

2011 notre dame softball

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

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gameday central

first round – thursday, may 12
game 1
no. 24/18 notre dame fighting irish [und.com • bigeast.org]
no. 3 syracuse vs. no. 6 pittsburgh – 10:00 a.m.
game 2
no. 2 depaul vs. no. 7 rutgers – 12:30 p.m.
game 3
no. 4 usf vs. no. 5 louisville – 6:30 p.m.
game 4
no. 1 notre dame vs. no. 8 providence – 4:00 p.m.

semifinals – friday, may 13
game 5
game 1 winner vs. game 2 winner – 2:30 p.m.
game 6
game 3 winner vs. game 4 winner – 5:00 p.m.

championship – saturday, may 14
game 7
game 5 winner vs. game 6 winner – 5:00 p.m.
***to be televised live on espn2**

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)
4.2 (sat.)	providence*	w, 7-3
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	w, 10-2 (6)
4.12 (tues.)	bowling green	w, 8-5
4.13 (wed.)	loyola-chicago	w, 8-0 (6)
4.16 (sat.)	louisville*	w, 8-5
4.17 (sun.)	louisville*	w, 4-3
4.17 (sun.)	louisville*	l, 6-9
4.21 (thurs.)	at villanova*	w, 2-1
4.21 (thurs.)	at villanova*	w, 10-8
4.27 (wed.)	at usf*	w, 1-0
4.27 (wed.)	at usf*	w, 5-0
4.30 (sat.)	st. john's*	w, 10-3
4.30 (sat.)	st. john's*	w, 11-1 (5)
5.1 (sun.)	st. john's*	w, 14-0 (5)
5.3 (tues.)	valparaiso	w, 10-2 (6)
5.4 (wed.)	pittsburgh*	w, 8-1
5.4 (wed.)	pittsburgh*	w, 8-0 (6)
5.7 (sat.)	at connecticut*	w, 8-4
5.7 (sat.)	at connecticut*	w, 9-0 (5)
5.8 (sun.)	at connecticut*	w, 14-11
5.12-14	big east championship	--
5.20-29	ncaa regionals / super regionals	--
6.2-8	women's college world series	--

probable irish starters

pos.	number - name	class	hometown / high school
p	9 - jody valdivia	sr.	anaheim hills, calif. / canyon
	[2.73 era, 109-4 ... combined with shannon kelly for five-inning no-hitter vs. st. john's (may 1)]		
p	28 - brittany o'donnell	so.	avon, n.j. / red bank catholic
	[2.73 era, 10-0 ... team-best 2.79 era vs. big east teams ... took no-hitter into 6th inn. at usf (april 27)]		
p	15 - jackie bowe	so.	galesburg, mich. / galesburg-augusta
	[2.10 era, 1-1 ... 18 strikeouts in 16.2 innings]		
p	44 - laura winter	fr.	san diego, calif. / rancho bernardo
	[2.16 era, 23-3 ... 200 strikeouts, 162.0 innings ... first career no-hitter at usf (april 27)]		
c	27 - alexia clay	sr.	rochester, ind. / culver academy
	[reigning big east player of the week (may 10) ... hit game-winning grand slam at uconn (may 8)]		
1b	17 - dani miller	jr.	huntington beach, calif. / edison
	[only player ever with 10+ home runs in first three seasons ... lone starter without an error]		
2b	19 - erin marrone	sr.	alexandria, va. / bishop o'connell
	[back in starting lineup after knee injury ... hitting .339 with three doubles]		
3b	3 - heather johnson	sr.	los alamitos, calif. / mater dei
	[21-game hitting streak from march 17-april 17 ... leads nation with 238 straight starts]		
ss	12 - katie fleury	sr.	san jose, calif. / archbishop mitty
	[batting .264 with five doubles, two triples and six homers ... 2010 nfca third-team all-american]		
lf	24 - brianna jorgensborg	sr.	thousand oaks, calif. / la reina
	[11 stolen bases in 11 attempts, and 22 straight dating to 2008 ... two-time all-big east choice]		
cf	13 - alexa maldonado	jr.	short hills, n.j. / millburn
	[consistent slapper with .429 average ... leads team with 51 runs ... 22 multi-hit games]		
rf	7 - sadie pitzenberger	sr.	tomball, texas / tomball
	[suffered three acl tears throughout career ... paces big east with .561 average in league play]		
dp	40 - amy buntin	so.	franklin, tenn. / brentwood
	[swings a reliable stick for a .315 average ... three doubles, two triples, three homers]		

one-hitters

- the top eight teams in the final regular-season conference standings advance to the championship, and the winner of the now single-elimination tournament receives the conference's automatic bid to the 2011 ncaa tournament.
- notre dame has won the league championship title six times, with each of the six victories coming in the last 13 seasons ... the irish joined the big east in 1996.
- notre dame beat three teams - st. john's, no. 17 louisville and no. 19 depaul - without allowing an earned run en route to claiming the program's sixth big east tournament title in 2009 ... those tournament tilts were also held at louisville's ulmer stadium ... brittney bargar, who was named the tournament's most outstanding player, earned two shutout wins while giving up eight hits.
- notre dame will host the 2012 big east championship at melissa cook stadium.

- (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.

in the polls

**nfca / usa today
(may 10)**

rank	school
1	arizona state (30)
2	michigan
3	florida
4	alabama
5	texas
6	california
7	tennessee
8	georgia
9	missouri
10	arizona
11	stanford
12	ucla
13	oklahoma
14	oregon
15	washington
16	nebraska
17	baylor
18	texas a&m
19	georgia tech
20	oklahoma state
21	lsu
22	kentucky
23	auburn
24	notre dame
25	louisiana-lafayette

rv: tulsa 4, pacific 3, syracuse 3, houston 1, indiana 1

**usa softball / espn.com
(may 10)**

rank	school
1	arizona state (20)
2	michigan
3	florida
4	alabama
5	california
6	missouri
7	texas
8	tennessee
9	georgia
10	arizona
11	oregon
12	stanford
13	oklahoma
14	washington
15	ucla
16	georgia tech
17	baylor
18	notre dame
19	texas a&m
20	kentucky
21	lsu
22	oklahoma state
23	nebraska
24	auburn
25	louisiana-lafayette

rv: indiana 25, houston 17, tulsa 6, syracuse 5, byu 3, texas tech 2

last time out

irish win big east regular season title in grand fashion

may 8 - storrs, conn. - alexia clay's seventh-inning grand slam - one of two grand slams and five home runs on the day for no. 21 notre dame - capped off a five-run final frame for the irish to secure the program's 13th big east conference softball regular season title ... clay's only hit of the day helped the visitors overcome a nine-run fourth inning spurt by connecticut, leading to a 14-11 shootout victory for the irish sunday at burrill family field.

notre dame	0	6	0	0	2	1	5	--	14	14	3
connecticut	1	0	0	9	1	0	0	--	11	12	0

the big east conference

2011 standings

(thru may 9)

	big east	pct.	overall	pct.
notre dame	19 - 1	.950	44 - 8 - 0	.846
depaul	19 - 2	.905	38 - 12 - 0	.760
syracuse	15 - 5	.750	41 - 11 - 0	.788
usf	13 - 5	.722	33 - 20 - 0	.623
louisville	12 - 7	.632	34 - 17 - 0	.667
pittsburgh	13 - 8	.619	34 - 16 - 0	.680
rutgers	7 - 12	.368	19 - 29 - 0	.396
providence	7 - 13	.350	23 - 29 - 0	.442
st. john's	6 - 12	.333	20 - 30 - 0	.400
georgetown	6 - 12	.333	13 - 40 - 0	.245
connecticut	6 - 15	.286	19 - 30 - 0	.388
villanova	3 - 18	.143	16 - 32 - 1	.333
seton hall	3 - 19	.136	16 - 35 - 0	.314

2011 big east preseason poll

	2010 overall record	league record	2010 finish
1. notre dame	47-12	18-3	1st
2. depaul	39-18	18-3	1st
3. louisville	41-19	16-6	3rd
4. syracuse	32-26	10-10	5th
5. pittsburgh	27-25	10-11	6th
6. usf	24-29	9-13	9th
7. villanova	27-28	12-10	4th
8. providence	22-28	10-12	6th
9. connecticut	21-30	7-15	9th
10. rutgers	24-31	9-12	4th
11. st. john's	18-33	6-16	13th
12. seton hall	19-31	8-14	10th
13. georgetown	18-34	7-15	11th

after claiming a share of the 2010 big east regular season title, notre dame has taken top honors in the 2011 edition of the preseason league coaches' poll ... the irish earned an impressive 10 first-place votes and 141 total points ... depaul, which shared the league's 2010 regular season championship, was picked second with three first-place votes ... louisville garnered the third spot while syracuse, the reigning big east champion, was picked to finish fourth ... this season's big east championship returns to louisville, ky., for the fourth straight season. the three-day tournament spans from may 12-14 with the final tilt to be televised live on espn2.

