

Third-year player who did not see game action as a sophomore in 2003 fall season due to anterior cruciate knee ligament injury (suffered in the spring of '03) ... returned to team training late in fall of '03 before making steady return through spring and summer of '04 ... prep midfielder who filled that role with the Irish earlier in her career ... has emerged as an intriguing option at outside back, after impressive debut at that position with the W-League's Fort Wayne Fever in the summer of '04 ... one of 11 players named to the W-League's Central Conference all-star team, playing in 14 games with a goal and four assists on team that went 11-3-1 and lost to Chicago Cobras in Midwest Division title game (3-2) ... her '03 injury could be blessing in disguise, as she will have the option to apply for fifth year of eligibility in 2006 while hoping to show steady progress at new position of outside back ... has explosiveness to get up and down the line while her midfield background provides attacking mentality that Irish look for from their outside backs ... adjusting to defensive reads on the outer part of the field ... member of 2004 Fort Wayne Fever roster that included several other players with connections to Notre Dame ... named to W-League team of the week after scoring in 1-1 tie with Chicago Cobras ... other Notre Dame players were active in the W-League's Midwest Division in 2004, with the Detroit Jaguars, Chicago Cobras and Ohio Internationals ... played solid role off the bench as a freshman midfielder in 2002 ... a proven sparkplug with good athleticism, a high workrate and solid ability on the ball ... invited to join the Irish program after impressive showing at 2001 Notre Dame summer soccer camp ... one of nine Illinois natives to play for the Notre Dame women's soccer program, as are current sophomores Jill Krivacek (Geneva/Rosary HS), Kim Lorenzen (Naperville North HS) and Jen Buczkowski (Elk Grove HS) ... other Notre Dame players who have worn No. 14 include defender Ashley Scharff ('96).

AS A SOPHOMORE: Did not see any game action while rehabbing from ACL knee injury suffered in spring of '03 ... joined All-America defender Candace Chapman (ACL) and all-BIG EAST midfielder Randi Scheller (hip) as three Irish regulars who missed all of '03 due to preseason injuries.

Walz's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2002	17/2	8	0	1	1	0
2003	injured					
Totals	17/2	8	0	1	1	0



#14 Jenny Walz

Junior • Defender

*Bloomington, Illinois
Bloomington H.S.*

AS A FRESHMAN: Appeared in 17 of 21 games, making two starts while mostly serving as one of top midfielders off the bench ... provided spark in early win over Hartford (2-1, at Maryland), starting in second half as Irish rallied to the win ... registered her only point of the season in her first start, setting up a Chapman goal in seventh minute of 5-0 win over Pittsburgh ... assisted on that goal by sending a sharp pass from the right flank, springing Chapman down the middle for a breakaway ... also started at West Virginia ... appeared in 10 of final 12 games, including NCAA Tournament wins over Ohio State and Purdue (both 3-1) and season-ending loss at top-ranked Stanford (1-0).

PREP & PERSONAL: Three-sport athlete at Bloomington High School, earning female athlete of the year as a junior and senior ... four-year letterwinner in soccer as center midfielder ... three-year team captain and MVP, twice earning all-city plus four all-conference honors ... helped team claim conference title as a freshman ... totaled 48 career goals, including 14 as a freshman, 12 in both sophomore and junior seasons and 10 as a senior ... four-year letterwinner in tennis, earning three all-state and team MVP honors ... four-year conference and regional champion in tennis ... advanced to state semifinals in doubles as a junior, with undefeated regular-season record ... posted top-seven finish in state doubles as a sophomore and senior ... tennis captain as a senior ... compiled 66-9 career singles record (20-1 as a senior, at No. 2 singles) ... earned three letters as basketball point guard, serving as two-year team captain ... member of student council

... other Bloomington, Ill., natives who have lettered with Notre Dame varsity teams include football All-America end Chuck Sweeney ('38; Trinity HS), swimmers Lorrei ('95; Bloomington HS) and Tom ('96; University HS) Horenkamp, golfer Bill Cvangros ('70) and four other Trinity High School products: golfer/fencing epeeist Jim Jacobs ('52), baseball third baseman Dave Costigan ('53), football fullback Ron DeNardo ('58) and wrestler Jim Kane ('61) ... her brother Mike Walz played tennis at Bradley ... daughter of Jack and Karen Walz ... full name is Jennifer Lynn Walz ... born May 21, 1984, in Phoenix, Ariz. ... an American studies major in the College of Arts and Letters.





#28 Miranda Ford

Junior • Defender

*Portola Valley, California
Palo Alto H.S.*

Emerging versatile player who could see time in defense or midfield ... has made strides while adjusting to college game ... one of six players on current squad who hail from western part of the country, with that group including fellow California natives Sarah Halpenny and Ashley Jones, plus players from Washington (Annie Scheffer), Oregon (Maggie Manning) and Arizona (Molly Iarocci) ... one of 21 Californians to play for the Notre Dame women's soccer program ... one of 19 ND players to post GPA of 3.0-plus in both semesters during 2003-04 academic year.



WITH THE IRISH: Played eight games in '03, including wins at Santa Clara (2-1) and Rutgers (3-0) and NCAA win over Loyola Chicago (5-0) – plus regular-season wins over Oklahoma, W. Kentucky, North Texas, Indiana St. and Georgetown ... logged 13 games in '02, including four early starts as Irish adjusted to injuries ... scored at Providence (3-0) on looping shot from outside right corner of box ... her pass set Ashley Dryer's winning goal in motion to beat Kentucky in exhibition (1-0, in Fort Wayne) ... played in 12 of first 13 games, starting vs. Virginia Tech (5-0) and '02 national champ Portland (0-1).

PREP & PERSONAL: Four-year all-conference defender/midfielder at Palo Alto High School (three times first team) ... member of under-16 north state team pool, u-16 and u-17 District II ODP ... team captain and MVP as senior ... helped team win two conference titles ... second team all-section as junior ... named league's freshman and junior of the year ... played with DeAnza Force Blue club that won '02 California Cup and Texas Shootout (u-19), plus u-17 Surf Cup and Texas Shootout in '01 (NorCal Premier League and State Cup finalists) ... member of u-16 team that was 2000 Surf Cup finalist ... earned three letters in track ... honor-roll student (3.9 GPA) ... other Portola Valley natives who have lettered with ND teams include current football QB Pat Dillingham and former tennis player Kim Guy ('01; both via St. Francis HS) ... daughter of ND grads Kevin ('75) and Celeste ('78) Ford ... full name is Miranda Jeannine Ford ... born Oct. 25, 1984, in Palo Alto, Calif. ... an intended finance major, in the Mendoza College of Business.

Ford's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2002	13/4	3	1	0	2	0
2003	8/0	2	0	0	0	0
Totals	21/4	5	1	0	2	0

In-state product invited to join program after '01 soccer camp ... has experience at defender and forward ... athletic, competitive player who has quickly learned defensive scheme ... tremendous team player who could make added contributions as she gains experience ... posted Dean's List semester (3.80 GPA) in fall of 2003.

WITH THE IRISH: Appeared in six games as reserve defender in '03, including 5-1 win over Oklahoma and NCAA first-round game versus Loyola Chicago (3-0) ... played five games as reserve defender/forward in '02 ... assisted on Amy Warner's third goal at Georgetown (4-3 loss) ... also played in game at BIG EAST rival West Virginia.

PREP & PERSONAL: Three-sport athlete at Franklin County HS ... four times all-conference (sweeper/forward), twice all-state ... two-year captain, MVP ... helped win first four sectional titles in school history, regional titles as freshman (semi-state finalist) and sophomore (first-time semi-state champs) ... conference defensive MVP ... scored in north/south game ... member of Cincinnati Classics, Hammer FC and TYCO



#26 Amber McMillin

Junior • Defender

*West Harrington, Indiana
Franklin County H.S.*

Firecrackers ... three-year letterwinner as basketball point guard, all-conference as a junior on regional-title squad ... member of four conference basketball champs ... set school records in 100 (12.8) and 200-meter dash (26.1), 300 hurdles (45.15) ... state finalist as freshman in 100 and 200, as sophomore in 200 and 300 hurdles (11th; 10th as junior) ... three-time track MVP, junior captain ... student body president, NHS president, homecoming queen and selected for West Point Academic Workshop ... brother Jud was baseball captain at Cincinnati ... daughter of Lowell and Sharon McMillin ... full name is Amber Renay McMillin ... born June 15, 1984, in Cincinnati ... an English and education major, in College of Arts and Letters.



