995, in the semifinals of the Midwestern Collegiate Conference (now Horizon League) Tournament.

The Fighting Irish last faced a MAC opponent on Dec. 2, 2009, defeating Eastern Michigan, 69-59 at Purcell Pavilion behind a team-high 15 points from current junior guard **Skylar Diggins**.

Notre Dame will be playing a MAC team at Purcell Pavilion in the first round of the Preseason WNIT for the third time in its four tournament appearances. In 1996, the Fighting Irish opened with a 66-41 win over Kent State, and in 2007, Notre Dame tipped off the Preseason





WNIT with a 98-50 victory over Miami (Ohio).

That latter game featured current Fighting Irish fifth-year seniors **Brittany Mallory** and **Devereaux Peters**, with Mallory chalking up six points and seven rebounds, while Peters tallied six points, eight rebounds and five blocks.

Blowing The Lid Off

Notre Dame is 26-8 (.765) all-time in season openers and carries a 16-game winning streak into Friday's game against Akron. The Fighting Irish also are 21-3 (.875) in season openers during the **Muffet McGraw** era (since 1987-88), with their last season-opening loss coming on Nov. 26, 1994 (65-60 in overtime at No. 25 Seton Hall). Last year, Notre Dame opened with a 99-48 win over New Hampshire at Purcell Pavilion.

The Irish also are 26-8 (.765) all-time in home openers, with a 20-4 (.833) mark under McGraw, following last year's win over UNH.

Could It Happen?

Notre Dame has not sold out a season opener, but that could change with Friday's Preseason WNIT lidlifter against Akron. The Fighting Irish also should challenge the program record for attendance at a season opener (9,080) set on Nov. 15, 2009, against Arkansas-Pine Bluff.

Tournament Tested

Notre Dame has felt right at home in tournament situations during the past 16 years. Starting with the 1996-97 season, the Fighting Irish have won 26 of their last 29 regular-season tournament games (multi-game events only), including runs to the title in last year's WBCA Classic at Purcell Pavilion (three games) and the State Farm Holiday Hoops Classic in Seattle (two games).

The only Notre Dame losses during this current stretch were a pair of defeats to third-ranked teams in the Preseason WNIT semifinals (72-59 vs. Tennessee at Ruston, La., in 1996; 75-59 at Maryland in 2007) and a 67-63 overtime setback at No. 20 Colorado on Nov. 15, 2003 in the finals of the WBCA Classic — a game that saw the Buffaloes sink a desperation 30-footer at the end of regulation to force the extra session.

Notre Dame is playing its first regular-season tournament of the 2011-12 campaign, with a trip to the Bahamas for the Junkanoo Jam on tap for the Fighting Irish over Thanksgiving weekend. It will mark the second consecutive year Notre Dame has competed in multiple tournaments.

The Fighting Irish are playing in the Preseason WNIT for the fourth time, winning the tournament title in 2004 and reaching the semifinals in 1996 and 2007. The Fighting Irish are 9-2 all-time (7-0 at home) in Preseason WNIT games, including a 64-53 victory over No. 8/12 North

Notre Dame In the Polls

Associated Press Poll

Week	Pts	Rank	Weeks Ranked	
			11-12	All-Time
Oct. 29, 2011 (Pre)	934 (6)	2	1	217
SEASON HIGHS	934 (6)	2	1*	78*

ESPN/USA Today/WBCA Coaches' Poll

Week	Pts	Rank	Weeks Ranked	
			11-12	All-Time
Nov. 1, 2011 (Pre)	728 (5)	2	1	210
SEASON HIGHS	728 (5)	2	1*	41*

* = current streak of poll appearances // first-place votes in parentheses

Carolina State in the now-discontinued third-place game on Nov. 20, 1996, in Ruston, La.

Novosel Closing In On Milestone

Senior guard **Natalie Novosel** is nearing an important career milestone, needing only 22 points to become the 29th Notre Dame women's basketball player to score 1,000 career points. She would join junior guard **Skylar Diggins** (24th with 1,069 points) in that elite Fighting Irish club, with Notre Dame's two fifth-year seniors also having the chance to reach the scoring millennium later this season — forward

Devereaux Peters has tallied 860 points to date, while guard **Brittany Mallory**

has 755 career points.

Should all four players hit the 1,000-point mark, it would be the first time in the 35-year history of Notre Dame women's basketball that a quartet of active 1,000-point scorers were on the roster at the same time. In both 2000-01 and 2009-10, Notre Dame had three 1,000-point players on the roster, with the third reaching that total in her final career game (**Kelley Siemon** in 2001 NCAA national championship game vs. Purdue, **Melissa Lechlitner** in 2010 NCAA Sweet 16 game vs. Oklahoma).

Exhibition Recap: Windsor

Sophomore guard **Kayla McBride** scored a game-high 21 points and fifth-year senior forward **Devereaux Peters** added 16 points (on 8-of-9 shooting) and a game-best eight rebounds as No. 2 Notre Dame rolled to an 83-34 exhibition win over the defending Canadian national champion, University of Windsor, on Nov. 2 before a crowd of 7,735 fans at Purcell Pavilion.

McBride added six rebounds and a game-high six steals, part of an aggressive Notre Dame defense that hounded the Lancers into 36 turnovers (with 25 coming on Fighting Irish steals) and a .268 field goal percentage, including 3-of-21 (.143) from the three-point line.

Senior guard **Fraderica Miller** and freshman forward **Markisha Wright** sparked a strong Notre Dame reserve unit, with each coming off the bench to score 12 points. Miller also collected four steals, while Wright had six rebounds

ND 1,000-Point Scorers

23. Danielle Green ('95-'00)... 1,106
24. **◆Skylar Diggins** ('10-pres.)... **1,018**
25. Carrie Bates ('81-'85)..... 1,060
26. Mollie Peirick ('94-'98)..... 1,034
27. Kelley Siemon ('97-'01)... 1,006
28. Melissa Lechlitner ('06-'10)... 1,005
- . **◆Natalie Novosel** ('09-pres.)... **978**

ND Regular Season Tournament Titles Since 1996-97

- 1996-97 Comfort Inn Downtown Classic
- 1999-2000 Wachovia WBB Invitational
- 2000-01 Coaches vs. Cancer Challenge
- 2004-05 Preseason WNIT
- 2005-06 Duel in the Desert (Gray Div.)
- 2009-10 Paradise Jam (Island Division)
- 2010-11 WBCA Classic
- State Farm Holiday Hoops Classic

National Polls

Associated Press Poll

• October 29, 2011: Poll #1 (Preseason)

Team (First-Place Votes)	Rec	Pts	LP
1 ◆Baylor (33)	0-0	988	3
2 NOTRE DAME (6)	0-0	934	9
3 ◆Tennessee	0-0	906	4
4 ◆Connecticut	0-0	876	1
5 Stanford	0-0	852	2
6 Texas A&M (1)	0-0	772	7
7 Miami (Fla.)	0-0	750	11
8 ◆Duke	0-0	705	6
9 ◆Louisville	0-0	690	—
10 ◆Georgetown	0-0	585	22
11 Maryland	0-0	569	16
12 Penn State	0-0	491	—
13 Georgia	0-0	432	—
14 Florida State	0-0	428	15
15 Oklahoma	0-0	344	21
16 ◆Rutgers	0-0	283	—
17 ◆Purdue	0-0	277	—
18 ◆Kentucky	0-0	275	17
19 ◆DePaul	0-0	263	10
20 North Carolina	0-0	261	14
21 LSU	0-0	228	—
22 ◆UCLA	0-0	175	8
23 ◆USC	0-0	158	—
24 Texas	0-0	152	—
25 ◆St. John's	0-0	151	—

Others Receiving Votes: Ohio State 118, Michigan State 95, Gonzaga 57, Texas Tech 41, Wisconsin-Green Bay 32, Iowa 20, California 19, Georgia Tech 17, Kansas State 15, Iowa State 12, Xavier 6, Dayton 4, Marist 4, Temple 4, Vanderbilt 4, Florida 2, Oral Roberts 2, **◆Marquette** 1, **◆Pittsburgh** 1, Delaware 1.

ESPN/USA Today/WBCA Coaches' Poll

• November 1, 2011: Poll #1 (Preseason)

Team (First-Place Votes)	Rec	Pts	LP
1 ◆Baylor (17)	0-0	745	5
2 NOTRE DAME (5)	0-0	728	2
3 ◆Tennessee (3)	0-0	686	6
4 ◆Connecticut (2)	0-0	683	3
5 Stanford (2)	0-0	681	4
6 Texas A&M (2)	0-0	635	1
7 Miami (Fla.)	0-0	557	16
8 ◆Duke	0-0	553	7
9 ◆Louisville	0-0	482	19
10 Maryland	0-0	416	23
11 ◆Georgetown	0-0	415	14
12 Georgia	0-0	376	24
13 Florida State	0-0	332	20
14 Penn State	0-0	320	—
15 ◆Kentucky	0-0	296	22
16 Oklahoma	0-0	262	15
17 ◆Rutgers	0-0	245	—
18 ◆DePaul	0-0	182	10
19 North Carolina	0-0	172	12
20 Texas	0-0	161	—
21 ◆Purdue	0-0	149	—
22 LSU	0-0	143	—
23 ◆USC	0-0	129	—
24 Wisconsin-Green Bay	0-0	127	9
25 Michigan State	0-0	88	18

Others Receiving Votes: Gonzaga 70, Ohio State 61, **◆UCLA** 59, **◆St. John's** 57, Marist 46, Xavier 41, Iowa 35, California 20, Iowa State 20, Vanderbilt 19, Georgia Tech 18, Dayton 16, Middle Tennessee 10, Temple 10, TCU 8, South Dakota State 7, Texas Tech 7, **◆Marquette** 3, **◆Syracuse** 2, **◆West Virginia** 1, Houston 1, Memphis 1.

LP = last poll

◆ = 2011-12 Notre Dame opponent (italics are potential opponents based upon tournament results)



**Akron Series****First Meeting**

and three blocks, in addition to going 4-of-4 from the field.

As a team, the Fighting Irish shot 51.5 percent for the game (34-of-66) and held a slim 36-34 rebounding edge over Windsor, which had four players standing 6-foot-3 or taller. The Lancers were led by Korissa Williams, who had team highs of 10 points and seven rebounds, while Bojana Kovacevic added eight points. Notre Dame did a solid job on Windsor forward Jessica Clemencon, the reigning Canadian national player of the year, limiting her to seven points and six rebounds.

Both teams got off to a sluggish offensive start, although the Fighting Irish defense was strong from the outset, holding the Lancers to two points during the opening 8:30. In that time, Notre Dame forced 10 turnovers and limited Windsor to 1-of-7 shooting while opening up a 13-2 lead.

The Lancers would pull back within seven points twice in the ensuing five minutes, the last on Kovacevic's layup with 6:15 left in the first half. The Fighting Irish then effectively put the game on ice, closing the period with 23-4 run, fueled by six points from McBride and four apiece from Diggins, Miller and Wright.

Notre Dame continued to keep up the pressure in the second half, opening with a 19-4 run that included eight points from Peters, the last hiking the Fighting Irish lead over the 40-point mark at 61-20 with 13:32 to play. A Kovacevic three-pointer briefly pulled Windsor inside of 40 points (63-24) at the 11:22 mark, but the Lancers would get no closer, as Notre Dame steadily pulled away in the closing minutes, opening up its game-high 49-point lead on two occasions, the second being the final score.

Notre Dame Claims Top Spot In 2011-12 BIG EAST Coaches' Preseason Poll

For the first time in its 17-year membership in the BIG EAST Conference, Notre Dame has been selected as the outright No. 1 team in the annual BIG EAST preseason women's basketball poll, according to a vote of the league's 16 head coaches released Oct. 20 during the 2011-12 BIG EAST Women's Basketball Media Day at the B.B. King Blues Club & Grill in New York City.

In the closest vote since Notre Dame shared top honors with Connecticut in the 2002-03 BIG EAST preseason poll, the Fighting Irish picked up 219 points and nine first-place votes in the balloting (coaches are not permitted to select their own teams), edging out Connecticut, which collected the remaining seven first-place votes and finished with 216 points. Louisville (191 points) was chosen third, while Rutgers (176 points) finished a close fourth ahead of Georgetown (175 points).

The complete 2011-12 BIG EAST preseason coaches' poll can be found in the sidebar on page 3 of this notes package.

Fighting Irish Trio Earns Numerous 2011-12 Preseason Honors

Along with picking Notre Dame to finish first in the conference this year in their preseason poll, the BIG EAST coaches voted junior guard **Skylar Diggins** as the league's Preseason Player of the Year. Diggins is just the second Fighting Irish player to earn that honor, and the first since fellow South Bend Washington High School graduate

and Notre Dame All-American **Jacqueline Batteast** did so prior to her senior season (2004-05).

Diggins also joined a pair of her teammates — senior guard **Natalie Novosel** and fifth-year senior forward **Devereaux Peters** — on the Preseason All-BIG EAST Team, with Novosel and Peters making the preseason squad for the first time, while Diggins was a unanimous choice for the preseason all-conference team for the second consecutive year.

Notre Dame's three Preseason All-BIG EAST honorees (who also have been named preseason candidates for this year's Wade Trophy and Wooden Award, both of which go to the national player of the year) were more than any school, with three others having two selections (Connecticut had a third player earn honorable mention status).

Diggins — who added Associated Press Preseason All-America honors to her trophy case on Tuesday (the second Fighting Irish player to collect that status and first since Batteast in 2004-05) — put together one of the finest sophomore seasons in Notre Dame women's basketball history in 2010-11 while sparking the Fighting Irish to their second NCAA title game berth and third NCAA Women's Final Four appearance. The crafty southpaw made a nearly-seamless transition to the point guard position, ranking among the top 15 in the BIG EAST in scoring (15.0 ppg.), assists (team-high 4.8 apg.) and steals (1.9 spg.), posting career highs in all three areas. What's more, her 585 total points and 186 total assists were the second-most ever accrued by a Notre Dame sophomore — **Katryna Gaither** scored 590 points in 1994-95, while **Mary Gavin** dished out 205 assists in 1985-86 — and her 75 steals were fourth on the Fighting Irish sophomore charts (just eight off the school record), while her 1,226 total minutes were just one shy of **Beth Morgan's** school record set in 1996-97.

