

Notre Dame Men's Lacrosse

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SCHEDULE & RESULTS

(0-0, 0-0 GWLL)

FEBF	RUARY			
16	Sat.	at #17 Loyola (Md.)	1:00	p.m.
24	Sun.	PENN STATE	1:00	p.m.
MAR	CH			
1	Sat.	ALBANY	1:00	o.m.
4	Tues.	at Villanova	4:00	p.m.
8	Sat.	at North Carolina	3:30	p.m.
15	Sat.	vs. Dartmouth#	2:00	p.m.
22	Sat.	at Air Force*	12:00	p.m.
25	Tues.	DREXEL	4:00	o.m.
29	Sat.	at Bellarmine*	1:00	p.m.
APRI	L			
5	Sat.	vs. Denver*%	3:00	p.m.
18	Fri.	QUINNIPIAC*	4:00	o.m.
20	Sun.	at Lehigh	1:00	p.m.
27	Sun.	OHIO STATE*	12:00	o.m.
MAY				
2	Fri.	GWLL Semifinals^		TBA
4	Sun.	GWLL Final [^]		TBA
10-11 Sat-Sun NCAA Championship				
(1st F	Round-C	Campus Sites)		TBA
17-18	Sat-Sur	NCAA Championship)	
(Quar	terfinals	-Annapolis, Md./Ithaca,	N.Y.)	TBA
24	Sat.	NCAA Championship)	
(Semi	ifinals-F	oxboro, Mass.)		TBA
26	Mon.	NCAA Championship	ο .	TBA

Home games in **BOLD CAPS**

(Final-Foxboro, Mass.)

- # Atlanta, Ga.
- % Chicago, III.
- * GWLL game
- ^ Birmingham, Mich. (Seaholm High School)

Note: Number in parentheses to left of opponent is Notre Dame *Inside Lacrosse* national ranking at time of match; number to right of opponent is its *Inside Lacrosse* national ranking at time of match.

IN THE WEEKLY RANKINGS

		Inside	Lacrosse
Week	USILA	Lacrosse	Magazine
Preseason	8th	10th	5th



#5 Notre Dame (0-0) at #17 Loyola (0-0)

Saturday, February 16 • 1:00 p.m. (ET) Diane Geppi-Aikens Field • Baltimore, Md.



The No. 5 Notre Dame men's lacrosse team will open the 2008 regular season with a trip to No. 17 Loyola (Md.) on Saturday (Feb. 16). Game time between the Fighting Irish and Greyhounds is slated for 1:00 p.m. (ET) at Diane Geppi-Aikens Field in Baltimore, Md. The Irish are ready to embark on the 28th season of men's varsity lacrosse at Notre Dame. The Fighting Irish finished last season with an 11-4 mark, including a perfect 5-0 record in the Great Western Lacrosse League. The Greyhounds had a record of 7-6 in 2007.

HOW TO FOLLOW: Saturday's contest can be followed via live stats and live audio on the Internet ... simply go to und.com and find the 'Men's Lacrosse' page and click on 'Schedule' ... once there, find the Loyola game and there will be links to both 'Gametracker' for live stats and a live audio link that will carry the Loyola broadcast of the showdown between the Fighting Irish and Greyhounds.

ND-LOYOLA SERIES NOTES: This will be the 17th meeting all-time between Notre Dame and Loyola, with the Greyhounds owning a 13-3 advantage in the series ... the Fighting Irish downed the Greyhounds, 9-7, last season in the Loftus Center ... Notre Dame is 2-6 all-time at Loyola ... the last encounter in Baltimore took place in 2004, with the Greyhounds capturing a 13-7 victory ... the first meeting took place in 1982 ... the two schools squared off nine straight seasons from 1996-2004 ... there also were two NCAA Tournament first-round games between the Irish and Greyhounds in that span ... Loyola won the postseason tilt in 1997 (21-5), while Notre Dame came out on top in the 2000 tournament (15-13) ... this will mark the 13th straight time that both teams have been ranked at the time of their contest.