McMillin's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2002	5/0	3	0	1	1	0
2003	6/0	4	0	1	1	0
Totals	11/0	7	0	2	2	0



The ~~N~~ Sophomores

Classic playmaking midfielder who was named to 2004 preseason all-BIG EAST Conference team, after earning Freshman All-America honors in '03 ... starting defender with U.S. Under-19 National Team who decided to play for Notre Dame in fall of '04, rather than sit out the entire semester for Under-19 World Championship (Nov. 10-27, in Thailand) ... one of 11 players named to 2004 preseason all-BIG EAST team ... has strong '04 spring season with the Irish, showing boost in her quickness, sharper all-around play and greater confidence

... could be due for breakout year in '04, as player who can "pull all the strings" to coordinate the Irish attack ... excels at funneling the offense, with diverse abilities to speed game up or slow it down, change point of attack, get others involved or take it herself ... has tremendous touch on the ball and field vision, with classic head-up dribbling style and steady control that leads to the ball rarely straying far from her feet ... shows excellent composure and decision-making in her distribution ... brings full package that is comparable to former Notre Dame great Jenny Streiffer and Anne Makinen ... entered Notre Dame in fall of '03 as nation's No. 6-rated recruit, per *Soccer America* (she was rated second among '03 incoming midfielders, behind Nebraska's Brittany Timko) ... dynamic offensive player who totaled 69 goals and 52 assists in three prep seasons ... a 2004 Academic All-America candidate, after posting 3.37 GPA during freshman year ... joined Notre Dame program with former ODP and club teammates Jill Krivacek and Kim Lorenzen, who led Illinois ODP to '03 national title ... her busy '04 summer included playing with Buczkowski and Lorenzen on Eclipse Select club team that came just shy of the under-19 national championship game ... also played for W-League's Chicago Cobras during summer of '04, helping Cobras win Midwest Division title and then post 3-2 win over Fort Wayne Fever squad that included several current and former ND players ... helped Eclipse win '04 Midwest title after wins over teams from Ohio (Cleveland FC, 5-1), Indiana (Carmel Cobras, 3-1), Kansas (KCFC Alliance, 2-1), Minnesota (Tsunami Sota, 3-0) and Missouri (JB Marine, 2-0) ... the Eclipse then faced teams at the '04 Nationals (June 20-25 in Orlando, Fla.) from New York (HBC Fury, 2-2), California (Pleasanton Rage, 0-1) and Georgia (Phoenix, 3-1), losing a spot in the title game on tiebreakers ... one of nine Illinois natives to play for ND women's soccer ... other former ND players to wear No. 9 include forwards Tiffany Thompson ('95) and Monica Gerardo ('99) ... several of her former teammates play for teams on ND's '04 schedule: Santa Clara 'keeper Julie Ryder (U-19s, state/regional ODP and Eclipse), Stanford's Rachel Buehler (U-19s), ASU's Stephanie Peel, Liz Bogus and Caroline Cooper (each with Cobras), UConn's Megan Schnur (U-19s) and West Virginia's Lana Bannerman (Chicago Sockers, merged with Eclipse u-19s in '04).

AS A FRESHMAN: Key factor behind team's season-long domination of possession that included 73-12 scoring edge and just 53 shots on goal allowed all season ... named a first team Freshman All-American by *Soccer America* and *Soccer Buzz*, also earning BIG EAST all-rookie team honors ... appeared in all 24 games and



#9 Jen Buczkowski

Sophomore • Midfielder

Elk Grove, Illinois
Elk Grove H.S.

Freshman All-American



started 23, ranking seventh on team in scoring with 14 points (4 goals, 6 assists) ... provided pass from left midstripe that led Maggie Manning into open space on right for goal vs. Hartford (9-1, at UConn) ... took pass from Amy Warner and slid left-endline pass to Krivacek for near-post goal late in first half vs. Wake Forest (opened scoring in 3-0 win, also at UConn) ... her stellar play in third week of season yielded offensive MVP honors at ND Classic (also BIG EAST player of the week and named to *Soccer America* national team of the week) ... totaled 2G-3A in ND Classic wins over Arizona State (3-1) and Oklahoma (5-1) ... provided long service to assist on pair of goals vs. ASU, on mary Boland's lunging deflection (1-1) and Warner's breakaway for rightside crossing shot (3-1) ... capped big weekend with 2G-1A vs. Oklahoma, converting after flurry (10-yard deflection) and then combining with Warner on crisp passes that sprung Guertin on thru-ball, later finishing at far post on Lizzie Reed's looping 30-yard pass from right side ... picked up first point in nine games with pass on Warner breakaway vs. Butler

(3-0) ... passed to Guertin for crossing shot vs. Georgetown (6-0) ... scored twice in NCAA first-round win over Loyola Chicago (5-0), taking pass from Katie Thorlakson and burying low shot inside far left post (2-0) before running onto Annie Scheffer's chipped free kick and surprising 'keeper with quick crossing shot into right sidenetting (4-0) ... scored to force 1-1 tie versus Mexican National Team in 2004 spring exhibition (3-2 loss).

PREP & PERSONAL: Three-year All-American and member of U.S. National Teams on under-16, u-17 and u-19 levels, also playing for Olympic Development Program state and region teams ('98-'03) ... Gatorade player of the year for Illinois ('03) while being ranked as nation's sixth-best incoming recruit (per *Soccer America*) ... national honors included '01 and '02 NSCAA All-America, *Parade* All-America in '03 and NSCAA All-Academic in '02 ... named to east team for '03 McDonald's All-America game (dnp due to state cup) ... all-conference and top scorer all three seasons with Elk Grove HS ('02 all-state) before focusing on U-19 training in senior year ... totaled 69 goals and 52 assists in EGHS career (20G-25A as a freshman, 21G-15A as sophomore, 28G-12A as junior) ... led Elk Grove to program's first league title as freshman, then two more league titles (first team in league ever to win three straight) ... helped win first-ever sectional final ('02) ... two-year EHGS captain ... played at international tournaments with U-16 national team (France, '01) and ODP regional team (Italy and England, '02) before facing teams from Germany and Holland with U-19s at '03 tournament in Mexico ... played on U-19 National Team that won '03 USYSA Adidas Cup ... joined Krivacek and Lorenzen on Illinois ODP that placed second at '01 nationals (in Las Vegas) before winning '03 national title in Plano, Texas, after wins over Kan. (2-1, regional final), Ga. (1-0, national semi's) and N.J. (1-0 title game, with current teammate Reed on that squad) ... helped Chicago Sockers club win '00 Presidents Cup (Phoenix) and WAGS (D.C.) tournaments, plus '01 state runner-up, '02 state cup champs and Regional Cup semifinalist, and '03 state runner-up ... Sockers then played up to win '03 u-23 state cup, advancing to regional (Detroit) ... '01 ESP elite camp participant ... began playing soccer at Elk Grove Amateur Soccer Association (its president Glen Villano is an ND grad) ... lettered as basketball guard in freshman year ... Illinois State Scholar, member of NHS ... her brother Chris plays for ODP state u-17 team (the siblings were coached by their father on park district travel teams) ... current ND runner Loryn King was her teammate on state and region ODP teams ... daughter of Gary and Lisa Buczkowski ... full name is Jennifer Rose Buczkowski ... born April 4, 1985, in Park Ridge, Ill. ... enrolled in the Mendoza College of Business.





#21 Claire Gallerano

Sophomore • Midfielder

*Dallas, Texas
Ursuline Academy*

Tenacious defensive midfielder who made strides in '04 spring ... hard-nosed tackler who excels at winning possession ... combined with classmate Kari Kennedy and future ND teammate Kerri Hanks on Dallas Texans club that won '03 national title ... teamed with Kennedy and ND classmate Lizzie Reed on Texans squad that won '04 state cup and reached under-19 regional final (Phoenix Red, from Ga., advanced on PKs) ... one of 14 Texas natives to play for ND women's soccer ... previous ND players to wear 21 include midfielder Jodi Hartwig ('95) ... posted 3.45 GPA in freshman year.



AS A FRESHMAN: Appeared in six games, (five at home, 1-0 at Pittsburgh) ... scored in '04 spring game versus Western Michigan (4-1).

PREP & PERSONAL: Four-year starting defender at Ursuline Academy, ... twice all-state and all-state tournament, three times all-district ... helped set school-record 111-game unbeaten streak (nationally-ranked with four state titles) ... senior team captain ... received '00-'01 Gift of Fury award ... member of defense voted best in Dallas area three times ... played for Susan Ellis, who later coached for WUSA's Carolina Courage ... center midfielder on '97-'03 Dallas Texans, helping win '03 national title (in

Germentown, Md.), six North Texas titles and three regional crowns ('99, '00, '03) ... '03 nationals included 1-1 ties in round-robin vs. Colorado Soccer Academy and Bethesda Dragons and 3-0 win over Tsunami Sota (Minn.) before 2-0 title win over Tsunami ... played for Solar Soccer Club in '95-'97 ... member of National Honor Society (3.98 GPA) ... represented Texas at '02 National Young Leaders Conference (Washington, D.C.) ... English tutor for Sudanese refugees ... other Dallas products to monogram with Notre Dame teams include women's soccer alums and fellow Ursuline products Bernie Holland ('91) and Megan Middendorf ('97), 1987 Heisman Trophy winner Tim Brown (Wilson HS), football linemen Dave ('78) and Tim ('81) Huffman (Jefferson HS) and DB Allen Rossum ('98; Skyline HS), and three men's soccer players: defender and current Monogram Club board member Marvin Lett ('87; Carter HS), goalkeeper Bert Bader ('95; White HS) and midfielder Dustin Pridmore ('01; Jesuit) ... daughter of Jake and Lisa Gallerano ... full name is Claire Elise Gallerano ... born Nov. 15, 1984, in Dallas ... enrolled in College of Arts and Letters ... intends to major in political science.

Gallerano's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2003	6/0	2	0	0	0	0

Speedy forward who could make added impact in '04 ... former Arizona prep player of the year who did not begin playing soccer until high school ... looking to improve her play on the ball and 1-vs.-1 skills ... several of her former Sereno Eagles club teammates play for teams on ND's 2004 schedule: Santa Clara's Tiffany Roberts, ASU's Lauren Niblet, Michigan's Lauren Fifield, Villanova's Nikki Mayberry and BC's Katie West (ASU's Levis Robertson and Alissa Oldenkamp and Stanford's April Wall played for Eagles younger team) ... posted 3.63 grade-point average in freshman year.

AS A FRESHMAN: Appeared in eight games ... nudged in Annie Schefter corner versus Oklahoma (5-1) ... played vs. Western Kentucky, North Texas, Indiana State, Georgetown, Miami and Michigan - plus NCAA first-round win over Loyola Chicago (5-0) ... scored twice in '04 spring.