A State Farm Coaches' All-America and third-team AP All-America selection last year, Diggins also ranked second on the team with 32 double-digit scoring games, leading the squad in scoring 14 times and rolling up 10 20-point outings, including the last three NCAA Championship games against Tennessee (24), Connecticut (season-high 28) and Texas A&M (23). She added at least five assists in 22 different games (after having seven five-assist games her entire freshman season), capped by a career-high 12 assists against Oklahoma in the NCAA Dayton Regional semifinal, the most helpers ever for a Fighting Irish player in the NCAA tournament, and most in any game since 2000.

A unanimous first-team all-BIG EAST selection, the NCAA Dayton Regional Most Outstanding Player and a member of the NCAA Women's Final Four All-Tournament Team, as well as being a finalist for the three major national player-of-the-year awards (Wooden Award, Wade Trophy, Naim-Smith Trophy) and the Nancy Lieberman Award (top point guard), Diggins also made history in that regional final win over Tennessee, becoming just the second Notre Dame player to score 1,000 career points in less than two seasons with the Fighting Irish (Morgan had exactly 1,000 points at the end of her sophomore season of 1994-95), and doing so in 72 games, tying for the fourth-fastest run to the scoring millennium in program

THE TALE OF THE TAPE*

	ND	UA
Overall/conference record	31-8/13-3	14-16/6-10
AP/ESPN-USA Today poll	9/7	—
SCORING		
Points scored per game	77.0	66.3
Points allowed per game	56.2	63.9
Field goal percentage	.480	.419
Three-point percentage	.361	.332
Free throw percentage	.717	.682
REBOUNDING		
Rebounds per game	40.6	36.6
Opponent rebs. per game	32.3	36.4
Rebounding margin	+8.3	+0.2
OTHER		
Assists per game	17.2	13.1
Turnovers per game	17.7	17.7
Assist/turnover ratio	0.97	0.74
Blocked shots per game	4.3	2.6
Steals per game	12.7	7.1

* - all statistics from 2010-11 season





history. Diggins currently ranks 24th on Notre Dame's all-time scoring list with 1,069 points.

Meanwhile, Novosel was easily one of the nation's most improved players in 2010-11, nabbing State Farm Coaches' honorable mention All-America and first-team all-BIG EAST laurels, as well as the BIG EAST's Most Improved Player award, after more than tripling her scoring average from a year ago from 5.0 points to a team-high 15.1 points per game. She also scored in double figures a team-best 33 times, the second-highest single-season total in school history (Gaither had 37 double-digit games in 1996-97) and nearly doubled her combined total of 17 from her first two years. What's more, Novosel had seven 20-point games (her career high entering the season was 19 points) and posted a team-best .413 three-point percentage, in addition to being second on the squad in steals (tied-1.9 spg.) and third in assists (1.9 app.).

In 2010-11, Novosel set a new school record with 183 free throws made and 39 games started (tying with Peters and **Becca Bruszewski**), while her 232 free throw attempts were second-most in school history. In addition, she placed among the top 10 on the program's single-season charts for total points (7th - 588) and minutes played (9th - 1,102).

Peters (who garnered honorable mention preseason All-America status from the AP on Tuesday) also enjoyed her finest season at Notre Dame in 2010-11, having fully recovered from a pair of knee injuries earlier in her career. Peters set new career highs in virtually every category, ranking third on the team in scoring (11.9 ppg.) and tops in double-doubles (10), rebounding (7.5 rpg.), field goal percentage (.593), and blocked shots (1.7 bpg.), not to mention fourth in steals (1.7 spg.). Furthermore, she placed fifth in the country in field goal percentage, and ranked among the BIG EAST leaders in scoring (22nd), rebounding (6th), field goal percentage (2nd), blocked shots (4th) and double-doubles (2nd). As if that weren't enough, she was one of just two players in the nation to record at least 60 blocks and 60 steals last season (she had 68 blocks and 66 steals), joining Illinois' **Karisma Penn** (78/62) in that select company.

Like Novosel, Peters was named a State Farm Coaches' honorable mention All-America and first-team all-BIG EAST selection in 2010-11, while also taking home BIG EAST Defensive Player of the Year honors. She scored in double figures 25 times and tied the school record by starting all 39 games during Notre Dame's run to the NCAA national championship game. In that title clash against Texas A&M, Peters rang up a double-double with 21 points (on 8-of-10 shooting) and a game-high 11 rebounds, securing her place on the NCAA Women's Final Four All-Tournament Team.

Polling Station

Notre Dame is ranked No. 2 in the 2011-12 preseason Associated Press poll, released on Oct. 29. It's the highest the Fighting Irish have ever been ranked in the AP preseason survey, topping their No. 4 debut in 2009-10.

Notre Dame also received six first-place votes in the 2011-12 AP preseason poll, the first time

it has received consideration for the top spot since March 11, 2001, when the Fighting Irish earned five first-place votes (they were ranked No. 2 after falling at Connecticut, 79-76 in the BIG EAST tournament final). The previous week, Notre Dame had 33 first-place votes in its sixth week with the No. 1 ranking in the AP poll.

This latest preseason ranking marks the 78th consecutive AP poll appearance for the Fighting Irish, extending the program record that started with the AP preseason poll in 2007-08 (the old record was 59 consecutive weeks from 1998-2001). In fact, every current Notre Dame player has competed for a ranked Fighting Irish squad throughout her career, spending more than half (40) of those appearances in the AP Top 10.

This year's No. 2 ranking also represents the 12th time in the past 13 years (starting with the 1999-2000 campaign) that Notre Dame has appeared in the preseason AP poll, something only nine schools in the nation have done — Connecticut, Duke and Tennessee have shown up in all 13 during that span, while Georgia, North Carolina, Oklahoma and Stanford join the Fighting Irish with 12 preseason AP poll berths.

Notre Dame has been ranked in the AP poll for 217 weeks during the program's 35-year history, with every one of those appearances coming in the **Muffet McGraw** era (since 1987-88). McGraw ranks 11th among all active NCAA Division I head coaches for weeks in the AP poll, and also is 22nd all-time in that category.

In addition, the Fighting Irish are ranked No. 2 in the preseason ESPN/USA Today/WBCA coaches' poll, and like the AP poll, it's Notre Dame's best-ever preseason ranking, topping its No. 5 placement to begin the 2000-01 campaign. The Fighting Irish also collected five first-place votes in this year's preseason coaches' survey, their first nods for the top spot since the final '00-01 balloting, when they received all 40 first-place votes after winning the national championship.

Notre Dame has been ranked in the coaches' poll for 79 of the past 80 weeks, falling just outside the Top 25 in the final poll of the 2008-09 season. Nevertheless, the Fighting Irish have appeared in the coaches' poll for a total of 210

2010-11 Trends

Day of the Week	
Sunday	6-1
Monday	5-1
Tuesday	4-2
Wednesday	4-1
Thursday	1-1
Friday	2-0
Saturday	9-2

Time of Game	
Day games (before 6 p.m. local time)	15-3
Night games (6 p.m. or later local time)	16-5

Location	
Home games	15-2
Road games	8-5
Neutral site games	8-1

Halftime score	
Leading at the half	28-1
Tied at the half	0-2
Trailing at the half	3-5

Individual scoring	
Two or fewer double-figure scorers	3-2
Three double-figure scorers	7-3
Four double-figure scorers	16-3
Five or more double-figure scorers	5-0

Rebounding margin	
Grab more rebounds than opponents	27-3
Grab same number of rebounds	0-2
Grab fewer rebounds than opponents	4-3

Field goal shooting	
Higher pct. than opponent	29-3
Same pct. as opponent	1-0
Lower pct. than opponent	1-5
Shoot 45% or better	26-3
Shoot less than 45%	5-5
Hold opponent under 40%	24-1

Free throw margin	
Make more free throws	28-2
Make same number of free throws	1-2
Make fewer free throws	2-4

Turnovers	
Commit fewer turnovers	24-3
Commit same number of turnovers	2-0
Commit more turnovers	5-5

Miscellaneous	
Vs. Top 25 (AP or ESPN/USA Today polls)	8-8
On commercial television	11-6
In white jerseys	15-1
In alternate white jerseys (green trim)	4-1
In alternate white jerseys (pink trim)	1-0
In blue jerseys	9-4
In green jerseys	2-2

Margin of Victory	
1-5 points	1-4
6-10 points	4-2
11-15 points	5-1
16-20 points	3-0
21+ points	18-1
In overtime games	0-1

Conference Affiliation	
America East	1-0
Atlantic Coast	1-0
Atlantic 10	1-0
BIG EAST	16-4
Big Ten	1-0
Big 12	1-2
Horizon League	2-0
Missouri Valley	1-0
Mountain West	1-0
Ohio Valley	2-0
Pac-10	0-1
Southeastern	1-1
Summit League	1-0
West Coast	2-0

Month	
November	5-2
December	6-1
January	7-1
February	6-2
March	5-1
April	1-1

AP Poll Appearances Active D-I Coaches

- Summitt (Tenn) 600
- Landers (UGa) 461
- VanDerveer (Stan) 408
- Blair (TAMU) 247
- ◆McGraw (ND) 217**

All-Time D-I Coaches

- Summitt (Tenn) 600
- Landers (UGa) 461
- VanDerveer (Stan) 408
- Weller (Md) 227
- Grentz (Illinois) 225
- ◆McGraw (ND) 217**

NOTE: through Oct. 29 AP poll; most recent team coached is listed

AP Poll Appearances As Player & Coach (active coaches only)

- Amanda Butler (Florida)
- Cori Close (UCLA)
- Sylvia Crawley (Boston Coll.)
- June Daugherty (Wash. St.)
- Nell Fortner (Auburn)
- MaChelle Joseph (Ga. Tech)
- Joanne McCallie (Duke)
- ◆Muffet McGraw (ND)**
- Katie Meier (Miami-Fla.)
- Kim Mulkey (Baylor)
- Kathy Olivier (UNLV)
- Jennifer Rizzotti (Hartford)
- Dawn Staley (S. Carolina)
- Charli Turner Thorne (Ariz. St.)
- Coquese Washington (Penn St.)
- Terri Williams-Flournoy (G'town)

NOTES: Current teams listed ... all coaches shown have made AP poll with current teams except Daugherty (did so at Boise State and Washington), Olivier (UCLA) and Staley (Temple) ... Butler and Olivier are coaching at their alma maters ... Turner-Thorne is on sabbatical for the 2011-12 season.





Notre Dame Quick Facts

Official Name: University of Notre Dame
Location: Notre Dame, Ind.
Enrollment: 8,363 (undergraduate) / 11,731 (overall)
Founded: 1842
Colors: Gold and Blue
Nickname: Fighting Irish
School Fight Song: Notre Dame Victory March
Conference: BIG EAST
Arena: Purcell Pavilion at the Joyce Center (cap. 9,149)
President: Rev. John I. Jenkins, C.S.C.
Provost: Thomas G. Burish
Executive Vice President: John Affleck-Graves
NCAA Faculty Representative: Patricia Bellia
Director of Athletics: Jack Swarbrick
Senior Deputy Athletics Director/SWA: Missy Conboy
Associate Athletics Director (WBB): Jill Bodensteiner

Head Coach: Muffet McGraw (Saint Joseph's (Pa.) '77)
Record: 644-252 (.719) - 30th season
At Notre Dame: 556-211 (.725) - 25th season
At Purcell Pavilion: 277-54 (.837)

Associate Head Coach:
 Jonathan Tsipis (North Carolina '96) - 9th season

Associate Coach:
 Carol Owens (Northern Illinois '90) - 12th season

Assistant Coach:
 Niele Ivey (Notre Dame '00) - 5th season

Coordinator of Basketball Operations:
 Stephanie Menio (Pittsburgh '04) - 7th season

Associate Director of Operations & Technology:
 Angie Poththoff (Penn State '97) - 7th season

Athletic Trainer: Anne Marquez

Strength & Conditioning Coach: Craig Cheek

Academic Counselor: Chad Grotgeut

Equipment Manager: Kathy Spevbroeck

Student Managers:
 Lucy Eckard (Sr., Orinda, Calif.)
 Nick Sigmund (Sr., Lakewood, Ill.)

Women's Basketball History

35th Season:
 1st game, Dec. 3, 1977 vs. Valparaiso (W, 48-41)

All-Time Record: 720-310 (.699)

Record At Purcell Pavilion:
 35th season, 354-88 (.801)

Record In The BIG EAST (regular season):
 17th season, 201-63 (.761)

Conference/Membership Affiliations:
 AIAW D-III independent (1977-78 through 1979-80)
 AIAW D-I independent (1980-81)
 NCAA D-I independent (1981-82 through 1982-83)
 North Star (1983-84 through 1987-88)
 *Midwestern Collegiate (1988-89 through 1994-95)
 BIG EAST (1995-96 to present)

Regular-Season Conference Championships (8):
 North Star - 1985, 1986
 *Midwestern Collegiate - 1989, 1990, 1991, 1994, 1995
 BIG EAST - 2001

Conference Tournament Championships (5):
 North Star - N/A
 *Midwestern Collegiate - 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1994
 BIG EAST - None

NCAA Championship Appearances (18):
 National Champion - 2001
 National Finalist - 2011
 Final Four - 1997, 2001, 2011
 Elite 8 - 1997, 2001, 2011
 Sweet 16 - 1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2008, 2010, 2011
 Berths - 1994, 1996-2011

Consecutive NCAA Championship Appearances:
 16 (1996-present)

NIT Appearances (4):
 1986 (3rd place), 1989 (7th place), 1991 (8th place),
 1995 (3rd place)

Consecutive Postseason Appearances:
 18 (1994-present); 17 NAAs, 1 NIT

* - now known as the Horizon League

Quick Facts

weeks during their history (all coming during McGraw's tenure).

This marks the fourth consecutive season Notre Dame has been ranked in the top 10 of the ESPN/USA Today/WBCA poll, as well as 10 of the past 14 campaigns (1998-99 to present).

More Polling Data

Notre Dame head coach **Muffet McGraw** is one of 31 people in NCAA Division I women's basketball history who have both played for and coached a team that has appeared in the Associated Press Top 25 poll.

Besides her 217 AP poll appearances while coaching at Notre Dame, McGraw was the starting point guard at Saint Joseph's (Pa.) as a senior in 1977, helping the Hawks to No. 3 in the nation.

Of the 31 people on this list, 16 currently are NCAA Division I head coaches (see accompanying chart on previous page), with McGraw and Baylor's **Kim Mulkey** are the only active skippers to play for and coach a team in the AP poll, and coach that team to a national title (McGraw in 2001, Mulkey in 2005).

Half And Half

During the past 11 seasons, Notre Dame has been nearly unbeatable when it has the lead at halftime. The Fighting Irish are 216-18 (.923) since the start of the 2000-01 campaign when they go into the dressing room with the lead, including wins in 144 of their last 156 such contests.