ABOUT THE IRISH: Notre Dame returns seven starters and 17 letterwinners from last year's team that posted an 11-4 record and captured the Great Western Lacrosse League (GWLL) title with a perfect 5-0 conference mark ... that was the 10th GWLL crown for the Irish ... in 2007, Notre Dame made its second straight NCAA Tournament appearance and the 12th trip in program history ... the Irish fell to eventual national champion Johns Hopkins, 11-10, in overtime during the tournamen'ts first round ... the Fighting Irish return four players that earned honorable-mention All-America accolades last season in Sean Dougherty (Sr., D), Joey Kemp (Sr., G), Michael Podgajny (Sr., M) and Will Yeatman (So., A) ... Kemp, a two-time All-American, ranked fourth nationally in goals-against average (6.78) and save percentage (.614) one season ago ... Dougherty was a key cog in the Irish defense that ranked fourth nationally by surrendering just 6.66 goals per game ... Podgajny notched 26 goals, in addition to 13 assists, last season ... he was the only Fighting Irish

player to score a goal in every game in 2007 ... Yeatman led the Irish with 46 points on 21 goals and a team-best 25 assists ... the Irish are currently fifth in the Lacrosse Magazine preseason poll and eighth according to the USILA along with being 10th in the Inside Lacrosse rankings ... Kevin Corrigan is entering his 20th season as the head coach of Notre Dame ... he has a record of 167-92 (.645) during his Fighting Irish tenure ... Corrigan was named the 2007 GWLL coach of the year ... that marked the fourth time he has received that honor.

NOTRE DAME IN 2008 ...

(2007 records in parentheses)

- ... at home: 0-0 (6-0)
- ... away: 0-0 (5-3)
- ... neutral: 0-0 (0-1)
- ... indoors: 0-0 (2-0)
- ... outdoors: 0-0 (9-4)
- ... vs. ranked opponents: 0-0 (3-3)
- ... vs. GWLL teams: 0-0 (5-0)
- ... vs. non-con. teams: 0-0 (6-4)
- ... when scoring first: 0-0 (8-3)
- ... when leading at halftime: 0-0 (9-1)

THE LOYOLA SERIES

Varsity Series: Loyola leads 13-3 At Loyola: Loyola leads 6-2

Home 1-5/Away 2-6/Neutral 0-2

<u>Date</u>	<u>Site</u>	W/L	Score	Rank
3-20-82	Baltimore, MD	L	10-27	
3-23-85	Baltimore, MD	L	7-13	
3-17-90	Baltimore, MD	L	3-18	-3
3-23-91	Notre Dame, IN	L	4-20	-3
3-2-96	Notre Dame, IN	L	7-14	12-6
3-15-97	Baltimore, MD	L	11-12	15-13
5-11-97*	Towson, MD	L	5-21	9-6
3-14-98	Hempstead, NY	L	8-16	11-10
3-20-99	Baltimore, MD	L	8-10	17-1
3-18-00	Notre Dame, IN	L	2-12	14-3
5-14-00*	Baltimore, MD	W	15-13	13-5
3-18-01	Baltimore, MD	W	10-7	6-5
3-16-02	Notre Dame, IN	L-ot	6-7	19-3
3-15-03	Notre Dame, IN	L	8-9	9-11
3-20-04	Baltimore, MD	L	7-13	10-16
2-17-07	Notre Dame, IN	W	9-7	11-13
* - NCAA	A Tournament			





ABOUT LOYOLA: The Greyhounds return five starters and 25 letterwinners from last year's squad that went 7-6 ... Loyola is ranked 16th in the Inside Lacrosse media poll and 19th in the USILA coaches poll ... the Greyhounds went 5-1 at home last season ... Loyola fell at Albany, 19-10, in the first round of the 2007 NCAA Tournament ... senior attackman **Shane Koppens** led the Greyhounds with 46 points one season ago on 20 goals and a team-high 26 assists ... junior goalkeeper **Alex Peaty** started all 13 games last season ... Peaty registered a 10.00 goals-against average and a .547 save percentage ... head coach **Charley Toomey** is entering his third season at the helm of the Loyola program ... he carries an overall record of 13-12 at Loyola.