PREP & PERSONAL: State player of year ('03) at Xavier Prep ... played volleyball and softball as freshman, not playing in 2000 state-title soccer season due to injury (was team manager) ... all-region, all-state as senior captain ... helped win '02 state title ('03 runner-up, after shootout vs.



#23 Molly Iarocci

Sophomore • Forward

*Carefree, Arizona
Xavier Prep*

nation's No. 2 team Horizon in regional final) ... played for '01 and '02 state ODP ... helped Sereno Eagles win '01-'03 state titles ('02, '03 Reg. IV finalist), with win over defending national champ Pleasanton Rage in '03 Regional ... member of NHS and student body VP ... active in various charities ... from same high school as current ND volleyball setter Kelly Burrell and former Irish swimmer Haley Scott ... father Tony

Iarocci ('75) earned three letters as ND baseball catcher ... brother T.J. played baseball at Tulane, sister Emily is senior at ND ... great uncle Arthur Jehle ('52), cousin Eve Jehle ('78) are ND grads ... daughter of Tony and Diann Iarocci ... Molly Margaret Iarocci ... born July 3, 1985, in Phoenix ... enrolled in Mendoza College of Business.

Iarocci's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2003	8/0	2	1	0	2	0



The ~~N~~ Sophomores

Second-year defender who missed most of the 2003 season due to an ankle injury suffered during preseason training ... a top commodity at outside back who honed her skills with nationally-ranked high school and club programs ... had an impressive start during 2003 preseason drills before suffering her injury ... starred in Dallas Texans system that is similar to the one utilized by the Irish ... her contributions in 2004 could boost

Notre Dame's depth and increase personnel options with other players ... disciplined player with a high workrate ... member of 2003 freshman class that was rated No. 5 in nation by Soccer America ... looking to adjust to greater physical demands of college soccer while improving her attacking skills down the flanks ... combined with current classmate Claire Gallerano and future Notre Dame teammate Kerri Hanks in helping lead Texans to 2003 national title (Hanks, who will play with the U.S. in the '04 World Junior Championship before starting her Notre Dame career in '05, earned the Golden Boot Award as the top scorer at the '03 nationals) ... returned to play for Texans under-19 team in summer of '04, alongside Gallerano and another Notre Dame classmate (Lizzie Reed, an out-of-state addition) on team that won '04 state cup and reached regional title game (the Phoenix Red team from Georgia advanced on PKs, 5-4 after scoreless regulation) ... one of 14 Texas natives to play for Notre Dame women's soccer - including fellow Ursuline Academy products Bernie Holland ('91) and Megan Middendorf ('97) ... noteworthy former Notre Dame players who have worn No. 22 include midfielders Denise Chabot ('93) and Laura Vanderberg ('99) ... carries 3.28 cumulative grade-point average, including a 3.47 in the 2003 fall semester.

AS A FRESHMAN: Appeared in three games in second half of the 2003 season, after being sidelined with preseason ankle injury ... made her debut in second half of Oct. 10 game versus Georgetown (6-0), playing at outside back ... also played two days later in 3-0 win over Miami and in NCAA first-round win over Loyola Chicago (5-0).

PREP & PERSONAL: Key member of nationally-ranked Plano West High School and Dallas Texans club teams, with both rising to No. 1 national rankings ... helped Plano West win conference, regional and state titles in 2001 and '02 - the first two years of the school's existence (both teams went

Kennedy's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2003	3/0	0	0	0	0	0



#22 Kari Kennedy

Sophomore • Defender

Plano, Texas
Plano West H.S.



Notre Dame head coach Randy Waldrum ... member of North Texas all-state team from '97-'02 ... competed with North Texas team in 2003 Region III ODP Championships ... invited to '01 ODP regional camp but unable to attend ... four-year honor roll student and member of National Honor Society ... one of four Plano products who have played soccer at Notre Dame, following three from the men's program: current junior defender Dale Rellas (PWHS), former Academic All-America defender and '95 graduate Chris Dean (Jesuit Prep) and midfielder Greg Martin ('01-'03 ND captain; Plano HS) ... her father Dean Kennedy is member of Augsburg Wrestling Hall of Fame and was a national finalist in wrestling while her uncle Shea Kennedy also was a wrestler at Augsburg ... her younger sister Tracie Kennedy plays for Dallas Texans system ... daughter of Dean and Terry Kennedy ... full name is Kari Jo Kennedy ... born Oct. 3, 1984, in Plano, Texas ... enrolled in the College of Science ... intends to major in pre-professional studies.

undefeated) ... team captain as a senior but did not play due to injury ... an all-city pick as a junior ... 10-year starter for Texans '84-Red team that won six North Texas state titles and three regional crowns (including 2-0 win over CASL Spartans, N.C., in '03 regional title game) ... headed to Germantown, Md., for 2003 USYSA National Championship, with the Texans playing to 1-1 ties in under-18 round-robin versus Colorado Soccer Academy and Bethesda (Md.) Dragons before posting a 3-0 win over Tsunami Sota (Minn.) and beating that same team in the title game (2-0) ... her club coach Kenneth Medina formerly was coached by

Did You Know?

Kari Kennedy and Claire Gallerano - and their future ND teammate Kerri Hanks - are among several Irish players who are products of championship-level club programs, with each playing lead roles as the Dallas Texans won the 2003 USYSA Under-18 national championship.





#24 Jill Krivacek

Sophomore • Midfielder

Geneva, Illinois
Rosary H.S.

Imposing presence who is strong fit for defensive midfielder role, due to her size (5-10), strength and an improving ability in the air to go along with good mobility and strong skills on the ball ... has the capacity to pace herself for full 90 minutes while sitting in behind the other two midfielders ... disciplined playmaker who fits well into team's style of play, with quality distribution from recessed midfielder spot ... could provide an added dimension in 2004 as yet another top target player on set pieces ... spirited player who has excellent field vision and deceptive quickness, plus scoring punch that included school-record 78 goals in her prep career ... one of nine Illinois natives to play for Notre Dame women's soccer program - with others including her former ODP and club teammates, Jen Buczkowski (Elk Grove HS) and Kim Lorenzen (Naperville North HS), plus junior Jenny Walz (Bloomington HS) ... combined with Buczkowski and Lorenzen in leading Illinois ODP to '03 national title ... also played alongside Buczkowski and Lorenzen on Illinois-based Eclipse Select club team that came just shy of playing in under-19 national

championship game during summer of '04 ... her busy '04 summer included playing alongside several former and current Notre Dame players with the W-League's Fort Wayne Fever, scoring a goal and adding two assists in 12 games played on team that went 11-3-1 and lost to Chicago Cobras in Midwest Division title game (3-2) ... other Notre Dame players were active in the W-League's 2004 Midwest Division with the Detroit Jaguars, the Chicago Cobras and the Ohio Internationals ... helped Eclipse claim '04 regional title after wins over teams from Ohio (Cleveland F.C., 5-1), Indiana (Carmel Cobras, 3-1), Kansas (KCFC Alliance, 2-1), Minnesota (Tsunami Sota, 3-0) and Missouri (JB Marine, 2-0) ... the Eclipse then were one of four teams at the '04 Nationals (June 20-25 in Orlando, Fla.), where they battled teams in the round-robin from New York (HBC Fury, 2-2), California (Pleasanton Rage, 0-1) and Georgia (Phoenix, 3-1) before losing a spot in the title game based on tiebreakers ... two of her former club teammates play for teams on Notre Dame's 2004 schedule: Santa Clara goalkeeper Julie Ryder (with Eclipse, also state and ODP regional teams) and West Virginia keeper Lana Bannerman (with Chicago Sockers, which merged with the Eclipse u-19s in '04).

AS A FRESHMAN: Emerged as key presence in defensive midfielder role, appearing in 23 of 24 games (all but UConn showdown) while making six starts, with two goals and three assists ... helped Irish finish 5th in the nation with a 0.49 goals-against avg, while allowing just 53 shots on goal ... drew second-week start versus Oklahoma (5-1), later starting in midseason versus Villanova (1-0, OT), Butler (3-0) and at Pittsburgh (1-0) before starting final two regular-season games, at Seton Hall (2-0) and versus Michigan (2-3) ... opened scoring with second-half goal versus Wake Forest (3-0, at UConn), taking left-endline pass from Buczkowski and roofing shot into left top-netting ... her next point came in midseason, passing ball to Buczkowski to assist on Amanda Guertin's leftside crossing shot in 6-0 win over Georgetown ... ripped shot from top of box versus Miami, with Katie Thorlakson banging home rebound (3-0) ... supplied pass to set up Warner's race to goal that opened scoring at Seton Hall (2-0) ... collected loose ball at top of box and blasted

shot into upper right corner to complete scoring in NCAA first-round win over Loyola Chicago (5-0).

PREP & PERSONAL: Four-year MVP at Rosary High School, totaling school records for career goals (78) and assists (65) ... member of state Olympic Development Program team and regional ODP pool from '98-'03, combining with Buczkowski and Lorenzen in leading Illinois ODP to runner-up finish at '01 nationals (in Las Vegas) before winning '03 title in Plano, Texas - after beating Kansas (2-1, regional final), Georgia (1-0, national semi's) and New Jersey (1-0, national final; with Notre Dame teammate Lizzie Reed on that N.J. squad) ... named the *Daily Herald's* Tri-Cities female athlete of the year ... two-year captain at Rosary, helping team win '03 regional title ... all-state as a senior, also all-area and all-section each of her four seasons ... totaled 14G-15A as senior on team that lost in sectionals ... helped Illinois win five regional ODP titles ... played alongside Buczkowski and Lorenzen on F.C. Chicago Sockers club team that won '01 Presidents Cup and WAGS tournament in Washington, D.C. (also state cup runner-up) ... played center midfielder and stopper with Sockers, winning '02 state cup and reaching regional semi's (also '00 and '03 state runner-up) ... the Sockers played up several age groups in '03 under-23 state cup, winning that event and then playing in Detroit at under-23 regional ... earned three letters as forward on Rosary basketball team, setting school records for career scoring and rebounding ... led team to first conference basketball title in school history ('03) ... twice conference MVP, all-area pick and captain in basketball ... member of National Honor Society and student council ... former Notre Dame volleyball player Jenny Birkner ('97; Geneva HS) also is native of Geneva, Ill., while former ND diver Jennifer Stumm ('93) is Rosary HS graduate ... daughter of Barry and Karen Krivacek ... full name is Jillian Marie Krivacek ... born May 30, 1985, in Chicago ... enrolled in Mendoza College of Business.



