

Student-Athletes



The 2008-09 edition of the Notre Dame women's swimming and diving team welcomes back 25 monogram winners – including five school record holders – and five newcomers.



Student-Athletes



Lucy Hirt

**Senior • 5-6
Diving
Mundelein, Ill.
Mundelein**



AS A JUNIOR: Top 1-meter mark came during the Shamrock Invitational (259.87) ... racked 219.07 points in the same event in a home meet with USC ... her BIG EAST Championships count in that event was 205.55 ... topped out with a 257.40 in the 3-meter event at the Shamrock Invitational ... also scored 244.60 against Purdue ... posted respective scores of 234.50 and 230.70 in the preliminary and final rounds of the BIG EAST meet.

HIRT'S CAREER BESTS

1-meter (6)	259.87 • 2008 Shamrock Invite
3-meter (6)	264.53 • 2007 vs. Louisville
1-meter (11)	235.90 • 2007 Michigan Invite
3-meter (11)	257.80 • 2007 Michigan Invite

AS A SOPHOMORE: Recorded a career-best in the 3-meter with a score of 264.52 against Louisville ... that score was the third-best on the team ... second-best on the team in the 3-meter (11 dives) with a score of 257.80 at the Michigan Invitational ... her score in that event was a career high ... also set a career high in the 1-meter (11 dives) with a score of 235.90 at the Michigan Invitational.

AS A FRESHMAN: Competed at the BIG EAST Championships in a pair of diving events ... earned runner-up status and was all-BIG EAST in the 3-meter dive with 422.5 points in the finals, edging out teammate Tara Hyer ... also finished eighth in the 1-meter dive with 203.15 points in the finals ... had her best day in diving in the 1-meter during a dual meet against Michigan State (245.84) ... BIG EAST Academic All-Star ... selected by the coaching staff as the most improved diver on the season.

THE HIRT FILE: Four-year letterwinner as a diver at Mundelein (Ill.) ... three-time team MVP ... all-conference and all-city diver as a junior and senior ... garnered all-state honors and was team captain as a senior ... conference, section and state champion in her final prep season ... received a 3-meter score of 398.2 (11 dives) at the conference championships ... ranked ninth nationally as a senior ... born Feb. 9, 1987, in Barrington, Ill. ... daughter of Jamie and Joe Hirt ... sister, Emily, dives at Illinois State ... enjoys water and slalom skiing ... enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters as a pre-professional studies and psychology major.





Claire Hutchinson

Senior • 5-3
Free / IM
Baltimore, Md.
McDonough



AS A JUNIOR: A constant force for the Irish throughout the season ... steady performances in the 200 Free came at the Husky Invitational with times of 1:52.26 and 1:54.48 ... rolled through the 500 Free in 4:53.00 at the BIG EAST Championships ... that output was over 21 seconds faster than what she swam during her earlier outing of the season in that event ... top time in the 1,000 Free (10:07.52) came at Purdue ... locked a mark of 16:41.85 in the 1,650 Free at the league meet ... fastest swim in the 200 Fly (2:01.67) was recorded at the BIG EAST Championships ... her only try at the 200 IM was at Toledo (2:11.38) ... had five shots at the 400 IM, peaking with a 4:29.86 at the Irish Invitational.

HUTCHINSON'S CAREER BESTS

25 Free	12.00 • 2007 Husky Invite
200 Free	1:52.26 • 2008 Irish Invite
500 Free	4:51.75 • 2006 BIG EAST
1,000 Free	9:52.98 • 2006 vs. Purdue
1,650 Free	16:26.94 • 2006 Minnesota Invite
200 Back	2:12.71 • 2007 vs. Louisville
200 Fly	2:01.67 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 IM	2:11.38 • 2008 vs. Toledo
400 IM	4:22.28 • 2006 BIG EAST

AS A SOPHOMORE: Qualified for the NCAA Championships in two events (500 and 1,650 Free) ... qualified for the BIG EAST Championships in the same two events ... BIG EAST finalist and scored points for the Irish in each of her two races ... set career records in four different events during the season ... shattered her previous 1,000 and 1,650 Free marks, besting both times by over 10 seconds ... the team's top 1,650 Free swimmer on the season.

AS A FRESHMAN: Represented the Irish at the NCAA Championships in three events ... finished 38th in the 500 Free ... was 38th in the 400 IM and 25th in the 1,650 Free ... earned all-BIG EAST honors in a pair of events ... runner-up in the 1,650 Free with a career-best time (16:34.37), also the school's fourth-best time in that event ... runner-up to teammate Katie Carroll in the 400 IM (4:22.28) ... won the 1,000 Free in the dual meet against Pittsburgh ... swam her best time in the 1,000 Free against Minnesota (10:02.67) ... had the team's third-best 500 Free time at the BIG EAST Championships (4:51.75) ... won the Beeler-Hipp Award.

THE HUTCHINSON FILE: Four-year letter winner in swimming at McDonough (Md.) ... three-time conference champion and All-America ... All-American in the 400 Free Relay, 200 Free, and 500 Free ... Senior National qualifier in the 400, 800 and 1,500m Free ... 2004 U.S. Olympic Trials participant in the 800m Free ... four-time national finalist in 1,500m Free at the USA Swimming National Championships ... school record holder in 200 Free, 500 Free and 400 Free Relay ... swam for the North Baltimore Aquatic Club for 10 years ... placed eighth at 2006 Open Water Nationals ... born Nov. 17, 1986, in Oakland, Calif. ... daughter of Mary and Tom Hutchinson ... enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters.

Student-Athletes



Christa Riggins

Senior • 5-10
Free
Phoenix, Ariz.
Sunnyslope



AS A JUNIOR: Garnered seven all-BIG EAST honors to bring her career total to 17 ... had a hand in setting four school records throughout the season ... swam the 200 and 400 Free events at the U.S. Olympic Trials ... named the Monogram Club MVP ... earned invitations to the NCAA Championships in the 50 Free, 100 Free and 200 Free ... in fact, her 200 Free mark (1:44.89) was not only a school record and the fastest time at the BIG EAST Championships, but the nation's fifth-best performance heading into the NAAs ... swam the final portion of the 800 Free Relay (7:17.35) at the BIG EAST meet to help her team to a runner-up finish ... posted a 200 Medley Relay result (1:48.84) that set a school record ... third in the 50 Free (22.98) among league swimmers ... went 1:31.07 in the 200 Free Relay to set the program's new benchmark and claim a BIG EAST crown ... placed third in the 100 Free (49.39) and aided her 400 Free Relay (3:19.38) quartet to the top of the podium en route to setting a school record ... swam the 500 Free at the Shamrock Invitational in a season-best time of 4:55.64.

AS A SOPHOMORE: Competed in seven events at the NCAA Championships ... highest finish came in the 800 Free Relay, helping her team to a 13th-place accolade ... competed in the 200 Free Relay, 400 Free Relay and 400 Medley Relay ... individually, she competed in the 50 Free, 100 Free and 200 Free ... best finish was a 34th-place showing in the 200 Free ... two-time BIG EAST champion, taking the cake in the 800 Free Relay and 200 Free Relay ... qualified for three individual events for the BIG EAST Championships ... finished second in the 200 Free with a career-best time of 1:47.82 ... earned all-BIG EAST honors in the 200 Medley Relay and 400 Free Relay ... totaled five all-BIG EAST accolades at the meet ... finished with the team's second-best marks in the 50 Free and 100 Free.

AS A FRESHMAN: Five-time all-BIG EAST performer ... third-place finisher in the 100 Free (50.47) at the BIG EAST Championships ... runner-up in the 200 Free (1:49.12) ... key member of the 200 Free Relay team that finished third in 1:32.23 ... that mark ranked third in the Notre Dame record book ... her 400 Free Relay (3:22.48) team finished third at the league meet ... guided the 800 Free

Relay (7:19.46) team to a silver finish and the second-fastest time in school history ... won the 50 Free (24.07) in the dual meet against California ... member of the 500 Crescendo Free Relay team that was the heat winner with a record-setting time of 4:32.50 at the Dennis Stark Relays.

THE RIGGINS FILE: Four-time letterwinner in swimming and softball at Sunnyslope (Ariz.) ... named the team's most improved her freshman season in swimming, then earned three consecutive outstanding swimmer awards ... qualified for the Junior National Championships in the three different relays ... born June 17, 1987, in Phoenix, Ariz. ... daughter of Janet and Greg Riggins ... enrolled in the Mendoza College of Business.

RIGGINS' CAREER BESTS

25 Free	10.80 • 2007 Husky Invite
50 Free	22.89 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Free	49.39 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 Free	1:44.89 • 2008 BIG EAST
500 Free	4:53.14 • 2006 Minnesota Invite
100 Back	58.95 • 2007 Husky Invite
100 Fly	1:00.42 • 2008 vs. Toledo





Casey Wagner

Senior • 5-6
Free
Glenshaw, Pa.
Shady Side



AS A JUNIOR: Earned an invitation to the U.S. Olympic Trials and took part in the 400 Free at the event ... tabbed all-BIG EAST in the 1,650 Free after placing third at the league championship meet ... gave the 50 Free (25.99) a shot at Minnesota ... raced the 100 Free on four occasions with her best mark coming in 53.80 during the Irish Invitational ... streaked through the 200 Free in the final heat of the BIG EAST Championships in 1:49.71 after clocking at 1:52.49 during the preliminary round ... fastest mark in the event during the regular season was 1:53.00 at the Irish Invitational ... posted times of 4:53.09 and 4:53.71 at the BIG EAST meet in the 500 Free ... paced herself with a time of 10:10.31 in the 1,000 Free against Pittsburgh ... saved her best distance time of the season for the BIG EAST meet, drying off with a time of 16:39.77 in the 1,650 Free ... that time was nearly four seconds faster than her previous season-best, a 16:43.28 registered during the Irish Invitational.

WAGNER'S CAREER BESTS

50 Free	25.84 • 2006 vs. Michigan State
100 Free	51.95 • 2005 Notre Dame Invite
200 Free	1:49.71 • 2008 BIG EAST
500 Free	4:49.19 • 2006 BIG EAST
1,000 Free	9:53.13 • 2006 vs. Purdue
1,650 Free	16:39.77 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Fly	57.72 • 2005 Notre Dame Invite
200 Fly	2:02.53 • 2006 Michigan Invite

AS A SOPHOMORE: A key swimmer for the Irish at the BIG EAST Championships, pulling in 53 points to aid the team victory ... member of the title-winning 800 Free Relay at the conference meet ... the win marked her first BIG EAST title and fourth all-BIG EAST accolade ... set a career-best in the 1,650 Free at the conference meet with a time of 16:42.74 for a fourth-place finish ... set two more career records throughout the season in the 50 and 1,000 Free ... the third-fastest swimmer for the Irish in the 500, 1,000 and 1,650 Free.

AS A FRESHMAN: Participated in three events at the BIG EAST Championships ... placed third in the 500 Free (4:49.19) at the BIG EAST meet, the eighth-best time in the record book at Notre Dame ... member of the 800 Free Relay (7:19.46) team that finished second at the BIG EAST meet ... her 400 Free Relay finished third in 3:22.46 ... won the 1,000 Free (9:58.27) in the dual meet against California ... won the 500 Free (4:55.87) against California ... checked in with the team's fourth-fastest in the 100 Free (51.95) at the Notre Dame Invitational ... registered the team's second-best time in the 500 Free and the top mark in the 1,000 Free on the season.

THE WAGNER FILE: Swam at Shady Side (Pa.) while earning the a pair of letters and the team's MVP award on two occasions ... twice held a national ranking ... earned All-American honors after her freshman and senior seasons ... qualified for Senior Nationals in the 1,000 and 1,650 Free ... born Oct. 19, 1986, in Pittsburgh, Pa. ... daughter of Kathryn Fuhrer and Charles Wagner ... enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters as a film, television and theatre major ... president of Notre Dame's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC).

Student-Athletes



Colleen Bauza

Junior • 5-10
Back
Palm Harbor, Fla.
Palm Harbor



AS A SOPHOMORE: Missed the bulk of the 2007-08 season due to injury ... swam in a pair of races ... finished the 50 Back in 28.67 against USC ... also finished the 100 Back in 1:00.17 against the Trojans.

AS A FRESHMAN: A strong competitor for the Irish throughout the season ... sixth-fastest for the Irish in the 100 Back with a time of 59.38 set at the Shamrock Invitational.

THE BAUZA FILE: Four-time All-American at Palm Harbor (Fla.) ... 200 Medley Relay All-American in each of her first three seasons ... as a senior, was an All-American in the 100 Back ... holds the Pinellas County conference record in the 200 Medley Relay ... set her high school's record in the 200 Medley Relay, 200 Free Relay and 400 Free Relay ... all-time best marks through high school: 50 Free (25.11), 100 Free (55.00), 50 Back (27.89), 100 Back (58.41), 200 Back (208.29), 50 Fly (26.39) and 100 Fly (1:00.24) ... born Oct. 10, 1987, in Clearwater, Fla. ... daughter of Trish and Michael Bauza ... the oldest of two children ... pre-professional studies, psychology and history major.

BAUZA'S CAREER BESTS

50 Free	25.74 • 2007 Michigan Invite
50 Back	28.67 • 2007 vs. USC
100 Back	59.38 • 2007 Shamrock Invite
200 Back	2:09.95 • 2007 Michigan Invite





Maggie Behrens

Junior • 5-9
Back / IM
Munster, Ind.
Munster



AS A SOPHOMORE: Swam the 100 Back at the 2008 U.S. Olympic Trials ... placed third in the 100 Back at the BIG EAST Championships ... named team's most improved swimmer ... sprinted against Pittsburgh and covered the 50 Free in 25.30 ... fastest time in the 100 Free was 54.10, clocked during the Shamrock Invitational ... that was an improvement on her first try in the event during the Husky Invitational (56.46) ... shaved over two seconds off her 50 Back time between a meet with USC (27.67) and Toledo (25.06) ... her top two times in the 100 Back came during the Husky Invitational (58.25 and 58.59) ... swam the 100 Back on 11 occasions throughout the season ... top two times in the 200 Back came at the Irish Invitational (2:07.81) and Shamrock Invitational (2:08.16) ... topped out in the 100 Breast (1:07.16) against Toledo ... shaved over seven seconds off her best 200 IM mark throughout the course of the season, going from 2:16.35 (Miami) to 2:09.32 (Irish Invitational).

AS A FRESHMAN: Placed fifth at BIG EAST Championships in the 200 Back... was sixth in 100 Back at conference meet ... ended the season with the fastest time in the 200 Back for the Irish ... was third-fastest for the Irish in the 50 and 100 Back.

BEHRENS' CAREER BESTS

50 Free	24.93 • 2007 vs. Louisville
100 Free	54.10 • 2008 vs. Shamrock Invite
50 Back	25.06 • 2008 vs. Toledo
100 Back	56:47 • 2007 BIG EAST
200 Back	2:02.40 • 2007 BIG EAST
100 Breast	1:07.16 • 2008 vs. Toledo
200 IM	2:08.83 • 2006 Minnesota Invite

THE BEHRENS FILE: A two-time Indiana high school state runner-up in the 100 Back ... two-time Munster (Ind.) team captain and four-time Munster Seashore team MVP ... USA Swimming Scholastic All-American ... NISCA high school Academic All-American ... a junior national qualifier in backstroke events ... sported a perfect 4.0 grade-point average on four occasions, earning a Munster scholar-athlete award each time ... all-time best marks through high school: 100 Back (57.00), 200 Back (2:05.32), 200 IM (2:06.56) and 100 Free (52.90) ... born Dec. 19, 1987, in Evanston, Ill. ... daughter of George ('79) and Mary Behrens ('80), both Notre Dame graduates ... second oldest of four children ... younger brother, Patrick, also attends Notre Dame while Kevin swims for Munster ... older brother, George, attends Purdue ... enrolled in the College of Letters and Arts as a psychology major.

Student-Athletes



**Pat
Duret**

**Junior • 5-8
Breast
Sarasota, Fla.
Cardinal Mooney**



AS A SOPHOMORE: Went one round in the 50 Free (27.45) and the 100 Free (59.36) at the Shamrock Invitational ... swam the 100 Back in 1:07.26 (Irish Invitational) and 1:10.37 (Miami) ... excelled in the 100 Breast during the Irish Invitational (1:10.71) and the Shamrock Invitational (1:10.72) ... touched the wall in 2:28.51 in the 200 Breast and 2:31.39 during the Shamrock Invitational ... also tried her hand in the 200 IM (2:18.88) versus Pittsburgh and the 100 Fly (1:04.11).

AS A FRESHMAN: Best meet of the season was the Shamrock Invitational where she posted four career-best times with the Irish ... main events during the campaign were of the breaststroke variety ... eighth best for the Irish in the 100 and 200 Breast.

THE DURET FILE: Cardinal Mooney (Fla.) team MVP as both a junior and senior ... named to the Herald Tribune All-Area Team in each of her final three prep seasons ... member of the Sarasota YMCA Sharks, a team that was the YMCA national champion in 2005 and 2006 with Duret on the squad ... swam for the Sharks since she was six years old and honored with the team's Mary Champey award ... regional qualifier for the 2005-06 campaign ... district champion as both a sophomore and junior ... named MVP for her high school in her final two seasons ... member of the National Honor Society, Interact Club, Pep Club and God Rocks ... full name is Patricia Genevieve Duret ... daughter of Martine and Patrick Duret ... born March 17, 1988, (St. Patrick's Day) in Skokie, Ill. ... hails from the same area and high school as former Notre Dame tight end Jared Clark ... older brother plays soccer for Western Illinois ... avid ice skater ... enjoys painting and drawing ... member of Notre Dame's Undergraduate Women In Business Club ... enrolled in the Mendoza College of Business as a marketing major.

DURET'S CAREER BESTS

50 Free	26.88 • 2006 vs. Pittsburgh
100 Free	59.36 • 2008 Shamrock Invite
100 Back	1:07.26 • 2008 vs. Miami
100 Breast	1:08.99 • 2007 Shamrock Invite
200 Breast	2:28.51 • 2008 Irish Invite
100 Fly	1:04.11 • 2008 vs. Toledo
200 IM	2:15.64 • 2007 Shamrock Invite





Ashlee Edgell

Junior • 5-11
IM / Free
Cincinnati, Ohio
Madeira



AS A SOPHOMORE: Represented Notre Dame at the U.S. Olympic Trials, taking part in the 400 IM ... went 25.99 in the 50 Free at Toledo ... shot through in 54.18 in the 100 Free at the Husky Invitational ... top 200 Free (1:55.45) performance came at Minnesota ... finished the 500 Free in 5:12.56 at Toledo ... made a splash with a time of 1:03.51 in the 100 Back during the Irish Invitational ... went through the water in 1:05.23 versus Miami in the 100 Back ... a nine-time participant in 200 Back showings ... her quickest time was registered during the BIG EAST Championships (2:08.34), over seven seconds faster than what she swam at Minnesota (2:15.28) ... top 200 IM (2:03.26) time came during the league meet, as did her fastest 400 IM (4:20.67) performance.

EDGELL'S CAREER BESTS

50 Free	25.99 • 2008 vs. Toledo
100 Free	54.18 • 2007 Husky Invite
200 Free	1:52.53 • 2006 Minnesota Invite
500 Free	5:12.56 • 2008 vs. Toledo
100 Back	1:03.51 • 2008 Irish Invite
200 Back	2:04.75 • 2006 Minnesota Invite
200 IM	2:02.08 • 2007 BIG EAST
400 IM	4:18.45 • 2006 Minnesota Invite

AS A FRESHMAN: Had an outstanding freshman season for the Irish ... took the title at the BIG EAST Championships in the 200 IM with a career-best time of 2:02.08, shattering her prep-best time of 2:04.15 ... also earned all-BIG EAST honors in the 400 IM with her third-place finish and career-best time of 4:18.45 ... finished the conference meet with a 17th-place finish in the 200 back ... second-fastest on the season for the Irish in the 200 and the 400 IM ... given the Beeler-Hipp award at the end of the season.

THE EDGELL FILE: Eleven-time all-state selection (100 Free, 200 Free, 200 Free Relay and 400 Free Relay) ... Ohio state record-holder in 200 IM ... Madeira (Ohio) school record holder in the 200 IM, 100 Free, 100 Back, 200 Medley Relay ... three-time Ohio state champion in the 200 IM ... an All-American in both her junior and senior seasons in the 200 IM after being an honorable mention All-American in the event as a sophomore ... NISCA high school All-American ... greater Cincinnati Enquirer Swimmer of the Year as a sophomore ... greater Cincinnati Enquirer All-Star all four years ... national qualifier in the 200

IM ... league's breaststroke champion her freshman and sophomore seasons the league's swimmer of the year each of her first three seasons ... swam for the Cincinnati Marlins club team for six seasons ... U.S. Open Qualifier in the 200 IM and 400 IM in 2004-06 ... 2006 Spring Nationals Qualifier in the 800 Free Relay, 400 Medley Relay, 400 Free Relay, 400 IM and 200 IM ... 2005 Summer Juniors National Qualifier in the 200, 400 and 800 Free Relay, and the 200 and 400 Medley Relays as well as the 200 IM and 400 IM ... top prep times: 50 Free (24.83), 100 Free (52.50), 200 Free (1:53.52), 500 Free (4:59.75), 1,650 Free (17:33.16), 100 Back (1:00.49), 200 Back (2:05.97), 100 Breast (1:08.42), 200 Breast (2:26.21), 100 Fly (1:00.36), 200 Fly (2:14.20), 200 IM (2:04.15) and 400 IM (4:22.10) ... also ran cross country for all four years in high school, serving as team captain her senior season ... named the Most Improved Cross Country runner as a freshman and junior ... member of the National Latin Honor Society ... born Nov. 8, 1987, in Cincinnati, Ohio ... daughter of Diana and Larry Edgell ... youngest of two children ... uncle, Jeff Tunnell, played basketball at Rice.

Student-Athletes



Megan Farrell

**Junior • 5-7
Free / IM
Hopkinton, Mass.
Hopkinton**



AS A SOPHOMORE: Capped off her sophomore campaign with a cameo at the U.S. Olympic Trials, swimming in the 200 IM ... picked up a trio of all-BIG EAST honors (800 Free Relay, 400 Medley Relay and 400 Free Relay) ... her 400 Free Relay (3:19.38) quartet set a school record in the event ... fastest time in the 100 Free (51.15) came during the BIG EAST Championships ... that came after steady improvement in the event throughout the season ... started the campaign with a 52.82 in the event at Minnesota ... sported a best time of 1:49.35 in the 200 Free at the league meet ... made her 500 Free debut and finale at the Husky Invitational with a time of 4:57.02 ... had four tries at the 200 Back, peaking with a time of 2:01.69 at the BIG EAST Championships ... swam the 100 Fly in 57.87 against Pittsburgh ... finished the 200 Fly at Purdue in 2:06.94 where she also swam the 400 IM in 4:24.19 ... posted a season-best time of 2:03.23 in the 200 IM during the league meet.

AS A FRESHMAN: Qualified in four events for the NCAA Championships ... member of the 13th-place 800 Free Relay and the 20th-place 400 Free Relay at the national level ... also competed individually in the 200 IM and the 200 Free at the national meet ... only freshman swimmer to compete for the Irish at the NCAA Championships ... qualified for four BIG EAST Championships events ... member of the title-winning 800 Free Relay, her first BIG EAST championship and lone all-BIG EAST accolade from the meet ... brought in 44 individual points at the meet ... the top swimmer for the Irish in the 200 Free ... turned in the season's second-best time for in the 200 Fly ... third-best in the 200 and the 400 IM.

THE FARRELL FILE: Spent prep career swimming for Hopkinton (Mass.) ... Massachusetts high school state champion in the 200 Free and runner-up in the 500 Free... NISCA high school All-American ... team MVP as a senior ... scholar-athlete award winner all four years ... 2003 Boston Globe and Boston Herald All-Scholastic team ... U.S. Open Qualifier in six events ... Senior National qualifier in the 200 Free and Fly ... Junior National qualifier in nine events ... swam at the 2006 Summer Junior Nationals with a broken foot ... New England Swimming Women's High Point Award ... New England Swimming Outstanding Athlete of the Year ... member of the NISCA Academic All-American team ... ranked eighth during the 2005 summer in USA Swimming's IMX Challenge ... career-best marks through high school: 100 Fly (55.48), 200 Free (1:50.26), 100 Free (51.64) , 200 Fly (2:04.19) ... born April 29, 1988, in Newton, Mass. ... daughter of Kathy and Michael Farrell ... one of three children ... brother, Christopher, plays baseball at Catholic University ... earned a spot on dean's list in the spring of 2008 ... elected to Notre Dame's Academic Affairs Committee for Student Government ... member of the Undergraduate Women In Business Club ... avid Boston Red Sox fan ... enrolled in the Mendoza College of Business, majoring in finance and economics.

FARRELL'S CAREER BESTS

100 Free	51.15 • 2007 NCAA Championships
200 Free	1:49.12 • 2006 Minnesota Invite
500 Free	4:57.02 • 2007 Husky Invite
200 Back	2:01.69 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Fly	57.12 • 2006 Minnesota Invite
200 Fly	2:02.57 • 2007 BIG EAST
200 IM	2:03.23 • 2008 BIG EAST
400 IM	4:24.19 • 2007 vs. