

2011 notre dame softball

**22 consecutive winning seasons • 12 consecutive ncaa appearances
6 big east tournament titles (1999, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2006, 2009)**

gameday central

notre dame fighting irish
(26-7 overall / 5-0 big east)
[und.com • bigeast.org]

live video / audio: und.com

live chat: und.com

bowling green falcons
(4-21 overall / 0-8 mid-american)
[bgsufalcons.com • mac-sports.com]

irish alert text message updates: und.com

twitter: @und_com

series: notre dame leads, 11-6

@ndsoftball / @ndcoachgumpf

series streak: notre dame, w6

first meeting: 3.15.91 – notre dame, 5-4

facebook: facebook.com/unddotcom

last meeting: 4.28.10 – notre dame, 10-5

one-hitters

• the irish won five games last week to bump their current winning streak to nine games, matching the team's longest jaunt of the season ... with a perfect 5-0 league mark, notre dame has won each of its last 11 big east regular season contests ... the irish batted .338 as a team last week with a .633 slugging pct. ... **dani miller** had three home runs while **heather johnson** added a pair during a two-game sweep at syracuse.

• last time out: six of notre dame's 21 hits were good for home runs as the irish swept a big east conference doubleheader over syracuse ... the irish won the first game, 9-2, while taking a 7-4 victory to end the twinbill sunday afternoon at syracuse softball stadium ... the two teams played a doubleheader instead of the standard three-game league series due to travel complications incurred by notre dame friday evening.

• the big east conference honored a pair of notre dame softball players monday as the irish made it a clean sweep of the league's weekly awards ... **johnson** was named player of the week for the second time in as many weeks as **laura winter** copped pitcher of the week accolades for the first time in her career ... **johnson** improved her current hitting streak to 15 games after four multi-hit efforts in five contests this past week ... the 2010 all-big east selection went 10-for-19 (.526) with eight rbi and two homers for a .895 slugging pct. ... **winter** earned three wins and one save in four appearances on the week ... she gave up 13 hits in 18.0 innings with 24 strikeouts ... eleven of those strikeouts came during 10.0 innings of work in two appearances at syracuse.

• **alexa maldonado** ranks second in the big east with a .417 overall batting average ... **johnson** is third with 36 rbi and **winter** is tied for third with 14 wins.

• the irish are 21-0 when leading after four innings, 7-0 when hitting two or more home runs in a game and 16-0 when scoring five or more runs ... notre dame is out-scoring opponents in the first inning, 26-6 and out-scoring opponents in the second, 30-8 ... opponents have gotten the better end of the fourth inning, out-scoring notre dame by a 17-16 margin ... six of the last nine games have seen notre dame register 10+ hits ... notre dame is averaging nearly eight runs per game over the last nine contests.

• with an overall mark of 50-9-1 (.836) in less than four seasons at melissa cook stadium, notre dame has won 26 of its last 27 home games ... in their 16th season of big east competition, notre dame is 248-46 (.841) in regular season league play.

• notre dame is in its 23rd season of varsity competition with an all-time record of 917-418-3 (.685) ... the program boasts 15 ncaa championship appearances (12 consecutive) and six big east conference tournament titles, the latest coming in 2009.

2011 schedule / results

2.18 (fri.)	(1) vs. miami (ohio)	w, 3-2
	(1) at ucf	w, 5-3
2.19 (sat.)	(1) vs. illinois-chicago	w, 4-1
	(1) vs. delaware	w, 11-1 (5)
2.20 (sun.)	(1) vs. miami (ohio)	w, 4-1
2.26 (sat.)	(2) at college of charleston	w, 2-0
	(2) vs. iowa state	w, 1-0
2.27 (sun.)	(2) vs. marist	w, 10-1
	(2) vs. liberty	w, 6-4
3.4 (fri.)	(3) vs. longwood	l, 0-2
	(3) vs. #1 alabama	l, 1-4
3.5 (sat.)	(3) vs. north carolina	w, 4-3 (8)
	(3) vs. maryland	w, 5-3
3.6 (sun.)	(3) vs. fordham	w, 6-0
3.13 (sun.)	at cal poly	w, 4-1
	at cal poly	w, 2-0
3.16 (wed.)	(4) vs. #9 oklahoma	w, 2-1
	(4) at cal state fullerton	l, 0-10 (5)
3.17 (thurs.)	(4) vs. #19 louisiana-lafayette	l, 1-5
3.18 (fri.)	(4) vs. new mexico	w, 5-0
	(4) vs. #4 washington	l, 4-7
3.19 (sat.)	(4) vs. #5 michigan	l, 4-9
3.25 (fri.)	northern illinois	w, 4-1
3.29 (tues.)	western michigan	l, 2-3
3.31 (thurs.)	purdue	w, 7-5
4.2 (sat.)	providence*	w, 12-4 (5)
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4.3 (sun.)	providence*	w, 9-0 (5)
4.5 (tues.)	at wisconsin	w, 9-1 (6)
4.7 (thurs.)	butler	w, 5-0
4.7 (thurs.)	butler	w, 6-1
4.10 (sun.)	at syracuse*	w, 9-2
4.10 (sun.)	at syracuse*	w, 7-4
4.12 (tues.)	bowling green (dh)	4:00 p.m.
4.13 (wed.)	loyola-chicago	4:00 p.m.
4.16 (sat.)	louisville* (dh)	12:00 p.m.
4.17 (sun.)	louisville*	12:00 p.m.
4.21 (thurs.)	at villanova* (dh)	12:00 p.m.
4.23 (sat.)	at villanova*	11:00 a.m.
4.27 (wed.)	at usf* (dh)	12:00 p.m.
4.30 (sat.)	st. john's* (dh)	12:00 p.m.
5.1 (sun.)	st. john's*	11:00 a.m.
5.3 (tues.)	valparaiso	5:00 p.m.
5.4 (wed.)	pittsburgh* (dh)	2:00 p.m.
5.7 (sat.)	at connecticut*	4:00 p.m.
5.8 (sun.)	at connecticut* (dh)	11:00 a.m.
5.12-14	big east championship	--
5.20-29	ncaa regionals / super regionals	--
6.2-8	women's college world series	--

