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Notre Dame Softball



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February

10 BIG EAST Regular Season Titles • Eight Consecutive NCAA Appearances • Five BIG EAST Tournament Titles

THIS WEEK IN NOTRE DAME SOFTBALL:

Thursday, March 22

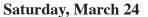
Notre Dame (9-12) vs. IUPUI (5-12)

Field: Ivy Field **Time:** 5 p.m.

Series: 1-0, IUPUI leads

Last Meeting: 4/27/99 (L, 0-1 (11))

Live Stats: www.und.com



Notre Dame vs. St. John's (3-15)

Field: Ivy Field **Time:** 12 p.m. (DH)*

Series: 22-0, Notre Dame leads

Last Meeting: 5/7/06 (W, 4-0) Live Stats: www.und.com

Sunday, March 25

Notre Dame vs. Seton Hall (1-14)

Field: Ivy Field **Time:** 11 a.m. (DH)*

Series: 24-9, Notre Dame leads **Last Meeting:** 5/6/06 (L, 3-4) Live Stats: www.und.com

DH indicates doubleheader. Second game to start 20-30 min-

utes after conclusion of the first.

* BIG EAST Conference game







<u>February</u>		
16	vs. Auburn%	W, 3-2
16	vs. UAB%	L, 0-8
17	vs. Tennessee Tech%	W, 6-5
17	vs. Tulsa%	L, 2-4
18	vs. Virginia Tech%	L, 0-2
23	vs. #9/10 Oklahoma^	L, 3-7
23	vs. #16/17California^	L, 5-7
24	vs. UNLV^	W, 4-3
24		
	vs. Cal State Fullerton^	L, 0-2
25	vs. Ole Miss^	W, 3-1
March		
2 2 3 4	vs. Virginia\$	W, 4-1
2	at Jacksonville\$	W, 7-2
3	vs. Virginia\$	W, 6-3
	vs. #13/9 Michigan\$	L, 0-1
11	vs. Eastern Kentucky@	W, 10-2
11	vs. #12/16 UCLA@	L, 3-9
15	vs. #2/4 Arizona State!	L, 0-3
16	vs. Fresno State!	W, 4-2
16	vs. #17/16 Louisiana-Lafayette!	L, 2-4
17	No. 8/8 Texas!	L, 0-3
17	Pacific!	L, 0-8
22	IUPUI	5 p.m.
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24 25	St. John's*	12 p.m. (DH)
	Seton Hall*	11 a.m. (DH)
28	Toledo	6 p.m.
31	Pittsburgh*	12 p.m.(DH)
<u>April</u>	~ .	
1	Syracuse*	12 p.m. (DH)
4	Valparaiso	5 p.m.
5	at DePaul*	3 p.m. (DH)
10	Eastern Michigan	4 p.m. (DH)
14	at Providence*	12 p.m. (DH)
15	at Connecticut*	12 p.m. (DH)
17	Western Michigan	3 p.m. (DH)
18	Ball State	5 p.m.
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	Louisville*	12 p.m. (DH)
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NO.	NAME	POS.	В/Т	НТ	YR.	HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL
1	Katie Laing	SS/2B	R/R	5-4	Jr.	Chandler, Ariz./Corona del So
2	Brittany Glynn	OF	R/R	5-3	Jr.	Seymour, Conn./St. Joseph'
3	Heather Johnson	3B	R/R	5-8	Fr.	Los Alamitos, Calif./Mater De
5	Kenya Fuemmeler	P/UT	R/R	5-7	Sr.	Salisbury, Mo./Salisbury
8	Brittney Bargar	P	R/R	5-9	So.	Corona, Calif./Coron
10	Christine Lux	UT/OF	L/R	5-11	Fr.	Glendale East, Ill./Glenbard Wes
11	Gessica Hufnagle	C/OF	R/R	5-6	Jr.	Middlebury, Ind./Northridge
12	Erin Glasco	C	L/R	5-7	So.	Johnston City, Ill./Johnston City
14	Beth Northway	IF/OF	R/R	5-7	So.	Kentwood, Mich./East Kentwood
16	Ashley Ellis	OF	R/R	5-9	Fr.	Pikeville, Tenn./Bledsoe County
18	Christine Farrell	P	R/R	5-8	So.	La Habra, Calif./Sonor
21	Linda Kohan	2B/SS	R/R	5-6	So.	Westminster, Calif./Westminste
23	Stephanie Mola	OF	L/L	5-5	So.	Naples, Fla./St. John Neumann
24	Stephanie Brown	OF	L/R	5-6	Sr.	Chandler, Ariz./Corona del So
27	Carissa Jaquish	C/OF	R/R	5-9	Sr.	Highland, Calif./Redlands East Valle
34	Sarah Smith	OF	L/R	5-7	Jr.	Oklahoma City, Okla./Heritage Hal

A Tough Weekend:

The Irish had a tough weekend against some of the toughest teams in collegiate softball at the annual Judi Garman Classic in Fullerton, Calif. Notre Dame finished with a 1-4 record. The bright spot on the week was freshman Christine Lux, who picking up the first three hits of her collegiate career including her first RBI. Among her three hits two were doubles. Notre Dame started the week falling to No. 2/4 Arizona State 3-0. Sophomore **Brittney Bargar** pitched well for the Irish only allowing three runs (two earned) to one of the most potent offenses in collegiate softball. The next game for the Irish was against a red hot Fresno State club, Notre Dame used a steady offense led by senior Gessica Hufnagle's two hits and two RBI's to defeat FSU 4-2. The following game against No. 16 Louisiana-Lafayette was another battle in which Notre Dame came up on the short end, 4-2. Bargar pitched a great game setting a new career-high with 12 strikeouts against a team that had an overall team batting

average of .290 with 36 home runs. The Irish took on another ranked team No. 8/8 Texas on the final day of the tournament (March 17). Once again the Irish hung with a tough opponent, but fell to the Longhorns 3-0. The Irish completed the tournament with a night game against Pacific (March 17). Notre Dame, playing its fourth game in a just over a day, were downed by the Tigers 8-0 in five innings. Sophomore **Beth Northway** and senior **Carissa Jaquish** picked up the two Irish hits in the loss.

A Few Early Trends:

- Notre Dame continues to fight to the last out and has won three games in bottom of the seventh/eighth inning.
- The Irish are 3-1 in one-run games this season.
- Notre Dame is 6-0 when it takes a lead into the fourth inning and 2-11 when it goes through the fourth

March 19	March 20	March 21	March 22	March 23	March 24	March 25
Off	Practice	Practice	IOPOI Sp.m.	Practice	St. John's 12 p.m.	Seton Hall 11 a.m.