Krivacek's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2003	23/6	20	2	3	7	1

In the Postseason

Event	GP/GS	G	A	Pts	GW
BIG EAST	2/0	0	0	0	0
NCAAs	2/0	1	0	2	0
Totals	4/0	1	0	2	0



The ~~N~~ Sophomores

Extremely versatile player who could be used anywhere on the field ... had strong freshman season in 2003 as starter at right back, in place of injured All-American Candace Chapman ... trained in '03 preseason (and '04 spring) at several positions ... played mostly forward and outside midfield as a prep, with impressive showing while playing in the back on ODP teams and at ESP national camp ... well-suited for outside back due to competitive edge, attacking instincts

and fitness level ... adds valuable dimension as tremendous server of the ball from the flanks ... may shift to midfield, where she played for parts of '04 spring ... has good ability on the ball and tough defensive skills ... one of nine Illinois natives to play for ND women's soccer - with others including her former ODP and club teammates Jen Buczkowski (Elk Grove HS) and Jill Krivacek (Geneva/Rosary HS), plus junior Jenny Walz (Bloomington HS) ... played with Buczkowski and Krivacek on Eclipse Select club team that came just shy of the under-19 national championship game in summer of 2004 ... her busy '04 summer included playing alongside several former and current Notre Dame players with the W-League's Fort Wayne Fever, logging 13 games (mostly as central back) for 11-3-1 team that lost to Chicago Cobras in Midwest Division title game (3-2) ... other ND players were active in the 2004 Midwest Division with the Detroit Jaguars, the Chicago Cobras and the Cleveland Internationals ... helped Eclipse claim '04 Midwest title after wins over teams from Ohio (Cleveland FC, 5-1), Indiana (Carmel Cobras, 3-1), Kansas (KCFC Alliance, 2-1), Minnesota (Tsunami Sota, 3-0) and Missouri (JB Marine, 2-0) ... the Eclipse then faced teams at the '04 Nationals (June 20-25 in Orlando, Fla.) from New York (HBC Fury, 2-2), California (Pleasanton Rage, 0-1) and Georgia (Phoenix, 3-1), losing a spot in the title game on tiebreakers ... former Notre Dame players who have worn No. 4 include defenders Molly Lennon ('92) and Stacia Masters ('97) and midfielder Mia Sarkesian ('02) ... two of her former club teammates play for teams on ND's 2004 schedule: Santa Clara goalkeeper Julie Ryder (with Eclipse, plus state/regional ODP) and West Virginia keeper Lana Bannerman (Chicago Sockers,

Lorenzen's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2003	23/20	7	0	0	0	0

In the Postseason

Event	GP/GS	G	A	Pts	GW
BIG EAST	2/2	0	0	0	0
NCAAs	2/2	0	1	1	0
Totals	4/4	0	1	1	0



#4 Kim Lorenzen

Sophomore
Defender/Midfielder

Naperville, Illinois
Naperville North H.S.



merged with Eclipse u-19s in '04) ... could contend for Academic All-America honors in '04, after compiling 3.53 GPA in her freshman year.

AS A FRESHMAN: Shifted to right back spot in place of Chapman ... turned in impressive debut season, appearing in 23 of 24 games (all but Indiana State) and starting 20 ... played key role in smothering defense that finished 5th in nation with 0.49 goals-against avg. and allowed just 53 shots on goal all season ... her pass started classic five-player combination that netted first goal of season (by Boland), in 9-1 win over Hartford at UConn Classic ... also forced the action that led to Amy Warner goal to cap that win ... named all-tournament at Notre Dame Classic, after helping limit ASU and Oklahoma to combined six shots on goal and four corners ... made trial start at central defender versus Western Kentucky (with Gudrun Gunnarsdottir sidelined by broken wrist), returning to right back for rest of season ... her thru-ball sprung Maggie Manning

for goal vs. North Texas (8-1) ... started all four postseason games ... scored in spring season versus Wisconsin-Milwaukee (3-0).

PREP & PERSONAL: Teamed with Buczkowski and Krivacek on Illinois ODP team that won national title in Plano, Texas (March, '03), beating Kansas in regional title game (2-1) and Georgia in national semifinals (1-0) before 1-0 win in the title game versus New Jersey team that included another Notre Dame signee, Lizzie Reed ... that Illinois team was national runner-up in '01 ... did not participate in high school sports as a senior, while training with Sockers F.C. program that claimed '03 state runner-up finish ... three-year starter as defender and forward at Naperville North High School, helping win sectional title as a freshman followed by third-place state finish in sophomore season, sectional runner-up as junior ... two-time all-conference selection, all-sectional as junior and academic all-conference ... named to NSCAA's Scholar All-America Team ... two-year member of ODP Region II team and five-year member of ODP state team ... member of runner-up team at '02 ODP nationals (behind Region IV) ... traveled with Region II team to Italy and England (March '02) to compete against European pro teams ... participated in '02 ESP national camp ... twice lettered as guard on basketball team ... played for Naperville Soccer Association ('94-'00) ... coached under-8 club soccer team her senior year ... an Illinois State Scholar and distinguished honor-roll student every semester of prep career ... her club basketball coach was Glenn Earl, Sr., father of former Notre Dame football safety Glenn Earl, Jr. ('04) ... hails from same high school as several other Notre Dame student-athletes, including Earl, baseball shortstop Alec Porzel ('01), tennis player Matt Horsley ('00), swimmers Hannah Pawlewicz ('02) and Vince Kuna ('99), and runners Ted Higgins ('99) and Jon Royer ('95) ... other Naperville natives to letter at Notre Dame include football tight end Greg Szatko ('74; Lyons Township HS) and three from Naperville Central HS: soccer forward Ed Graham ('83), volleyball hitter Kathy Cunningham ('90) and current rower Shannon Mohan ('05) ... daughter of Michael and Carol Lorenzen ... full name is Kim Marie Lorenzen ... born May 4, 1985, in Hinsdale, Ill. ... enrolled in the Mendoza College of Business.





#15 Lizzie Reed

**Sophomore
Midfielder/Forward**

**Franklin Lakes, New Jersey
Ramapo Regional H.S.**

Versatile second-year player who likely will be used as midfielder or forward ... made several starts at outside back as a freshman but could be utilized in more attacking role in '04 ... highly-skilled player with the ball, excelling in 1-on-1 battles and making runs at opponent ... a tremendous finisher with both feet ... could emerge as top goalscorer as she settles into consistent role ... deceptive player with several trademark moves, including various stepovers and scissor dribbles ... combined with Jen Buczkowski and Christie Shaner as three prep All-Americans who formed the core of the nation's 5th-ranked freshman class in 2003 ... has shown the physical competitiveness needed to handle the workload at outside back, complementing her crafty playmaking skills and scoring punch (126 career goals at Ramapo Regional HS) ... has been on the fringe of qualifying for various United States national teams ... holds tremendous upside for the college game, with great understanding of soccer tactics in addition to her strong all-around skills ... split time during the summer of 2004 playing for the W-League's New Jersey Lady Stallions and the Dallas Texans under-19 squad (she played as an out-of-state exemption, alongside ND classmates Claire Gallerano and Kari Kennedy) ... totaled three goals and two assists in 11 games played while helping Lady Stallions finish third in Northeastern Division (10-4-0) ... had chance to play versus former Notre Dame great Anne Makinen, whose New Jersey Wildcats won the division title (Makinen had 5G-10A for the 14-0 Wildcats squad) ... helped Texans win 2004 state cup and reach under-19 regional final (the Phoenix Red team from Georgia advanced on PKs) ... could emerge as Academic All-America candidate in 2004, after compiling 3.53 grade-point average during her freshman year ... fourth New Jersey native to play for Notre Dame women's soccer, with others including midfielder Jodi Hartwig ('95; Ridgewood HS) and defender Kerri Bakker ('01; Washington/Warren Hills HS) ... previous Notre Dame players who have worn No. 15 include Bakker and fellow defender Kate Fisher ('97).

AS A FRESHMAN: One of several newcomers who made big impact in '03, appearing in 23 of 24 games (all but West Virginia) with eight starts, two goals and an assist ... made two starts in the midfield (vs. ASU and Butler) and five in the defense, mostly at left back (vs. Wake Forest, St. John's, Western Kentucky, Indiana State and Villanova) ...



also saw some time at forward late in the season, including start vs. Rutgers ... lofted 30-yard pass from right flank, with Jen Buczkowski finishing at far post in 5-1 win over Oklahoma ... scored from similar spot on 30-yard strike versus North Texas (8-1) ... made the most of her first action at forward, converting a loose ball from six yards out for final cushion vs. UConn (2-0) ... assisted on Katie Thorlakson goal for 2-1 lead on Mexico National Team in 2004 spring exhibition (Mexico won 3-2).