THE LAST TIME: In a battle between No. 11 Notre Dame and No. 13 Loyola, the Irish prevailed with a 9-7 victory at home last season ... the contest was the season opener for both squads ... **Brian Hubschmann** notched a hat trick for the Irish, while current junior **Ryan Hoff** and **Lucius Polk** both added two goals ... **Will Yeatman** and **Michael Podgajny** also scored in the contest ... **Patrick Kennedy**, **Dan Bauers** and **Greg Leonard** all scored twice for the Greyhounds ... after Loyola took a 7-5 lead with 7:56 remaining in the third quarter, the Notre Dame defense did not surrender a goal the remainder of the contest ... Irish goaltender **Joey Kemp** made nine saves in the contest.

IRISH IN SEASON-OPENERS: Notre Dame is 20-7 all-time in season-openers, including a 14-5 mark in the **Kevin Corrigan** era ... the Irish have won the last five season-openers, which matches a program record ... last season, Notre Dame won its lid-lifter, 9-7, over No. 13 Loyola in the Loftus Sports Center ... the Irish last dropped a season-opener in 2002, a 10-9 overtime setback at home against No. 16 Penn State ... including this year, the Fighting Irish have opened their slate against a ranked opponent for 15 consecutive seasons ... Notre Dame also won five straight season-openers from 1990-1994.

OPENING ACT: Junior attackman **Ryan Hoff** has scored two goals in both of his two previous season-openers at Notre Dame ... Hoff tallied two scores in an 8-4 win over Penn State in 2006 and he scored twice in a 9-7 triumph of Loyola in the 2007 season-opener.

IRISH EARN PRESEASON HONORS: Seven Notre Dame players earned preseason All-America recognition from Inside Lacrosse Magazine and its Face-Off Yearbook ... head-lining the group for the Fighting Irish were second-team honorees **Taylor Clagett** (M/FO), **Sean Dougherty** (D), **Joey Kemp** (G) and **Will Yeatman** (A) ... joining the quartet of second-team picks for the Irish was third-team member **Michael Podgajny** (M) and honorable mention selections **Ryan Hoff** (A) and **Ross Zimmerman** (D).

IRISH TABBED TO WIN GWLL: Notre Dame was selected to win its second straight Great Western Lacrosse League title according to Inside Lacrosse ... the GWLL head coaches selected the preseason order of finish within the league ... Ohio State, Denver, Air Force, Quinnipiac and Bellarmine followed Notre Dame in the voting.

FOUR IRISH PLAYERS AMONG IL TOP 50: Four Irish athletes were named to the Inside Lacrosse top-50 players list for the 2008 season ... senior goaltender **Joey Kemp** was the highest-ranked Fighting Irish player as he was 13th overall and the second-ranked goaltender on the list ... sophomore attackman **Will Yeatman** was 15th, while senior defenseman **Sean Dougherty** and senior midfielder **Michael Podgajny** were 35th and 37th, respectively.

NOTRE DAME IN THE POLLS: Notre Dame is ranked fifth according to the Lacrosse Magazine preseason poll, while the Irish are currently eighth in the USILA coaches poll and 10th in the Nike/Inside Lacrosse media rankings.

QUALITY COMPETITION: The Fighting Irish will face four teams that appear in the 2008 USILA preseason coaches poll ... Notre Dame opens the campaign against No. 19 Loyola ... the Irish will then host No. 11 Albany on March 1 ... Notre Dame takes on No. 10 North Carolina in Chapel Hill on March 8 ... a Great Western Lacrosse League showdown against No. 20 Denver will take place on April 5 in Chicago.

BROTHERLY CONNECTION: Saturday's showdown will have brothers on opposite sidelines ... **Kevin Cullinane** is a junior midfielder for Notre Dame, while his brother Brian is a senior midfielder for Loyola ... they hail from Southport, Conn. and Fairfield Prep.

KEMP AND WHARTON NAMED '08 IRISH CAPTAINS: Seniors Joey Kemp and Alex Wharton have been named captains for the 2008 season ... Kemp was one of three captains for the Fighting Irish last season, while this will mark Wharton's first year as a cocaptain ... Kemp, a goalkeeper, is a two-time All-America honoree ... he was named the 2007 Great Western Lacrosse League player of the year, in addition to being selected as an honorable mention All-American ... Kemp has started 39 straight games in goal during his stellar career ... last season, he ranked fourth nationally in goals-against average (6.78) and save percentage (0.614) ... Wharton, an attackman, is coming off a career-best season ... in 2007, Wharton notched career-high totals in goals (8), assists (10) and points (18) ... he played in 14 games with eight starts last season ... Wharton has seen the field in 26 career games, including 10 starts ... his career totals feature 10 goals, 12 assists for 22 points.