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2007 USA TODAY/NFCA DIVISION I TOP 25 (3-14-07)

2007 ESPN.COM/USA SOFTBALL TOP 25 (3-20-07)

Rank	Team	'07 Record	PVS	Rank	Team '	07 Record	PVS
1.	Tennessee	24-1	1	1.	Tennessee	28-2	1
2.	Arizona State	27-2	3	2.	Alabama	28-1	3
3.	Texas A &M	21-2	4	3.	Oklahoma	33-2	6
4.	Alabama	24-0	4	4.	Texas A&M	25-3	3
5.	Arizona	17-5	2	5.	Arizona	21-7	5
6.	Oklahoma	28-1	6	6.	Michigan	23-3	7
7.	Northwestern	15-5	7	7.	Arizona State	21-7	4
8.	Texas	20-3	8	8.	Northwestern	19-5	9
9.	Michigan	20-1	9	9.	LSU	28-4	12
10.	LSU	24-4	10	10.	Stanford	21-5	11
11.	UCLA	21-6	12	11.	Texas	23-6	8
12.	Washington	18-4	11	t-12.	Baylor	27-8	10
13.	Stanford	21-5	13	t-12.	Oregon	30-3	14
14.	Baylor	24-5	16	14.	UCLA	22-6	15
15.	Oregon State	15-9	14	15.	Louisiana-Lafa	yette 28-7	16
16.	Oregon	24-3	17	16.	Washington	20-7	13
17.	Louisiana-Lafayette	24-6	15	17.	Illinois State	23-6	17
18.	Georgia	22-8	21	18.	DePaul	16-6	21
19.	Florida	19-10	19	19.	Georgia	26-9	19
20.	Southern Illinois	18-5	18	20.	Georgia Tech	27-7	18
21.	Illinois State	19-5	22	21.	Oregon State	20-10	20
22.	Georgia Tech	25-5	20	22.	Southern Illinois	21-5	23
23.	Hawai'i	23-5	RV	23.	Hawai'i	27-7	25
24.	Florida State	18-8	25	24.	Virginia Tech	24-9	RV
25.	California	18-10	23	25.	NC State	21-11	RV
Other	s receiving votes. Fre	sno State (44) De	Paul	Other	rs receiving votes:	Florida (29)	North Carolina

Others receiving votes: **Fresno State** (44), **DePaul** (30), **Cal State Fullerton** (21), Nebraska (15), South Carolina (14), **Virginia Tech** (8), North Carolina (8), eight other receiving one vote each

Bold = 2007 Opponent

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Others receiving votes: Florida (29), North Carolina (23), **California** (13), **Fresno State** (10), Cal-Poly (8), South Carolina (7), Florida State (4), Nebraska

(4), Penn State (4), Cal State Fullerton (2)

Bold = 2007 Opponent

Notre Dame in the NFCA's Top 25

Notre Dame in the USA Softball's Top 25

Preseason: RV (37)
Feb. 14: NR
Feb. 21: NR
Feb. 27: NR
March 7: NR
March 14: NR

Preseason: RV (33) Feb. 13: RV (36) Feb. 20: NR Feb. 27: NR March 6: NR March 13: NR

			<u>20</u>	07 BIO	G EAST Co	nference	Standin	g		
				(as of March	19, 200	7)			
	В	IG EAST	1			OVE	RALL			
Team	W-L	Pts.	H	\mathbf{A}	W-L-T	Pct.	H	\mathbf{A}	N	ND Outcome Against
DePaul	-	-	-	-	16-6	.727	0-0	3-1	13-5	April 5
South Florida	-	-	-	-	24-14	.632	19-9	0-0	5-5	April 22
Villanova	-	-	-	-	11-7	.611	0-0	1-0	10-7	May 6
Connecticut	-	-		-	10-7	.588	2-0	1-2	7-5	April 15
Providence	-	-	-	-	8-7	.533	0-0	1-3	7-4	April 14
Louisville	-	-	-	-	13-12	.520	4-2	5-6	4-4	April 21
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Pittsburgh	-	-	-	-	8-17	.320	0-0	2-7	6-10	March 31
Rutgers	-	-	-	-	6-16	.273	0-1	0-5	6-10	May 5
Syracuse	-	-	-	-	7-19	.269	0-1	1-4	4-11	April 1
St. John's	-	-	-	-	3-15	.167	0-0	1-5	6-10	March 24
Seton Hall	-	-	-	-	1-14	.067	0-0	0-2	1-12	March 25

The top eight teams qualify for the BIG EAST Championship in South Bend, Ind.

2007 Bl	IG EAST Weekly Award Winners
	Player of the Week
Feb. 19	Linda Secka-DePaul-CF
Feb. 26	Lauren Cecchi, UConn-3B
March 5	Kate Sheaks-DePaul-LF
March 12	Courtney Moore-Louisville-SS
March 19	Britta Giddens-South Florida-SS
	Pitcher of the Week
Feb. 19	Tracie Adix-DePaul
Feb. 26	Laura Determan-Villanova
March 5	Tracie Adix-DePaul
March 12	Meghan Bostick-Pittsburgh
March 19	Megan Huitink-DePaul
	Weekly Honor Roll
Feb. 19	Brittney Bargar-Notre Dame-P
	Heather Johnson-Notre Dame-31
March 5	Brittney Bargar-Notre Dame-P
	Linda Kohan-Notre Dame-2B

inning trailing.

- The Irish are 6-1 when scoring in the first inning.
- The Irish have been outscored 13-5 in the third innings of games, but have outscored their opponents 10-4 in the seventh inning on.
- In neutral site games, Notre Dame has won seven of the ten games it has been designated as the home team on the scoreboard.
- The Irish are 0-9 when the teams scores two or less runs in a game.
- When Notre Dame makes one error in a game the team is 1-7, but when the team makes two errors it is 6-3.
- The Irish are 0-6 against ranked opponents this season

On Tap This Week:

Notre Dame returns home for the first home games of the season. The Irish, barring weather issues, will start the week taking on IUPUI on March 22 at 5 p.m. Notre Dame then starts the home conference season with a pair of weekend doubleheaders against St. John's (March 24-noon) and Seton Hall (March 25-11 a.m.).

Either Way She's Okay:

Senior **Stephanie Brown** is hitting .455 (5-for-11) against left -handed pitchers this season and is batting .436 (17-for-39) against righties.

That A Way To Lead Off:

Stephanie Brown has led off an inning 27 times this season and has reached base 15 of those times (.556).

A Clutch Performer:

All six of sophomore **Erin Glasco**'s RBI totals this season have come with two outs.

Moving Them Along:

Sophomore **Beth Northway** has advanced runners a team-best 18 times this season.

The Kohan Factor:

Second baseman **Linda Kohan** has really dictated the outcome of the Irish season. In Notre Dame wins, Kohan is hitting .400 (10-for-25) with all 11 of her RBI, while in Irish losses the sophomore is only hitting .133 (4-for-30).

Queens of the Valley:

Notre Dame's win over Eastern Kentucky, March 11, was the teams second against the Ohio Valley Conference this season. Earlier in the season, the Irish defeat-

Notre Dame Sports Information

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Requests to interview student-athletes and coaches must be arranged through the SID office and should be made at least 24 hours in advance. Credential's for home games can be obtained by calling Prisco.

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2007_NOTRE_DAME_AGAINST_THE NATION Virginia Tech......0-1 Atlantic Sun1-0 Jacksonville......1-0 Big Ten......0-1 Michigan......0-1 Northwestern Big 12......0-2 Oklahoma......0-1 Texas0-1 Big West0-2 Н Pacific......0-1 Conference USA.......0-2 Alabama-Birmingham.....0-1 Tulsa......0-1 Horizon Loyola Chicago UIC Mid-American Ball State Eastern Michigan Toledo Western Michigan Mid-Continent IUPUI Valparaiso Mountain West 1-0 UNLV......1-0 Ohio Valley......2-0 Eastern Kentucky......1-0 Pac-10.......0-3 Arizona State......0-1 California 0-1 UCLA.......0-1 Southeastern2-0 Ole Miss......1-0 Sun Belt......0-1 Louisiana-Lafayette0-1 Western Athletic 1-0