PREP & PERSONAL: Two-time NSCAA All-American as a midfielder/forward at Ramapo Regional High School ... finished second on school's career goalscoring charts with 128 ... first team all-state and team's leading scorer in all four seasons - including team-record 34 goals as junior and 26G-12A as senior (state player of the year) ... first team all-state final three seasons ... helped nationally-ranked team win '99 state title, '01 county title, plus four league and area titles ... team MVP, first team all-league and all-county (first team '00-'02) all four seasons ... played in state all-star game ... member of under-14 and u-16 national team pools ... competed in '01 Adidas ESP elite

camp ... selected to play in McDonald's All-America Classic (Charleston, S.C.; summer '03) but unable to attend due to state cup ... member of Youth National Team training pool from '99-'02 ... USYSA Under-19 All-Star European Team member from '00-'02 ... active in Region I Olympic Development pool and state ODP from '99-'03 ... helped state ODP win three regional titles ('01-'03), scoring twice versus Maryland in '03 regional final (3-0) ... her team upset California-South in '03 ODP semifinals (2-1), losing 1-0 national-title game versus Illinois team led by her current ND teammates Buczkowski, Jill Krivacek and Kim Lorenzen (in Plano, Texas) ... member of national ODP under-16 player pool in '01 ... attended fourth straight ODP inter-regional event in Nov. '02, with Region I going undefeated versus Under-17 National Team, Region IV and Region III ... played nine years with Wyckoff/PDA Torpedoes and then World Class club in '02-'03, with '03 team winning state cup and reaching regional semifinals ... trained with World Class versus men's teams (including former Virginia player Alecko Eskandarian, the No. 1 draft pick by Major League Soccer) ... helped World Class win '02 Orange Classic, beating state cup champs from Florida and Georgia and finalists from Massachusetts and Texas South ... member of Torpedoes teams that won seven state cup titles ('95-'98, '00-'02), '97 and '98 regional titles ... scored both goals in '02 state cup final ... earned three letters with Ramapo Regional spring track team (hurdles, 100 and 400 dash), running winter track as senior (55 and 400) ... member of National Honor Society and Academic Decathlon State Team ... three former Notre Dame fencers - sabre All-American Mike Janis ('85) and foilists Mindi ('96) and Aimee ('00) Kalogera - attended Ramapo Regional while former Notre Dame lacrosse midfielder Frank Matarazzo is a native of Franklin Lakes (Bergen Catholic HS) ... brother Greg Reed is junior center back at Haverford College ... daughter of William and Katherine Reed ... full name is Elizabeth Regan Reed ... born April 13, 1985, in Englewood, N.J. ... enrolled in Mendoza College of Business ... intends to major in finance.

Reed's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2003	23/8	17	2	1	5	0

In the Postseason

Event	GP/GS	G	A	Pts	GW
BIG EAST	2/0	0	0	0	0
NCAAs	2/0	0	0	0	0
Totals	4/0	0	0	0	0



Returning backline standout who started at left and central positions in '03, when she was named BIG EAST rookie of the year ... strong leftfooted player who could patrol left side of defense in '04 or return centrally alongside All-American Melissa Tancredi ... attended a U.S. Under-21 National Team nine-day training camp in July of '04 (at Home Depot Center in Carson, Calif.), where she impressed the U.S. staff with her hard tackling skills ... has good speed, reads the game well and is rarely caught out of position ... looking to improve her

decision-making in the offensive third ... boasts excellent ability in the air ... prep All-American who was on pace to play for U.S. Under-19 National Team before back (Oct. '01) and ankle (March '02) injuries ... rated by Soccer America as nation's No. 22 incoming recruit in '03 ... a tenacious competitor and highly-skilled player all over the field ... made early commitment to the Irish in spring of '02 ... thrives in 1-on-1 tackling situations ... also has clever play, creative footwork and crisp passing skills of an attacking midfielder (where she played as a prep) ... led F.C. Bucks Challenge to '03 national semifinals, narrowly missing title game ... complete player with tremendous understanding of the game and strong leadership ... has skill on the ball to provide crisp distribution ... her busy '04 summer included playing alongside several players with ND ties on the W-League's Fort Wayne Fever, logging 15 games (3 goals, 1 assist) for 11-3-1 team that lost to Chicago Cobras in Midwest Division title game (3-2) ... top forward Stephanie Porter ('94) also wore No. 18 for the Irish ... several of her former F.C. Parkwood teammates play for teams on ND's '04 schedule: Elise Koslowski (UConn), Jen McGlick (Seton Hall) and Villanova's Lindsey Finnegan and Laura Koch ... also played alongside Carli Lloyd (Rutgers) and Stanford trio of Jenny Farenbaugh, Hayley Hunt and Nicole Barnhart at u-21 training, Santa Clara's Leslie Osborne at u-19 camps, and ASU's Manya Makoski at u-19 and u-21 camps ... posted 3.42 GPA in her freshman year.

AS A FRESHMAN: Named second team all-BIG EAST and BIG EAST rookie of the year after settling in next to Tancredi as dominating pair of central defenders ... also named second team Freshman All-American, by Soccer Buzz ... three-time BIG EAST rookie of the week ... appeared in 23 of 24 games (all but ASU), with 20 starts (1G-3A) ... helped overcome absence of injured All-America right back Candace Chapman ... played lead role for defense that finished 5th in nation with 0.49 goals-against

Shaner's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2003	23/20	11	1	3	5	0

In the Postseason

Event	GP/GS	G	A	Pts	GW
BIG EAST	2/2	0	0	0	0
NCAAs	2/2	1	0	2	0
Totals	4/4	1	0	2	0



#18 Christie Shaner

Sophomore • Defender

Ambler, Pennsylvania
Germantown Academy

BIG EAST Rookie of the Year

avg. (also 4th with 15 shutouts), allowed just 53 shots on goal, compiled 10-game shutout streak (5th NCAA history, longest since '99), logged ND-record 16 straight games without deficit, held 20 of final 21 opponents to 0-3 shots on goal, and completed stretch of 24 games without allowing multiple goals (tying ND record) ... opened at left back but settled into central back position after Gudrun Gunnarsdottir's broken wrist ... defensive MVP of Santa Clara Classic, helping limit Stanford (0-0) and SCU (2-1) to three combined shots on goal ... Irish then allowed just one goal in next 15 games, with span of 138 minutes without allowing a shot (vs. Butler and Georgetown) ... notched all her points in final 10 games, with each assist on well-placed services ... struck rightside corner kick vs. Miami (3-0), with Katie Thorlakson providing near-post flick and Boland converting leftside header (1-0) ... her leftside corner set up first goal vs. UConn (2-0), with Tancredi snapping header at far post and Thorlakson nudging ball into goal ... assisted at Pittsburgh (1-0) with long service into the box on Mary Boland's strong header from 12 yards into upper right corner (1-0) ... scored in NCAA first-round win over Loyola Chicago (5-0), finding herself unmarked at near post for header on Thorlakson's leftside corner.

PREP & PERSONAL: Member of U.S. National Team program since '98, including spot in u-21 pool ... a Parade ('02, '03) and NSCAA ('00, '01, '02) All-American ... member of Olympic Development Program Region I team from '98-'03 ... five-year starter at Germantown Academy (83-12-6 record, '98-'02) ... played with ODP regional team at tournaments in England, Scotland and Ireland in 2001 (u-17 team), Italy, Monaco and France in '02 (u-19) and Holland, Belgium, Germany and Ireland in '03 (u-19) ... five times all-league/all-county while helping GA win 8th-12th consecutive league titles ... '02 Southeast Pennsylvania player of year ... switched from central defense to center mid. as junior, sparking 18-4 season ... played center mid. in '02 (15G; 15-3-2) ... four-time all-Southern Pennsylvania pick, twice all-city ... all-state as senior captain and MVP ... switched to F.C. Parkwood Challenge club in '96 (now F.C. Bucks Challenge), coached by Ed Leigh (his daughter Kimmy played at Seton Hall) ... three-year captain of that team and won '02 State Cup Fair Play Award - with four state titles ('00-'03) and regional runner-up finishes in '00 and '02 (losing to Bethesda, Md.) before claiming '03 regional title (PKs vs. Prince William Strikers) ... headed to Germantown, Md., for '03 nationals (July 23-27), with 3-3 draw vs. Peachtree City Lazars (Ga.) in u-19 round-robin before losing to Elk Grove (Calif.) United (2-1) and beating Kolping (Ohio) Ben-Gals (3-1) to narrowly miss final ... scored



on two headers in '00 state cup final (2-0; first-ever regional trip) ... all-star at Adidas ESP Elite Camp ('00, '01) ... member of state ODP from '94-'03 ('01 regional champs, '02 national champs) ... named to USYSA under-18 All-America team in '01, playing in Adidas Cup and Europe Tour ... played with USYSA u-17 all-stars in '00, winning Adidas Cup in Houston ... MVP of annual GA/PC event ('01, '02) ... started playing soccer at age of five ... five-year member of indoor track team, running on 4x400 relay team that set school record in '02 (team captain) ... also competed in Penn Relays ... talented swimmer (200 freestyle) before focusing on soccer in 8th grade ... pursued senior project in Brazil, staying with a family in Rio and compiling photo-journal of Fluminense soccer team (spring '03) ... volunteers to teach Spanish to preschool classes ... senior class president ... hails from same high school as several former Notre Dame student-athletes (including lacrosse player Alissa Moser and swimmer Marie Labosky) ... her sister Julie was soccer midfielder at University of Pennsylvania ('00-'01) while her sister Laurie was diver and water polo player at Wesleyan ('03; also prep goalkeeper at Gwynned-Mercy) ... daughter of David and Susan Shaner ... full name is Christie Robinson Shaner ... born Sept. 7, 1984, in North Wales, Pa. ... enrolled in College of Arts and Letters.