Notre Dame had a two-year streak of 53 consecutive wins when leading at the half before falling to Texas A&M, 76-70, on April 5, 2011, in the NCAA national championship game at Consco Fieldhouse in Indianapolis (Notre Dame led 35-33 at intermission).

Despite that season-ending loss, the Fighting Irish went 28-1 last year when they were up at the break.

The Best Offense Is A Good Defense...

During the past 17 seasons, Notre Dame has discovered that a solid defensive effort can almost certainly guarantee a victory. In fact, since the beginning of the 1995-96 season (Notre Dame's first in the BIG EAST Conference), the Fighting Irish have an amazing 231-15 (.939) record when they hold their opponents below 60 points in a game, including victories in 23 contests last season (New Hampshire, Morehead State, IUPUI, Butler, Purdue, Providence, Creighton, Valparaiso, Loyola Marymount, Southeast Missouri State, Marquette, Pittsburgh, Georgetown, St. John's, Villanova, Syracuse, Seton Hall, Rutgers, Cincinnati, Louisville, Utah, Oklahoma, Tennessee).

...But Sometimes You Have To Score If You Want To Win

Not resting solely on its defensive laurels, Notre Dame also seemingly has found the magic mark when it comes to outscoring its opponents. During the past 17 seasons (since 1995-96), the Fighting Irish are 153-5 (.968) when they score at least 80 points in a game.

2010-11 Notre Dame Top Bench Scorers

Player	Points	Opponent/Date
Kayla McBride	20	vs. Loyola Marymount, 12/30/10
Kayla McBride	17	SE Missouri State, 1/2/11
Natalie Achonwa	14	at South Florida, 2/5/11
Kayla McBride	14	Louisville, 1/12/11
Natalie Achonwa	14	Creighton, 12/11/10
Erica Solomon	14	Wake Forest, 11/27/10
Kayla McBride	14	Morehead State, 11/15/10
Natalie Achonwa	13	Syracuse, 2/1/11
Natalie Achonwa	13	at Providence, 12/8/10
Natalie Achonwa	12	at Connecticut, 3/8/11
Skylar Diggins	12	Cincinnati, 2/26/11
Natalie Achonwa	12	Seton Hall, 2/8/11
Natalie Achonwa	12	at Marquette, 1/5/11
Natalie Achonwa	12	at Valparaiso, 12/20/10
Natalie Achonwa	12	Purdue, 12/5/10
Erica Solomon	12	IUPUI, 11/26/10
Erica Solomon	11	at Providence, 12/8/10
Natalie Achonwa	11	Wake Forest, 11/27/10
Kayla McBride	11	UCLA, 11/18/10
Erica Solomon	11	New Hampshire, 11/12/10
Natalie Achonwa	10	vs. Oklahoma, 3/26/11
Natalie Achonwa	10	vs. Temple, 3/21/11
Ariel Braker	10	IUPUI, 11/26/10
Natalie Achonwa	10	Morehead State, 11/15/10
Kaila Turner	10	Morehead State, 11/15/10

Game-high scorers in italics

The only blemishes on that record are three overtime losses to Texas A&M (88-84) and Michigan State (87-83) in 1995 and UCLA (86-83 in double OT) in 2010, as well as a 106-81 loss to Connecticut in 1998, and an 81-80 loss to DePaul in 2008.

In the past two years, Notre Dame is 30-1 when topping the 80-point mark, including a 13-1 record last season (the exception being the aforementioned double-overtime loss to UCLA).

Irish Are The Hottest Ticket In Town

The past two seasons have seen an unprecedented surge in fan support for Notre Dame women's basketball, as the Fighting Irish set new program records for the highest year-end NCAA attendance ranking (fourth in 2009-10), highest average attendance (8,553 fans per game in 2010-11) and most sellouts in a single season (six in 2009-10). And, as the old saying goes — "you ain't seen nothin' yet."

For the third consecutive year, Notre Dame fans exhausted the program's season ticket packages (7,500) and have snapped up single-game ducats at a rate that helped the Fighting Irish already sell out the Jan. 23 game with Tennessee, push the Jan. 7 Connecticut game to a virtual sell-out, and put four other games (Dec. 20 vs. Central Florida, Feb. 5 vs. DePaul, Feb. 12 vs. West Virginia and Feb. 25 vs. South Florida) within striking distance of a sell out.

In fact, while some additional tickets may be available on the day or week of the game for individual contests this season (depending on returned inventory by visiting teams and other constituencies), it's entirely possible that Notre Dame will flirt with a sell out for every one of its home games during the 2010-11 regular season.

Hall of Fame Coach Muffet McGraw

Notre Dame head coach Muffet McGraw, the 2001 consensus national coach of the year and winner of nearly 650 games in her illustrious





career, officially was inducted into the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame during a gala ceremony on June 11, 2011, at the Bijou Theatre in Knoxville, Tenn.

McGraw was one of six people — and the lone coach — named to the 2011 Women's Basketball Hall of Fame Class. The others in McGraw's Hall of Fame class included former Olympic gold medalists **Ruthie Bolton** (Auburn) and **Vicky Bullett** (Maryland), as well as Val Ackerman, the first WNBA president (1996-2005) and first female president of USA Basketball (2005-08), and a pair of three-time All-America players from the pre-NCAA era, **Pearl Moore** (Frances Marion) and **Lometa Odom** (Wayland Baptist).

In addition, the legendary All-American Red Heads, one of the nation's first women's basketball teams which barnstormed around the country from 1936-86, were honored for their contributions to the game with a display at the Hall entitled "Trailblazers of the Game," that was unveiled during the 2011 Induction Weekend.

McGraw is the first Notre Dame selection for the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame. The Fighting Irish skipper also became the third BIG EAST Conference coach chosen for the honor, joining Rutgers' **C. Vivian Stringer** (2001) and Connecticut's **Geno Auriemma** (2006) in that elite company. Seton Hall head coach **Anne Donovan** was a member of the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame inaugural class in 1999, going in for her efforts as a player at Old Dominion.

McGraw also was the seventh active college head coach to enter the Women's Basketball Hall of Fame on the basis of her success on the sidelines. Besides Stringer and Auriemma, the others on this notable list are: **Pat Summitt** (1999 - Tennessee), **Tara VanDerveer** (2002 - Stanford), **Sylvia Hatchell** (2004 - North Carolina) and **Andy Landers** (2007 - Georgia).

Fighting Irish On Your Radio Dial

Beginning with the 2008-09 athletics year, the Notre Dame athletics department announced it had partnered with the LeSEA Broadcasting Network, making Pulse FM (96.9/92.1) the new radio home of Notre Dame women's basketball in the South Bend market.

LeSEA originates all Notre Dame women's basketball games, with those events carried on Pulse FM (96.9/92.1), marking a return to the FM side of the dial for the first time since the 1998-99 season. Combined, these two stations blanket the nation's No. 91 media market (South Bend-Elkhart), covering a 21-county area in northern Indiana and southwest Michigan that contains more than 1.4 million listeners (better than 800,000 in the greater South Bend area alone). All told, Notre Dame's women's basketball network stretches from Kalamazoo, Mich., to the north, North Judson, Ind., to the west, Macy, Ind., (home of former Fighting Irish All-America center **Ruth Riley**) to the south, and LaGrange, Ind., to the east.

Women's basketball game broadcasts also continue to be streamed live and free of charge on Notre Dame's official athletics web site (www.UND.com) through the Fighting Irish Digital Media package.

Bob Nagle, the voice of Notre Dame women's basketball from 1996-97 through 1998-99 (including the program's first NCAA Final Four berth in 1997), returns for his fourth season in his second stint as the radio play-by-play broadcaster for the Fighting Irish.

Notre Dame On The Small Screen

Notre Dame will have at least 23 regular season games televised during the 2011-12 season. Highlighting this year's broadcast schedule are 11 nationally- or regionally-televised Fighting Irish women's basketball contests, including the program's fifth-ever appearance on network television, and second in as many years (Jan. 7 vs. Connecticut on CBS) and six showings on the ESPN family of networks, including three appearances on that entity's famed "Big Monday" telecast.

In addition, Notre Dame continues to expand its broadcast reach globally on the Internet. For the sixth consecutive season, all Fighting Irish regular-season home games not selected for commercial TV coverage (as well as the Nov. 2 exhibition vs. Windsor) will be webcast live on the official Notre Dame athletics web site, www.UND.com, via the site's free Fighting Irish Video Channel.

This year's TV slate continues a trend that has seen the Fighting Irish become a regular fixture on television. Beginning with the NCAA championship season of 2000-01 and continuing through last Wednesday's exhibition game vs. Windsor (webcast live on UND.com), Notre Dame has played in 201 televised games, including 146 that were broadcast nationally.

Oh Captain, My Captain

Fifth-year senior guard **Brittany Mallory**, senior guard **Natalie Novosel** and fifth-year senior forward **Devereaux Peters** are serving as Notre Dame's team captains for the 2011-12 season. Mallory is in her second season as team captain, while Novosel and Peters received the captain's honor for the first time in their respective careers following a preseason vote by their teammates.

Notre Dame Breaks New Ground With "Heart of the Irish" Service Initiative

For the third consecutive year, the Notre Dame women's basketball team will be front and center in the South Bend and greater Michiana communities with its groundbreaking outreach program (renamed "**Heart of the Irish**"), which will involve numerous interactive events during the 2011-12 season. The goal of this year's "Heart of the Irish" program is to highlight community leaders who are making a difference, as well as encourage fans to give back to their community and make an impact through a variety of special initiatives.

The first of five cornerstone events for the 2011-12 "Heart of the Irish" drive will take place on **Dec. 2**, when Notre Dame plays host to Pennsylvania in a 7 p.m. (ET) game at Purcell Pavilion. During that game, the Fighting Irish will hold their annual **Teddy Bear Toss**, collecting new teddy bears and other stuffed animals for patients at Riley Children's

Superlatives (BIG EAST Era)

Notre Dame Superlatives In The BIG EAST Era (1995-96 to present)

Longest winning streak: 23 games (Nov. 17, 2000-Feb. 14, 2001)
Longest BIG EAST winning streak: 15 games (Jan. 5-Feb. 22, 2000)
Longest losing streak: 3 games, four times (most recently: Feb. 24-March 3, 2007)
Longest BIG EAST losing streak: 3 games, twice (most recently: Feb. 24-March 3, 2007)
Most points scored in a game: 111 vs. West Virginia, Jan. 7, 1999
Most points scored in a BIG EAST game: 111 vs. West Virginia, Jan. 7, 1999
Fewest points scored in a game: 38 vs. Villanova, Jan. 24, 2004
Fewest points scored in a BIG EAST game: 38 vs. Villanova, Jan. 24, 2004
Most points allowed in a game: 106 by Connecticut, Dec. 8, 1998
Most points allowed in a BIG EAST game: 106 by Connecticut, Dec. 8, 1998
*Fewest points allowed in a game: 21 by Southeast Missouri State, Jan. 2, 2011
Fewest points allowed in a BIG EAST game: 31 by St. John's, Feb. 13, 2002
*Largest margin of victory: 76 vs. Southeast Missouri State (97-21), Jan. 2, 2011
Largest margin of victory in BIG EAST game: 56 vs. Seton Hall (91-35), Jan. 31, 1998
*Largest margin of victory in home game: 76 vs. Southeast Missouri State (97-21), Jan. 2, 2011
Largest margin of victory in road game: 53 at Central Michigan (94-41), Nov. 29, 2007
Largest losing margin: 39 at Tennessee (89-50), March 17, 2002
Most points allowed in a win: 93 by Illinois (101-93), Nov. 24, 1998
Most points scored in a loss: 84 vs. Texas A&M (88-84, ot), Dec. 3, 1995
Fewest points scored in a win: 38 vs. Villanova (38-36), Jan. 24, 2004
Fewest points allowed in a loss: 48 vs. Villanova (48-45), Feb. 26, 2002
Largest deficit overcome to win a game: 18 at Vanderbilt (59-57), Dec. 30, 2008
Largest deficit overcome to win a home game: 15 vs. Pittsburgh (72-65), Feb. 28, 2006
Largest lead given up in a loss: 17 vs. Texas Tech (69-65), March 25, 2000
*Most consecutive points scored: 36 vs. Southeast Missouri State (97-21), Jan. 2, 2011
*Most consecutive points scored (start of game): 36 vs. Southeast Missouri State (97-21), Jan. 2, 2011
Highest field goal percentage: .680 (34-50) vs. Boston College, Feb. 12, 1997
Lowest field goal percentage: .220 (13-59) at Seton Hall, March 1, 2005
Highest three-point percentage: 1.000 (5-5) vs. Duke, Nov. 17, 2004
Highest free throw percentage: 1.000 (18-18) at Valparaiso, Nov. 30, 2004
Most three-point field goals made: 13, twice (most recently: at Miami (Fla.), Jan. 2, 2002)
*Most free throws made: 37 vs. Wake Forest, Nov. 27, 2010
Most assists: 32 vs. Michigan State, Dec. 11, 1999
Most blocked shots: 16 vs. Boston College, Feb. 10, 2002
*Most steals: 36 vs. New Hampshire, Nov. 12, 2010
*Most turnovers forced: 49 vs. New Hampshire, Nov. 12, 2010
Fewest turnovers committed: 3 at Maryland, Nov. 16, 2007

* - records set during 2010-11 season





2011-12 Awards

G Skylar Diggins

- Associated Press Preseason All-American
- Sporting News Preseason First-Team All-American
- Athlon Sports Preseason First-Team All-American
- WBCA/State Farm Wade Trophy Watch List
- John R. Wooden Award Watch List
- BIG EAST Preseason Player of the Year
- Preseason All-BIG EAST (unanimous)

G Natalie Novosel

- Sporting News Preseason Second-Team All-American
- WBCA/State Farm Wade Trophy Watch List
- John R. Wooden Award Watch List
- Preseason All-BIG EAST

F Devereaux Peters

- Associated Press Preseason All-American (hon. mention)
- Sporting News Preseason Third-Team All-American
- WBCA/State Farm Wade Trophy Watch List
- John R. Wooden Award Watch List
- Preseason All-BIG EAST

Top Purcell Pavilion Crowds

Rk.	Date	Opponent	Result	Atten.
T1.	1/15/01	#1 Connecticut	W, 92-76	11,418*
T1.	2/24/01	Georgetown	W, 65-53	11,418*
T1.	12/31/05	#1 Tennessee	L, 51-62	11,418*
T1.	1/5/08	#3 Tennessee	L, 63-87	11,418*
T1.	1/27/08	#1 Connecticut	L, 64-81	11,418*
T1.	12/7/08	#17 Purdue	W, 62-51	11,418*
7.	12/2/07	Michigan	W, 77-46	10,825
8.	1/27/09	Rutgers	L, 68-78	10,082
9.	2/8/09	#25 DePaul	W, 62-59	10,011
10.	2/10/02	#16 Boston College	W, 60-44	9,676
11.	3/19/01	Michigan (NCAA)	W, 88-54	9,597
12.	12/3/06	Indiana	L, 51-54	9,494
13.	1/4/03	#7 Purdue	L, 54-71	9,483
T14.	12/31/09	#18 Vanderbilt	W, 74-69	9,149*
T14.	1/24/10	#16 West Virginia	W, 74-66	9,149*
T14.	2/6/10	Pittsburgh	W, 86-76	9,149*
T14.	2/14/10	DePaul	W, 90-66	9,149*
T14.	2/23/10	Marquette	W, 82-67	9,149*
T14.	3/1/10	#1 Connecticut	L, 51-76	9,149*
T14.	12/5/10	Purdue	W, 72-51	9,149*
T14.	1/8/11	#2 Connecticut	L, 76-79	9,149*
T14.	1/23/11	St. John's	W, 69-36	9,149*
T14.	2/12/11	Rutgers	W, 71-49	9,149*
T14.	2/16/11	Cincinnati	W, 66-48	9,149*
25.	11/15/09	Ark.-Pine Bluff	W, 102-57	9,080

* = indicates sellout crowd (11,418 thru '08-09; currently 9,149)
Rankings from AP poll // Boldface games played in 2011-12

Hospital, which serves many Michiana children, as well as local youth patients. The highlight of the event comes at halftime, when fans are invited to toss their stuffed animals onto the court, where they are then collected by volunteers.