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quick facts

university

locationnotre dame, ind. 46556
 founded 1842
 enrollment8,352 (undergraduate)
 11,603 (total)
 nickname..... fighting irish
 colorsgold and blue
 fight song..... notre dame victory march
 conference big east
 facilitymelissa cook stadium (850)
 presidentrev. john i. jenkins, c.s.c.

athletics department

director of athletics.....jack swarbrick
 softball administratormonica cundiff

coaching staff

head coach deanna gumpf
 alma mater.....nebraska '93
 record at notre dame .. 423-173-1 (.704)
 overall career record.... 423-173-1 (.704)
 assistant coach kris ganefff
 alma mater.....notre dame '99
 assistant coach lizzy lemire
 alma mater..... notre dame '01
 volunteer assistant coach.... dawn austin
 alma mater..... penn state '93

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softball information

overall record (2010)47-12
 home..... 19-0
 road 12-7
 neutral 16-5
 big east regular season 18-3
 big east tournament finish 3rd
 final ranking rv (nfca / espn.com)
 last postseason appearance 2010
 starters returning / lost 8 / 1
 pitchers returning / lost 3 / 0
 letterwinners returning / lost..... 17 / 1
 newcomers 4
 all-big east returnees 6

program history

first season 1989 / 23rd season
 overall record 935-419-3 (.688)
 total games..... 1,321
 ncaa championship appearances 15
 ncaa championship 23-30 (.434)
 big east regular season 262-47 (.843)
 big east regular season titles..... 13
 big east championship..... 32-18 (.640)
 big east championship titles..... 6
 undefeated big east regular seasons 2
 all-big east accolades..... 101

notre dame roster

alphabetical

no.	name	year	position	height	b / t	hometown / high school
15	bowe, jackie	so.	pitcher	5-7	r/r	galesburg, mich. / galesburg-augusta
40	buntin, amy	so.	catcher/utility	5-8	r/r	franklin, tenn. / brentwood
27	clay, alexia	sr.	catcher	5-6	r/r	rochester, ind. / culver academy
12	fleury, katie	sr.	infield	5-5	r/r	san jose, calif. / archbishop mitty
3	johnson, heather	sr.	infield	5-8	r/r	los alamos, calif / mater dei
24	jorgensborg, brianna	sr.	outfield	5-11	r/r	thousand oaks, calif. / la reina
5	kelly, shannon	sr.	pitcher/utility	5-7	r/r	pembroke pines, fla. / hollywood christian
22	lux, kathryn	so.	infield	5-10	r/r	glendale heights, ill. / glenbard west
13	maldonado, alexa	jr.	outfield	5-6	l/l	short hills, n.j. / millburn
19	marrone, erin	sr.	infield/outfield	5-9	r/r	alexandria, va. / bishop o'connell
17	miller, dani	jr.	infield	5-9	r/r	huntington beach, calif. / edison
6	o'connor, kasey	jr.	infield	6-0	r/r	yorktown heights, n.y. / yorktown
28	o'donnell, brittany	so.	pitcher	5-9	r/r	avon, n.j. / red bank catholic
7	pitzenberger, sadie	sr.	infield/outfield	5-7	l/r	tomball, texas / tomball
42	saganowich, chloe	fr.	infield	5-9	r/r	treasure island, fla. / st. petersburg catholic
4	stuhr, lauren	fr.	outfield	5-6	b/r	huntington beach, calif. / huntington
1	thornton, kelsey	so.	outfield	5-6	l/r	sugar land, texas / elkins
14	torres, monica	fr.	outfield	5-7	r/r	winter springs, fla. / winter springs
9	valdivia, jody	sr.	pitcher	5-8	r/r	anaheim hills, calif. / canyon
44	winter, laura	fr.	pitcher/infield	6-1	r/r	san diego, calif. / rancho bernardo
35	wright, kristina	jr.	catcher	5-9	r/r	ramona, calif. / ramona

numerical

no.	name	year	position	height	b / t	hometown / high school
1	thornton, kelsey	so.	outfield	5-6	l/r	sugar land, texas / elkins
3	johnson, heather	sr.	infield	5-8	r/r	los alamos, calif. / mater dei
4	stuhr, lauren	fr.	outfield	5-6	b/r	huntington beach, calif. / huntington
5	kelly, shannon	sr.	pitcher/utility	5-7	r/r	pembroke pines, fla. / hollywood christian
6	o'connor, kasey	jr.	infield	6-0	r/r	yorktown heights, n.y. / yorktown
7	pitzenberger, sadie	sr.	infield/outfield	5-7	l/r	tomball, texas / tomball
9	valdivia, jody	sr.	pitcher	5-8	r/r	anaheim hills, calif. / canyon
12	fleury, katie	sr.	infield	5-5	r/r	san jose, calif. / archbishop mitty
13	maldonado, alexa	jr.	outfield	5-6	l/l	short hills, n.j. / millburn
14	torres, monica	fr.	outfield	5-7	r/r	winter springs, fla. / winter springs
15	bowe, jackie	so.	pitcher	5-7	r/r	galesburg, mich. / galesburg-augusta
17	miller, dani	jr.	infield	5-9	r/r	huntington beach, calif. / edison
19	marrone, erin	sr.	infield/outfield	5-9	r/r	alexandria, va. / bishop o'connell
22	lux, kathryn	so.	infield	5-10	r/r	glendale heights, ill. / glenbard west
24	jorgensborg, brianna	sr.	outfield	5-11	r/r	thousand oaks, calif. / la reina
27	clay, alexia	sr.	catcher	5-6	r/r	rochester, ind. / culver academy
28	o'donnell, brittany	so.	pitcher	5-9	r/r	avon, n.j. / red bank catholic
35	wright, kristina	jr.	catcher	5-9	r/r	ramona, calif. / ramona
40	buntin, amy	so.	catcher/utility	5-8	r/r	franklin, tenn. / brentwood
42	saganowich, chloe	fr.	infield	5-9	r/r	treasure island, fla. / st. petersburg catholic
44	winter, laura	fr.	pitcher/infield	6-1	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)

[media credentials] credentials are only issued to accredited members of the working media ... admission will be granted to media members holding a notre dame softball credential only ... spouses, children and guests are not permitted in the pressbox area ... work space in the pressbox can be limited and passes will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis ... requests for credentials should be directed to alan george of the notre dame sports information office.

[in-season interview policy] all requests for notre dame player or coach interviews must be made through alan george at 574.631.3397 ... please provide at least 24 hours notice for all interview requests and be aware that the student-athlete's academic obligations will always take precedence ... interviews may also be done in person before or after practice ... since practice times vary, please contact alan george for an updated schedule ... on game days, no interviews will be granted prior to competition.

[melissa cook stadium] notre dame plays all of its home games at melissa cook stadium on the university of notre dame campus.

[post-game press conferences] notre dame head coach deanna gumpf and players, along with the visiting head coach and players, will be available to the media following a 10-minute "cooling off" period ... media members should submit player requests for post-game interviews to alan george within an appropriate time frame.