#16 Becky Tweneboah

Sophomore Forward

**North Lauderdale, Florida
St. Thomas Aquinas H.S.**

Speedy frontrunner who could help fill forward rotation, after graduation of Amy Warner and Amanda Guertin ... product of strong soccer programs with St. Thomas Aquinas High School and Boca Blaze ... has flair for quick strike ... her fitness level could be key to '04 production ... returned to Boca Blaze in summer of '04, helping win under-19 state title ... her club teammate Suzanne Collins plays at SMU (which will participate in '04 ND Classic) ... eighth Florida native to play for Notre Dame women's soccer ... other Irish players to wear No. 16 include midfielder and NCAA all-time assist leader Holly Manthei ('98) and defender Lindsey Jones ('02) ... posted 3.08 grade-point average in her freshman year.

AS A FRESHMAN: Had a goal and assist while appearing in six games ... played in early win over Oklahoma (5-1) ... knocked in Amber McMillin's right-endline pass to cap scoring versus North Texas (8-1) ... passed to top of box for Annie Scheffer's goal versus Georgetown (6-0) ... saw quality minutes in first and second half of 3-0 win over Miami.



PREP & PERSONAL: All-county pick (15G-9A) as senior member of St. Thomas Aquinas state runner-up team (Satellite Beach won on PKs, also beating St. Thomas in '02 title game) that went 31-2-1 (201-11 scoring edge) ...

all-state, all-county and all-conference as junior (13G-10A) ... part of Aquinas program that totaled 475-42-10 record in 20 seasons (110-8-4 in her career), with eight state titles and four seasons with nation's No. 1 ranking ... competed on team that took third at '03 Renaissance Cup in Italy ... scored late goal vs. Hillsboro United in '02 state final (2-1) ... helped Blaze reach final of Orange Classic, scoring four goals in first two games (win over defending national champ GSA) ... also played defense in five years with ODP team ... earned three letters as track sprinter ... ran second leg of state champion 4x400 relay team as sophomore (3:54.65), also winning Florida Relays (3:59.62) ... led Boca Blaze to seven state cup titles (state cup MVP in '01, '02) ... other St. Thomas products to play for Notre Dame include baseball All-America pitcher Chris Niesel (signed with Cleveland Indians after '04), football QB Bill Zloch ('66) and receiver Bobby Brown ('00), and tennis players Melissa ('93) and Brian ('96) Harris ... her father Kwame Tweneboah played soccer in Ghana before coming to U.S. while her mother Sharon ran track in Jamaica ... her 16-year-old brother Jonathan is a soccer and basketball player and three-year-old sister Sarah is a dancer ... born June 18, 1985, in Plantation, Fla. ... enrolled in College of Arts and Letters.

Tweneboah's Career Stats

Year	GP/GS	Sh	G	A	Pts	GW
2003	6/0	2	1	1	3	0

FAR AND WIDE – Much like the composition of the Notre Dame student body, players come from far and wide to be a part of the Irish women's soccer program – with 13 states, two Canadian provinces, Iceland and Finland represented on the '04 roster while the program's all-time roster includes players from 30 states and three foreign countries (as marked by stars in the above map).



The Sophomores



Second-year goalkeeper who combines with junior Erika Bohn and freshman Lauren Karas to give Irish tremendous depth in the nets for 2004 season ... played sparingly as Bohn's backup in 2003 but then gained valuable experience while playing every minute of 2004 spring season (when Bohn was sidelined due to injury) ... continued to make strides in summer of '04 while playing alongside Notre Dame teammate Kate Tulisniak with the W-League's Ohio Internationals ... has made key

improvements in her footwork, ballhandling and technique on crosses ... a proven shot-stopper and big-game performer as a prep, with great reactions and athleticism ... allowed just five goals while helping Irish post 5-1-1 record in 2003 spring season, with lone loss coming versus potent Mexican National Team (3-2) ... the five spring wins came versus the Dallas Texans club team (3-0), Michigan State (3-1), Wisconsin-Milwaukee (3-0), Western Michigan (4-1) and Illinois (1-0), plus a 1-1 tie versus Florida ... her '04 summer stats in the W-League included a 1.30 goals-against average, 36 saves and nine goals allowed ... named to W-League team of the week after lateseason shutout of Fort Wayne Fever squad (2-0) that included three of her classmates (Jill Krivacek, Kim Lorenzen and Christie Shaner), plus several others with Notre Dame ties ... yet another of her Notre Dame classmates (Jen Buczkowski) played in the W-League's Midwest Division in summer of '04 with the Chicago Cobras ... compiled 3.40 grade-point average during her freshman year.

AS A FRESHMAN: Backed up Bohn while helping Irish finish 5th in nation with a 0.49 season goals-against average ... closed out four shutouts in seven games of action, posting a 0.56 GAA (4 saves, 1 GA) in 162 minutes ... logged 19 shutout minutes and recorded a save in opener versus Hartford (9-1, at UConn) ... added 10 shutout minutes versus Oklahoma at ND Classic (5-1) before playing 20 minutes without allowing a goal by Western Kentucky (5-0; save) ... logged her second-longest stint of season with 33 minutes versus North Texas, allowing a goal in that 8-1 game before logging 22 minutes to close shutout of Indiana State (3-0) ... saved shot in 16 minutes versus Georgetown (6-0) ... played entire second half and saved only shot she faced in NCAA first-round win over Loyola Chicago (5-0).

Westfall's Career Statistics

Year	GP/GS	SV	GA	Min.	GAA	ShO	W-L-T
2003	7/0	4	1	161:24	0.56	0(4)	0-0-0

Notre Dame's 2003 Freshman Class - rated fifth best in the nation:
 (kneeling from left) Claire Gallerano, Nikki Westfall, Jen Buczkowski and Kim Lorenzen,
 (standing from left) Becky Tweneboah, Lizzie Reed, Christie Shaner, Jill Krivacek, Kari Kennedy and Molly Iarocci.



#0 Nikki Westfall

Sophomore • Goalkeeper

Waterville, Ohio
 Anthony Wayne H.S.

PREP & PERSONAL: A four-year letterwinner as goalkeeper at Anthony Wayne High School ... earned all-conference and team MVP honors as a senior, when she also served as team captain ... all-conference as a sophomore and senior ... set school records for shutouts in a season (15, as a sophomore, with just five GA) and for consecutive shutouts ... posted 0.88 career GAA, including state-best 0.76 as a senior (12 shutouts) ... stopped 2-of-3 shots (the other went over the crossbar) in penalty-kick shootout during freshman season ... helped team reach district finals in her junior season, suffering tough loss in overtime ... also played for Pacesetters club team ... member of Olympic Development Program 2001 state team and region B player pool ... received first team all-state athletic academic honors ... recognized for outstanding academic performance in extracurricular activities, as selected by the Lucas County Educational Service Center ... member of National Honor Society ... daughter of Neil and Roberta Westfall ... full name is Nicole Stiles Westfall ... born July 1, 1985, in Toledo, Ohio ... intends to major in international business and business law.





#25 Kerri Hanks

Freshman • Forward

*Allen, Texas
Allen H.S.*

U.S. Under-19 National Team

One of the top young forwards in the world, as leading scorer for 2004 U.S. Under-19 National Team ... has delayed her admission to Notre Dame until 2005 spring semester, in order to train and compete with U.S. squad at Under-19 World Championship (Nov. 10-27, in Thailand) ... pure goalscorer who was rated by Soccer America as nation's No. 4 incoming recruit for '04 - behind North Carolina goalkeeper Ashlyn Harris, Ohio State M/F Lara Dickenmann and Princeton midfielder Diana Matheson ... hails from one of nation's top cub programs, earning "Golden Boot" as tournament's top scorer with Dallas Texans '85s under-19 squad that won '03 national title (current Notre Dame sophomores Kari Kennedy and Claire Gallerano also were members of that team) ... has a feisty attacking sense to go along with good quickness ... cited Notre Dame's "classic and traditional style that emphasizes skilled play" as a leading reason for her decision to play for the Irish ... passionate competitor with refuse-to-lose mentality ... a creative and clever player who is a true student of the game, keeping up with international fútbol and modeling her game after some of the world's greatest players (including England's Michael Owen and France's Thierry Henry) ... has a variety of finishing touches, with equal ability to put spin on ball or finish with power ... played on 2004 Texans '86s under-19 squad alongside another future Notre Dame teammate, goalkeeper Lauren Karas ... set to become 16th Texas native to play for Notre Dame women's soccer program.