Less than one week after the Teddy Bear Toss, Notre Dame will have a second outreach event called **Food For Friends**, to be held in conjunction with the Fighting Irish BIG EAST Conference opener against Marquette at 7 p.m. (ET) on **Dec. 7** at Purcell Pavilion. Fans can bring to the game a variety of non-perishable food items that will be collected and delivered as part of the Food Drive for the St. Joseph Country chapter of the Saint Vincent de Paul Society.

Notre Dame's next special "Heart of the Irish" event is entitled **Reading One on One** and it's scheduled for **Jan. 17**, when the Fighting Irish play host to Pittsburgh at 7 p.m. (ET) at Purcell Pavilion. That evening, the team will collect children's books for the South Bend Community School Corporation in support of the Public Education Foundation.

The Fighting Irish will hold their annual fund-raising game in support of breast cancer awareness and research on **Feb. 12** (3:30 p.m. ET vs. West Virginia) at Purcell Pavilion. Known locally as the **Pink Zone** game (and nationally renamed as Play4Kay), it will feature numerous informational booths and donation opportunities for fans to contribute to the fight against breast cancer, with the highlight being the always-memorable halftime ceremony to honor those who have been touched by (and in many cases, conquered) the disease. Last year, Notre Dame raised more than \$130,000 through its Pink Zone game for the Foundation of Saint Joseph Regional Medical Center and the Kay Yow Cancer Fund, lifting its three-year donation total to more than a quarter of a million dollars.

The last event in the "Heart of the Irish" series comes on Valentine's Day (**Feb. 14**), when Notre Dame welcomes Providence to Purcell Pavilion for a 7 p.m. (ET) tipoff. This will be the inaugural **Splish Splash**, in which fans can bring towels, wash cloths or toiletries such as small bottles of shampoo, soap or toothpaste for the YWCA of St. Joseph County.

Throughout the season, the Fighting Irish also will recognize community leaders who have made exceptional contributions.

In addition to this five-event series, Notre Dame women's basketball will take part in a cooperative effort with the University's Office of Sustainability as the Fighting Irish encourage all fans to recycle in their daily lives, particularly when they attend Notre Dame basketball games at Purcell Pavilion.

Originally called the "Spirit of Giving" program, Notre Dame's community outreach efforts began in earnest during the summer of 2009. Since then, Fighting Irish players, coaches, staff and fans have taken part in hundreds of hours of service projects designed to give back to the South Bend and greater Michiana communities.

The Notre Dame women's basketball team was honored for its community outreach

efforts in 2008-09, receiving the Trophy Award (symbolic of the Fighting Irish program with the most service hours in one academic year) from the Notre Dame athletics department.

Irish Fans Crave Another Big Mac Attack

It's year five of Notre Dame's wildly-successful "Big Mac" promotion, offering fans a coupon for a free Big Mac from South Bend-area McDonald's restaurants if the Fighting Irish score at least 88 points in a home game.

In the five-year history of the promotion (and counting exhibition games), Notre Dame has hit the 88-point mark 26 times, including wins last year over Michigan Tech (exhibition), New Hampshire, Morehead State, IUPUI, Wake Forest, Creighton and Southeast Missouri State and Seton Hall.

It should come as no surprise that in the short history of the promotion, the Notre Dame player with the most "Big Mac" baskets shares the same initials with the tasty burger — fifth-year senior guard **Brittany Mallory**, who has sent the crowd home happy (and presumably with full bellies) five times, including four during the promotion's inaugural run in 2007-08.

And for those tracking such things (or perhaps falling under the heading of "media relations director has too much time on his hands"), 15 different players have converted the "burger ball", including five current members of the Fighting Irish roster.

What's more, of the 26 Big Mac games to date, 13 have been reached on two-point baskets, nine on free throws, and four on three-pointers.

Next Game: Preseason WNIT Second Round

The Fighting Irish will return to the court at 2 p.m. (ET) Sunday at Purcell Pavilion for their second game in the Preseason WNIT. Depending upon Friday's results, Notre Dame could face either Detroit or Indiana State in either a quarterfinal contest, or in the first of two consolation-round games. The Titans and Sycamores will square off at 8 p.m. (ET) Friday in Terre Haute, Ind.

Notre Dame is 22-2 all-time against Detroit and has won 16 consecutive games in the series, having played the Titans at least once annually from 1983-95 when both teams were members of the North Star and Midwestern Collegiate conferences. The Fighting Irish have never played Indiana State on the hardwood.

ND's "Big Mac Baskets"

2010-11

*Michigan Tech	McBride FG
New Hampshire	McBride FG
Morehead State	Turner FG
IUPUI	Achonwa FT
Wake Forest	Solomon FT
Creighton	Forr FG
SE Missouri St.	Badway 3FG
Seton Hall	Mallory FT

2009-10

*Indianapolis	Solomon FT
UAPB	Bruszewski FT
IPFW	Williamson FG
Valparaiso	Novosel 3FG
Charlotte	Christiansen 3FG
DePaul	Bruszewski FT

2008-09

*Gannon	Novosel FT
Evansville	Solomon FG
Loyola-Chicago	Novosel FG
Syracuse	Lechlitner FG

2007-08

*So. Indiana	Williamson FG
*Hillsdale	Mallory FT
Miami (Ohio)	Barlow FG
Boston Coll.	Mallory FG
Canisius	Mallory 3FG
Valparaiso	Mallory FT
Marquette	Allen FG
So. Florida	Schrader FG

* - exhibition game





2010-11 University of Notre Dame Women's Basketball Results

Overall Record: 31-8 (Home: 15-2, Away: 8-5, Neutral: 8-1); BIG EAST Conference Record: 13-3 (tie-2nd)

----- Notre Dame Highs -----											
Date	ND NR	Opp NR	Opponent	Result/Score	Streak	Record	Conf	Scorer	Rebounder	Assists	Attendance
Nov. 12	12/12		NEW HAMPSHIRE	W 99-48	W1	1-0		Peters-23	Peters-8	Achonwa-5	8,614
Nov. 15	12/12		MOREHEAD STATE	W 91-28	W2	2-0		McBride-14	Bruszewski-7	Diggins-8	7,763
Nov. 18	12/12	15/15	(1) UCLA	L 83-86 (2ot)	L1	2-1		Diggins-22	Bruszewski-13	Diggins-5	7,824
Nov. 21	12/12	9/10	at Kentucky ^{FSS}	L 76-81	L2	2-2		Novosel-21	Achonwa-13	McBride-4	6,794
Nov. 26	18/16		(2) IUPUI	W 95-29	W1	3-2		Peters-18	Solomon-12	Diggins-7	8,848
Nov. 27	18/16		(2) WAKE FOREST	W 92-69	W2	4-2		Novosel-23	Bruszewski-7	Bruszewski-4	8,294
Nov. 28	18/16		(2) BUTLER	W 85-54	W3	5-2		Novosel-20	Peters-7	Diggins-7	8,279
Dec. 1	16/16	2/3	at Baylor	L 65-76	L1	5-3		Diggins-21	Solomon-9	Diggins-5	7,239
Dec. 5	16/16		PURDUE ^{ESPN2}	W 72-51	W1	6-3		Novosel-16	Peters-9	Diggins-6	9,149 (s)
Dec. 8	18/18		• at Providence	W 79-43	W2	7-3	1-0	Achonwa-13	Solomon-10	Peters-4	179
Dec. 11	18/18		CREIGHTON	W 91-54	W3	8-3		Diggins-18	two with 6	Mallory-7	8,848
Dec. 20	17/16		at Valparaiso	W 94-43	W4	9-3		Novosel-18	Achonwa-7	Diggins-5	1,877
Dec. 29	16/14		(3) vs. Gonzaga	W 70-61	W5	10-3		Novosel-27	Diggins-11	Diggins-5	1,352
Dec. 30	16/14		(3) vs. Loyola Marymount	W 91-47	W6	11-3		McBride-20	three with 6	Turner-6	1,026
Jan. 2	16/14		SE MISSOURI STATE	W 97-21	W7	12-3		Diggins-18	Peters-13	Diggins-7	8,653
Jan. 5	13/12		• at Marquette	W 73-55	W8	13-3	2-0	Peters-18	Peters-8	Diggins-4	1,300
Jan. 8	13/12	2/2	• CONNECTICUT ^{CBS}	L 76-79	L1	13-4	2-1	Peters-17	Peters-11	two with 5	9,149 (s)
Jan. 12	12/12		• LOUISVILLE	W 80-60	W1	14-4	3-1	two with 14	Achonwa-9	two with 5	8,058
Jan. 15	12/12		• at Pittsburgh	W 82-50	W2	15-4	4-1	Diggins-20	Peters-10	Diggins-5	2,650
Jan. 18	11/10	16/17	• GEORGETOWN ^{CBS CS}	W 80-58	W3	16-4	5-1	Diggins-22	Peters-12	Diggins-6	8,614
Jan. 23	11/10	RV/23	• ST. JOHN'S ^{ESPN}	W 69-36	W4	17-4	6-1	Bruszewski-19	Peters-10	Diggins-6	9,149 (s)
Jan. 29	9/9		• at Villanova	W 58-43	W5	18-4	7-1	Peters-20	Bruszewski-10	Diggins-4	2,327
Feb. 1	8/8	RV/25	• SYRACUSE	W 71-48	W6	19-4	8-1	Peters-15	Peters-11	Diggins-5	7,797
Feb. 5	8/8		• at South Florida	W 76-68	W7	20-4	9-1	Novosel-19	two with 8	Bruszewski-5	1,393
Feb. 8	8/8		• SETON HALL	W 89-38	W8	21-4	10-1	Novosel-16	three with 6	Diggins-7	8,072
Feb. 12	8/8		• RUTGERS	W 71-49	W9	22-4	11-1	Peters-21	Peters-6	Mallory-10	9,149 (s)
Feb. 19	8/8	2/2	• at Connecticut ^{BIG EAST TV}	L 57-78	L1	22-5	11-2	Diggins-22	Peters-8	two with 2	10,167 (s)
Feb. 22	8/7	19/18	• at West Virginia ^{CBS CS}	W 72-60	W1	23-5	12-2	Novosel-22	Bruszewski-9	Diggins-7	2,593
Feb. 26	8/7		• CINCINNATI	W 66-48	W2	24-5	13-2	three with 12	Peters-10	Mallory-3	9,149 (s)
Feb. 28	7/7	12/11	• at DePaul ^{CBS C}	L 69-70	L1	24-6	13-3	Diggins-18	Peters-8	two with 4	4,001 (s)

BIG EAST Championship (Hartford, Conn. — XL Center)

March 6	7/8		vs. Louisville ^{ESPN}	W 63-53	W1	25-6		Peters-19	Bruszewski-10	Diggins-4	8,104
March 7	10/8	9/13	vs. DePaul ^{ESPN}	W 71-67	W2	26-6		Diggins-19	two with 9	Diggins-4	9,260
March 8	10/7	1/1	at Connecticut ^{ESPN}	L 64-73	L1	26-7		Novosel-17	Achonwa-10	Diggins-5	10,202

NCAA Dayton Region — First & Second Rounds (Salt Lake City, Utah — Huntsman Center)

March 19	9/7		at Utah ^{ESPN2}	W 67-54	W1	27-7		two with 20	two with 6	Bruszewski-6	2,366
March 21	9/7		vs. Temple ^{ESPN2}	W 77-64	W2	28-7		two with 17	Peters-12	Diggins-7	1,567

NCAA Dayton Regional (Dayton, Ohio — University of Dayton Arena)

March 26	9/7	21/20	vs. Oklahoma ^{ESPN}	W 78-53	W3	29-7		Mallory-20	Peters-13	Diggins-12	8,867
March 28	9/7	4/4	vs. Tennessee ^{ESPN}	W 73-59	W4	30-7		Diggins-24	Bruszewski-8	Novosel-5	5,708

NCAA Women's Final Four (Indianapolis, Ind. — Conseco Fieldhouse)

April 3	9/7	1/1	vs. Connecticut ^{ESPN}	W 72-63	W5	31-7		Diggins-28	Bruszewski-8	Diggins-6	16,421
April 5	9/7	7/8	vs. Texas A&M ^{ESPN}	L 70-76	L1	31-8		Diggins-23	Peters-11	two with 3	17,473

• = indicates BIG EAST Conference game

NR = national ranking (listed as Associated Press/ESPN-USA Today)

(s) = indicates sellout crowd

(1) = Super Six Series (Notre Dame, Ind.)

(2) = WBCA Classic (Notre Dame, Ind.)

(3) = State Farm Holiday Hoops Classic (Seattle, Wash.)

FSS = Game televised live on Fox Sports South (simulcast on WHME-TV Ch. 46 in South Bend)

CBS CS = Games televised live on CBS College Sports (now known as CBS Sports Network)

BIG EAST TV = Game televised live as part of BIG EAST Network syndicated package

NOTE: All regular-season home games not scheduled for commercial TV were webcast live at UND.com

Home games listed in ALL CAPS and played inside Purcell Pavilion at the Joyce Center (capacity 9,149)

2010-11 ATTENDANCE

	Totals	Avg.	High
All Games:	268,275	6,879	17,473 (4/5-TAMU)
Home:	145,409	8,553	9,149 (five times)
Away:	53,088	4,084	10,202 (3/8-UConn)
Neutral:	69,778	7,753	17,473 (4/5-TAMU)



2010-11 Statistics

NCAA Championship Games: 5-1 (Home: 0-0, Away: 1-0, Neutral: 4-1)

Player	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts.	Avg.
Diggins, Skylar	6-6	225-37.5	40-88	.455	11-27	.407	25-31	.806	4	17	21	3.5	8-0	35	34	3	13	116	19.3
Novosel, Natalie	6-6	188-31.3	36-79	.456	8-12	.667	25-31	.806	5	19	24	4.0	13-0	12	18	1	7	105	17.5
Peters, Devereaux	6-6	178-29.7	34-53	.642	0-0	.000	14-26	.538	18	36	54	9.0	20-2	9	11	10	6	82	13.7
Bruszewski, Becca	6-6	168-28.0	17-36	.472	0-0	.000	16-21	.762	8	24	32	5.3	18-0	11	13	3	8	50	8.3
Mallory, Brittany	6-6	204-34.0	14-39	.359	9-25	.360	9-13	.692	3	16	19	3.2	14-0	16	9	0	11	46	7.7
Achonwa, Natalie	6-0	117-19.5	13-22	.591	0-0	.000	2-6	.333	13	18	31	5.2	12-1	6	7	3	6	28	4.7
Miller, Fraderica	6-0	59-9.8	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	5	7	12	2.0	10-0	5	3	2	6	8	1.3
Turner, Kaila	6-0	55-9.2	0-4	.000	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	0	3	3	0.5	0-0	4	2	0	0	2	0.3
Forr, Mary	2-0	2-1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0
Badway, Veronica	2-0	2-1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Braker, Ariel	2-0	2-1.0	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team									14	15	29	4.8			3				
Notre Dame	6	1200	157-329	.477	28-65	.431	95-134	.709	70	155	225	37.5	95-3	98	101	22	57	437	72.8
Opponents	6	1200	139-350	.397	27-86	.314	64-102	.627	74	130	204	34.0	115-4	71	106	14	49	369	61.5

Starting Lineups

Date	Opponent	F	F	G	G	G
N12	NEW HAMPSHIRE	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
N15	MOREHEAD STATE	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
N18	UCLA	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
N21	at Kentucky	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	McBride	Novosel
N26	IUPUI	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	McBride	Novosel
N27	WAKE FOREST	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	McBride	Novosel
N28	BUTLER	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	McBride	Novosel
D1	at Baylor	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
D5	PURDUE	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
D8	at Providence	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
D11	CREIGHTON	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
D20	at Valparaiso	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
D29	vs. Gonzaga	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
D30	vs. Loyola Marymount	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
J2	SE MISSOURI STATE	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
J5	at Marquette	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
J8	CONNECTICUT	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
J12	LOUISVILLE	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
J15	at Pittsburgh	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
J18	GEORGETOWN	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
J23	ST. JOHN'S	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
J29	at Villanova	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
F1	SYRACUSE	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
F5	at South Florida	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
F8	SETON HALL	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
F12	RUTGERS	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
F19	at Connecticut	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
F22	at West Virginia	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
F26	CINCINNATI	Bruszewski	Peters	Forr (F)	Mallory	Novosel
F28	at DePaul	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
M6	vs. Louisville	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
M7	vs. DePaul	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
M8	at Connecticut	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
M19	at Utah	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
M21	vs. Temple	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
M26	vs. Oklahoma	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
M28	vs. Tennessee	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
A3	vs. Connecticut	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel
A5	vs. Texas A&M	Bruszewski	Peters	Diggins	Mallory	Novosel

Specialty Stats (ND/Opp)

Date	Opponent	Paint	OffTO	2ndCh	FBreak	Bench
N12	NEW HAMPSHIRE	64/18	64/12	18/4	32/2	43/16
N15	MOREHEAD STATE	54/6	35/9	20/3	20/2	47/2
N18	UCLA	42/32	18/23	9/12	6/2	23/27
N21	at Kentucky	52/36	15/18	19/13	8/4	13/26
N26	IUPUI	54/6	42/4	24/3	10/2	41/13
N27	WAKE FOREST	34/34	29/21	18/14	6/4	32/29
N28	BUTLER	48/14	30/8	18/7	18/2	22/7
D1	at Baylor	30/46	24/26	10/21	6/10	14/11
D5	PURDUE	46/26	29/17	15/10	8/4	23/17
D8	at Providence	50/16	38/4	10/11	*	37/9
D11	CREIGHTON	54/26	30/9	7/7	10/0	34/11
D20	at Valparaiso	54/16	41/8	15/9	18/0	47/25
D29	vs. Gonzaga	34/24	13/20	9/14	8/2	9/6
D30	vs. Loyola Marymount	54/20	26/14	18/3	6/2	39/5
J2	SE MISSOURI STATE	58/0	34/4	24/1	12/0	46/8
J5	at Marquette	38/22	21/23	13/12	12/15	15/14
J8	CONNECTICUT	38/30	22/13	18/4	8/6	13/2
J12	LOUISVILLE	36/32	20/16	9/15	6/8	20/27
J15	at Pittsburgh	40/18	21/11	18/7	10/7	26/24
J18	GEORGETOWN	24/16	31/15	13/10	8/4	11/11
J23	ST. JOHN'S	46/20	24/2	14/4	8/2	11/7
J29	at Villanova	40/26	20/4	16/0	6/0	4/13
F1	SYRACUSE	36/16	28/13	12/11	4/2	17/10
F5	at South Florida	36/40	20/20	16/9	4/6	14/15
F8	SETON HALL	44/12	36/13	11/4	8/2	26/14
F12	RUTGERS	38/24	26/10	11/4	8/4	8/2
F19	at Connecticut	20/36	14/33	9/7	10/8	3/7
F22	at West Virginia	48/34	25/22	10/9	8/8	5/11
F26	CINCINNATI	32/14	35/17	10/10	10/0	23/4
F28	at DePaul	38/28	28/29	11/12	10/2	3/20
M6	vs. Louisville	32/28	19/20	11/13	8/2	4/23
M7	vs. DePaul	32/26	12/22	11/13	6/8	13/11
M8	at Connecticut	38/32	12/20	11/12	8/8	17/1
M19	at Utah	32/20	22/13	4/14	2/7	2/3
M21	vs. Temple	44/20	20/24	15/14	10/9	12/12
M26	vs. Oklahoma	32/36	29/17	19/2	17/10	16/2
M28	vs. Tennessee	32/32	16/16	8/20	18/10	2/19
A3	vs. Connecticut	40/24	10/16	6/2	4/2	4/2
A5	vs. Texas A&M	42/38	25/23	9/13	6/2	2/4

* - not tracked by home statistics crew

**2010-11 Notre Dame Points-Rebounds-Assists**

Opponent	Solomon*	Badway	Diggins	Achonwa	Miller	Peters	Turner	Novosel	Mallory	McBride	Bruszewski	Forr	Braker
NEW HAMPSHIRE	11-1-0	3-1-0	12-2-4	7-4-5	1-2-2	23-8-0	2-1-3	11-2-1	9-1-3	8-2-2	1-0-3	6-2-1	5-5-2
MOREHEAD STATE	7-1-3	1-0-0	9-3-8	10-3-1	5-4-1	8-4-2	10-4-5	13-4-0	7-2-2	14-6-1	7-7-0	0-1-1	0-4-0
(1) UCLA	3-2-0	DNP	22-1-5	9-9-0	0-0-0	3-2-4	0-0-0	19-6-4	4-1-1	11-4-3	12-13-3	DNP	DNP
at Kentucky	2-3-0	DNP	18-3-1	4-13-1	0-0-0	2-6-1	7-2-0	21-8-3	INJ	10-2-4	12-8-1	DNP	0-0-0
(2) IUPUI	12-12-0	0-2-0	7-4-7	9-5-0	INJ	18-6-0	8-2-5	12-1-2	INJ	8-2-2	9-3-2	2-1-0	10-6-0
(2) WAKE FOREST	14-5-1	0-0-0	11-2-2	11-5-3	INJ	12-5-2	2-2-3	23-3-3	3-1-1	6-2-0	8-7-4	0-0-0	2-3-1
(2) BUTLER	6-4-2	0-0-0	11-5-7	6-4-2	INJ	11-7-3	3-0-3	20-5-3	6-2-0	11-5-3	10-1-1	0-1-0	1-3-0
at Baylor	6-9-0	DNP	21-1-5	2-3-0	INJ	8-6-1	0-0-3	12-3-1	8-6-2	6-3-0	2-2-0	DNP	DNP
PURDUE	5-3-2	0-0-0	14-3-6	12-7-4	0-0-0	7-9-0	0-0-1	16-4-3	4-0-3	6-1-3	8-6-1	0-0-0	DNP
• at Providence	11-10-3	DNP	10-5-3	13-3-0	3-2-1	8-3-4	8-0-1	9-2-2	6-0-2	2-1-1	9-6-1	DNP	0-1-1
CREIGHTON	0-0-0	0-0-0	18-1-1	14-5-2	4-6-0	4-3-6	3-1-5	11-4-1	7-3-7	9-2-1	17-6-0	2-1-0	2-0-0
at Valparaiso	0-5-1	0-0-0	3-2-5	12-7-0	8-3-3	6-4-3	8-1-3	18-2-2	12-3-4	7-6-1	8-4-1	4-0-0	8-3-0
(3) vs. Gonzaga		DNP	19-11-5	5-3-0	0-1-1	10-10-1	0-0-1	27-4-1	3-0-3	4-1-0	2-8-3	DNP	DNP
(3) vs. Loyola Marymount		DNP	10-3-2	5-6-1	6-5-1	16-6-2	3-1-6	8-2-2	6-1-1	20-6-1	12-4-3	2-1-1	3-4-0
SE MISSOURI STATE	3-0-0		18-4-7	8-7-2	4-10-3	11-13-2	7-4-3	7-6-3	3-1-1	17-4-2	12-5-2	2-0-0	5-8-2
• at Marquette	0-0-0		9-5-4	12-4-1	0-1-0	18-8-0	1-0-1	14-7-3	13-2-2	2-3-0	4-3-2	0-0-0	0-1-0
• CONNECTICUT	DNP		16-4-5	9-8-2	0-0-0	17-11-2	2-0-0	16-5-5	6-1-1	2-2-1	8-6-1	DNP	0-0-0
• LOUISVILLE	0-0-0		12-2-5	4-9-1	0-2-2	14-3-1	2-2-1	12-5-5	11-5-3	14-6-1	11-6-2	0-0-0	0-0-0
• at Pittsburgh	0-0-0		20-4-5	4-3-0	4-3-0	15-10-4	5-2-1	15-3-1	2-2-1	8-5-3	4-4-1	5-2-0	0-3-0
• GEORGETOWN	DNP		22-4-6	6-7-1	2-2-1	4-12-0	3-1-1	19-1-1	14-2-4	DNP	10-4-3	DNP	0-1-0
• ST. JOHN'S	0-0-0		6-6-6	4-4-2	2-3-0	14-10-2	3-2-3	13-3-2	6-6-5	DNP	19-1-1	0-2-0	2-3-0
• at Villanova	DNP		13-6-4	4-3-1	0-0-0	20-9-0	0-1-1	11-3-2	0-0-1	DNP	10-10-0	DNP	0-0-0
• SYRACUSE	DNP		8-7-5	13-2-1	0-0-1	15-11-4	1-1-3	13-4-2	6-1-3	DNP	12-7-1	2-1-0	1-1-0
• at South Florida	DNP		17-4-4	14-8-0	0-3-0	7-7-0	0-2-1	19-8-0	3-1-2	DNP	16-6-5	DNP	0-0-0
• SETON HALL	0-0-0		14-6-7	12-6-1	7-5-1	10-5-2	5-1-1	16-4-2	13-1-3	DNP	10-1-2	2-0-0	0-6-1
• RUTGERS	DNP		20-5-5	4-4-1	DNP	21-6-0	4-1-1	6-3-1	10-4-10	DNP	6-4-0	0-0-0	0-1-0
• at Connecticut	DNP		22-4-1	1-3-0	2-2-1	0-8-2	0-1-1	18-3-2	6-2-1	DNP	8-6-0	DNP	0-0-0
• at West Virginia	DNP		10-7-7	3-2-1	0-1-0	16-5-1	2-4-2	22-7-0	9-1-4	DNP	10-9-0	DNP	DNP
• CINCINNATI	0-0-0		12-3-2	0-6-1	0-0-1	12-10-2	9-1-2	11-2-2	6-3-3	DNP	12-5-2	2-2-0	2-3-0
• at DePaul	DNP		18-4-4	3-7-2	0-0-1	15-8-1	0-1-0	17-7-1	10-2-4	DNP	6-1-1	DNP	DNP
(4) vs. Louisville	DNP		14-3-4	2-2-2	2-0-0	19-9-1	0-1-0	9-3-2	9-2-3	DNP	8-10-0	DNP	DNP
(4) vs. DePaul	DNP		19-6-4	8-5-0	DNP	15-9-0	5-0-0	8-4-1	9-3-1	DNP	7-9-1	DNP	DNP
(4) at Connecticut	DNP		14-5-5	12-10-0	5-2-0	4-6-1	0-1-0	17-5-0	4-5-4	DNP	8-3-1	DNP	DNP
(5) at Utah	DNP		20-3-3	2-4-2	0-1-0	12-6-0	0-0-0	20-4-4	0-5-1	DNP	13-6-6	DNP	DNP
(5) vs. Temple	0-0-0		15-2-7	10-8-1	2-3-0	17-12-3	0-1-2	17-1-0	4-2-6	DNP	12-6-2	0-0-0	0-0-0
(6) vs. Oklahoma	0-0-0		6-7-12	10-8-0	6-3-2	17-13-4	0-1-0	15-7-3	20-4-2	DNP	4-2-1	0-0-0	0-0-0
(6) vs. Tennessee	DNP		24-2-4	2-6-2	0-1-1	7-5-1	0-0-0	17-4-5	10-3-3	DNP	13-8-1	DNP	DNP
(7) vs. Connecticut	DNP		28-4-6	4-4-1	0-0-0	8-7-0	0-1-1	22-4-0	8-4-1	DNP	2-8-1	DNP	DNP
(7) vs. Texas A&M	DNP		23-3-3	0-1-0	0-4-2	21-11-1	2-0-1	14-4-0	4-1-3	DNP	6-2-0	DNP	DNP