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[radio broadcasts] visiting radio stations planning to originate from melissa cook stadium must contact alan george at least 72 hours prior to each game in order to obtain approval for the broadcast and proper credentials ... additional broadcast lines should be ordered through notre dame telecommunications (carolyn rush - 574.631.7205) ... und.com provides live audio for selected home matches.

[stats] box score and statistics will be posted on und.com immediately after each game.

top-seeded irish head to louisville for big east championship

hours after completing final exams for the spring semester, notre dame will be put to the test again at the big east conference softball championship (may 12-14) hosted by the university of louisville at ulmer stadium.

ranked 24th by the nfca and 18th in the usa softball poll with an rpi of 18, notre dame earned the top seed in the tournament after securing the regular season title last week with a three-game sweep of connecticut. the respective rankings are the highest of any big east team.

the regular season title is the second straight – and 13th overall – for the irish since joining the big east in 1996. notre dame's 19 league wins match the second-highest total in program history.

notre dame enters the tournament riding a 13-game winning streak – the longest to end a campaign since the 2001 squad rattled off an astounding 33 consecutive wins to end its regular season – with the last defeat coming against louisville on april 17.

providence grabbed the tournament's no. 8 seed and squares off with notre dame in at 4:00 p.m. (et) on thursday.

regular season runner-up depaul will face seventh-seeded rutgers, defending champion and third-seeded syracuse will play no. 6 pittsburgh with host louisville facing off against no. 4 usf.

the first and second rounds of the eight-team, single-elimination event will be streamed live on und.com courtesy of the big east conference. the may 14 title contest will be televised live on espn2.

in notre dame's first season of big east conference competition (1996), liz miller guided her team to the league's south division title with a 19-1 record. when the irish first joined the conference, they faced each divisional team in a pair of doubleheaders over the course of a two-day weekend. the formula changed in 1998, as the games were dropped to just a single doubleheader followed by a solo contest the next day. the conference adopted its current format in 1999, which pits each team in a single-day doubleheader.

notre dame is currently 262-47 (.843) in big east conference regular-season competition. they finished the 1999 (16-0) and 2001 (20-0) conference schedules with perfect records and have claimed the regular-season title in 13 of the last 16 seasons.

notre dame broke through with its first big east tournament title in 1999 led by the event's most outstanding player, jennifer sharron. the irish repeated in 2000, then fell to fourth in 2001 before claiming the title in 2002 and 2003.

the 2003 team pounded out 21 runs during the tournament and earned the title on andrea loman's walk-off home run in the bottom of the ninth inning against villanova. loman would go on to earn the tournament's most outstanding player award.

the 2006 season produced another championship, as the irish saddled the strong pitching of most outstanding player heather booth to hoist the hardware. it was notre dame's fifth big east tournament crown, and was followed by a runner-up finish in 2007. notre dame brought home the league trophy once again in 2009.

notre dame is one of only three big east teams that have won at least 18 league games in a single season. the irish have accomplished the feat on four occasions since 2001, after first reaching the 18-win mark in 1996 then again in 2010. in 2009, both notre dame (19-4) and louisville (19-5) reached the 19-win mark. depaul won 18 games in 2010, with both the irish and blue demons hitting the 19-win level in 2011.

notre dame has seen a team member earn the big east conference's top player award on eight occasions. melanie alkire won the award in 1999 and 2000, followed by lizzy lemire (2001), jarrah myers (2002), andrea loman (2003) and megan ciolli (2004). megan murray also was a two-time honoree, winning the league's top award in 1996 and 1997.

all-big east accolades have been passed out to irish players on 101 occasions since 1996.

nationally speaking ...

notre dame's team batting average (.337) and winning pct. (.846) both rank seventh nationally ... its fielding pct. (.972) is 24th, scoring (6.06) is 16th, and slugging pct. (.524) is 14th ... individually, alexa maldonado and her .429 batting avg. is 29th, heather johnson is 11th with 1.19 rbi/game, and laura winter is 24th with 23 wins, 12th with four saves and sixth with 0.91 walks/game.

rub some clay on it ...

one day after her two-out, seventh-inning grand slam at connecticut proved to be the game-winner en route to leading notre dame to a second straight regular season crown, alexia clay was named the big east player of the week (may 9) ... of the 12 player of the week awards handed out by the league this season, six of those have been awarded to four different notre dame players (heather johnson - 3, alexa maldonado - 1, brianna jorgensborg - 1, clay - 1) ... clay, notre dame's everyday catcher, homered twice on the week while leading notre dame to six victories while extending the team's winning streak to 13 games ... she totaled eight hits, nine runs, eight rbi and a .938 slugging pct. ... the fifth-year senior ranks second in the big east with a .482 batting average in league play and is tied for first with 23 runs scored ... she is also second with seven doubles and her .857 slugging pct. ranks fifth ... clay is first among league players with a .571 on-base pct.

jump for jorgensborg ...

brianna jorgensborg was named the big east softball player of the week on april 30 ... jorgensborg's bat was a big reason no. 22 notre dame was able to win five conference games on the week, including a three-game home sweep of st. john's ... jorgensborg batted .600 on the week with a mighty 1.800 slugging pct. she went 6-for-10 at the dish as each of her hits were good for extra bases (three doubles, three home runs) ... two of her home runs came during a game-one win over st. john's ... all said and done, jorgensborg scored eight times with nine rbi, two stolen bases, one sacrifice bunt and a sacrifice fly.

no means no ...

notre dame sent its eight seniors out in style with a 14-0 win over st. john's (may 1) on senior day ... jody valdivia and shannon kelly combined for a five-inning no-hitter ... even more, notre dame started each of its eight seniors to begin the game ... the brilliant pitching effort came just four days after laura winter notched the first no-hitter of her career during a 1-0 win at usf ... winter punched out nine bulls as 51 of her 77 offerings went for strikes ... usf, winners of five straight entering the doubleheader, was also blanked in the closing game by a 5-0 count ... in game two, brittany o'donnell took a no-hitter into the sixth as usf ended its 10.0 inning hitless drought with a single but left three runners on the pond in the inning ... o'donnell earned her seventh win behind a one-hit effort in 6.0 frames.

irish strike out cancer ...

notre dame played host to louisville during its strike out cancer weekend (april 16-17), as the irish will showed their support of head coach deanna gumpf's five-year old daughter, tatum, who is battling acute lymphoblastic leukemia ... tatum was diagnosed with a.l.l. last summer and is currently undergoing treatment ... notre dame raised over \$11,000 (and counting), as proceeds from the event will help raise funds and awareness for pediatric leukemia, benefitting the south bend memorial children's hospital pediatric oncology clinic.

johnson's jaunt ...

what lasts one month and is nothing short of remarkable? you're correct if you answered 'heather johnson's hitting streak' ... spanning from march 17 – april 17, johnson's 21-game streak tied dani miller for second on the school's all-time list (sadie pitzenberger's 27-game streak in 2010 tops the chart) ... at the time, johnson's streak was the nation's second-longest this season ... prior to the start of the streak, which also included an ncaa-best feat with at least one rbi in 17 straight games, johnson had a .204 batting average and four of her 11 hits went for extra bases ... when the extraordinary effort ended in the first game of a doubleheader at villanova (april 21), the slugger boasted a batting average of .385 with 50 hits, 50 rbi, seven doubles and 11 home runs for a .692 slugging pct.

johnson, johnson and johnson ...

for the third straight week – and fifth time in her notre dame career – heather johnson was named big east player of the week on april 18 ... since the league began handing out the weekly award in 1992, johnson is the only player to earn the honor on three consecutive occasions.

if you're not first, you're last ...

the irish strutted their stuff throughout the 20-game big east slate by finishing among the top in the following team categories:

*note: notre dame was sixth overall with 530 official at-bats and fifth with 129.0 ip

batting avg.

1. notre dame (.385)
2. louisville (.338)

slugging pct.

1. notre dame (.636)
2. syracuse (.579)

on-base pct.

1. notre dame (.459)
2. depaul (.431)

runs scored

1. notre dame (162)
2. depaul (140)

hits

1. notre dame (204)
2. louisville (185)

rbi

1. notre dame (145)
2. syracuse (125)

doubles

1. notre dame (39)
2. depaul / syracuse (28)

triples

1. pittsburgh (6)
2. notre dame (5)

home runs

1. syracuse (37)
2. notre dame (28)

total bases

1. notre dame (337)
2. syracuse (312)

sacrifice bunts

1. notre dame (20)
2. depaul (19)

sacrifice flies

1. usf (9)
- t2. notre dame (7)

stolen bases

1. notre dame (37)
2. pittsburgh (34)

strikeouts

1. depaul (50)
2. notre dame (57)

grounded into double play

- t1. notre dame (0)

pitching – era

1. usf (1.27)
4. notre dame (2.93)

fielding

1. depaul (.986)
- t2. notre dame (.971)

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gumpf hits milestone ...

already the winningest coach in program history, softball skipper deanna gumpf notched her 400th career victory with a 9-0 five-inning win over providence on april 3.

she can bring them home ...

heather johnson's two rbi walk-off double in the opening game of a big east doubleheader against providence (april 2) not only gave notre dame a 12-4 five-inning win, but capped off a five-rbi effort in the contest which brought johnson's career total to 175 ... that magic number eclipsed the program-best mark (174) shared by christine lux and jarrah myers ... johnson set the single-season rbi record in 2010 by driving in 68 runs.

home streak ...

the home-opening defeat of northern illinois (march 25) extended notre dame's home winning streak to 21 games, which at the time was the fifth-best streak in the nation ... the irish won their last home game of the 2009 season and went 19-0 in 2010 before falling to western michigan (march 29) to end the streak.

spring break 2k11 ...

spring break saw the irish hit the west coast for eight games, including six at the prestigious judi garman classic ... after sweeping a doubleheader at cal poly, notre dame went 2-4 at the judi garman classic ... that mark included a 2-1 victory over no. 9 oklahoma, the first for notre dame over a top 10 opponent since 2009.

to be the best ...

with what was perhaps one of the most challenging non-conference schedules through the first handful of weeks to start the season, notre dame faced four top 10 teams (no. 1 alabama, no. 4 washington, no. 5 michigan and no. 9 oklahoma) ... the irish were 1-3 against those squads.

start strong, finish strong ...

the irish got off to the best start in program history after opening 2011 with a 9-0 mark ... previously, the 2001 team rattled off eight straight wins to start the season en route to earning a program-record 54 victories.

almost a grand ...

notre dame won four games at the college of charleston's cougar classic (feb. 26-27) and its win over liberty was the 900th in program history ... the perfect record on the week was made largely possible by a pitching corps which posted a 0.54 era in 26.0 innings.

you've been maldonado'd ...

alexa maldonado was named the big east conference softball player of the week (feb. 21) after going 7-for-14 from the dish with three hits for extra bases (double, triple, home run) for a slugging pct. of .929 during ucf invitational ... she scored six times while driving in six more runs.

career records

games played

1. meagan ruthrauff (2003-06).....	247
2. jarrah myers (1999-2002)	245
t3. stephanie brown (2004-07).....	242
megan ciolli (2002-05)	242
jenny krieche (1999-2002)	242

at-bats

1. jenny krieche (1999-2002)	790
2. stephanie brown (2004-07)	778
3. megan ciolli (2002-05)	771

batting average (minimum 100 at-bats)

1. <i>sadie pitzenberger</i> (2008-current) .....	.382
2. megan murray (1994-97) .....	.380
3. megan ciolli (2002-05) .....	.368
6. <i>heather johnson</i> (2007-current).....	.356

runs

1. stephanie brown (2004-07).....	166
2. andrea loman (2000-03).....	164
t3. <i>katie fleury</i> (2008-current)	161
megan ciolli (2002-05)	161

hits

1. megan ciolli (2002-05)	284
2. stephanie brown (2004-07).....	277
3. jenny krieche (1999-2002)	268
7. <i>heather johnson</i> (2007-current).....	245

doubles

1. katie laing (2005-08)	55
2. <i>heather johnson</i> (2007-current).....	51

triples

1. jenny krieche (1999-2002)	19
2. katie marten (1994-97)	13
3. megan murray (1994-97).....	12
t7. <i>alexa maldonado</i> (2009-current)	9
<i>sadie pitzenberger</i> (2008-current).....	9

home runs

1. christine lux (2007-10).....	50
2. jarrah myers (1999-2002)	36
3. <i>heather johnson</i> (2007-current).....	35
t4. <i>dani miller</i> (2009-current).....	31
12. <i>katie fleury</i> (2008-current)	20
t13. <i>brianna jorgensborg</i> (2008-current).....	19

rbi

1. <i>heather johnson</i> (2007-current).....	212
t2. christine lux (2007-10).....	174
jarrah myers (1999-2002)	174

total bases

1. jarrah myers (1999-2002)	409
t2. <i>heather johnson</i> (2007-current).....	403
melanie alkire (1998-2001).....	403

slugging percentage (minimum 150 at bats)

1. christine lux (2007-10).....	.654
2. <i>dani miller</i> (2009-current) .....	.614
3. andria bledsoe (2000-03) .....	.613
4. <i>heather johnson</i> (2007-current).....	.587

walks

1. meagan ruthrauff (2003-06).....	112
2. <i>katie fleury</i> (2008-current)	98
3. linda kohan (2006-2009)	90
4. andrea loman (2000-2003)	87
t6. <i>heather johnson</i> (2007-current).....	74

stolen bases

1. megan ciolli (2002-05)	76
2. andrea loman (2000-03)	60
3. katie marten (1994-97)	58
6. <i>katie fleury</i> (2008-current)	46

putouts

1. christine lux (2007-10).....	1,544
2. jarrah myers (1999-2002)	1,337
3. mallorie lenn (2003-06).....	1,309

assists

1. katie laing (2005-2008)	483
2. ruth kmak (1989-92)	467
3. <i>heather johnson</i> (2007-current).....	397

fielding percentage (minimum 150 chances)

1. <i>kristina wright</i> (2008-current).....	.995
2. <i>alexia clay</i> (2009-current) .....	.993
3. mallorie lenn (2003-06) .....	.992
4. amy folsom (1989-92).....	.992

appearances

1. brittney bargar (2006-09).....	172
2. heather booth (2003-06).....	167
3. steffany stenglein (2002-05)	154
5. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	133

games started

1. brittney bargar (2006-09).....	137
2. heather booth (2003-06).....	135
3. steffany stenglein (2002-05)	132
5. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	110

wins

1. heather booth (2003-06).....	96
2. brittney bargar (2006-09).....	92
3. jennifer sharron (1998-2001)	88
6. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	75

complete games

1. brittney bargar (2006-09).....	99
2. heather booth (2003-06).....	87
3. jennifer sharron (1998-2001)	76
6. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	62

shutouts

1. terri kobata (1993-96).....	42
2. jennifer sharron (1998-2001)	38
3. heather booth (2003-06).....	32
6. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	24

combined shutouts

1. steffany stenglein (2002-05)	18
2. carrie wisen (2002-05)	14
3. heather booth (2003-06).....	11
4. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	10

innings pitched

1. brittney bargar (2006-09).....	931.0
2. heather booth (2003-06).....	901.1
3. jennifer sharron (1998-2001)	772.1
7. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current).....	633.2

winning percentage (minimum 15 decisions)

1. kristin schmidt (2001) .....	.900
2. <i>laura winter</i> (2011-current) .....	.870
3. terri kobata (1993-96).....	.840
7. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current).....	.765

earned run average (minimum 150.0 innings)

1. kristin schmidt (2001).....	0.55
2. terri kobata (1993-96).....	0.63
3. jennifer sharron (1998-2001)	1.22

strikeouts

1. terri kobata (1993-96).....	907
2. heather booth (2003-06).....	845
3. brittney bargar (2006-09).....	819
6. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	676

hits per 7.0 innings (minimum 150.0 innings)

1. terri kobata (1993-96).....	3.16
2. kristin schmidt (2001).....	3.71
3. steffany stenglein (2002-05)	4.58

walks per 7.0 innings (minimum 150.0 innings)

1. staci alford (1990-93).....	0.81
2. missy linn (1989-92)	1.07
3. jennifer sharron (1998-2001)	1.30
10. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	2.40

strikeouts per seven innings (minimum 150.0 innings)

1. terri kobata (1993-96).....	10.07
2. kristin schmidt (2001).....	8.48
3. michelle moschel (1999-2000).....	7.78
4. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	7.45

strikeout-to-walk ratio (minimum 150.0 innings)

1. terri kobata (1993-96).....	6.43
2. kristin schmidt (2001).....	5.88
3. staci alford (1990-93).....	5.59
8. <i>jody valdivia</i> (2008-current)	3.10

notre dame in the big east championship

1996 - at chestnut hill, mass. / 1-seed

5.4	vs. providence	w, 3-2
5.4	vs. connecticut	l, 0-3
5.5	vs. villanova	w, 4-0
5.5	vs. connecticut	w, 6-3
5.5	vs. connecticut	l, 0-1

1997 - at storrs, conn. / 1-seed

5.3	vs. boston college	l, 1-3
5.4	vs. rutgers	w, 11-8
5.5	vs. connecticut	l, 1-2

1998 - at notre dame, ind. / 1-seed

5.2	vs. connecticut	l, 1-4
5.2	vs. rutgers	l, 0-1

1999 - at storrs, conn. / 1-seed

5.8	vs. connecticut	w, 4-1
5.8	vs. boston college	w, 9-4
5.9	vs. seton hall	w, 5-1

2000 - at chestnut hill, mass. / 1-seed

5.5	vs. boston college	w, 5-2
5.6	vs. connecticut	w, 5-0
5.7	vs. connecticut	w, 7-0

2001 - at villanova, pa. / 1-seed

5.10	vs. seton hall	l, 1-2
5.11	vs. villanova	l, 0-1

2002 - at salem, va. / 1-seed

5.9	vs. virginia tech	l, 3-8
5.10	vs. syracuse	w, 5-4
5.10	vs. villanova	w, 6-4
5.11	vs. virginia tech	w, 2-1
5.11	vs. virginia tech	w, 3-1

2003 - at salem, va. / 1-seed

5.8	vs. seton hall	w, 9-0
5.9	vs. villanova	w, 9-7
5.9	vs. villanova	w, 3-2 (9)

2004 - at syracuse, n.y. / 1-seed

5.13	vs. boston college	w, 4-1
5.14	vs. seton hall	l, 1-2 (8)
5.14	vs. villanova	w, 2-0
5.15	vs. seton hall	l, 2-5 (8)

2005 - at south bend, ind. / 1-seed

5.12	vs. villanova	w, 3-0
5.13	vs. seton hall	l, 1-2
5.13	vs. syracuse	w, 4-1
5.14	vs. seton hall	l, 1-2 (11)

2006 - at south bend, ind. / 3-seed

5.13	vs. providence	w, 4-1
5.1	vs. pittsburgh	w, 5-0
5.14	vs. louisville	w, 1-0

2007 - at south bend, ind. / 4-seed

5.10	vs. connecticut	w, 6-0
5.11	vs. depaul	w, 8-2
5.12	vs. louisville	l, 2-3

2008 - at louisville, ky. / 4-seed

5.8	vs. louisville	l, 1-3
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2009 - at louisville, ky. / 2-seed

5.7	vs. st. john's	w, 5-1
5.8	vs. louisville	w, 3-0
5.9	vs. depaul	w, 1-0

2010 - at louisville, ky. / 2-seed

5.13	vs. providence	w, 6-2
5.14	vs. louisville	l, 2-5

• the big east conference has sponsored a softball championship tournament since 1990.

• the top eight teams in the final regular-season conference standings advance to the championship, and the winner of the now single-elimination tournament receives the conference's automatic bid to the 2010 ncaa tournament.

• notre dame has won the league championship title six times, with each of the six victories coming in the last 12 seasons ... the irish joined the big east in 1996.

• two of notre dame's most notable tournament runs occurred at salem, va. ... in 2002, the irish rallied from a first-day loss to win four straight games to claim the tournament title in deanna gumpf's first season ... the next season the irish utilized a walk-off home run by andrea loman in the bottom of the ninth inning to capture their second straight league title ... bolstered by that home run, loman became the third big east player to earn the tournament's most outstanding player trophy two times (uconn's bridgett mccaffery and janna venice also earned the award twice) and joined mccaffery as just the second big east player to claim the award in back-to-back tournaments.

• in 2006, behind the strong pitching of senior hurler heather booth, the irish won their three tournament games over providence, pittsburgh and no. 18 louisville by the combined score of 10-1 ... booth started and threw complete games in all three games of the tournament, including a one-hit shutout of no. 18 louisville in the championship game ... for her efforts, booth was named the 2006 most outstanding player.

• the 2007 big east championship was hosted in south bend, ind., for the third time in as many seasons ... the tournament was played at the belleville softball complex.

• notre dame beat three teams - st. john's, no. 17 louisville and no. 19 depaul - without allowing an earned run en route to claiming the program's sixth big east tournament title in 2009 ... not only did notre dame hand louisville just its second home loss of the season, but the irish became the only team to blank the cardinals on the year ... it was the first time notre dame beat ranked opponents in two consecutive contests since 2005 and the first time the irish beat a pair of top-20 teams on consecutive tries since 2000 ... brittney bargar, who was named the tournament's most outstanding player, earned two shutout wins while giving up eight hits.

• louisville will host the 2011 big east championship at ulmer stadium from may 12-14.

championship results

year	champion	coach	score	runner-up	site
2010	syracuse	leigh ross	2-1	louisville	louisville, ky.
2009	notre dame	deanna gumpf	1-0	depaul	louisville, ky.
2008	depaul	eugene lenti	4-1	south florida	louisville, ky.
2007	louisville	sandy pearsall	3-2	notre dame	south bend, ind.
2006	notre dame	deanna gumpf	1-0	louisville	south bend, ind.
2005	seton hall	ray vandermay	2-1 (11)	notre dame	south bend, ind.
2004	seton hall	ray vandermay	5-2 (8)	notre dame	syracuse, n.y.
2003	notre dame	deanna gumpf	3-2 (9)	villanova	salem, va.
2002	notre dame	deanna gumpf	3-1	virginia tech	salem, va.
2001	connecticut	karen mullins	3-0	seton hall	villanova, pa.
2000	notre dame	liz miller	7-0	connecticut	chestnut hill, mass.
1999	notre dame	liz miller	5-1	seton hall	storrs, conn.
1998	boston college	jennifer finley	6-1	connecticut	notre dame, ind.
1997	boston college	jennifer finley	9-1	connecticut	storr, conn.
1996	connecticut	karen mullins	1-0	notre dame	chestnut hill, mass.
1995	connecticut	karen mullins	3-1	providence	jamaica, n.y.
1994	providence	jennifer finley	1-0	connecticut	jamaica, n.y.
1993	connecticut	karen mullins	9-0	villanova	storrs, conn.
1992	connecticut	karen mullins	2-1	providence	storrs, conn.
1991	connecticut	karen mullins	2-0	boston college	chestnut hill, mass.
1990	connecticut	karen mullins	2-0	st. john's	chestnut hill, mass.

irish record vs. opponents in big east championship

vs. boston college	.....	3-1
vs. connecticut	.....	5-4
vs. depaul	.....	2-0
vs. louisville	.....	2-3
vs. providence	.....	3-0
vs. pittsburgh	.....	1-0
vs. rutgers	.....	1-1
vs. st. john's	.....	1-0
vs. seton hall	.....	2-5
vs. syracuse	.....	2-0
vs. villanova	.....	6-1
vs. virginia tech	.....	2-1

notre dame's big east championship most outstanding players

2009	.....	brittney bargar
2006	.....	heather booth
2003	.....	andrea loman
2002	.....	andrea loman
2000	.....	melanie alkire
1999	.....	jennifer sharron



Notre Dame Roster



1
Kelsey Thornton
Sophomore • Outfield
5-6 • L/R
Sugar Land, Texas
Elkins



3
Heather Johnson
Senior • Infield
5-8 • R/R
Los Alamitos, Calif.
Mater Dei



4
Lauren Stuhr
Freshman • Outfield
5-6 • B/R
Huntington Beach, Calif.
Huntington



5
Shannon Kelly
Senior • Pitcher/Utility
5-7 • R/R
Pembroke Pines, Fla.
Hollywood Christian



6
Kasey O'Connor
Junior • Infield
6-0 • R/R
Yorktown Heights, N.Y.
Yorktown



7
Sadie Pitzenberger
Senior • Infield/Outfield
5-7 • L/R
Tomball, Texas
Tomball



9
Jody Valdivia
Senior • Pitcher
5-8 • R/R
Anaheim Hills, Calif.
Canyon



12
Katie Fleury
Senior • Infield
5-5 • R/R
San Jose, Calif.
Archbishop Mitty



13
Alexia Maldonado
Junior • Outfield
5-6 • L/L
Short Hills, N.J.
Millburn



14
Monica Torres
Freshman • Outfield
5-7 • R/R
Winter Springs, Fla.
Winter Springs



15
Jackie Bowe
Sophomore • Pitcher
5-7 • R/R
Galesburg, Mich.
Galesburg-Augusta



17
Dani Miller
Junior • Infield
5-9 • R/R
Huntington Beach, Calif.
Edison



19
Erin Marrone
Senior • Infield/Outfield
5-9 • R/R
Alexandria, Va.
Bishop O'Connell



22
Kathryn Lux
Sophomore • Infield
5-10 • R/R
Glendale Heights, Ill.
Glenbard West



24
Brianna Jorgensborg
Senior • Outfield
5-11 • R/R
Thousand Oaks, Calif.
La Reina



27
Alexia Clay
Senior • Catcher
5-6 • R/R
Rochester, Ind.
Culver Academy



28
Brittany O'Donnell
Sophomore • Pitcher
5-9 • R/R
Avon, N.J.
Red Bank Catholic



35
Kristina Wright
Junior • Catcher
5-9 • R/R
Ramona, Calif.
Ramona



40
Amy Buntin
Sophomore • Catcher/
Utility
5-8 • R/R
Franklin, Tenn.
Brentwood



42
Chloe Saganowich
Freshman • Infield
5-9 • R/R
Treasure Island, Fla.
St. Petersburg Catholic



44
Laura Winter
Freshman • Pitcher/Infield
6-1 • R/R
San Diego, Calif.
Rancho Bernardo



Deanna Gumpf
Head Coach
10th season
Nebraska '93



Kris Ganeff
Assistant Coach
10th season
Notre Dame '99



Lizzy Lemire
Assistant Coach
6th season
Notre Dame '01

Notre Dame Softball
Overall Statistics for Notre Dame (as of May 11, 2011)
(All games Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 44-8 Home: 18-2 Away: 14-1 Neutral: 12-5 BIG EAST: 19-1

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%	
7 PITZENBERGER, Sadie	.486	27-22	74	4	36	5	2	0	13	45	.608	0	0	0	0	.474	2	1	0-0	22	1	1	.958	
13 MALDONADO, Alexa	.429	52-52	163	51	70	14	2	4	25	100	.613	17	3	22	0	.484	3	6	19-25	57	2	3	.952	
27 CLAY, Alexia	.398	50-49	128	43	51	12	1	7	37	86	.672	23	3	16	0	.487	4	13	5-7	266	39	2	.993	
3 JOHNSON, Heather	.395	52-52	162	22	64	11	0	12	62	111	.685	14	1	9	0	.441	2	4	0-0	42	71	2	.983	
17 MILLER, Dani	.344	52-52	160	20	55	7	0	10	35	92	.575	11	2	18	0	.389	2	4	1-1	149	32	0	1.000	
19 MARRONE, Erin	.339	27-20	59	14	20	3	0	0	17	23	.390	3	3	10	0	.400	0	1	1-1	25	15	2	.952	
24 JORGENSBORG, Briann	.328	51-51	122	33	40	10	2	5	26	69	.566	10	11	23	0	.421	2	5	11-11	58	0	3	.951	
40 BUNTIN, Amy	.315	44-40	111	21	35	3	2	3	15	51	.459	5	4	13	0	.361	2	3	1-5	38	4	2	.955	
12 FLEURY, Katie	.264	51-51	140	35	37	5	2	6	19	64	.457	19	2	14	0	.360	0	8	16-17	78	54	10	.930	

1 THORNTON, Kelsey	.333	40-1	3	16	1	0	0	0	0	1	.333	0	0	1	0	.333	0	0	9-13	1	0	0	1.000	
4 STUHR, Lauren	.300	30-20	50	15	15	2	0	3	13	26	.520	3	5	9	0	.397	0	2	2-2	17	1	1	.947	
42 SAGANOWICH, Chloe	.231	13-2	13	3	3	1	0	0	2	4	.308	0	0	2	0	.231	0	0	0-0	9	11	1	.952	
15 BOWE, Jackie	.222	27-19	36	7	8	1	0	0	1	9	.250	7	0	9	0	.349	0	5	1-2	81	5	4	.956	
6 O'CONNOR, Kasey	.207	20-13	29	8	6	1	0	0	2	7	.241	5	1	8	0	.343	0	1	1-2	15	11	0	1.000	
44 WINTER, Laura	.120	13-11	25	2	3	0	0	0	4	3	.120	2	1	9	0	.207	1	1	1-1	29	21	2	.962	
35 WRIGHT, Kristina	.100	16-11	20	2	2	1	0	0	2	3	.150	2	0	6	0	.182	0	0	0-0	90	7	0	1.000	
22 LUX, Kathryn	.087	17-7	23	3	2	0	0	0	3	2	.087	2	0	8	0	.148	2	0	1-1	36	1	2	.949	
5 KELLY, Shannon	.000	5-1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000	
14 TORRES, Monica	.000	32-0	4	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	2	0	.000	0	0	1-2	2	0	0	1.000	
9 VALDIVIA, Jody	.000	1-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	6	10	2	.889	
28 O'DONNELL, Brittany	.000	1-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	17	1	.947	
Totals	.337	52	1329	315	448	76	11	50	277	696	.524	123	36	179	0	.403	20	54	70-90	1022	302	38	.972	
Opponents	.234	52	1302	137	305	30	3	39	132	458	.352	87	23	386	1	.293	5	16	41-55	963	438	71	.952	

LOB - Team (285), Opp (274). DPs turned - Team (7), Opp (12). IBB - Team (6), JOHNSON 4, MALDONADO 1, MILLER 1. Picked off - O'CONNOR 1.

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk	sfa	sha
15 BOWE, Jackie	2.10	1-1	7	3	0	0/1	1	16.2	11	8	5	9	18	0	0	1	.193	3	0	0	3	1
44 WINTER, Laura	2.16	23-3	34	24	12	3/4	4	162.0	141	53	50	21	200	17	2	20	.228	1	8	1	1	4
9 VALDIVIA, Jody	2.73	10-4	28	18	6	2/6	1	100.0	100	47	39	24	108	11	1	15	.256	3	9	1	1	6
28 O'DONNELL, Brittany	2.73	10-0	20	7	1	1/3	0	56.1	46	23	22	30	58	2	0	2	.218	3	5	0	0	5
5 KELLY, Shannon	7.00	0-0	5	0	0	0/1	1	6.0	7	6	6	3	2	0	0	1	.269	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	2.50	44-8	52	52	19	13/7	7	341.0	305	137	122	87	386	30	3	39	.234	11	23	2	5	16
Opponents	5.41	8-44	52	52	22	2/1	1	321.0	448	315	248	123	179	76	11	50	.337	22	36	7	20	54

PB - Team (5), CLAY 5, Opp (8). Pickoffs - Team (0), Opp (1). SBA/ATT - CLAY (24-33), VALDIVIA (18-24), WINTER (17-21), WRIGHT (12-17), O'DONNELL (5-7), BUNTIN (5-5), BOWE (1-3).

Notre Dame Softball
Conference statistics for Notre Dame (as of May 11, 2011)
(BIG EAST games only Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 19-1 Home: 10-1 Away: 9-0 BIG EAST: 19-1

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%	
7 PITZENBERGER, Sadie	.561	20-17	57	3	32	4	1	0	10	38	.667	0	0	0	0	.542	2	0	0-0	13	0	0	1.000	
27 CLAY, Alexia	.482	20-20	56	23	27	7	1	4	22	48	.857	11	2	10	0	.571	1	5	4-4	138	18	2	.987	
3 JOHNSON, Heather	.475	20-20	61	12	29	6	0	8	29	59	.967	10	1	2	0	.556	0	2	0-0	17	29	1	.979	
13 MALDONADO, Alexa	.433	20-20	67	20	29	7	1	2	14	44	.657	6	1	13	0	.480	1	3	6-10	26	2	1	.966	
24 JORGENSBORG, Briann	.429	20-20	49	22	21	6	0	4	18	39	.796	5	6	9	0	.525	1	2	8-8	22	0	1	.957	
19 MARRONE, Erin	.372	18-15	43	11	16	2	0	0	13	18	.419	3	1	7	0	.426	0	0	1-1	18	11	2	.935	
12 FLEURY, Katie	.352	20-20	54	22	19	3	1	4	11	36	.667	10	1	3	0	.462	0	4	10-10	27	22	4	.925	
17 MILLER, Dani	.267	20-20	60	8	16	2	0	4	15	30	.500	6	1	7	0	.338	1	2	1-1	100	7	0	1.000	
4 STUHR, Lauren	.261	15-8	23	8	6	1	0	1	6	10	.435	1	2	4	0	.346	0	1	1-1	3	0	0	1.000	
40 BUNTIN, Amy	.176	15-13	34	6	6	0	1	1	4	11	.324	3	3	6	0	.293	1	1	0-1	0	1	0	1.000	

35 WRIGHT, Kristina	1.000	4-0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	1.000	0	0	0-0	4	0	0	1.000	
42 SAGANOWICH, Chloe	.400	6-1	5	2	2	1	0	0	1	3	.600	0	0	0	0	.400	0	0	0-0	2	6	1	.889	
22 LUX, Kathryn	.000	6-2	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	2	0	3	0	.222	0	0	0-0	8	0	0	1.000	
6 O'CONNOR, Kasey	.000	5-2	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	2	0	3	0	.250	0	0	0-0	0	2	0	1.000	
5 KELLY, Shannon	.000	3-1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000	
9 VALDIVIA, Jody	.000	1-1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	3	4	1	.875	
15 BOWE, Jackie	.000	5-1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	.500	0	0	0-0	3	1	0	1.000	
14 TORRES, Monica	.000	16-0	1	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1-2	0	0	0	.000	
1 THORNTON, Kelsey	.000	17-0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	5-7	0	0	0	.000	
Totals	.385	20	530	162	204	39	5	28	145	337	.636	60	18	67	0	.459	7	20	37-45	387	119	15	.971	
Opponents	.230	20	501	59	115	10	1	19	57	184	.367	31	8	150	0	.285	1	4	16-19	360	173	26	.953	

LOB - Team (113), Opp (99). DPs turned - Team (0), Opp (5). IBB - Team (4), JOHNSON 4.

(BIG EAST games only Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk	sfa	sha
5 KELLY, Shannon	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/1	0	1.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0
28 O'DONNELL, Brittany	2.79	7-0	9	4	1	1/2	0	32.2	24	14	13	17	35	1	0	1	.195	2	3	0	0	2
44 WINTER, Laura	2.96	9-1	13	11	8	1/1	2	71.0	66	31	30	7	88	7	0	13	.239	0	5	1	1	1
9 VALDIVIA, Jody	3.16	3-0	10	5	0	0/4	0	24.1	25	14	11	6	27	2	1	5	.253	2	0	0	0	1
Totals	2.93	19-1	20	20	9	6/4	2	129.0	115	59	54	31	150	10	1	19	.230	4	8	1	1	4
Opponents	7.58	1-19	20	20	6	0/0	1	120.0	204	162	130	60	67	39	5	28	.385	7	18	2	7	20

PB - Team (2), CLAY 2, Opp (7). SBA/ATT - CLAY (16-19), WINTER (8-9), O'DONNELL (4-5), VALDIVIA (4-5).

Notre Dame Softball
Team Game-by-Game for Notre Dame (as of May 11, 2011)
Batting (All games)

Date	Opponent	ab	r	h	rbi	2b	3b	hr	bb	ibb	sb	cs	hbp	sac	sf	gdp	k	po	a	e	avg
Feb 18	vs Miami (Ohio)	25	3	6	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	4	21	6	0	.240
Feb 18	at UCF	28	5	9	5	4	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	21	6	1	.283
Feb 19	vs Illinois-Chicago	22	4	4	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	21	4	0	.253
Feb 19	vs Delaware	20	11	10	11	0	1	1	2	0	3	0	3	0	2	0	2	15	7	1	.305
Feb 20	vs Miami (Ohio)	24	4	8	4	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	21	4	0	.311
Feb 26	at C. of Charleston	24	2	6	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	2	21	2	2	.301
Feb 26	vs Iowa State	21	1	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	21	3	1	.287
Feb 27	vs Marist	27	10	13	9	4	0	2	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	15	8	0	.314
Feb 27	vs Liberty	23	6	7	2	0	0	0	1	0	5	1	1	1	0	0	2	21	4	3	.313
Mar 04	vs Longwood	21	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	2	18	6	0	.294
Mar 04	vs Alabama	25	1	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	12	21	3	1	.288
Mar 05	vs North Carolina	27	4	8	4	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	1	2	1	0	4	24	9	0	.289
Mar 05	vs Maryland	29	5	9	2	0	0	1	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	6	21	7	0	.291
Mar 06	vs Fordham	26	6	8	5	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	21	8	0	.292
Mar 13	at Cal Poly	28	4	6	3	2	0	2	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	5	21	5	1	.286
Mar 13	at Cal Poly	24	2	5	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	21	7	0	.282
Mar 16	vs Oklahoma	26	2	6	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	9	21	6	1	.279
Mar 16	at Cal State Fullerton	15	0	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	5	1	.276
Mar 17	vs Louisiana-Lafayette	25	1	6	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	7	21	8	0	.274
Mar 18	vs New Mexico	23	5	9	5	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	21	5	0	.280
Mar 18	vs Washington	27	4	10	4	3	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	18	4	3	.284
Mar 19	vs Michigan	29	4	8	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	21	7	2	.284
Mar 25	NORTHERN ILLINOIS	20	4	5	4	0	1	0	3	0	3	0	1	1	1	0	3	21	7	0	.283
Mar 29	WESTERN MICHIGAN	31	2	9	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	21	2	0	.283
Mar 31	PURDUE	28	7	10	7	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	21	4	2	.286
*Apr 02	PROVIDENCE	24	12	11	12	2	0	2	6	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	3	15	4	0	.293
*Apr 02	PROVIDENCE	24	7	9	6	1	0	1	6	0	4	1	1	3	0	0	2	21	5	0	.296
*Apr 03	PROVIDENCE	25	9	12	9	3	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	15	0	0	.302
Apr 05	at Wisconsin	29	9	10	6	1	2	1	2	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	2	17	5	2	.304
Apr 07	BUTLER	25	5	8	5	2	1	1	8	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	3	21	5	0	.305
Apr 07	BUTLER	25	6	8	5	3	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	3	0	0	2	21	11	1	.305
*Apr 10	at Syracuse	29	9	10	8	0	0	4	3	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	11	21	0	0	.307
*Apr 10	at Syracuse	31	7	11	7	5	0	2	2	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	5	21	6	0	.308
Apr 12	BOWLING GREEN	20	10	7	9	0	1	2	5	0	3	1	0	1	2	0	1	18	5	0	.309
Apr 12	BOWLING GREEN	25	8	10	8	2	0	1	4	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	6	21	10	0	.312
Apr 13	LOYOLA-CHICAGO	32	8	13	6	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	18	4	0	.315
*Apr 16	LOUISVILLE	25	8	10	7	1	0	2	9	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	2	21	3	3	.318
*Apr 17	LOUISVILLE	21	4	7	4	0	1	1	5	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3	21	12	1	.318
*Apr 17	LOUISVILLE	30	6	9	6	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	21	4	1	.317
*Apr 21	at Villanova	25	2	5	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	21	4	0	.314
*Apr 21	at Villanova	29	10	10	10	2	1	2	0	0	3	0	1	2	1	0	1	21	13	2	.315
*Apr 27	at USF	24	1	3	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	8	21	5	0	.311
*Apr 27	at USF	28	5	12	2	2	0	0	4	3	4	1	0	3	0	0	3	21	10	2	.314
*Apr 30	ST. JOHN'S	28	10	12	9	4	0	1	3	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	21	3	0	.317
*Apr 30	ST. JOHN'S	23	11	11	9	1	2	2	1	0	4	0	0	1	1	0	1	15	9	1	.320
*May 01	ST. JOHN'S	20	14	9	12	5	0	0	5	0	3	0	4	0	2	0	0	15	7	0	.322
May 03	VALPARAISO	25	10	11	10	1	0	2	3	0	1	1	1	2	1	0	2	18	6	1	.325
*May 04	PITTSBURGH	29	8	12	7	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	3	21	2	0	.327
*May 04	PITTSBURGH	28	8	15	6	1	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	18	10	1	.332
*May 07	at Connecticut	31	8	13	8	2	0	1	2	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	3	21	5	1	.334
*May 07	at Connecticut	24	9	9	7	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	4	15	9	0	.335
*May 08	at Connecticut	32	14	14	14	1	0	5	4	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	7	21	8	3	.337
Totals		1329	315	448	277	76	11	50	123	6	70	20	36	54	20	0	179	1022	302	38	.337

Notre Dame Softball
Team Game-by-Game for Notre Dame (as of May 11, 2011)
Pitching (All games)

Date	Opponent	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	wp	bk	hbp	dp	ibb	score	w-l	sv	era
Feb 18	vs Miami (Ohio)	7.0	6	2	2	0	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3-2	1-0	0	2.00
Feb 18	at UCF	7.0	4	3	3	4	3	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	5-3	2-0	1	2.50
Feb 19	vs Illinois-Chicago	7.0	4	1	1	3	8	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	4-1	3-0	2	2.00
Feb 19	vs Delaware	5.0	1	1	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	11-1	4-0	2	1.88
Feb 20	vs Miami (Ohio)	7.0	6	1	1	2	4	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	4-1	5-0	2	1.70
Feb 26	at C. of Charleston	7.0	2	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2-0	6-0	2	1.40
Feb 26	vs Iowa State	7.0	2	0	0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1-0	7-0	2	1.19
Feb 27	vs Marist	5.0	3	1	1	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	10-1	8-0	2	1.21
Feb 27	vs Liberty	7.0	3	4	1	2	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6-4	9-0	3	1.19
Mar 04	vs Longwood	6.0	6	2	2	3	7	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0-2	9-1	3	1.29
Mar 04	vs Alabama	7.0	8	4	3	2	8	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1-4	9-2	3	1.46
Mar 05	vs North Carolina	8.0	8	3	2	2	7	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	4-3	10-2	3	1.49
Mar 05	vs Maryland	7.0	8	3	3	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5-3	11-2	4	1.61
Mar 06	vs Fordham	7.0	5	0	0	1	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	6-0	12-2	4	1.49
Mar 13	at Cal Poly	7.0	6	1	1	2	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4-1	13-2	4	1.46
Mar 13	at Cal Poly	7.0	5	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2-0	14-2	4	1.36
Mar 16	vs Oklahoma	7.0	9	1	1	1	7	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	2-1	15-2	4	1.34
Mar 16	at Cal State Fullerton	4.0	14	10	8	1	4	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0-10	15-3	4	1.76
Mar 17	vs Louisiana-Lafayette	7.0	9	5	5	1	5	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1-5	15-4	4	1.94
Mar 18	vs New Mexico	7.0	4	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5-0	16-4	4	1.84
Mar 18	vs Washington	6.0	9	7	6	3	8	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	4-7	16-5	4	2.06
Mar 19	vs Michigan	7.0	16	9	8	2	4	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	4-9	16-6	4	2.35
Mar 25	NORTHERN ILLINOIS	7.0	5	1	1	1	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4-1	17-6	5	2.29
Mar 29	WESTERN MICHIGAN	7.0	4	3	3	3	10	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	2-3	17-7	5	2.32
Mar 31	PURDUE	7.0	8	5	4	3	12	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	7-5	18-7	5	2.39
*Apr 02	PROVIDENCE	5.0	8	4	4	2	10	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	12-4	19-7	5	2.48
*Apr 02	PROVIDENCE	7.0	5	3	3	1	10	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	7-3	20-7	5	2.50
*Apr 03	PROVIDENCE	5.0	3	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	9-0	21-7	5	2.43
Apr 05	at Wisconsin	6.0	3	1	1	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	9-1	22-7	5	2.39
Apr 07	BUTLER	7.0	2	0	0	2	14	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5-0	23-7	5	2.31
Apr 07	BUTLER	7.0	6	1	1	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6-1	24-7	5	2.26
*Apr 10	at Syracuse	7.0	7	2	2	1	9	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	9-2	25-7	5	2.26
*Apr 10	at Syracuse	7.0	8	4	4	2	6	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	7-4	26-7	6	2.31
Apr 12	BOWLING GREEN	6.0	6	2	2	3	8	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	10-2	27-7	6	2.31
Apr 12	BOWLING GREEN	7.0	9	5	5	1	6	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	8-5	28-7	6	2.39
Apr 13	LOYOLA-CHICAGO	6.0	3	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8-0	29-7	6	2.33
*Apr 16	LOUISVILLE	7.0	9	5	5	1	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	8-5	30-7	6	2.41
*Apr 17	LOUISVILLE	7.0	9	3	3	4	8	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	4-3	31-7	6	2.43
*Apr 17	LOUISVILLE	7.0	11	9	9	1	8	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	6-9	31-8	6	2.60
*Apr 21	at Villanova	7.0	3	1	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2-1	32-8	6	2.56
*Apr 21	at Villanova	7.0	15	8	4	1	8	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	10-8	33-8	7	2.60
*Apr 27	at USF	7.0	0	0	0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1-0	34-8	7	2.53
*Apr 27	at USF	7.0	1	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5-0	35-8	7	2.47
*Apr 30	ST. JOHN'S	7.0	6	3	3	0	9	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	10-3	36-8	7	2.48
*Apr 30	ST. JOHN'S	5.0	2	1	1	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11-1	37-8	7	2.47
*May 01	ST. JOHN'S	5.0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14-0	38-8	7	2.43
May 03	VALPARAISO	6.0	6	2	2	3	7	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10-2	39-8	7	2.42
*May 04	PITTSBURGH	7.0	5	1	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	8-1	40-8	7	2.37
*May 04	PITTSBURGH	6.0	2	0	0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8-0	41-8	7	2.33
*May 07	at Connecticut	7.0	5	4	4	1	8	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	8-4	42-8	7	2.36
*May 07	at Connecticut	5.0	4	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9-0	43-8	7	2.33
*May 08	at Connecticut	7.0	12	11	11	5	10	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	14-11	44-8	7	2.50
Totals		341.0	305	137	122	87	386	30	3	39	11	2	23	7	0	315-137	44-8	7	2.50