IRISH DEFENSE: Notre Dame boasted the nation's fourth-best scoring defense in 2007 by allowing a school-record 6.66 goals per game ... several key components to the Irish defense are back this season, including goaltender **Joey Kemp** in goal and starting defensemen **Sean Dougherty**, **Ross Zimmerman** and **Regis McDermott**.

SAVING THE DAY: Notre Dame senior goaltender **Joey Kemp**, a two-time All-America honoree, ranked fourth nationally in both goals-against average (6.78) and save percentage (.614) last season ... Kemp was also named the 2007 Great Western Lacrosse League player of the year ... for his career, Kemp has a 26-11 record ... the 26 victories rank him third in program history, while he is currently first in school history with a 7.43 goals-against average.

GETTING OFFENSIVE: In 2007, Notre Dame averaged 11.65 goals per game, which ranked the Irish fourth in the nation.

MANNING UP: Last season, the Fighting Irish converted on 50-percent (29-of-58) of their man-up opportunities ... that conversion percentage ranked Notre Dame second among all NCAA Division I teams.

FACING OFF: Senior midfielder and faceoff specialist **Taylor Clagett** has been a valuable asset for the Irish during his Notre Dame career as he has won nearly 60-percent of his faceoff opportunities ... injuries have hampered Clagett over the past two seasons, yet he has kept Notre Dame among the nation's best in faceoffs ... last season, Clagett ranked 16th nationally as he won 164 of 189 faceoff attempts ... in 2006, he won 126 of 205 attempts for a .615 percentage, which would have ranked him sixth in the country had he appeared in enough games.

FOLLOW ALL ND HOME GAMES ONLINE: All five of Notre Dame's true home games will feature livestats available through und.com, the official web site of all 26 varsity athletic programs at the University ... simply go to the men's lacrosse page and click on 'Schedule' at the top of the page and find the game that is being played that day and click on 'Gametracker' to follow the game for free.

SIGN UP FOR IRISH ALERT TEXT MESSAGE SERVICE: Go to und.com to sign up for Irish ALERT, a text messaging service designed to give fans up-to-the-minute game updates for all 26 varsity sports at Notre Dame.

Irish Game HIGHS In 2008	3
<u>Team</u>	
Goals	NA
Assists	NA
Points	NA
Saves	
Shots	NA
Ground Balls	NA
Fewest Penalties	NA
Fewest Goals Allowed	NA
Individual	
Goals	NA
Assists	NA
Points	NA
Saves	
Shots	

Irish Game LOWS In 2	
Team Goals	
Goals	NA
Assists	NA
Points	NA
Saves	NA
Shots Taken	NA
Ground Balls	NA
Most Penalties	NA

<u>USILA</u> Coaches Poll

(Preseason)

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			Last Week
1.	Johns Hopkins	0-0	
2.	Duke	0-0	
3.	Virginia	0-0	
4.	Georgetown	0-0	
5.	Princeton	0-0	
6.	Cornell	0-0	
7.	Maryland	0-0	
	•	0-0	
9.	Syracuse	0-0	
10.	North Carolina	0-0	
11.	Albany	0-0	
12.	Navy	0-0	
13.	Towson	0-0	
14.	Delaware	0-0	
15.	Bucknell	0-0	
16.	Colgate	0-0	
17.	Hofstra	0-0	
18.	UMBC	0-0	
19.	Loyola	0-0	
	•	0-0	
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Nike/Inside Lacrosse Media Poll

(Preseason)

No.	School	W-L	Last Week
1.	Johns Hopkins	0-0	
2.	Duke	0-0	
3.	Virginia	0-0	
4.	Georgetown	0-0	
5.	Princeton	0-0	
6.	Cornell	0-0	
7.	Maryland	0-0	
8.	North Carolina	0-0	
9.	Syracuse	0-0	
10.	NOTRE DAME	0-0	
11.	Navy	0-0	
12.	Albany	0-0	
13t	. Delaware	0-0	
13t	. Towson	0-0	
15.	Hofstra	0-0	
16.	Bucknell	0-0	
17.	Loyola	0-0	
18.	UMBC	0-0	
19.	Drexel	0-0	
20.	Massachusetts	0-0	