Games started in **boldface** // * - left team on Dec. 27 // • = BIG EAST game

1 = Super Six Series (Notre Dame, Ind.) // 2 = WBCA Classic (Notre Dame, Ind.) // 3 = State Farm Holiday Hoops Classic (Seattle, Wash.) // 4 = BIG EAST Championship (Hartford, Conn.) //

5 = NCAA Dayton Region - First/Second Rounds (Salt Lake City, Utah) // 6 = NCAA Dayton Regional (Dayton, Ohio) // 7 = NCAA Women's Final Four (Indianapolis, Ind.) //



2010-11 Single Game Highs & Lows

Team Superlatives

NOTRE DAME HIGH	NOTRE DAME LOW	CATEGORY	OPPONENT HIGH	OPPONENT LOW
99 vs. New Hampshire (11/12/10)	57 at Connecticut (2/19/11)	Points/Game	86 by UCLA (11/18/10)	21 by SE Missouri State (1/2/11)
54 (2nd) vs. IUPUI (11/26/10)	24 (1st) at Baylor (12/1/10)	Points/Half	43 (2nd) by Texas A&M (4/5/11)	6 (1st) by SE Missouri State (1/2/11)
38 vs. Creighton (12/11/10)	20, twice (MR: vs. Louisville, 3/6/11)	Field Goals Made	30 by UCLA (11/18/10)	7, twice (MR: by SE Missouri St., 1/2/11)
75 vs. Connecticut (1/8/11)	43 vs. Louisville (3/6/11)	Field Goal Attempts	71 by Gonzaga (12/29/10)	37 by New Hampshire (11/12/10)
.640 vs. Seton Hall (2/8/11)	.338 at Connecticut (3/8/11)	FG Percentage	.547, twice (MR: by Texas A&M, 4/5/11)	.125 by SE Missouri State (1/2/11)
9 vs. Oklahoma (3/26/11)	0 at Villanova (1/29/11)	3-Point FG Made	9 by DePaul (3/7/11)	1, four times (MR: by Oklahoma, 3/26/11)
18, twice (MR: vs. Oklahoma, 3/26/11)	3 at West Virginia (2/22/11)	3-Point FG Attempts	32 by SE Missouri State (1/2/11)	6 by St. John's (1/23/11)
.750 vs. Creighton (12/11/10)	.000 at Villanova (1/29/11)	3-Point FG Percentage	.615 by Temple (3/21/11)	.091 by Oklahoma (3/26/11)
37 vs. Wake Forest (11/27/10)	9 vs. Purdue (12/5/10)	Free Throws Made	26 by Connecticut (1/8/11)	1 by SE Missouri State (1/2/11)
43 vs. Wake Forest (11/27/10)	13 vs. Purdue (12/5/10)	Free Throw Attempts	32 by Kentucky (11/21/10)	2 by SE Missouri State (1/2/11)
.875 at Connecticut (3/8/11)	.526 vs. UCLA (11/18/10)	FT Percentage	1.000 by Villanova (1/29/11)	.273 by St. John's (1/23/11)
66 vs. SE Missouri State (1/2/11)	31 vs. Rutgers (2/12/11)	Rebounds	46, twice (MR: by Tennessee, 3/28/11)	23, twice (MR: by LMU, 12/30/10)
27 vs. SE Missouri State (1/2/11)	7 vs. DePaul (3/7/11)	Assists	22 by Connecticut (2/19/11)	2 by Morehead State (11/15/10)
36 vs. New Hampshire (11/12/10)	5, three times (MR: at West Virginia, 2/22/11)	Steals	16 by West Virginia (2/22/11)	1 by IUPUI (11/26/10)
9 vs. IUPUI (11/26/10)	1, three times (MR: vs. Connecticut, 4/3/11)	Blocked Shots	6, twice (MR: by St. John's, 1/23/11)	0, twice (MR: by Tennessee, 3/28/11)
30 at West Virginia (2/22/11)	9 vs. IUPUI (11/26/10)	Turnovers	49 by New Hampshire (11/12/10)	12, twice (MR: by Connecticut, 4/3/11)
27, twice (MR: at Baylor, 12/1/10)	7, twice (MR: at Villanova, 1/29/11)	Fouls	28 by Wake Forest (11/27/10)	10 by Loyola Marymount (12/30/10)

Individual Superlatives

	NOTRE DAME	OPPONENT
Points Scored	28 by Skylar Diggins vs. Connecticut (4/3/11)	36 by Maya Moore of Connecticut (4/3/11)
Field Goals Made	11 by Devereaux Peters vs. New Hampshire (11/12/10)	14 by Maya Moore of Connecticut (4/3/11)
Field Goal Attempts	24 by Natalie Novosel at Kentucky (11/21/10)	30 by Maya Moore of Connecticut (4/3/11)
Highest FG Percentage (min. 5 made)	1.000 (6-6) by Becca Bruszewski vs. Loyola Marymount (12/30/10)	.900 (9-10) by Nicole Griffin of Oklahoma (3/26/11)
3-Point Field Goals Made	6 by Brittany Mallory vs. Oklahoma (3/26/11)	5, three times (MR: by Maya Moore of Connecticut, 4/3/11)
3-Point Field Goal Attempts	10 by Brittany Mallory vs. Oklahoma (3/26/11)	13 by Maya Moore of Connecticut (4/3/11)
3-Point FG Percentage (min. 2 made)	1.000 (3-3) by Natalie Novosel vs. Temple (3/21/11)	1.000 (4-4) by Kayla Cook of Cincinnati (2/26/11)
Free Throws Made	11 by Natalie Novosel vs. Wake Forest (11/27/10)	10, twice (MR: by Kelly Faris of Connecticut, 1/8/11)
Free Throw Attempts	13, twice (MR: by Skylar Diggins at DePaul, 2/26/11)	12 by Victoria Dunlap of Kentucky (11/21/10)
Free Throw Percentage (min. 3 made)	1.000 (9-9) by Natalie Novosel vs. Gonzaga (12/29/10)	1.000 (10-10) by Kelly Faris of Connecticut (1/8/11)
Rebounds	13, four times (MR: by Devereaux Peters vs. Oklahoma, 3/26/11)	16 by Michelle Harrison of Utah (3/19/11)
Assists	12 by Skylar Diggins vs. Oklahoma (3/26/11)	8 by Khadijah Rushdan of Rutgers (2/12/11)
Steals	7 by Natalie Novosel vs. New Hampshire (11/12/10)	6, three times (MR: by Sarah Miles of West Virginia, 2/22/11)
Blocked Shots	6 by Devereaux Peters vs. Louisville (3/6/11)	4 by Brittney Griner of Baylor (12/1/10)
Turnovers	10 by Skylar Diggins at West Virginia (2/22/11)	11 by Kerah Nelson of IUPUI (11/26/10)
Minutes Played	47 by Skylar Diggins vs. UCLA (11/18/10)	40, eight times (MR: by Bria Hartley of Connecticut, 4/3/11)



2010-11 Game-By-Game Team Statistics

Table with columns: Date, Opponent, W/L, Score, Overall FG-A Pct, 3-Point FG-A Pct, FT-A Pct, Rebs. Off-Def-Tot, PF-DQ, A TO B S, 1-2-OT-OT, Tot. Rows include opponents like Notre Dame, New Hampshire, Morehead State, UCLA, Kentucky, Wake Forest, Butler, Baylor, Purdue, Marquette, Connecticut, Louisville, Georgetown, Villanova, Syracuse, South Florida, Rutgers, Connecticut, West Virginia, Cincinnati, DePaul, Louisville, South Florida, Connecticut, Utah, Temple, Oklahoma, Tennessee, and Texas A&M.

* = BIG EAST game // h1 = Super Six Series (Notre Dame, Ind.) // h2 = WBCA Classic (Notre Dame, Ind.) // n3 = State Farm Holiday Hoops Classic (Seattle, Wash.) // n4/a4 = BIG EAST Championship (Hartford, Conn.) // a5/n5 = NCAA Dayton Region - First/Second Rounds (Salt Lake City, Utah) // n6 = NCAA Dayton Regional (Dayton, Ohio) n7 = NCAA Women's Final Four (Indianapolis, Ind.)





Miscellaneous Notre Dame Statistics

LEADING SCORER

Skylar Diggins	14 (27)
Natalie Novosel	12 (15)
Devereaux Peters	11 (13)
Kayla McBride	3
Becca Bruszewski	2 (12)
Natalie Achonwa	1
Brittany Mallory	1 (4)

LEADING REBOUNDER

Devereaux Peters	20 (35)
Becca Bruszewski	11 (17)
Natalie Achonwa	7
Erica Solomon	3 (7)
Skylar Diggins	2 (4)
Ariel Braker	1
Kayla McBride	1
Fraderica Miller	1 (1)
Natalie Novosel	1 (2)

LEADER IN ASSISTS

Skylar Diggins	27 (37)
Brittany Mallory	5 (11)
Natalie Novosel	4 (11)
Becca Bruszewski	3 (9)
Devereaux Peters	2 (2)
Natalie Achonwa	1
Kayla McBride	1
Kaila Turner	1 (1)

GAMES STARTED

Becca Bruszewski	39 (96)
Natalie Novosel	39 (43)
Devereaux Peters	39 (42)
Skylar Diggins	38 (68)
Brittany Mallory	35 (41)
Kayla McBride	4
Mary Forr	1

CHARGES TAKEN

Opponents	33
Notre Dame	29

Becca Bruszewski	11 (25)
Brittany Mallory	6 (11)
Skylar Diggins	4 (6)
Natalie Achonwa	3
Devereaux Peters	2 (4)
Natalie Novosel	1 (5)
Erica Solomon	1 (6)
Kaila Turner	1 (1)

20-29-POINT SCORING GAMES

Opponents	11
Notre Dame	23

Skylar Diggins	10 (17)
Natalie Novosel	7 (7)
Devereaux Peters	4 (4)
Brittany Mallory	1 (2)
Kayla McBride	1

30-POINT SCORING GAMES

Opponents	4
Notre Dame	0

TECHNICAL FOULS

Opponents	4
Notre Dame	2

Natalie Achonwa	1
Devereaux Peters	1

FOUR-POINT PLAYS

Opponents	0
Notre Dame	0

THREE-POINT PLAYS

Opponents	35
Notre Dame	57

Skylar Diggins	15
Natalie Novosel	14
Devereaux Peters	11
Natalie Achonwa	4
Becca Bruszewski	4
Brittany Mallory	3
Kayla McBride	3
Ariel Braker	1
Erica Solomon	1
Kaila Turner	1

ND'S FIRST SUBSTITUTION

Natalie Achonwa	23
Kaila Turner	12
Kayla McBride	10
Erica Solomon	3
Skylar Diggins	1
Fraderica Miller	1

BENCH POINTS

Opponents	470 (12.1 ppg.)
Notre Dame	741 (19.0 ppg.)

SHOT CLOCK VIOLATIONS

Opponents	33
Notre Dame	12

JUMP BALLS CONTROLLED

Opponents	21
Notre Dame	20

Natalie Achonwa	2/2 (1.000)
Devereaux Peters	18/39 (.462)

FIRST SCORE

Opponents	18
Notre Dame	21

Skylar Diggins	6
Becca Bruszewski	5
Natalie Novosel	4
Devereaux Peters	4
Brittany Mallory	1
Kayla McBride	1

RUNS OF 10-0 OR BETTER

Opponents	7
Notre Dame	45

LARGEST HALFTIME LEAD

41, 53-12 vs. New Hampshire (11/12/10)

LARGEST HALFTIME DEFICIT

14, 38-24 at Baylor (12/1/10)

LARGEST LEAD

76, twice (MR: 97-21, 0:00 - 2nd vs. SE Missouri State, 1/2/11)

LARGEST DEFICIT

23, 63-40 (8:31 - 2nd) at Connecticut (2/19/11)

LARGEST WIN

76, 97-21 vs. SE Missouri State (1/2/11)

LARGEST DEFEAT

23, 78-57 at Connecticut (2/19/11)

MOST CONSECUTIVE PTS

36 vs. SE Missouri State (1/2/11)

MOST CONSECUTIVE OPP PTS

12 by DePaul (2/26/11)

LONGEST WINNING STREAK

9 (1/12-2/12)

LONGEST LOSING STREAK

2 (11/18-11/21)

LARGEST HOME CROWD

9,149 (sellout), five times (MR: vs. Cincinnati, 2/26/11)

LARGEST ROAD CROWD

10,202 at Connecticut (3/8/11)

LARGEST NEUTRAL CROWD

17,473 vs. Texas A&M (4/5/11)

NOTE: totals may not add up to games played due to ties ... figures in parentheses by player totals are career totals (charges taken first tracked in '08-09)

Double-Figure Points

	2010-11	Career
Natalie Achonwa	13	13
Ariel Braker	1	1
Becca Bruszewski	18	55
Skylar Diggins	32	56
Brittany Mallory	9	25
Kayla McBride	7	7
Fraderica Miller	0	1
Natalie Novosel	33	47
Devereaux Peters	25	45
Erica Solomon	4	11
Kaila Turner	1	2

Double-Figure Rebounds/Assists

	2010-11	Career
Natalie Achonwa	2	2
Becca Bruszewski	3	5
Skylar Diggins	1/1*	2/1*
Brittany Mallory	1*	1*
Fraderica Miller	1	1
Devereaux Peters	11	13
Erica Solomon	2	3

* - assists

5-5-5 Games (aka "Stat Sheet Stuffers")

	2010-11	Career
Becca Bruszewski	2	3
Skylar Diggins	9	17
Brittany Mallory	1	5
Natalie Novosel	2	3
Devereaux Peters	3	6
Erica Solomon	1	1
Kaila Turner	1	1

NOTE: At least 5 in three of five statistical categories (points, rebounds, assists, steals or blocks)

Double-Doubles

	2010-11	Career
Natalie Achonwa	1	1
12 pts., 10 rebs. at Connecticut, 3/8		
Becca Bruszewski	2	4
12 pts., 13 rebs. vs. UCLA, 11/18		
10 pts., 10 rebs. at Villanova, 1/29		
Skylar Diggins	1	2
19 pts., 11 rebs. vs. Gonzaga, 12/29		
Brittany Mallory	1	1
10 pts., 10 asst. vs. Rutgers, 2/12		
Devereaux Peters	10	11
10 pts., 10 rebs. vs. Gonzaga, 12/29		
11 pts., 13 rebs. vs. SE Missouri State, 1/2		
17 pts., 11 rebs. vs. Connecticut, 1/8		
15 pts., 10 rebs. at Pittsburgh, 1/15		
14 pts., 10 rebs. vs. St. John's, 1/23		
15 pts., 11 rebs. vs. Syracuse, 2/1		
12 pts., 10 rebs. vs. Cincinnati, 2/26		
17 pts., 12 rebs. vs. Temple, 3/21		
17 pts., 13 rebs. vs. Oklahoma, 3/26		
21 pts., 11 rebs. vs. Texas A&M, 4/5		
Erica Solomon	2	2
12 pts., 12 rebs. vs. IUPUI, 11/26		
11 pts., 10 rebs. at Providence, 12/8		

Clutch Free Throws (final 5 min. + OT)

	FT-FTA	Pct.
Erica Solomon	4-4	1.000
Kayla McBride	12-15	.800
Kaila Turner	4-5	.800
Brittany Mallory	18-24	.750
Natalie Novosel	27-38	.711
Skylar Diggins	22-35	.629
Ariel Braker	10-16	.625
Becca Bruszewski	12-21	.571
Fraderica Miller	5-9	.556
Devereaux Peters	5-9	.556
Natalie Achonwa	6-11	.545
Veronica Badway	1-2	.500
Mary Forr	1-2	.500
'10-11 Team Totals	127-191	.665





The Last Time Notre Dame...