(1) ucf invitational – orlando, fla.

(2) cougar classic – mt. pleasant, s.c.

(3) diamond 9 events citrus classic – kissimmee, fla.

(4) judi garman classic – fullerton, calif.

*big east conference game

all times local to site / schedule subject to change

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notre dame fighting irish (22-7)

no.	name	year	position	b / t	hometown / high school
1	kelsey thornton	so.	outfield	l/r	sugar land, texas / elkins
3	heather johnson	sr.	infield	r/r	los alamos, calif. / mater dei
4	lauren stuhr	fr.	outfield	b/r	huntington beach, calif. / huntington
5	shannon kelly	sr.	pitcher/utility	r/r	pembroke pines, fla. / hollywood christian
6	kasey o'connor	jr.	infield	r/r	yorktown heights, n.y. / yorktown
7	sadie pitzengerger	sr.	infield/outfield	l/r	tomball, texas / tomball
9	jody valdivia	sr.	pitcher	r/r	anaheim hills, calif. / canyon
12	katie fleury	sr.	infield	r/r	san jose, calif. / archbishop mitty
13	alexa maldonado	jr.	outfield	l/l	short hills, n.j. / millburn
14	monica torres	fr.	outfield	r/r	winter springs, fla. / winter springs
15	jackie bowe	so.	pitcher	r/r	galesburg, mich. / galesburg-augusta
17	dani miller	jr.	infield	r/r	huntington beach, calif. / edison
19	erin marrone	sr.	infield/outfield	r/r	alexandria, va. / bishop o'connell
22	kathryn lux	so.	infield	r/r	glendale heights, ill. / glenbard west
24	brianna jorgensborg	sr.	outfield	r/r	thousand oaks, calif. / la reina
27	alexia clay	sr.	catcher	r/r	rochester, ind. / culver academy
28	brittany o'donnell	so.	pitcher	r/r	avon, n.j. / red bank catholic
35	kristina wright	jr.	catcher	r/r	ramona, calif. / ramona
40	amy buntin	so.	catcher/utility	r/r	franklin, tenn. / brentwood
42	chloe saganowich	fr.	infield	r/r	treasure island, fla. / st. petersburg catholic
44	laura winter	fr.	pitcher/infield	r/r	san diego, calif. / rancho bernardo

head coach: deanna gumpf (10th season / nebraska '93)

assistant coaches: kris ganef (10th season / notre dame '99), lizzy lemire (6th season / notre dame '01)

volunteer assistant: dawn austin (6th season / penn state '93)

athletic trainer: nicole alexander (3rd season / florida '05)

student manager: sean rober (notre dame '11)

bowling green falcons (4-21)

no.	name	year	position	b / t	hometown / high school
4	rachel proehl	jr.	outfield	l/r	kingston, ohio / zane trace
5	lindsay arney	sr.	outfield	l/r	navarre, ohio / fairless
7	haleight bielstein	sr.	infield/outfield	r/r	inez, texas / industrial
8	courtney cox	so.	catcher	l/l	twinsburg, ohio / twinsburg
9	kelci smith	fr.	outfield	r/r	oak park, mich. / lewis cass technical
11	melissa west	jr.	infield	r/r	canfield, ohio / canfield
12	katie yoho	fr.	infield	r/r	grove city, ohio / gove city
13	erin greenwalt	fr.	pitcher	r/r	glen carbon, ill. / edwardsville
15	jenny kelley	fr.	outfield	r/r	livonia, mich. / ladywood
16	abby hanson	fr.	infield/outfield	r/r	winthrop harbor, ill. / zion-benton
17	andrea arney	so.	infield	r/r	navarre, ohio / fairless
18	zada lines	sr.	pitcher	r/r	akron, ohio / revere
19	katelynn boso	sr.	catcher	r/r	akron, ohio / ellet
20	missy bowman	sr.	outfield	r/r	massillon, ohio / perry
23	melissa bott	sr.	pitcher	r/r	dover, ohio / dover
25	erika stratton	fr.	catcher/infield	r/r	las vegas, nev. / palo verde
26	adrienne dick	so.	catcher	r/r	delta, ohio / delta
32	paige berger	so.	infield	r/r	rootstown, ohio / rootstown
35	jessica odell	so.	pitcher	r/r	wichita, kansas / wichita northwest
44	hanna fulk	so.	infield	r/r	jeromesville, ohio / hillsdale

head coach: shannon salsburg (penn state '88)

assistant coaches: lani shaffer (gardner-webb '06), hayley wiemer-bradford (bowling green '09)