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	LocationNotre Dame, Ind. 46556
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R	Nickname Fighting Irish
	ColorsGold and Blue
	Conference
	Home Field
	Capacity
	President
	Athletic Director Kevin White
C	Assistant A.D./SoftballTony Yelovich
S	Athletic Department Phone(574) 631-6107
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	Coaching Staff
ш	Head Coach Deanna Gumpf
H	Gumpf's Alma Mater Nebraska '92
	Record at Notre Dame228-102/Six seasons
	Overall Record Same
	Assistant CoachKris Ganeff (Six seasons)
	Ganeff's Alma Mater
	Assistant Coach Lizzy Lemire (Second Season)
S	Lemire's Alma Mater
J	Vol. Assistant Coach Dawn Austin (Second Season)
	Austin's Alma Mater
	Student Manager Jessica Prina/Amanda Caravalho
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	Program Histroy
	Overall Record
	NCAA Regional Appearances
F	1994, '95, '96, '99, '00, '01'02, '03,'04, '05'06
_	NCAA Championship Record15-22
	BIG EAST Regular Season Record195-27
_	BIG EAST Regular Season Championships10
T	BIG EAST Tournament Championships5
	BIG EAST Championship Record 24-13/11 seasons
	Winning Season
	All-American Honorees
B	Total All-American Honors16
	Academic All-Americans15
	All-BIG EAST Accolades76
	BIG EAST Champ. Most Outstanding Awards5
A	BIG EAST Player of Year6 players/8 times
	BIG EAST Pitcher of Year2 players/6 times
	BIG EAST Rookie of Year2
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ed Tennessee Tech in the Tiger Invitational.

Conference Leaders:

After the fifth week of action, senior **Stephanie Brown** leads the conference in on-base percentage (.533) and batting average (.440). She is also fourth in slugging percentage (.500) and is tied for fifth in runs scored (15)

Linda Kohan and **Heather Johnson** are tied for eighth in doubles (4). Johnson is also tied for eighth in the league in runs batted-in with 12.

Brittney Bargar leads the conference in complete games (10), is second in games started (13) and innings pitched (86) and is third in strikeouts (89). She is also tied for fourth in wins (6) and eighth in appearances (15).

Kenya Fuemmeler, **Christine Farrell** and Bargar are tied for sixth in the league with one save each.

Scouting IUPUI:

After a slow start, the Jaguars (5-12) have hit their stride and won four of their last five games at the Rebel Games in Kissimmee, Fla. in games last week. Seniors **Susan Jones** and **Sarah Needy** lead the offensive attack for IUPUI. Jones has a team best batting average of .323, while Needy has 16 hits and 11 stolen bases. Sophomore **Cayleigh Harvey** is the team leader with seven RBI and five walks. Sophomore **Breanna Howell** has been the best starting pitcher with four wins, two complete games and two shutouts. The Jaguars are still looking for their first road win of the season. IUPUI was originally scheduled to open the home season this week against Purdue but weather has canceled that doubleheader.

Series vs. IUPUI:

The Irish and Jaguars have only met one previous time with IUPUI coming away with a 2-1 extra-inning victory in 1999.

Scouting St. John's:

The Red Storm (3-15) haven't had the chance to take the field in nearly a week as their weekend slate in the Hofstra Tournament was canceled due to weather issues. St. John's will now host Monmouth on March 18 before arriving at Notre Dame to start the conference season. SJU are under new leadership this fall

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with **Amy Kvilhaug** taking over the program as the head coach. St. John's has lost 10 of its last 11 games. **Brandy Reyes** leads the team in batting average (.310), hits (15), doubles (3) and is second in RBI (6). Senior **Lauren Anguliano** leads the team with two home runs and seven RBI. **Kim Lerch** has been the busiest pitcher with 58 innings thrown and 37 strikeouts.

Series vs. St. John's:

Notre Dame will put its 22 consecutive game winning-streak over St. John's on the line. The Irish have defeated the Red Storm in each of the last 12 meetings at Ivy Field. Last year, Notre Dame defeated St. John's 4-0 on the road.

Scouting Seton Hall:

The Pirates (1-14) have also been on a long hiatus and have not taken the diamond since early March. Senior **Daria Glynos** leads the team with a .333 batting average. Junior **Jenna Best** has a team best eight hits and four RBI. Sophomore **Kim Schweitzer** has been

A Worthy

Milestone: The 2006-07 school year marks the 35th anniversary of women's athletics at Notre Dame. The athletic department together with the Notre Dame monogram club will mark the occasion with a year-long celebration, that culminates on April



26-27, 2007 with the "Weekend of Champions" celebration. All female student athletes at Notre Dame, including the softball team, will wear a logo patch on their uniforms this season. The logo will also be proudly displayed on media guides, banners, arena signs, street pole signs and in parking lots. The "Weekend of Champions" at the end of April will mark the return of former female-student athletes to Notre Dame for the celebration. The weekend celebration will include an all-inclusive dinner on Friday evening, a golf outing and luncheon on Saturday afternoon followed by informal team specific events and a mass and brunch on Sunday. A keynote speaker is slated to address the attendees and at this time a video that chronicles the history of women's athletics at Notre Dame. Those interested in attending the "Weekend of Champions" can apply on-line or call Meg Henican at 574-631-2909 for details.

the best pitcher on the team with six complete games and 45.2 innings thrown. Seton Hall has struggled a bit getting on track this season, with a total of 21 runs scored and a team ERA of 10.54. What inflated the ERA is the fact the Pirates have already played eight teams that are ranked or have been ranked at some point this season that totaled 109 runs in those 10 games.

Series vs. Seton Hall:

This will be the 35th time the Irish and Pirates will meet on the softball diamond. Notre Dame has won 24 of those games. The last meeting between these two BIG EAST rivals saw SHU edge out Notre Dame 4-3 last season.

Home Opening Day:

Since the start of the program in 1989, the Irish are 21-11 on the home opening day of the season. In those 32 games, Notre Dame has outscored its opponents 117-58. The home opening day of March 22 is the tied for the third earliest ever-opening date for Irish softball (behind 1992 and 2004). Three of the previous 32 home opening day games have also gone to extra innings (1996, 1992 and 1989).

The Places Notre Dame Softball Has Gone:

After five road trips, the Notre Dame softball team has already logged 10,612.5 miles on planes and buses this season to destinations.

The Long Beach Invitational:

The Irish split their two games in the Long Beach Invitational on March 11. Notre Dame started its day with a 10-2 victory over Eastern Kentucky. **Stephanie Brown** went three-for-five with two runs scored and two RBI. **Beth Northway**, **Stephanie Mola** and **Sarah Smith** all had two hit games against the Colonels. **Kenya Fuemmeler** had one of the better pitching performances of her career going the distance with one earned run allowed and eight strikeouts. In its second game of the tournament against No. 12 UCLA, Notre Dame lost 9-3. The Irish briefly held a 2-1 lead in the second inning, but just couldn't overcome the ranked opponent. Mola had another hit and an RBI in the second game.

Glynn's Breakthrough:

Junior outfielder **Brittany Glynn**, in her first chance to hit this season, drilled a run-scoring single against

Eastern Kentucky, March 11.

A Few More Notables:

The 10 runs the Irish scored against Eastern Kentucky, March 11, was the first time the team has broken into double digits this season.

Stephanie Mola's RBI against EKU was her first of the season.

Stephanie Brown's triple against Eastern Kentucky was the first by an Irish player this year.

Crispers/JU Invitational

Notre Dame had a successful tournament in Jacksonville, Fla. despite battling the elements and changes in the schedule. The Irish showed early offense in scoring three run in the first inning in a 4-1 win over Virginia (3/2). Erin Glasco came up with the big hit as she hit a double off the top of the wall to drive-in the game-winning runs. The Irish continued the trend of early offense in the second game of the day, March 2, against host school Jacksonville. Notre Dame scored four runs in the first and three more runs in the second inning on their way to a 7-2 victory over the Dolphins. Senior Kenya Fuemmeler threw a no-hitter for the first four innings for the Irish. The next day, rain altered the schedule forcing Notre Dame into a single game against the Cavaliers. The Irish fell behind 3-0 before rallying for a six spot in the fifth inning. The big blow of the game would be Glasco's game-winning three-run home run. Notre Dame would win by the final margin of 6-3. The final day of the tournament was a challenging one against No. 9 Michigan. The Irish hung with the Wolverines for most of the game, but just couldn't get the offense going in taking a tough 1-0 defeat to Michigan and finishing the tournament a respectable 3-1.