SCORING

Player scored 25 points: Skylar Diggins (28) vs. Connecticut, 4/3/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Player scored 30 points: Skylar Diggins (31) vs. Vermont, 3/23/10
Player scored 35 points: Charel Allen (35) vs. Oklahoma, 3/25/08 (@ West Lafayette, Ind.)
Player scored 40 points: Ruth Riley (41) at Providence, 1/30/99
Two players scored 20 points: Skylar Diggins (28) and Natalie Novosel (22) vs. Connecticut, 4/3/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Three players scored 20 points: Danielle Green (28), Sheila McMillen (26), Ruth Riley (23) vs. West Virginia, 1/7/99
Two players scored 25 points: Alicia Ratay (26) and Ruth Riley (26) at Rutgers, 2/19/00
Player scored 25 points/3 consecutive games: Charel Allen (25 vs. DePaul, 2/11/07; 25 at Villanova, 2/13/07; 26 at Providence, 2/17/07)
None in double figures: at Seton Hall, 2/8/04
One in double figures: Skylar Diggins (10) at Connecticut, 3/8/10
Six in double figures: Natalie Novosel (16), Skylar Diggins (14), Brittany Mallory (13), Natalie Achonwa (12), Becca Bruszewski (10) and Devereaux Peters (10) vs. Seton Hall, 2/8/11
Seven in double figures: see eight in double figures
Eight in double figures: Becca Bruszewski (19), Ashley Barlow (15), Skylar Diggins (14), Fraderica Miller (11), Lindsay Schrader (11), Brittany Mallory (10) and Natalie Novosel (10) vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff, 11/15/09
ND scored 50 points/half: 50 (1st half) at Pittsburgh, 1/15/11
ND scored 55 points/half: 55 (2nd half) vs. IPFW, 12/8/09
ND scored 60 points/half: 61 (1st half) vs. Cleveland State, 11/26/02
ND scored 100 points/BIG EAST game: 104 at Georgetown, 1/19/08
ND scored 100 points/non-BIG EAST game: 102 vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff, 11/15/09
ND scored 100 points/home game: see 100 points/non-BIG EAST game
ND scored fewer than 15 points/half: 11 (1st half) at West Virginia, 1/13/08
ND scored fewer than 20 points/half: 19 (1st half) at Connecticut, 1/16/10
ND scored fewer than 50 points/game: 44 at Connecticut, 3/8/10

FIELD GOAL SHOOTING

Player made every shot from the field (min. 7): Crystal Erwin (9-9) vs. Washington, 12/11/04
ND shot 55 percent/game: 57.7 (30-52) at West Virginia, 2/22/11
ND shot 55 percent/consecutive games: 63.3 (38-60) vs. Creighton, 12/11/10; and 57.1 (36-63) at Valparaiso, 12/20/10
ND shot 60 percent/game: 64.0 (32-50) vs. Seton Hall, 2/8/11
ND shot 65 percent/game: 68.0 (34-50) vs. Boston College, 2/12/97
ND shot 70 percent/game: 70.2 (40-57) vs. Xavier, 2/9/85
ND shot below 25 percent/game: 24.5 (13-53) at West Virginia, 1/13/08
ND shot below 30 percent/game: 26.9 (18-67) at Connecticut, 1/16/10
ND shot below 35 percent/game: 33.8 (24-71) at Connecticut, 3/8/11
ND shot below 35 percent/game and won: 33.8 (22-65) at Michigan State, 11/19/09
ND shot 55 percent/half: 59.1 (13-22), 1st half vs. Texas A&M, 4/5/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
ND shot 60 percent/half: 60.7 (17-28), 2nd half vs. Oklahoma, 3/26/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)
ND shot 65 percent/half: 65.2 (15-23), 1st half at West Virginia, 2/22/11
ND shot 70 percent/half: 71.0 (22-31), 2nd half at Boston College, 11/23/08
ND shot 55 percent/both halves: 66.7 (16-24) and 61.5 (16-26) vs. Seton Hall, 2/8/11
ND shot below 25 percent/half: 23.1 (6-26), 2nd half at Villanova, 1/29/11
ND shot below 30 percent/half: see below 25 percent/half

THREE-POINT SHOOTING

Player made 4 three-pointers/half: Brittany Mallory (1st half) vs. Oklahoma, 3/26/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)
Player made 5 three-pointers/half: Kellie Watson (1st half) vs. Michigan State, 11/29/08
Player made 5 three-pointers: see made 6 three-pointers
Player made 6 three-pointers: Brittany Mallory vs. Oklahoma, 3/26/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)
Player made 7 three-pointers: Alicia Ratay at Providence, 2/16/03
Player made 8 three-pointers: Sheila McMillen vs. St. John's, 2/28/98 (@ Piscataway, N.J.)
Player attempted 10 three-pointers: Brittany Mallory vs. Oklahoma, 3/26/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)
ND made 10 three-pointers: 10 at Syracuse, 1/30/10
ND did not make a three-pointer: at Villanova, 1/29/11
ND attempted 20 three-pointers: 20 vs. Marquette, 2/23/10
ND shot 60 percent 3FG (min. 5 att.): 60.0 (3-5) vs. Seton Hall, 2/8/11

FREE THROW SHOOTING

Player made 10 for 10 or better: 12-12 by Charel Allen vs. Oklahoma, 3/25/08 (@ West Lafayette, Ind.)
ND shot 90 percent (min. 10 att.): 91.7 (11-12) vs. Evansville, 11/19/08
ND shot below 50 percent (min. 10 att.): 33.3 (4-12) vs. Cincinnati, 1/31/09
ND made 30 free throws: 37 (attempted 43) vs. Wake Forest, 11/27/10
ND made fewer than five FTs: 2 (attempted 2) vs. Connecticut, 3/8/10 (@ Hartford, Conn.)
ND attempted 40 free throws: 41 (made 28) at South Florida, 2/5/11
ND attempted fewer than 5 FTs: 2 (made 2) vs. Connecticut, 3/8/10 (@ Hartford, Conn.)

REBOUNDS

Player had 15 rebounds: Lindsay Schrader (15) vs. Cincinnati, 1/31/09
Player had 20 rebounds: Heidi Bunek (20) at DePaul, 1/20/88
Two players had double-figure rebounds: Skylar Diggins (11) and Devereaux Peters (10) vs. Gonzaga, 12/29/10 (@ Seattle, Wash.)
Three players had double-figure rebounds: Katryna Gaither (14), Beth Morgan (11) and Carey Poor (10) at Michigan State, 12/21/95
ND had 60 rebounds: 66 vs. Southeast Missouri State, 1/2/11
ND had 20 offensive rebounds: 21 at Connecticut, 3/8/11
ND had 25 offensive rebounds: 25 at Kentucky, 11/21/10

DOUBLE-DOUBLES

Points & rebounds: Devereaux Peters (21/11) vs. Texas A&M, 4/5/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Points & rebounds/consecutive games: Devereaux Peters (17/12) vs. Temple, 3/21/11 (@ Salt Lake City, Utah); (17/13) vs. Oklahoma, 3/26/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)
Points & rebounds/3 consecutive games: Jacqueline Batteast (17/11) vs. Missouri State, 3/21/04; (27/12) vs. Middle Tennessee, 3/23/04; (22/12) vs. Penn State, 3/27/04 (@ Hartford, Conn.)
Points & rebounds/4 consecutive games: Jacqueline Batteast (14/11) vs. Virginia Tech, 1/10/04; (23/11) vs. Connecticut, 1/13/04; (22/10) at West Virginia, 1/17/04; (12/10) at Syracuse, 1/21/04
Points & rebounds/5 consecutive games: Jacqueline Batteast (20/10) vs. Western Michigan, 12/12/01; (11/12) vs. Marquette, 12/22/01; (23/10) at Rice, 12/28/01; (25/14) vs. DePaul, 12/31/01; (12/13) at Miami (Fla.), 1/2/02
Points & assists: Brittany Mallory (10/10) vs. Rutgers, 2/12/11
Points & assists/consecutive games: Niele Ivey (12/10) at Valparaiso, 11/17/00; (14/11) vs. Arizona, 11/20/00
Two players had double-doubles: Skylar Diggins (19p/11r) and Devereaux Peters (10p/10r) vs. Gonzaga, 12/29/10 (@ Seattle, Wash.)
Three players had double-doubles: Crystal Erwin (14p/10r), Megan Duffy (14p/10a) and Jacqueline Batteast (10p/10r) vs. St. John's, 1/26/05
15 points and 15 rebounds: Lindsay Schrader (19/15) vs. Cincinnati, 1/31/09
20 points and 10 rebounds: Devereaux Peters (21/11) vs. Texas A&M, 4/5/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
20 points and 20 rebounds: Heidi Bunek (25/20) at DePaul, 1/20/88

TRIPLE-DOUBLES (only two in school history)

Points, rebounds, assists: Sara Liebscher (17p/12r/10a) vs. Detroit, 2/15/90
Points, assists, steals: Mary Gavin (11p/14a/10s) vs. Marquette, 1/31/87

ASSISTS

Player had 10 assists: Skylar Diggins (12) vs. Oklahoma, 3/26/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)
Player had 10 assists/consecutive games: Megan Duffy (11 vs. Rutgers, 1/23/05; 10 vs. St. John's, 1/26/05)
Player had 15 assists: Mary Gavin (17) at Marquette, 2/28/87
ND had 30 assists: 31 vs. Arkansas-Pine Bluff, 11/15/09
ND had fewer than 10 assists: 7 vs. DePaul, 3/7/11 (@ Hartford, Conn.)
ND had fewer than 5 assists: 3 vs. Villanova, 3/8/09 (@ Hartford, Conn.)

BLOCKED SHOTS

Player blocked 5 shots: see blocked 6 shots
Player blocked 6 shots: Devereaux Peters vs. Louisville, 3/6/11 (@ Hartford, Conn.)
Player blocked 10 shots: Amanda Barksdale (11) vs. Boston College, 2/10/02
ND blocked 10 shots: 10 at St. John's, 2/16/10
ND blocked 15 shots: 16 vs. Boston College, 2/10/02
ND blocked 0 shots: vs. Villanova, 1/9/10

STEALS

Player had 7 steals: Natalie Novosel vs. New Hampshire, 11/12/10
Player had 8 steals: Ashley Barlow vs. Cincinnati, 1/31/09
ND had 20 steals: 24 at Valparaiso, 12/20/10

TURNOVERS

ND committed 25 or more: see 30 or more
ND committed 25 or more and won: see 30 or more
ND committed 30 or more: 30 at West Virginia, 2/22/11
ND committed 10 or fewer: 10 at Utah, 3/19/11
ND committed 10 or fewer/consecutive games: 10 at Providence, 12/8/10; 10 vs. Creighton, 12/11/10
ND committed 5 or fewer: 3 at Maryland, 11/16/07

MISCELLANEOUS

Led ND in points/rebounds/assists: Skylar Diggins (23p/10r/6a) vs. Pittsburgh, 2/6/10
Hit "final minute" game-winning shot: Ashley Barlow (3FG/0:34.2 2nd) at Syracuse, 1/30/10
Four-point play: Ashley Barlow (0:08.4, 1st half) at Syracuse, 1/30/10
Made shot from midcourt or beyond: Breona Gray (48 feet at 0:00, 1st half) at Seton Hall, 1/2/07
Played every minute: Melissa Lechlitter (40) vs. St. John's, 1/17/09
Played more than 40 minutes: Skylar Diggins (47) & Becca Bruszewski (44) vs. UCLA, 11/18/10
ND rallied from a 10-point deficit to win: trailed vs. Vermont, 10-20 with 11:37 left in 1st half and won, 84-66, 3/23/10
ND rallied from a 15-point deficit to win: trailed at Vanderbilt, 28-46 with 15:56 to play and won, 59-57, 12/30/08
ND scored 20 straight points: 21-0 run vs. Cincinnati, 2/26/11
ND scored 25 straight points: 36-0 run vs. Southeast Missouri State, 1/2/11

OVERTIME

ND played an OT game: see played two overtimes
ND played two overtimes: vs. UCLA (L, 86-83), 11/18/10
ND won an OT game: vs. Oklahoma (79-75), 3/25/08 (@ West Lafayette, Ind.)
ND won an OT game at home: vs. Bowling Green (85-81), 11/13/06
ND won an OT game on the road: at Bowling Green (86-84), 12/5/07
ND lost an OT game: see played two overtimes

RANKINGS

Played the No. 1 team in the AP poll: defeated Connecticut (72-63), 4/3/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Played the No. 1 team in the ESPN/USA Today/WBCA poll: see played No. 1 team in AP poll
Defeated top-10 opponent: vs. #1/1 Connecticut (72-63), 4/3/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Defeated top-10 opponent at home: vs. #6/7 Rutgers (63-47), 1/23/05
Defeated top-10 opponent on the road: at #9/10 Connecticut (65-59), 1/30/05
Defeated top-10 opponent by double digits: vs. #4/4 Tennessee (73-59), 3/28/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)





The Last Time An Opponent...