Others receiving votes: Colgate, Denver, Ohio State, Dartmouth, Penn, Rutgers, Yale, Penn State

Bold indicates 2008 Irish opponent

Great W	'esteri	n Lacros	sse Le	ague Sta	andings
Conf.	<u>%</u>	<u>Overall</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Rank</u>	ND vs.
0-0	.000	0-0	.000		March 22
0-0	.000	0-0	.000		March 29
0-0	.000	0-0	.000	20th	April 5
0-0	.000	0-0	.000	5th	_
0-0	.000	0-0	.000	18th	April 27
0-0	.000	0-0	.000		April 18
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Last Week's GWLL Results	This Week's GWLL Schedule
NA	Saturday (2/16) #5 Notre Dame at #17 Loyola
	Bellarmine at #8 North Carolina
	Colgate at #20 Denver
	#12 Navy at #18 Ohio State
	Wagner at Quinnipiac

GWLL Players of the Week

GWLL weekly awards will begin the week of February 18th

KEEPING UP WITH ND MEN'S LACROSSE: For results of Notre Dame men's lacrosse games, call the Notre Dame Sports Hotline at (574) 631-3000 and choose #5 and #1 ... the hotline provides schedules and result information for all 26 varsity sports and serves as a supplement to the match recaps and weekly releases provided on the official athletic website, www.und.com ... in addition, media members and fans may be added to the sports information e-mail release list by contacting assistant sports information director Sean Carroll at Carroll.64@nd.edu ... all requests for story ideas, interview access, match credentials, and further information on Irish men's lacrosse should similarly be directed to Carroll ... credential and interview requests should be made at least 24 hours in advance.

2008 Notre Dame Player Bio Updates

*- Please see the 2008 Notre Dame men's lacrosse media guide for more information on the Notre Dame players.

#1 JOEY KEMP (co-captain) Sr. GOAL 5-11 171

2008 Awards: Inside Lacrosse preseason secondteam All-American ... rated as the 13th-best player in the nation according to Inside Lacrosse ... was the second-ranked goalkeeper on the list.

SEASON HIGHS:

Saves:	NA
Fewest GA (full game):	NA
Scoreless Stretch:	NA
Ground Balls:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Saves:	23, vs. #19 Dartmouth ('05)
Fewest GA (ful	I game):2, vs. Bellarmine ('06)
Shutout Streak	:55:08, (Denver & Lehigh '07)
Ground Balls:	8, vs. Penn State ('07)

#2 DUNCAN SWEZEY

Jr. ATT 6-2 198

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	4, vs. Lehigh ('07)
Assists:	3, vs. Bellarmine & #20 Ohio State ('07)
Points:	5, vs. Lehigh & #20 Ohio State ('07)

#3 DAN GIBSON

Jr. MID 6-0 160

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals: 1, vs. Lehigh ('0'	7)
Assists:	.0
Points:1, vs. Lehigh ('0'	7)

#9 MIKE CREIGHTON

So. LSM 6-0 174

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA
Ground Balls:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	
Assists:	ó
Points:	1, vs. Quinnipiac ('07)
Ground Balls:	3, vs. Denver & Quinnipiac ('07)

#10 SEAN DOUGHERTY

D 6-0

2008 Awards: Inside Lacrosse preseason secondteam All-American ... rated as the 35th-best player in the nation according to Inside Lacrosse

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA
Ground Balls:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	1, vs. Brown ('07)
Assists:	0
Points:	1, vs. Brown ('07)
Ground Balls:	8, vs. #8 Cornell ('07)

#11 NEAL HICKS

So. ATT 5-11 170

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	1, vs. Air Force ('07)
Assists:	1, vs. Lehigh ('07)
Points:1, vs.	Air Force & Lehigh ('07)