SEC/ACC Not So Bad:

With two wins over Virginia in the Crispers/JU Invitational (March 2-4), Notre Dame improved its record to 4-1 against schools from the Southeastern and Atlantic Coast Conference's this season.

Coming Through When It Counts:

Erin Glasco has proven her worth in clutch situations, as she has already tallied three game-winning RBI hits, of her seven hits this season.

	2007 B	atting	by Se	eries			
Team/Tourn.	AVG.			IR	RBI	BB	SO
Tiger Invitational	.214	11		2	10	15	44
Palm Springs Tourn.	.244	15		1	14	14	25
JU Invitational	.196	17		1	17	8	21
Long Beach Tourn.	.310	13		0	7	8	7
Judi Garman Tourn.	.142	6		0	3	5	42
IUPUI							
St. John's							
Seton Hall							
Toledo							
Pittsburgh							
Syracuse							
Valparaiso							
DePaul							
Eastern Michigan Providence							
Connecticut							
Western Michigan							
Ball State							
Louisville							
South Florida							
Northwestern							
UIC							
Loyola Chicago							
Rutgers							
Villanova							
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Team/Tourn.	2007 Pi ERA	itening IP	Dy S	enes R	ER	BB	so
Tiger Invitational	3.16	31.0	36	21		10	29
Palm Springs Tourn.	3.71	34.0	38	20		15	32
JU Invitational	0.78	27.0	22	7	3	9	21
Long Beach Tourn.	5.00	14.0	15	111	10	5	6
Judi Garman Tourn.	3.27	30.0	39	20	14	13	33
IUPUI							
St. John's							
Seton Hall							
Toledo							
Pittsburgh							
Syracuse							
Valparaiso							
DePaul							
Eastern Michigan							
Providence Connecticut							
Western Michigan							
Ball State							
Louisville							
South Florida							
Northwestern							
UIC							
Loyola Chicago							
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Kohan Excels:

Linda Kohan had a strong JU tournament, March 2-4, for Notre Dame. The sophomore went 5-for-12 (.417) with four RBI, two runs scored and four doubles.

Duo Honored By The BIG EAST:

For the second time this season, Notre Dame had a pair of players honored by the conference office on its weekly honor roll on March 6. Sophomore **Brittney Bargar** won two games in the Crispers/JU Invitational with an earned-run average of 0.75, while **Linda Kohan** tallied four doubles and four RBI and a .417 batting average in the four games.

The Palm Springs Tournament:

Notre Dame had a tough start to the Palm Springs Tournament, Feb. 23-25, taking on a pair of ranked opponents in the ultra competitive field. The Irish were competitive in both early games against No. 9 Oklahoma and No. 17 California but ultimately lost both games by the scores of 7-3 and 7-5, respectively. Notre Dame now on a four-game skid, rallied with two-outs in the seventh inning to tie their next game against UNLV on the two RBI single from sophomore Linda Kohan. Junior Katie Laing would make it a 4-3 Irish winner, as she punched a ball through the left side to drive in senior Carissa Jaquish in extrainnings. Despite a strong pitching performance from senior Kenya Fuemmeler, a complete game four-hitter, the Irish fell to Cal State Fullerton, 2-0, in their next game. Notre Dame would take its final game of the tournament, 3-1, over Ole Miss. Kohan would again provide the late-inning heroics with her two RBI single up the middle in the fifth.

Brown On The Right Track:

Senior **Stephanie Brown** had an outstanding tournament in Palm Springs, going 11-for-18 with five runs scored. Brown had multi-hit performances in four of the five games, while chipping in three stolen bases.

Speed Demon?

Gessica Hufnagle, who often splits time at catcher, showed off the wheels against Ole Miss (Feb. 25) as she stole a pair of bases in a game for the first time in her career.

Bargar Continues To Lead:

Sophomore right-handed pitcher **Brittney Bargar** picked up a pair of wins over the weekend, Feb. 23-

Notre Dame Statistical Leaders

as of March 18

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Batting Average Stephanie Brown
Heather Johnson
Linda Kohan
Runs Scored
Stephanie Brown
Katie Laing
Linda Kohan
Sarah Smith
Hits
Stephanie Brown
Heather Johnson 15
Linda Kohan
Gessica Hufnagle 11
Doubles
Linda Kohan4
Heather Johnson 4
Three Players
Triples
Stephanie Brown
Home Runs
Erin Glasco
Gessica Hufnagle
Heather Johnson 1
Linda Kohan
RBI
Heather Johnson
Linda Kohan11
Gessica Hufnagle
Stolen Bases
Stephanie Brown
Gessica Hufnagle
Katie Laing
Walks
Linda Kohan9
Stephanie Brown 8
Erin Glasco 8
ERA
Brittney Bargar2.77
Kenya Fuemmeler
Christine Farrell
Innings Pitched
Brittney Bargar
Kenya Fuemmeler
<u>Strikeouts</u>
Brittney Bargar 89
Kenya Fuemmeler
Christine Farrell
<u>Shutouts</u>
N/AN/A
Complete Games
Brittney Bargar
Kenya Fuemmeler

25. Bargar won against UNLV and Ole Miss in Palm Springs Tournament.

A Recap of the Tiger Invitational:

Notre Dame opened its 2007 season at the Tiger Invitational hosted by Auburn from Feb. 16-18. Notre Dame started the tournament with a come-from-behind 3-2 victory over host school Auburn. Sophomore Erin Glasco came through with a single down the right-field line to drive in freshman Ashley Ellis from third for the winning run in the bottom of the seventh inning. The Irish then fell to UAB 8-0 in a five inning run-shortened game. Another memorable Irish victory would follow, as once again Notre Dame came from behind in the bottom of the seventh inning. Freshman Heather Johnson would be that game's hero with a two-run home run that propelled Notre Dame to a 6-5 victory over Tennessee Tech. Notre Dame softball would complete its weekend by dropping its final two games to Tulsa (4-2) and Virginia Tech (2-0). Johnson for her great play would be awarded a spot on the Tiger Invitational All-Tournament team after hitting .500 (8-for-16) in the five games.

Nice Start by the Rookie:

Heather Johnson made an immediate impact in her first week in the Irish lineup. Not only did the Los Alamitos, Calif. native start all five games at third base, she also had the most hits of any player in the Tiger Invitational Tournament, with eight, on her way to hitting .500 with a home run and four RBI. Johnson tallied multi-hit performances in three of the five games.

A Solid First Week:

Brittney Bargar also had a solid first week for Notre Dame in the circle. She won both of Notre Dame's games while pitching three complete games. For week, Bargar was 2-1 with 24 strikeouts in 20.1 innings pitched. The sophomore also showed impeccable control with only two walks (one intentional) on the week.

A Pair Honored on BIG EAST Honor Roll:

Notre Dame had a pair of players on honored on the BIG EAST honor roll following the first two weekends of action around the conference in sophomore pitcher **Brittney Bargar** and freshman third baseman **Heather Johnson**.

Keeping up with the Irish:

Notre Dame's softball family and friend can keep up with the Irish one of six ways this season. First, the Notre Dame hotline (1-574-631-3000) will be updated as soon as possible following each game. Two, a game recap will be posted on Notre Dame website (www. und.com) following each contest. Three, a text alert will be send out to those fans that wish to sign-up for the Irish text alerts on the Notre Dame website. Four, live audio broadcasts will be available for Irish home games. Fifth, Notre Dame will run GameTracker for selected road games (depending on the host institution) and all homes games at Ivy Field through its athletic website. And sixth, Notre Dame softball will have a weekly notes package that will be put out by Wednesdays of most weeks.

Overview of the Irish:

The Irish returns six position starters, three pitchers and 13 monogram winners from a season ago. Notre Dame has also added three newcomers to the mix in a quest for their ninth consecutive NCAA bid.

Sophomore **Brittney Bargar**, after a solid freshman season, will be counted upon heavily this season to lead the pitchers. Bargar won 15 games as a freshman, while averaging better than seven strikeouts per game. Also in the rotation this season is senior **Kenya Fuemmeler** (1-0, 1.64 ERA), who is making the transition from the bullpen. Sophomore **Christine Farrell**, after missing all of last season with injuries, is making her debut in the circle for the Irish this season. Farrell will take on the role of a later inning specialist.

The infield will be have senior **Carissa Jaquish** (.219, 61 H, 30 RBI) and freshman **Christine Lux** vying for playing time at first base. **Linda Kohan** (.275, 49 H, 29 RBI) will move over to second base after spending time at third and first as a freshman. All-BIG EAST second team selection **Katie Laing** (.294, 110 H, 57 RBI) moves from second to her natural position of shortstop. Newcomer **Heather Johnson** will be the opening day third baseman.

The lone returning starter in the outfield is centerfielder **Stephanie Brown** (.343, 210 H, 42 SB). Brown was a unanimous all-BIG EAST first team selection and a second team NFCA All-American selection as a junior. Five other players will be in consideration for playing time to each side of Brown. Juniors **Brittany Glynn** (.200, 14 R) and **Sarah Smith** (.250, 32 R, 6 SB),

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sophomores **Stephanie Mola** (15 H, 3 RBI) and **Beth Northway** (.667, 4 SB) are joined by freshman **Ashley Ellis** and will all be pushing each other this year.

Senior **Gessica Hufnagle** (31 R, 40 H, 30 RBI) and sophomore **Erin Glasco** (30 H, 6 2B, 14 RBI) will split time at both catcher and as the designated player.

Notre Dame in early season tournaments:

Notre Dame began what is now the collegiate softball tradition of early-season tournament action in 1990 when it took part in a Chicago, Ill., tournament. Since that trip, Notre Dame has visited 32 different areas of the country and participated in several elite tournaments. Notre Dame's all-time record in early-season tournament action is 190-141 (.574) and its most frequent sites visited have been South Florida (seven times), Columbus, Ga. (six times) and Cal State Fullerton (five times). This season, Notre Dame will visit Auburn, Ala. (first time), Palm Springs, Calif. (third time), Jacksonville, Fla. (first time), Long Beach, Calif. (first time) and Cal State Fullerton once again.

Preseason Choice for Third in the BIG EAST:

The Irish were selected to finish third in the BIG EAST Conference for the 2007 season, in a vote by the leagues coaches. The Irish received a first-place vote and totaled 104 points to finish behind front-runner Louisville and South Florida. Notre Dame along with Louisville and USF were all selected for the 2006 NCAA Softball Championships.

Irish Captains:

Notre Dame will feature three captains this season for only the third time. The Irish captains will be seniors **Stephanie Brown** and **Kenya Fuemmeler** and junior **Katie Laing**. The only other Notre Dame teams to have a trio of captains are the 2003 squad (**Alexis Madrid**, **Andria Bledsoe** and **Andrea Loman**) and the 2002 team (**Kas Hoag**, **Jenny Kriech** and **Jarrah Myers**).

Season Schedule will be a Challenge:

The 2007 season will prove to be a challenge for the Irish, as the team will face several teams ranked in the top 25, or just out of the national rankings.

According to the preseason rankings, the Irish will face (NFCA rankings first, followed by USA Softball) No. 3/3 UCLA, No. 4/4 Northwestern, No. 5/5 North-

western, No. 10/10 California, No. 11/13 Michigan, No. 16/16 Oklahoma, No. 19/17 Louisiana-Lafayette, No. 20/21 Louisville, No. 21/20 Fresno State, No. 22/23 South Florida, No. 24/RV Auburn, In addition, Notre Dame will face Call State Fullerton, DePaul and Virginia Tech- all teams who received at least one vote in the preseason national rankings.

The Irish defeated two ranked teams during the 2006 season (No. 10 Arizona State and No. 18 Louisville) and have totaled 15 ranked team victories during Gumpf's tenure.

Coaches Return:

Notre Dame will bring back its entire coaching staff from the 2006 season in head coach **Deanna Gumpf**, assistant coaches **Kris Ganeff** and **Lizzy Lemire** and volunteer assistant coach **Dawn Austin**.

Gumpf In Her Sixth Season:

Notre Dame head coach **Deanna Gumpf** is in her sixth season at the helm of the Notre Dame softball program. The Irish coach is 228-102 in her coaching career and has taken the Irish to five consecutive NCAA postseason berths.

Gumpf won her 200th career game in Notre Dame's 14-4 victory over Pittsburgh on April 9 of the 2006 season.

At the start of the season, Gumpf career's record of 219-90 (.708) was a single percentage better than former Irish head coach **Liz Miller** 377-156 (.707). She is also ahead of the first ever softball coach at Notre Dame, **Brian Boulac** 135-90-2 (.597).

A Generous Donation:

Notre Dame softball's bid for a new facility took a huge step forward this offseason thanks to the generous donation by Linda and Paul Demo. The Demo's pledged three million dollars for the building of the Melissa Cook Stadium. Cook, a former Irish softball player, was one of four people that were killed in March 2002 when a massive section of scaffolding fell from the John Hancock Center onto her car in downtown Chicago. The families of those who died and were injured reached a settlement in early 2006 with the skyscrapers owners and other companies named in the lawsuit. The Demo's, the mother and stepfather of Melissa Cook, devoted much of their portion of the

settlement to Notre Dame for the upcoming \$4.8 million facility. The stadium will be built on the southeast corner of the Notre Dame campus near Eck Baseball Stadium and will hold 1,500 Irish softball fans.

On the Small Screen:

Notre Dame will make one scheduled appearance on the small screen this season as its first game of a the doubleheader against South Florida, April 22 at noon, will be shown by CSTV.

Milestones on the Horizon:

- Senior **Stephanie Brown**, after the fifth week of the 2007 season, is fifth (141) in runs scored at Notre Dame. Brown is also tied for ninth on the all-time hits list with 232, only one behind **Andrea Loman** (2000-03) for eighth. Further, Brown is eighth on the all-time home runs list (18) only three behind **Mallorie Lenn** for seventh. Brown is also among the all-time leaders in walks (65-sixth) and stolen bases (47-fifth).
- Junior **Katie Laing** is only three behind the top-10 with her 35 career doubles.
- Senior **Gessica Hufnagle** is tied for fourth in fielding percentage .981.

Homestand Continues:

Notre Dame continues its homestand with five more games at Ivy Field next week. The Irish will welcome in Toledo (March 28-6 p.m.), Pittsburgh (March 31-noon-doubleheader) and Syracuse (April 1-noon-doubleheader).

2007 Notre Dame Softhall Results

			2007 Not	re Dame Softball Res	sults		
Date	Opponent	Score	W/L	ND Line/Opp. Line	Innings	Pitching	Run/GW Hit
Feb. 16	at Auburn	3-2	W	3-6-3/2-5-1	7	WP-Bargar (1-0)	Ellis/Glasco
Feb. 16	vs. UAB	8-0	L	0-3-3/8-10-0	6	LP-Fuemmeler (0-1)	-
Feb. 17	vs. Tennessee Tech	6-5	W	6-9-2/5-6-0	7	WP-Bargar (2-0)	Johnson/Johnson
Feb. 17	vs. Tulsa	4-2	L	2-6-1/4-6-1	7	LP-Fuemmeler (0-2)	-
Feb. 18	vs. Virginia Tech	2-0	L	0-1-2/2-9-0	7	LP-Bargar (2-1)	-
Feb. 23	vs. No. 9 Oklahoma	7-3	L	3-5-1/7-9-1	7	LP-Bargar (2-2)	-
Feb. 23	vs. No. 17 California	7-5	L	5-6-1/7-8-0	7	LP-Fuemmeler (0-3)	-
Feb. 24	vs. UNLV	4-3	W	3-9-3/4-11-0	8	WP-Bargar (3-2)	Jaquish/Laing
Feb. 24	vs. Cal State Fullerton	2-0	L	0-3-1/2-4-1	7	LP-Fuemmeler (0-4)	-
Feb. 25	vs. Ole Miss	3-1	W	3-6-0/1-8-2	7	WP-Bargar (4-2)	Smith/Kohan
March 2	vs. Virginia	4-1	W	4-6-2/1-5-2	7	WP-Bargar (5-2)	Kohan/Glasco
March 2	vs. Jacksonville	7-2	W	7-5-1/2-4-1	7	WP-Fuemmeler (1-4)	Laing/Hufnagle
March 3	vs. Virginia	6-3	W	6-6-2/3-8-1	7	WP-Bargar (6-2)	Glynn/Glasco
March 4	vs. No. 9 Michigan	1-0	L	0-1-1/1-5-0	7	LP-Bargar (6-3)	-
March 11	vs. Eastern Kentucky	10-2	W	10-15-2/2-4-3	7	WP-Fuemmeler (2-4)	Kohan/Laing
March 11	vs. No. 12 UCLA	9-3	L	3-3-0/9-11-0	7	LP-Bargar (6-4)	-
March 15	vs. No. 2 Arizona State	3-0	L	0-0-2/3-6-0	7	LP-Bargar (6-5)	-
March 16	vs. Fresno State	4-2	W	4-7-2/2-10-1	7	WP-Fuemmeler (3-4)	Hufnagle/
March 16	vs. No. 16 LaLafayette	4-2	L	2-5-0/4-6-1	7	LP-Bargar (6-6)	-
March 17	No. 8 Texas	3-0	L	0-1-1/3-8-0	7	LP-Bargar (6-7)	-
March 17	Pacific	8-0	L	0-2-1/8-9-0	5	LP-Fuemmeler (3-5)	-
March 22	IUPUI						
March 24	St. John's						
March 24	St. John's						

- March 24 St. John's
- March 25 Seton Hall
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- March 28 Toledo
- March 31 Pittsburgh
- March 31 Pittsburgh
- Syracuse April 1
- April 1 Syracuse
- April 4 Valparaiso
- April 5 at DePaul
- April 5 at DePaul
- April 10 Eastern Michigan
- April 10 Eastern Michigan
- April 14 at Providence
- April 14 at Providence
- April 15 at Connecticut
- April 15 at Connecticut
- April 17 Western Michigan April 17 Western Michigan
- April 18 Ball State
- April 21 Louisville
- April 21 Louisville
- April 22 South Florida
- April 22 South Florida
- April 24 Northwestern
- April 25 Illinois Chicago May 1 at Loyola Chicago
- May 5 at Rutgers
- at Rutgers May 5
- May 6 at Villanova
- May 6 at Villanova
- May 10 **BIG EAST**
- May 18 NCAA Regional

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Scores three to five runs	
Scores six to nine runs	
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Allows two runs or less	
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Allows between six and nine runs	
Allows ten or more runs	
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Scores first	
Opponent scores first	
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Record in second game of DH	
Out-hits opponent	
Is out-hit by opponent	
Has same number of hits	
ND hits zero home runs	
ND hits one home run	
ND hits two plus home runs	
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Opponents hits a home run	
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Goes to Extra Innings	
Has run-rule game	
Commits no errors	
Commits one error	
Commits two plus errors	
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Neutral Site Games	
On Mondays	
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On Wednesdays	
On Thursdays	
On Fridays	
On Saturdays	
On Sundays	
In February	
In March	
In April	
In May	
In June	
Conference Games	
Non-Conference Games	
vs. Top 25	
In Green	
In White	
In Gold	

HITTING STREAKS

Player	'07 Longest	Current
Stephanie Bro	own 6	-
Linda Kohan	6	-
Heather Johns	son 4	-
Katie Laing	3	-
Christine Lux	3	-
Gessica Hufna	agle 2	-
Erin Glasco	2	-
Stephanie Mo	la 2	-
Beth Northwa	y 2	1
Sarah Smith	2	-
Brittany Glyn	n 1	-
Ashley Ellis	1	-
Carissa Jaquis	sh 1	1

MULTI-HIT GAMES													
Player	2	3	4	5	'07 Total								
Stephanie Brown	2	4	-	-	6								
Gessica Hufnagle	3	-	-	-	3								
Linda Kohan	3	-	-	-	3								
Heather Johnson	2	1	-	-	3								
Katie Laing	2	-	-	-	2								
Stephanie Mola	2	-	-	-	2								
Beth Northway	1	-	-	-	1								
Sarah Smith	1	-	-	-	1								
Ashley Ellis	-	-	-	-	-								
Erin Glasco	-	-	-	-	-								
Brittany Glynn	-	-	-	-	-								
Carissa Jaquish	-	-	-	-	-								
Christine Lux	-	-	-	-	-								

MULTI-RBI GAMES													
Player	2	3	4	5	'07 Total								
Linda Kohan	3	1	-	-	4								
Heather Johnson	3	1	-	-	4								
Gessica Hufnagle	3	-	-	-	3								
Erin Glasco	1	1	-	-	2								
Stephanie Brown	1	-	-	-	1								
Katie Laing	1	-	-	-	1								
Ashley Ellis	-	-	-	-	-								
Brittany Glynn	-	-	-	-	-								
Carissa Jaquish	-	-	-	-	-								
Christine Lux	-	-	-	-	-								
Stephanie Mola	-	-	-	-	-								
Beth Northway	-	-	-	-	-								
Sarah Smith	-	-	-	-	-								

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CAREER RECORDS/OFFENSE

Most Games Played 1. Meagan Ruthrauff (2003-06)247
2. Jarrah Myers (1999-02)245
3. Megan Ciolli (2002-05)242
Jenny Kriech (1999-02)242
5. Sara Schoonaert (2003-06)241
6. Melanie Alkire (1998-01)238
7. Liz Hartmann (2002-05)237
Danielle Klayman (1998-01)237
Lizzy Lemire (1998-2001)237
10.Alexis Madrid (2000-03)236
Stephanie Brown (2004-cur.)207
Most At Bats
1. Jenny Kriech (1999-02)790
2 Megan Ciolli (2002-05)
3. Melanie Alkire (1998-01)
4. Sara Hayes (1992-95)
Lizzy Lemire (1998-2001)720
6. Elizabeth Perkins (1994-97)
7. Jarrah Myers (1999-2002)
8. Meagan Ruthrauff (2003-06)700
9. Andria Bledsoe (2000-03)
Stephanie Brown (2004-cur.)663
Stephane Brown (2004-cur.)
Highest Batting Average
(Minimum 100 At bats)
1. Meghan Murray (1994-97)
2. Megan Ciolli (2002-05)368
3. Katie Marten (1994-97)
4. Stephanie Brown (2004-cur.)350
Jarrah Myers (1999-02)
6. Andrea Loman (2000-03)347
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6. Andrea Loman (2000-03)

Most Doubles	
1. Meagan Ruthrauff (2003-06)4	19
Melanie Alkire (1998-01)	
3. Elizabeth Perkins (1994-97)	
4. Jenny Kriech (1999-02)4	
5. Andrea Loman (2000-03)4	
Sara Hayes (1992-95)4	
7. Lizzy Lemire (1998-01)	
8. Andria Bledsoe (2000-03)	
9. Meghan Murray (1994-97)	
10.Mallorie Lenn (2003-06)	
Katie Laing (2005-cur.)	35
Most Triples	
1. Jenny Kriech (1999-02)	9
2. Katie Marten (1994-97)	
3. Meghan Murray (1994-97)	
4. Andy Keys (1992-95)	
Sara Hayes (1992-95)	11
Lizzy Lemire (1998-01)	11
7. Megan Ciolli (2002-05)	
8. Jarrah Myers (1999-02)	.8
Danielle Klayman (1998-01)	
Jenn Giampaolo (1995-98)	
Carissa Jaquish (2004-cur.)	
Katie Laing (2005-cur.)	
Most Home Runs	
1. Jarrah Myers (1999-02)	
2. Meagan Ruthrauff (2003-06)	
Andrea Loman (2000-03)	
4. Melanie Alkire (1998-01)	
5. Liz Hartmann (2002-05)	
6. Sara Hayes (1992-95)	26
7. Mallorie Lenn (2003-06)	
8. Stephanie Brown (2004-cur.)	
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9. Meghan Murray (1994-97)	1 8 15
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10.Andria Bledsoe (2000-03)	18 15 14
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M	ost Stolen Bases	
1.	Megan Ciolli (2002-05)	76
2.	Andrea Loman (2000-03)	
3.	Katie Marten (1994-97)	58
4.	Jenny Kriech (1999-02)	
5.	Stephanie Brown (2004-cur.)	
6.	Kellie Middleton (2003-05)	
7.	Jarrah Myers (1999-02)	
8.	Jenn Giampaolo (1995-98)	41
9.	Alexis Madrid (2000-03)	39
	Danielle Klayman (1998-01)	
	Meghan Murray (1994-97)	
12	Lisa Miller (1990-93)	
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M	ost Putouts	
1.	Jarrah Myers (1999-02)1	
2.	Mallorie Lenn (2003-06)1	,309
	Stephanie Pinter (1991-94)1	,177
4.	Kris McCleary (1996-99)1	,040
5.	Sara Hayes (1992-95)	
6.		
7.	Meagan Ruthrauff (2003-06)	.812
8.	Lisa Mattison (2000-03)	.768
9.	Kelly Rowe (1995-98)	.655
10	.Kathy Vernetti (1989-91)	
	Linda Kohan (2006-cur.)	
	ost Assists	
1.		
2.		
3.	Melanie Alkire (1998-01)	
4.	Meghan Murray (1994-97)	
5.	Andria Bledsoe (2000-03)	
6.	Kara McMahon (1994-97)	.330
7.	Alexis Madrid (2000-03)	
8.	Andrea Loman (2000-03)	
	Katie Laing (2005-cur.)	. 253
Цi	ghest Fielding Percentage	
	linimum 150 chances)	
	Mallorie Lenn (2003-06)	997
1.	Amy Folsom (1989-92)	
3.	Megan Ruthrauff (2003-06)	
<i>3</i> .	Gessica Hufnagle (2004-cur.)	
٠.	Kris McCleary (1996-99)	
6	Andrea Loman (2000-03)	
6.	Amy Laboe (1996-99)	
	Jenn Giampaolo (1995-98)	.977
0		
9.	Jarrah Myers (1999-02)	.7/6
	Danielle Klayman (1998-01)	
11	Jenna Knudson (1993-96)	.9/6
11	Lisa Mattison (2000-03)	.975
	Kelly Rowe (1995-97)	.973

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\boldsymbol{C}	AREER RECORDS/PITCHING
1./	act American
	ost Appearances
1.	Heather Booth (2003-06)
2.	, , ,
3.	
4.	· /
5.	Missy Linn (1989-92)122
6.	Kelly Nichols (1995-98)116
	Staci Alford (1990-93)116
8.	Terri Kobata (1993-96)105
9.	Joy Battersby (1994-97)99
	O.Carrie Wisen (2002-05)94
1(Kelly Nichols (1995-97)94
	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)47
M	ost Games Started
1.	Heather Booth (2003-06)135
1. 2.	Steffany Stenglein (2002-05)
2. 3.	
	Jennifer Sharron (1998-01)
4.	Missy Linn (1989-92)97
5.	Terri Kobata (1993-96)94
6.	Angela Bessolo (1996-99)90
7.	Joy Battersby (1994-97)83
8.	Staci Alford (1990-93)62
9.	Carrie Miller (1991-94)54
	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)37
	•
M	ost Wins
1.	Heather Booth (2003-06)96
2.	Jennifer Sharron (1998-01)88
3.	Steffany Stenglein (2002-05)79
	Terri Kobata (1993-96)79
5.	Missy Linn (1989-92)63
í.	
•	Staci Alford (1990-93)48
3.	Joy Battesby (1994-97)45
).	Angela Bessolo (1996-97)
-	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)21
м	ost Complete Games
	Heather Booth (2003-06)87
	Jennifer Sharron (1998-01)76
2. 3.	
	Missy Linn (1989-92)74
4. ~	Terri Kobata (1993-96)
5.	Steffany Stenglein (2002-05)54
5.	Staci Alford (1990-93)48
7.	Angela Bessolo (1996-99)38
8.	Joy Battersby (1994-97)34
9.	Carrie Miller (1991-94)31
	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)21
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
M	ost Shutouts
	Terri Kobata (1993-96)42
2.	Jennifer Sharron (1998-01)38
3.	Heather Booth (2003-06)32
4.	Missy Linn (1989-92)29
5.	Steffany Stenglein (2002-05)20
6.	Angela Bessolo (1996-99)
υ.	Staci Alford (1990-93)
8.	Carrie Miller (1991-94)
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-	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)4

Mo	ost Innings Pitched
1.	Heather Booth (2003-06)901.1
2.	Jennifer Sharron (1998-01)772.1
3.	Steffany Stenglein (2002-05)744.0
4.	Missy Linn (1989-92)670.0
5.	Terri Kobata (1993-96)630.0
6.	Staci Alford (1990-93)571.2
7.	Angela Bessolo (1996-99)562.2
8.	Joy Battersby (1994-97)491.0
9.	Carrie Miller (1991-94)334.2
9. 	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)237.0
	Brittiley Bargar (2000-cui.)237.0
тт.	1 4W' ' D
	ghest Winning Percentage
	(inimum 15 decisions, two seasons)
	Terri Kobata (1993-96)840 (79-15)
2.	Melanie Alkire (1998-01)782 (18-5)
3.	, ,
4.	
	Heather Booth (2003-06)711 (96-39)
	Steffany Stenglein (2002-05)705 (79-33)
7.	Michelle Moschel (1999-00)703 (19-8)
8.	Staci Alford (1990-93)
9.	Kelly Nichols (1995-98)628 (27-16)
10	.Angela Bessolo (1995-98)600 (39-26)
	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.).567 (21-16)
Lo	west Earned Run Average
	linimum 150 innings, two seasons)
1.	Terri Kobata (1993-96)0.63
	Jennifer Sharron (1998-01)
3.	
4.	Missy Linn (1989-92)
4 .	-
	Heather Booth (2003-06)
7.	Steffany Stenglein (2002-05)
_	Kelly Nichols (1995-98)
	Carrie Miller (1991-94)
	.Carrie Wisen (2002-05)2.05
	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)2.86
	ost Strikeouts
1.	Terri Kobata (1993-96)907
2.	Heather Booth (2003-06)845
3.	Steffany Stenglein (2002-05)790
4.	Jennifer Sharron (1998-01)728
5.	Angela Bessolo (1996-99)445
6.	Staci Alford (1990-93)369
7.	Missy Linn (1989-92)368
8	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)246
9.	Joy Battersby (1994-97)217
•	21, marging (1991, 97)
Fe	west Earned Runs
	linimum 150 innings, two seasons)
	Michelle Moschel (1999-00)44
1.	
2.	Terri Kobata (1993-96)
3.	Carrie Wisen (2002-05)
4.	- /
5.	Kelly Nichols (1995-98)96
	Missy Linn (1989-92)96