SCORING

Player scored 25 points: see 30 points
Player scored 30 points: Danielle Adams (30), Texas A&M, 4/5/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Player scored 35 points: Maya Moore (36), Connecticut, 4/3/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Two players scored 20 points: Stefanie Dolson (24) and Maya Moore (22), at Connecticut, 3/8/11
Three players scored 20 points: Angela Simpson (37), Bridgette Williams (24) and Stephanie Shaw (22), Northwestern State, 3/24/95 (@ Amarillo, Texas)
Two players scored 25 points: Jene Morris (32) and Quenese Davis (25), San Diego State, 11/26/09 (@ St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands)
None in double figures: St. John's, 1/23/11 (Cynthia Hart - 8 pts)
One in double figures: Shoni Schimmel (12), Louisville, 3/6/11 (@ Hartford, Conn.)
Five in double figures: Brittney Griner (21), Brooklyn Pope (20), Kimetria Hayden (14), Odyssey Sims (11) and Melissa Jones (10) at Baylor, 12/1/10
Six in double figures: Jannon Roland (21), Danielle McCulley (14), Jennifer Jacoby (12), Stacey Lovelace (12), Nicole Erickson (11) and Shannon Lindsey (11), Purdue, 11/30/94
Scored 50 points/half: 50 (2nd half), San Diego State, 11/26/09 (@ St. Thomas, U.S. Virgin Islands)
Scored 55 points/half: see 60 points/half
Scored 60 points/half: 63 (2nd half), Northwestern State, 3/24/95 (@ Amarillo, Texas)
Scored 100 points/BIG EAST game: 106, Connecticut, 12/8/98
Scored 100 points/non-BIG EAST game: 103, Northwestern State, 3/24/95 (@ Amarillo, Texas)
Scored fewer than 15 points/half: 6 (1st half), Southeast Missouri State, 1/2/11
Scored fewer than 20 points/half: 17 (1st half), Oklahoma, 3/26/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)
Scored fewer than 40 points/game: 38, Seton Hall, 2/8/11

FIELD GOAL SHOOTING

Shot 50 percent/game: 54.7 (29-53), Texas A&M, 4/5/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Shot 55 percent/game: 55.6 (30-54), Connecticut, 3/1/10
Shot 60 percent/game: 60.0 (30-50), DePaul, 1/22/08
Shot below 25 percent/game: 24.6 (14-57), Seton Hall, 2/8/11
Shot below 30 percent/game: see below 25 percent/game
Shot 50 percent/half: see 65 percent/half
Shot 55 percent/half: see 65 percent/half
Shot 60 percent/half: see 65 percent/half
Shot 65 percent/half: 68.2 (15-22), 2nd half by Texas A&M, 4/5/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Shot 70 percent/half: 70.0 (14-20), 2nd half by New Hampshire, 11/12/10
Shot 50 percent/both halves: 53.3 (16-30) and 56.5 (13-23) at Connecticut, 2/19/11
Shot below 20 percent/half: 15.4 (4-26), 2nd half by Seton Hall, 2/8/11
Shot below 25 percent/half: see below 20 percent/half
Shot below 30 percent/half: 27.6 (8-29), 1st half by Oklahoma, 3/26/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)
Shot below 30 percent/both halves: 26.9 (7-26) and 24.0 (6-25), Syracuse, 2/1/11

THREE-POINT SHOOTING

Player made 5 three-pointers: Maya Moore, Connecticut, 4/3/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Player made 6 three-pointers: Anne Boese, IPFW, 12/8/09
Player made 7 three-pointers: Angie Bjorklund, Tennessee, 1/5/08
Player attempted 10 three-pointers: Maya Moore (13), Connecticut, 4/3/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Made 10 three-pointers: 11 by IPFW, 12/8/09
Did not make a three-pointer: 0 at LSU, 11/16/08
Shot 50 percent 3FG (min. 5 att.): see 60 percent
Shot 60 percent 3FG (min. 5 att.): 61.5 (8-13) by Temple, 3/21/11 (@ Salt Lake City, Utah)

FREE THROW SHOOTING

Player made 10 free throws: Kelly Faris (10), Connecticut, 1/8/11
Player made 15 free throws: Nok Duany (15) at Georgetown, 2/23/02
Player attempted 15 free throws: Candace Parker (17), Tennessee, 3/30/08 (@ Oklahoma City, Okla.)
Player made 10 for 10 or better: Kelly Faris (10-10), Connecticut, 1/8/11
Shot 90 percent (min. 10 att.): 96.3 (26-27), Connecticut, 1/8/11
Shot below 50 percent (min. 10 att.): 48.0 (12-25), Temple, 3/21/11 (@ Salt Lake City, Utah)
Made 30 free throws: 32 (attempted 37) by Illinois, 11/24/98
Made fewer than five FTs: 3 (attempted 7), Louisville, 3/6/11 (@ Hartford, Conn.)
Attempted 40 free throws: 45 (made 28) at South Florida, 1/13/07
Attempted fewer than 5 FTs: 2 (made 1), Southeast Missouri State, 1/2/11

REBOUNDS

Player had 15 rebounds: Michelle Harrison (16) at Utah, 3/19/11
Player had 20 rebounds: Wendy Scholtens (20) at Vanderbilt, 1/8/89
Two players had double-figure rebounds: Abi Olajuwon (14) and Amanda Thompson (11), Oklahoma, 3/28/10 (@ Kansas City, Mo.)
Three players had double-figure rebounds: Aurora Adams (16), Brenda McCunn (11) and Paula Langseth (10), Hawaii, 3/22/81 (@ Anchorage, Alaska)
Had 50 rebounds: 56 by Pittsburgh, 2/10/08
Out-rebounded ND by 10 or more: 12 by Tennessee, 3/28/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio) (UT 46, ND 34)

DOUBLE-DOUBLES

Points & rebounds: Glory Johnson (12/14), Tennessee, 3/28/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)
Points & assists: Liad Suez-Karni (14/10), Villanova, 2/7/06
Two players had double-doubles: Abi Olajuwon (20/14) and Amanda Thompson (13/11), Oklahoma, 3/28/10 (@ Kansas City, Mo.)
Three players had double-doubles: Mary Raese (24p/10r), Mary Westerwelle (11p/10r) and Netra McGrew (10p/10a), Idaho, 3/21/86 (@ Amarillo, Texas)

15 points and 15 rebounds: Tina Charles (16/17), Connecticut, 3/8/10 (@ Hartford, Conn.)
20 points and 10 rebounds: Brooklyn Pope (20/14) at Baylor, 12/1/10
20 points and 20 rebounds: Wendy Scholtens (29/20) at Vanderbilt, 1/8/89

TRIPLE-DOUBLES

Points, rebounds, assists: Liad Suez-Karni (14p/10r/10a), Villanova, 2/7/06
Points, rebounds, steals: Diana Vines (23p/11r/12s) at DePaul, 1/24/89

ASSISTS

Player had 10 assists: Ketia Swanier (11), Connecticut, 1/27/08
Player had 15 assists: Veronica Pettry (16) at Loyola-Chicago, 2/18/89
Had 25 assists: 27, Connecticut, 3/2/99 (@ Piscataway, N.J.)
Had 30 assists: 30 at Loyola-Chicago, 2/18/89
Had fewer than 10 assists: 9, Temple, 3/21/11 (@ Salt Lake City, Utah)

BLOCKED SHOTS

Player blocked 5 shots: Courtney Paris (5), Oklahoma, 3/25/08 (@ West Lafayette, Ind.)
Blocked 10 shots: see blocked 15 shots
Blocked 15 shots: 16 at Connecticut, 1/27/07
Blocked 0 shots: Tennessee, 3/28/11 (@ Dayton, Ohio)

STEALS

Player had 5 steals: Sarah Miles (6) at West Virginia, 2/22/11
Player had 7 steals: Courtney Pilypaitis, Vermont, 3/23/10
Player had 10 steals: Katie Smrcka-Duffy, Georgetown, 1/29/00
Had 15 steals: 15, Louisville, 3/6/11 (@ Hartford, Conn.)
Had 20 steals: 24, Georgetown, 1/29/00

TURNOVERS

Player committed 10 turnovers: Kerah Nelson (11), IUPUI, 11/26/10
Committed 20 turnovers or more and won: 24 at DePaul, 2/26/11
Committed 25 turnovers or more: 28, Cincinnati, 2/26/11
Committed 30 turnovers or more: see 35 turnovers or more
Committed 35 turnovers or more: 35, IUPUI, 11/26/10
Committed 40 turnovers or more: 40, Morehead State, 11/15/10
Committed 5 turnovers or fewer: 5 at Villanova, 1/25/03
Committed 10 turnovers or fewer: 10, Georgetown, 2/20/10

MISCELLANEOUS

Led team in points/rebounds/assists: Mi-Khida Hankins (16p/8r/3a) at Providence, 12/8/10
Hit "final minute" game-winning shot: Felicia Chester (layup/0:05.9) at DePaul, 2/26/11
Played every minute: Bria Hartley (40), Connecticut, 4/3/11 (@ Indianapolis, Ind.)
Played more than 40 minutes: Danielle Robinson & Nyeshia Stevenson (45), Oklahoma, 3/28/10 (@ Kansas City, Mo.)
Rallied from a 10-point deficit to win: Villanova, 3/8/09 (ND led 15-5 with 9:18 left in 1st half, UV won 58-47) (@ Hartford, Conn.)
Led ND by 10 or more at halftime: 14 at Baylor (38-24), 12/1/10
Led ND by 15 or more at halftime: 23 at Connecticut (42-19), 1/16/10
Led ND by 25 or more points: 30 by Connecticut (71-41 at 2:58 of 2nd half), 3/1/10

SCORING MARGINS — The Last Time...

ND won by 30-plus points: see 50
ND won by 30-plus points at home: see 50
ND won by 30-plus points on the road: 32 — ND 82, at Pittsburgh 50, 1/15/11
ND won by 40-plus points: see 50
ND won by 50-plus points: 51 — at ND 89, Seton Hall 38, 2/8/11
ND won by 60-plus points: 76 — at ND 97, Southeast Missouri State 21, 1/2/11

ND lost by 10-19 points: 11 — at Baylor 76, ND 65, 12/1/10
ND lost by 10-19 points at home: 10 — Rutgers 78, at ND 68, 1/27/09
ND lost by 10-19 points on the road: see 10-19 points
ND lost by 20-29 points: 21 — at Connecticut 78, ND 57, 2/19/11
ND lost by 20-29 points at home: 25 — Connecticut 76, at ND 51, 3/1/10
ND lost by 20-29 points on the road: see 20-29 points
ND lost by 30-plus points: 39 — at Tennessee 89, ND 50, 3/17/02



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11/02/11 7 p.m. at Notre Dame, Ind. (Purcell Pavilion)

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##	Player	c	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot							
08	Peklova, Iva	c	1-4	0-2	0-0	0	2	2	2	2	0	4	1	0			16	
11	Clemencon, Jessica	c	3-7	0-0	1-2	3	3	6	0	7	1	4	0	0			30	
05	Kovacevic, Bojana	g	3-13	2-9	0-0	0	1	1	3	8	0	2	0	3			35	
06	Williams, Korissa	g	5-12	0-2	0-0	3	4	7	2	10	4	10	0	2			33	
10	Langlois, Miah-Marie	g	1-5	0-1	2-2	0	2	2	1	4	1	5	0	1			28	
04	Abbott, Emily		0-1	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	4	0	0	2	0	0			14	
09	Bellehumeur-Moya, F		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			1	
12	LaRocque, Jocelyn		1-2	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	3	0	2	0	0			9	
13	Wachna, Bethany		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			1	
14	Kreiger, Tessa		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0			4	
15	Gordon, Jessica		0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0			8	
21	Mullins, Anna		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0			1	
22	Mullins, Laura		0-4	0-4	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	0	3	0	1			20	
Team						5	5	10										
Totals			14-49	3-21	3-4	13	21	34	14	34	6	36	1	7			200	

FG % 1st Half: 7-27 25.9% 2nd half: 7-22 31.8% Game: 14-49 28.6% Deadball Rebounds 1
 3FG % 1st Half: 0-10 0.0% 2nd half: 3-11 27.3% Game: 3-21 14.3%
 FT % 1st Half: 2-2 100.0% 2nd half: 1-2 50.0% Game: 3-4 75.0%

Notre Dame 83 • 0-0

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			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot							
14	PETERS, Devereaux	f	8-9	0-0	0-0	6	2	8	0	16	1	1	0	1			21	
04	DIGGINS, Skylar	g	4-9	0-2	0-0	0	2	2	0	8	7	4	0	5			25	
21	NOVOSEL, Natalie	g	2-11	0-3	1-1	1	1	2	0	5	1	1	0	4			22	
22	MALLORY, Brittany	g	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0			9	
23	MCBRIDE, Kayla	g	7-11	0-1	7-8	0	6	6	1	21	2	2	1	6			33	
12	MILLER, Fraderica		5-7	0-0	2-2	0	1	1	1	12	3	1	0	4			18	
15	TURNER, Kaila		2-5	1-4	0-0	0	2	2	0	5	6	1	0	2			28	
34	WRIGHT, Markisha		4-4	0-0	4-6	2	4	6	0	12	0	2	3	1			22	
44	BRAKER, Ariel		2-8	0-1	0-0	4	1	5	1	4	0	1	0	2			22	
Team						1	2	3										
Totals			34-66	1-13	14-17	14	22	36	4	83	20	14	4	25			200	

FG % 1st Half: 17-35 48.6% 2nd half: 17-31 54.8% Game: 34-66 51.5% Deadball Rebounds 0
 3FG % 1st Half: 1-9 11.1% 2nd half: 0-4 0.0% Game: 1-13 7.7%
 FT % 1st Half: 7-8 87.5% 2nd half: 7-9 77.8% Game: 14-17 82.4%

Officials: Rod Creech, Tim Owens, Abby Bickel
 Technical fouls: Windsor-None. Notre Dame-None.
 Attendance: 7735

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Windsor	16	18	34
Notre Dame	42	41	83

Points	In Paint	Off T/O	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
UW	20	4	4	4	3
ND	52	39	11	8	33

Last FG - UW 2nd-01:32, ND 2nd-01:09.
 Largest lead - UW by 2 1st-18:50, ND by 49 2nd-02:53.

Score tied - 1 time.
 Lead changed - 1 time.