#12 GRANT KREBS

So. MID 5-8 170

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:		NA
Assists	s:	NA
Points:	:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	1, (three times, MR: vs. Quinnipiac) ('07)
Assists	:1, vs. Denver ('07)
Points:	1, (four times, MR: vs. Quinnipiac) ('07)

#13 KELLY MCKENNA

So. MID 6-0 196

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	INA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	1, (three times, MR: vs. Quinnipiac) ('07)
Assists:	1, vs. Denver ('07)
Points:	1 (fourtimes MR: vs. Quinniniac) (107)

16 REGIS McDERMOTT

Jr. D 5-11 193

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	IN <i>P</i>
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA
Ground Balls:	
CAREER HIGHS:	

Goals:	0
Assists:	1, vs. Brown ('07)
Points:	
Ground Balls:	5, vs. Ohio State ('06)

#19 DAVEY MALERA

Jr. MID 5-9 180

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:1, (three times, MR: vs. Lehigh '07)
Assists: 1, vs. Air Force ('07) & at Johns Hopkins ('07)
Points:1, (four times, MR: vs. Lehigh '07)

#22 WILL YEATMAN

So. ATT 6-6 260

2008 Awards: Inside Lacrosse preseason secondteam All-American ... rated as the 15th-best player in the nation according to Inside Lacrosse.

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	3, vs. Bellarmine & Brown ('07
Assists	:4, vs. #19 Drexel ('07
Pointe:	6 vs #10 Draval (107

#23 TAYLOR CLAGETT

Sr. MID 6-1 177

2008 Awards: Inside Lacrosse preseason second-team All-American.

SEASON HIGHS:

N I A

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA
Faceoff Win %:	NA
Ground Balls:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	1, vs. Butler & Air Force ('05)
Assists:1, vs.	. Villanova ('05) & #19 Drexel ('07)
Points:1, (fo	our times, MR: vs. #19 Drexel '07)
Faceoff Win %:	:824 (14-17), vs. Air Force ('07)
Ground Balls:	12, vs. Air Force ('05)

RYAN HOFF #27 ATT Jr. 5-11

2008 Awards: Inside Lacrosse preseason honor-

203

able-mention All-America selection.

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals: .	7, vs. #19 Drexel ('07)
Assists:	1, (five times, MR: vs. Lehigh '07)
Points:	7, vs. #19 Drexel ('07)

ALEX WHARTON #29

ATT 5-11 160

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	۱A
Assists:	۱A
Points:	۱A

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	3 vs. Air Force ('07)
Assists:	2, vs. Villanova & Dartmouth ('07)
Points:	4, vs. Air Force ('07)

#33 **ROSS ZIMMERMAN**

DEF 6-2

2008 Awards: Inside Lacrosse preseason honorable-mention All-America selection.

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA
Ground Balls:	NΔ

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CANLEN HIGH	<i>13.</i>
Goals:	0
Assists:	1, vs. Quinnipiac ('07)
Points:	1, vs. Quinnipiac ('07)
Ground Balls:	6, vs. Brown & Ohio State ('06)

MICHAEL PODGAJNY #34

MID 6-0 183

2008 Awards: Inside Lacrosse preseason secondteam All-American ... rated as the 37th-best player in the nation according to Inside Lacrosse.

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA
Ground Balls:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:			
Goals: 4, vs. Penn State ('07) & at Johns Hopkins ('07)			
Assists:	4, vs. Villanova ('07)		
Points:	7, vs. Villanova ('07)		
Ground Balls:	8, vs. Villanova & Air Force ('07)		

#44 PETER CHRISTMAN

MID 5-10 160

SEASON HIGHS:

Goals:	NA
Assists:	NA
Points:	NA

CAREER HIGHS:

Goals:	2, vs. Penn State ('06)
Assists	:2, vs. Butler ('06)
Points:	2, (three times, MR: vs. #1 Virginia '06)

#5 Notre Dame Fighting Irish (0-0)

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown/High School
1	Joey Kemp***(C)	G	Sr.	5-11	171	Potomac, MD/Georgetown Prep
2	Duncan Swezey**	Α	Jr.	6-2	198	Ambler, PA/Hatboro-Horsham
3	Dan Gibson*	M	Jr.	6-0	160	Germantown, TN/Memphis University School
4	Tim Bemer	D	Fr.	5-11	185	Strafford, PA/Malvern Prep
5	Adam Felicetti	M	So.	6-1	175	Doylestown, PA/Central Bucks East
6	Billy Maloney	M	Fr.	6-1	180	Bethesda, MD/Georgetown Prep
7	Trever Sipperly	M	So.	6-1	182	Greenwich, NY/Greenwich
8	Tom Connor	Α	Fr.	6-2	190	Greenwich, CT/Brunswick School
9	Mike Creighton*	D	So.	6-0	174	Malvern, PA/Malvern Prep
10	Sean Dougherty***	D	Sr.	6-0	192	Malvern, PA/Malvern Prep
11	Neal Hicks*	Α	So.	5-11	170	Atlanta, GA/Lovett School
12	Grant Krebs*	M	So.	5-8	170	Annapolis, MD/St. Mary's
13	Kelly McKenna*	M	So.	6-0	196	Penfield, NY/Penfield
14	Anson Fraser	M	Sr.	6-3	179	Summit, NJ/Summit
15	Kevin Cullinane	M	Jr.	5-9	160	Southport, CT/Fairfield Prep
16	Regis McDermott**	D	Jr.	5-11	193	Amityville, NY/Chaminade
17	Matt Ciambella	Α	So.	6-1	198	Orchard Park, NY/Orchard Park
18	Patrick Maloney	M	Fr.	6-1	180	Bethesda, MD/Georgetown Prep
19	Davey Malera*	M	Jr.	5-9	180	Timonium, MD/Boys' Latin School
20	Sean Callinan	D	So.	6-2	209	Madison, CT/Deerfield Academy
21	Jake Marmul	M	Fr.	6-1	190	Livonia, MI/Detroit Catholic Central
22	Will Yeatman*	Α	So.	6-6	260	San Diego, CA/Rancho Bernardo
23	Taylor Clagett***	M	Sr.	6-1	177	Chesapeake Beach, MD/DeMatha
25	Chip Lanser	D	So.	6-6	208	Parkton, MD/Dulaney
26	Dan Scolaro	D	Sr.	5-11	170	Lake Forest, IL/Loyola Academy
27	Ryan Hoff**	Α	Jr.	5-11	203	Baldwin, MD/Dulaney
28	Zach Brenneman	M	Fr.	6-3	210	East Hampton, NY/East Hampton
29	Alex Wharton* (C)	Α	Sr.	5-11	160	Baltimore, MD/Gilman School
30	David Earl	M	Fr.	6-1	180	Simsbury, CT/Westminster School
31	Colin Igoe	Α	So.	5-10	170	Colombus, OH/Worthington Kilbourne/UMass
32	Sam Barnes	D	So.	6-2	195	Branford, CT/Branford
33	Ross Zimmerman***	D	Sr.	6-2	189	Utica, MI/Brother Rice
34	Michael Podgajny***	M	Sr.	6-0	183	Ridley Park, PA/Ridley
35	Kevin Ridgway	D	Fr.	6-6	215	Kensington, MD/Georgetown Prep
36	Dan Schmitt	D	Fr.	5-11	195	Palatine, IL/Fremd High School
40	Brant Howell	D	So.	6-0	195	Mercer Island, WA/Mercer Island/Conn. College
41	Taylor Tripucka	M	Fr.	6-0	170	Mountain Lakes, NJ/Mountain Lakes
42	Scott Rodgers	G	Jr.	6-4	255	Wantagh, NY/MacArthur
43	Sloan Smith	Α	Sr.	6-2	185	Concord, NH/Phillips Exeter Academy
44	Peter Christman**	M	Jr.	5-10	160	Simsbury, CT/Westminster School
46	Brendan Moore	G	So.	5-11	170	Charlotte, NC/Providence
47	Dave Caperna	D	Sr.	5-11	213	Fallston, MD/Gilman School
50	Andrew Irving	D	Fr.	5-7	180	McLean, VA/The Hotchkiss School (CT)

^{*}denotes number of monograms won

(c) - indicates team co-captain

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Bemer	BEE-mer
Ciambella	see-am-BELL-uh
Clagett	CLAG-it
Dougherty	DOCK-er-tee
Igoe	l-go
Podgajny	
Yeatman	YATE-man