	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)	97
Fe	west Runs Allowed	
(N	Inimum 150 innings, two seasons)	
1.	Michelle Moschel (1999-2000)	48
2.	Carrie Wisen (2002-05)	91
3.	Terri Kobata (1993-96)	93
4.	Carrie Miller (1991-94)	135
5.	Kelly Nichols (1995-98)	143
	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)	122
_		
	ewest Hits Allowed	
	finimum 150 innings, two seasons)	
	Michelle Moschel (1999-2000)	
	Carrie Wisen (2002-05)	
	Carrie Miller (1991-94)	
	Terri Kobata (1993-96)	
	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)	248
Fe	west Walks	
(N	finimum 150 innings, two seasons)	
	Michelle Moschel (1999-2000)	50
	Carrie Miller (1991-94)	
	Staci Alford (1990-93)	
	Missy Linn (1989-92)	
	Carrie Wisen (2002-05)	
	Brittney Bargar (2006-cur.)	

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Record: 9-12 Home: 0-0 Away: 0-0 Neutral: 9-12 BIG EAST: 0-0

Player	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	ВВ	HBP	so	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB-ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
24 BROWN, Stephanie.	.440	16-16	50	15	22	1	1	0	3	25	.500	8	2	8	0	.533	0	0	5-7	72	1	1	.986
3 JOHNSON, Heather.		21-21	57	4	15	4	0	1	12	22	.386	6	1	10	1	.333	2	1	0-0	11	34	_	.882
21 KOHAN, Linda	.255		55	6	14	4	0	1	11	21	.382	9	1	16	1	.369	0	4	0-0	35	40		.949
11 HUFNAGLE, Gessica		21-21	49	4	11	0	0	1	7	14		6	_	14	0	.328	1	2	4-5	94	14		.991
34 SMITH, Sarah	.200	16-13	25	6		1	0	0	0	6	.240	1	0		0	.231	0	0	1-1	10	0		1.000
12 GLASCO, Erin		21-21	51	3	9	2	0	1	6	14	.275	8	2		0	.311	0	0	0-0	29	7		1.000
14 NORTHWAY, Beth			47	4	8	2	0	0	2	10	.213	4	1	8	0	.245	1	4	0-1	17	0		1.000
1 LAING, Katie			58	8	9	2	0	0	6	11	.190	3	2	17	0	.219	1	3	3-3	31	44		.904
23 MOLA, Stephanie		21-19	46	5	6	0	0	0	1		.130	2	1	13	0	.184	0	3	1-1	16	1		1.000
27 JAQUISH, Carissa.		16-9	26	1	3	1	0	0	1		.154	1	0		0	.143	1	0	0-0	45	1		.939
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2 GLYNN, Brittany	.333	14-0	3	4	1	0	0	0	1	1	.333	0	0	1	0	.333	0	0	2-3	0	0	0	.000
10 LUX, Christine	.176	10-6	17	0	3	2	0	0	1	5	.294	0	0	8	0	.176	0	0	0-0	38	1	0	1.000
16 ELLIS, Ashley	.071	13-5	14	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	.071	2	0	5	0	.188	0	0	2-3	8	2	0	1.000
8 BARGAR, Brittney.	.000	1-1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	28	2	.938
Totals	.214	21-21	500	62	107	19	1	4	51	140	.280	50	12	139	2	.298	6	17	18-24	408	184	28	.955
Opponents	.271	21-21	553	79	150	24	2	11	69	211	.382	55	9	130	5	.345	4	16	31-35	418	165	18	.970

LOB - Team (106), Opp (151). DPs turned - Team (6), Opp (5). IBB - Team (0), Opp (1).

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO/CBO S	V	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	AB	B/Avg	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
8 BARGAR, Brittney.	2.77	6-7	15	13	10	0/0	1	86.0	96	45	34	26	89	15	2	9	355	.270	7	5	0	2	9
5 FUEMMELER, Kenya.	3.50	3-5	11	8	3	0/0	1	46.0	47	29	23	26	38	9	0	2	179	.263	5	4	0	1	7
18 FARRELL, Christin	3.50	0-0	3	0	0	0/0	1	4.0	7	5	2	3	3	0	0	0	19	.368	2	0	0	1	0
Totals	3.04	9-12	21	21	13	0/0	3 :	136.0	150	79	59	55	130	24	2	11	553	.271	14	9	0	4	16
Opponents	2.26	12-9	21	21	11	7/0	1 :	139.1	107	62	45	50	139	19	1	4	500	.214	14	12	0	6	17

PB - Team (9), HUFNAGLE, G. 8, GLASCO, E. 1, Opp (6). SBA/ATT - HUFNAGLE, G. (29-33), BARGAR, B. (19-21), FUEMMELER, K (10-12), GLASCO, E. (2-2), FARRELL, C. (2-2).

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Player	C	PO	A	E	FLD%	DPs	SBA	CSB	SBA%	PB	CI
10 LUX, Christine	39	38	1	0	1.000	2	0	0		0	0
12 GLASCO, Erin	36	29	7	0	1.000	0	2	0	1.000	1	0
23 MOLA, Stephanie	17	16	1	0	1.000	0	0	0		0	0
14 NORTHWAY, Beth	17	17	0	0	1.000	0	0	0		0	0
34 SMITH, Sarah	10	10	0	0	1.000	0	0	0		0	0
16 ELLIS, Ashley	10	8	2	0	1.000	0	0	0		0	0
11 HUFNAGLE, Gessica	109	94	14	1	.991	0	29	4	.879	8	0
24 BROWN, Stephanie.	74	72	1	1	.986	3	0	0		0	0
21 KOHAN, Linda	79	35	40	4	.949	4	0	0		0	0
27 JAQUISH, Carissa.	49	45	1	3	.939	1	0	0		0	0
8 BARGAR, Brittney.	32	2	28	2	.938	1	19	2	.905	0	0
1 LAING, Katie	83	31	44	8	.904	3	0	0		0	0
3 JOHNSON, Heather.	51	11	34	6	.882	0	0	0		0	0
5 FUEMMELER, Kenya.	12	0	10	2	.833	0	10	2	.833	0	0
18 FARRELL, Christin	2	0	1	1	.500	0	2	0	1.000	0	0
2 GLYNN, Brittany	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0		0	0
Totals	620	408	184	28	.955	6	31	4	.886	9	0
Opponents	601	418	165	18	.970	5	18	6	.750	6	0

Hitting minimums - 1 Games 1% of Games 1 AB 1.0 AB/Game 1 TPA 0.3 TPA/Game Pitching minimums - 1 Games 1 IP 0.3 IP/Game