WITH U.S. NATIONAL TEAMS: Star attraction at 2004 World Under-19 Eight Nation's Qualifying Tournament in Montreal (May 28-June 4), leading the field with 10 goals in five games ... posted back-to-back hat tricks in qualifying group wins over Dominican Republic and Trinidad & Tobago ... scored all her goals vs. Dominicans in 21-minute stretch, with one highly-skilled goal coming after she let the ball run through her legs before striking it into the net with her right heel ... also scored to tie game versus Canada (2-1 loss), knocking rebound shot into upper right corner ... current Notre Dame sophomore midfielder Jen Buczkowski was a starting defender with the U.S. Under-19s but elected to play for the Irish in fall of '04 ... enters '04 World Championship with 18 goals in 23 career games with u-19s, ranking her as team's top career u-19 scorer (second in games played) ... totaled team-best eight goals in '03 interna-

tional games (also two assists), as captain of u-19 squad ... helped u-19s win Adidas Houston Cup in summer of '03, adding hat trick in win over American All-Stars before international games in Germany (2G; 4-1) and Holland (1G; 3-0) ... one of youngest players (16) on 2002 Under-19 team that won gold medal at World Championship (1-0 in overtime, versus host Canada), replacing future Notre Dame teammate and current Irish junior midfielder Annie Scheffer (ACL knee injury weeks before that inaugural U-19 World Championship) ... started and scored versus Taiwan at '02 World Championship, also seeing time in wins over Denmark and Germany ... one of four members of 2004 Under-19 squad that also played in '02 World Championship ... member of u-19 team that participated in Trinidad and Tobago at '02 qualifying, with two assists and a goal (versus

Jamaica) in two games played ... totaled five goals and five assists in 11 games (4 starts) with 2002 u-19 team that went 2-2-2 ... played in '02 games versus Costa Rica and Mexico (both in Pachuca, Mexico), also playing in European tour (2G vs. Germany U-19s, also facing Sweden) and two additional games versus Mexico in San Diego ... scored first goal with Under-19s versus Canada on May 27, 2002 - followed by hat trick versus USYSA All-Stars (May 21) and game-winner versus U.S. Under-21 National Team (1-0; June 21) ... also scored in '02 loss to Russia (4-1; at Home Depot Center in Carson, Calif.) ... played on '02 World Championship squad that included fellow forwards Heather O'Reilly and Lindsay Tarpley (UNC), Megan Kakadelas (Santa Clara), Kelly Wilson (Texas) and Angie Woznuk (Portland).

PREP & PERSONAL: Totaled 47 goals in two seasons at Allen High School before focusing on national-team duty ... earned NSCAA and Parade All-America honors as junior and senior, starring for U.S. Under-19s and Dallas Texans ... played in McDonald's All-America Game (summer '04) ... member of Olympic Development Region III team from '99-'04 (also member of ODP North Texas state team) ... named area newcomer of the year as a freshman (23 goals for conference champs), adding all-area and all-region honors as a sophomore (24 goals) ... played up an age group as eight-year member of Texans '85s club team that held nation's No. 1 ranking in 2003 ... led Texans to 2003 national title, earning Golden Boot Award as top scorer at USYSA national tournament in Germantown, Md. ... scored in 61st minute to tie first game in four-team round-robin at '03 nationals (1-1 versus Colorado Academy) ... Texans then tied Bethesda (Md.) Dragons (1-1) and beat Tsunami Sota (Minn.) in 3-0 game, with Hanks scoring twice in national title-game rematch versus Tsunami (2-0) ... captained Texans for three years ('00-'03) ... scored a goal in every league game during 2002 and '03 seasons ... joined her age group ('86s) for final season with Texans, with team winning WAGS tournament and Premier League title before losing in '04 regional quarterfinals ... played for '99 and '00 Texans 85s teams that won state and regional titles (u-14 and u-15) ... named finals MVP and all-tournament at Alamo Cup with u-17 Texans squad, with her corner kick setting up Jessica Maxwell's tying goal versus Challenge S.C. in title game (Hanks then placed 22-yard free kick into upper right corner for 2-1 win) ... started playing soccer at age of four ... also accomplished in judo ... member of National Honor Society, with 3.85 grade-point average ... father Gary played semi-professional soccer (fútbol) in his native England, prior to moving to Texas ... daughter of Pam and Gary Hanks ... full name is Kerri Michel Hanks ... born Sept. 2, 1985, in Plano, Texas ... will enroll in the First Year of Studies, beginning in spring of 2005.



The Freshmen

One of three prep All-Americans who headline nation's No. 2-ranked freshman class in '04 ... dynamic option at forward or attacking midfielder ... rated by Soccer Buzz among nation's top-25 incoming recruits ... a strong player with tremendous all-around workrate that meshes with ND's pressing style ... proven competitor with wealth of top-level youth experience (including U.S. Under-17s) ... known for technical ability with ball at her feet ... played alongside several ND players with W-League's Fort Wayne Fever (summer '04) ... 11th Ohio native to play for ND women's soccer (including '04 teammate Mary Boland) ... former ND players to wear No. 5 include current U.S. defensive midfielder Shannon Boxx ('95-'98), current Monogram Club board member Jill Matesic ('91-'94) and Academic All-America defender Vanessa Pruzinsky ('99-'03).

PREP & PERSONAL: Three-year veteran of U.S. soccer program, playing alongside ND classmate Susan Pinnick on Under-17 National Team, training at Home Depot Center in Chula Vista, Calif. ... also has played alongside Pinnick on ODP Region II team ... named NSCAA and Parade All-American as senior at Laurel HS (37 goals, 26 assists for district champs), when she repeated as state player of the year ... also a Parade All-American as a junior (40G-17A; 17-1-1 team) ... served as cap-



#5 Amanda Cinalli

Freshman
Forward/Midfielder

Maple Heights, Ohio
Laurel H.S.

tain for U.S. under-17 team in game vs. Germany (March '03; in Bradenton, Fla.), registering two assists in win ... played vs. WUSA's San Diego Spirit in stint with U.S. Under-19 National Team ... competed with U.S. Under-16 National Team during '02 tournament in Paris ... played with ODP Region II at '02 tournament in Italy ... captain of Cleveland F.C. ('03 North Ohio champs) ... led Cleveland F.C. to five state titles in 10 years ... all-star at '03 Houston



Adidas Cup ... three-time MVP and senior captain as basketball point guard (league MVP as senior) ... softball centerfielder as freshman (coaches award) ... involved in school government and volunteer activities ... an honors student ... brother Michael played youth soccer ... daughter of Ronald and Rose Cinalli ... Amanda Marie Cinalli ... born May 10, 1986, in Cleveland ... enrolled in First Year of Studies ... intends to major in pre-professional studies.



#12 Ashley Jones

Freshman • Midfielder

Westlake Village, California
Westlake H.S.

Newcomer who is fresh off rare double of winning national titles with state Olympic Development and local club team ... provides midfield presence different from ND's returners - due to dual strengths as defensive battler and offensive threat (reminding Irish coaches of former star midfielder Ashley Dryer) ... classic workhorse who competes all over the field ... very capable with ball at her feet ... has great tactical awareness of the game ... set to be 22nd Californian to play for ND women's soccer ... previous Notre Dame players to wear No. 12 include forwards Tasha Strawbridge ('94), Michelle McCarthy ('96) and Amy Warner ('04).

PREP & PERSONAL: Capped pre-college career as member of Southern California United's 50-4-5 team in '03-'04 that won USYSA under-17 national title in Orlando - with round-

robin vs. Dallas Texans (2-1), Windy City Pride (2-3; winning goal in final 0:30) and Bethesda Excel (2-0) before beating Pride in title game (4-1) ... only one previous team (boys or girls, any level) from Ventura Country had won a USYSA club title (So-Cal United U-16 Boys, in '03) ... United also were '02 and '03 national runner-up ('01 semifinalist) ... member of Cal-South ODP team

('00-'04) that won '04 national title after semifinal win over Missouri (5-0) and 1-0 final vs. North Texas and future ND teammate Lauren Karas (in Las Vegas) ... member of '03 ODP Region IV Team ('02 pool) ... twice all-state at



Westlake HS (15G-17A as captain and MVP in '03-'04), with '02-'03 team winning sectional title (21-0-1) ... helped WHS go 69-7-9 in her career, with three undefeated seasons and four league titles (all-league/all-county each season) ... WHS athlete of the year and Ventura County Star scholar-athlete of the year ... other United highlights in her six-year career (team captain since '01) include '02 and '03 Coast Premier League titles, 5-0 win over defending national champs San Diego Surf in '03 state-title game (at Home Depot national training facility), three Surf Cup and two Las Vegas Showcase titles ('03, '04) ... three-year member of WHS cross country team (team MVP, all-league/all-county as freshman and sophomore; captain as junior)

... named Ventura County runner of year as sophomore (ran 19:31 at state finals, for 3.1 miles) ... all-county and all-league softball infielder as freshman and sophomore ('02 MVP) ... honors student (4.54 indexed GPA), governor's scholar, California Scholarship Federation Gold Seal and physics student of the year ... has volunteered 100-plus hours at Los Robles Regional Medical Center ... brother Brian plays soccer for So-Cal United Boys Under-16s ... daughter of Doug and Lisa Jones ... full name is Ashley Lauren Jones ... born Aug. 20, 1986, in Valencia, Calif. ... enrolled in First Year of Studies ... intends to major in business.





#6 Lauren Karas

Freshman • Goalkeeper

*Flower Mound, Texas
Flower Mound H.S.*

One of nation's top goalkeeping prospects and fourth product of Dallas Texans club on current Irish roster (as are her classmate Kerri Hanks and sophomores Kari Kennedy and Claire Gallerano) ... combines physical 5-9 presence with agility and tremendous vocal leadership of defense ... consistent and dependable performer ... very tough in the air ... set to become 15th Texas native to play for Notre Dame women's soccer ... played alongside classmate Amanda Cinalli and several others with ND ties on W-League's Fort Wayne Fever during summer of 2004 ... posted 8-3-1 record and 1.42 goals-against avg. (52 saves/18 GA) for 11-3-1 Fever ... inherited No. 6 worn previously by forward Amanda Guertin (from nearby Grapevine, Texas).

PREP & PERSONAL: Won the Golden Glove Award as top keeper at 2003 Olympic Development Program nationals, making 15

saves for North Texas ODP in semifinal win over New Jersey (2-0) and 12 in title-game loss to ND classmate Ashley Jones and California-South squad (1-0; in Las Vegas) ... member of U.S. Under-16 National Team player pool and part of ODP Region III team from '00-'04 (North Texas ODP '99-'04) ... played two seasons with Dallas Texans ('02-'04) after three with Dallas Sting ('99-'02) ... stellar career at Flower Mound HS included 0.82

GAA in 73 games and nearly 5,500 minutes (440 SV/56 GA, 34 shutouts) - with '03 all-state honors (1.03 GAA, 141 SV/17 GA) ... two-year captain, '02 team MVP ... three-time district GK of



the year ('02-'04) at FMHS, closing in '04 with 0.63 GAA (123 SV/10 GA, 8 shutouts) ... academic all-state pick in '04 ... picked up Golden Glove Award at '04 Como Champions Cup, while playing with Region III team in Italy ... had 1-0 shutout of U.S. Under-17 National Team (Nov. '03, in Boca Raton, Fla.) ... attended elite Adidas ESP Camp ('02, '03) ... helped Texans beat defending national champs Sereno (Ariz.) Golden Eagles in final of 2003 WAGS national tournament final (2-1), with

another title-game win over the Eagles at the '04 WAGS event ... made big save to help Sting win '01 state title, plus two clutch saves in shootout at '01 regional semifinals (vs. GSA Fury, in Memphis) ... helped Sting win '01 Dallas Cup Spring Classic ... played for Magic ('97-'99) and Hamilton (N.J.) Highjinx ('94-'97) ... lettered two years in track and field, as record-setting long jumper (34-9.5; 4th at district meet) ... member of National Honor Society ... father Dan Karas was baseball first baseman at Temple ... daughter of Dan and Denise Karas ...

full name is Lauren Elizabeth Karas ... born May 15, 1986, in Summit, N.J. ... enrolled in First Year of Studies ... intends to major in pre-professional studies.

South Bend product who has played for U.S. Under-17 National Team, earned prep All-America honors and was on Soccer Buzz list of nation's top-50 incoming recruits ... tremendous attacker and playmaking spark who will not play for Irish in '04 due to injuries suffered when her club team's van was in a June 12th accident ... set to attend classes in the fall, with plans to join the Irish for '05 spring season ... ultimate team player who has handled her setback with inspiring grace ... effective at making runs and beating opponents off the dribble, due to her speed and athleticism ... has shown ability as both wide midfielder and central forward ... could follow defender Lindsey Jones ('02; Adams HS) as second local product to play for Irish in the Randy Waldrum era ('99-).

PREP & PERSONAL: An NSCAA and Parade All-American for '03-'04, with 28 goals, 10 assists for St. Joseph's HS squad that reach '03 state final (76G-36A career) ... also Gatorade and Miss Soccer state player of the year ... NSCAA all-region as junior (19G-16A) ... earned first of three first team all-state honors as sophomore (16G-6A; 13G-4A as all-district freshman) ... played alongside ND classmate Amanda Cinalli on U.S. Under-17 National Team, training at Home Depot Center (Chula Vista, Calif.) ... member of Olympic Development Region II Team ('02-'04), playing at inter-regional events in Boca Raton, Fla., during Thanksgiving of '02 and '03 (goal in 1-1 tie vs. Region IV at '03 event, with assist in 3-1 win over Region III) ... member of Indiana ODP team from '01-'04 (three regional camps) ... helped Indiana ODP win repeat as Region II champ in '02 before placing

third at nationals (Plano, Texas) ... attended elite Adidas ESP National Camp ('03) ... member of Carmel Commotion club since '02, helping '02-'03 team go 34-4-3 as national runner-up ... Orange Classic MVP (Ft. Lauderdale; Christmas '02), with first-goals vs. Bethesda Rowdies (2-0), Real Colorado (3-1) and D'Feeters (No. Texas) in 1-0 title game ... helped win Volvo Showcase in Memphis, scoring first goal in final vs. Indianapolis-area rival Dynamo-Katner (4-3) ... led team to '03 Jefferson Cup title in Richmond, Va., scoring vs. PDA, N.J., Galaxy (2-0; 1G-1A vs. Southcoast, Mass., Scorpions) ... Commotion won '03 Region II title in Des Moines: 2-1 vs. KCFC (Kan.) Dynamos, 6-0 vs. NSA (Ill.) Lazers, 1-1 vs. Madison (Wis.) 56ers, 4-0 vs. DSU (southern Ohio) and 1-0 vs. Michigan Hawks (1G vs. Lazers, 1G-1A vs. DSU) ... team placed second at

#27 Susan Pinnick

Freshman • Forward

*South Bend, Indiana
St. Joseph's H.S.*



'03 nationals (Germantown, Md.), with 7-0 loss to Sereno (Ariz.) Eagles before beating PDA Galaxy (1-0) and Greensboro (N.C.) Twisters (6-2; 1G), then 3-0 loss to Sereno in title game ... played six seasons with Jr. Irish Lightning (32G for '01-'02 state semifinalists) ... two-year starting guard for SJHS basketball ('01-'02 regional finals) ... 10th in state and set SJHS track record in 400 meters ('04) ... extensive involvement in extracurriculars ... member of NHS (3.96 GPA) and student government, with aspirations for law career ... daughter of Pat ('85 ND MBA) and Jane Pinnick ... full name is Susan Michelle Pinnick ... born May 27, 1986, in South Bend ... enrolled in the First Year of Studies.



The Freshmen

Defensive midfielder addition who rounds out Notre Dame's stellar group of newcomers in 2004 ... underwent summer shoulder surgery on July 1 to repair a torn labrum and will not play in '04 while undergoing four-month rehabilitation (she would have the option of applying for a fifth year of eligibility in 2008) ... could impact the program in the future, with similar traits to current classmate Ashley Jones and former Notre Dame midfielder Kimberly Carpenter ... an agile and tough player with solid passing and ballwinning skills ... has shown good positional awareness and technical speed, with ability to quickly transition to the offensive end ... played for one of the nation's top club programs, the St. Louis-based Busch Soccer Club ... two previous Missouri natives have played for the Notre Dame women's soccer team (both attended Academy of the Visitation in St. Louis): forward Michelle McCarthy, the second-leading scorer on the 1995 NCAA championship team (17 goals, 12 assists), and defender Heather Murphy (lettered in '89).

PREP & PERSONAL: Standout defender for five seasons on Busch Soccer Club ('99-'04), with 2004 team earning No. 17 national ranking ... helped Busch win five state titles ('00-'04) and Olympic Development Region II titles in '01 (under-15s; 27-0 scoring margin) and '02 (u-16s; 15-0) - with the '01 and '02 teams then finishing as national runner-up ('04 team placed third in



#29 Kelly Simon

Freshman • Midfielder

*Columbia, Missouri
Rock Bridge H.S.*

region) ... she and her parents regularly logged 250 roundtrip miles from Columbia to St. Louis for Busch practices and games ... helped '01-'02 team go 33-4-4 (undefeated tournament play) with 0.39 goals-against average (16 GA) while '04 team held 19-1 scoring edge vs. state teams ... her Busch teams finished first at '02 Super Clubs Tournament (Memphis) and '01 Best of the Midwest u-16 event (Naperville, Ill.) while earning invites to Adidas Final Four Showcases in '01 (Dallas) and '02 (Austin) ... four-year letterwinner at Rock Bridge High School while playing variety of positions (wide defender, stopper, sweeper, defensive and center midfielder, and forward) ... named first team all-conference, district, region and state in '03 and '04 ... led RBHS to three conference titles ('01, '02, '04, runner-up in '03), plus '01 district title (No. 9 in final state poll) ... key part of '03 defense that allowed just 13 goals (nine

shutouts) ... also played freshman basketball ... played for Columbia Soccer Club ('91-'96) and then Columbia Pride Boys Soccer Club ('96-'00) ... also played on boys basketball and baseball teams during her youth sports days ... played for ODP state team from 2000-02 (invited to Region II camp in '00 and '02) ... member of National Honor Society, Rock Bridge Reaches Out and Young Life ... saw Notre Dame women's basketball win '01 NCAA title at Savis Center in St. Louis ... her brother Pete played soccer at Rollins while her father Craig ('74) was rugby player at Notre Dame and her mother (the former Shelley Muller, '76) was an ND cheerleader ... full name is Kelly Kathryn Simon ... born March 9, 1986, in Columbia, Mo ... enrolled in the First Year of Studies ... intends to major in psychology and theology.



#3 Jannica Tjeder

*Freshman
Forward/Midfielder*

Espoo, Finland

*Finland Under-21
National Team*

Member of Finland national team program who is expected to add new dimension to Irish attack due to her skills on the ball and European experiences that enable her to read the game tactically at a very high level ... has tremendous composure with the ball and great field vision ... rated the nation's No. 24 incoming recruit for 2004 (per *Soccer America*) ... a proven goalscorer with strong technical ability ... looking to improve on her speed and ability in the air ... set to become the second Finland native to play for Notre Dame women's soccer program, following four-year All-America midfielder and 2000 national player of the year Anne Makinen (Helsinki) ... has played as both a forward and attacking midfielder for Finland's under-17, u-19 and u-21 national teams.

PREP & PERSONAL: Native of Espoo, Finland (located outside Helsinki) ... named the Veikkaus Oy player of the year after totaling 9 goals and 13 assists during 18 games played in the 2003 Finnish Women's Championship Series (she scored 13 goals in '02) ... served as captain of her club team F.C. Espoo ... her busy 2004 summer included playing 12 games with her club team and six as starter with the Under-19s ... first began playing soccer on boys teams ... made visit to Notre Dame in late January of 2004 and was hosted by current senior defender Gudrun Gunnarsdottir, a native of Seltjarnarnes, Iceland ... named a top-five student in the 9th grade before being recognized for having the best GPA in her 11th-grade class at Makelanrinteen ... has a twin sister Daniella ... daughter of Peter and Christel Tjeder ... full



name is Jannica Gabriella Tjeder ... born Jan. 20, 1985, in Helsinki ... enrolled in the First Year of Studies ... intends to major in business.

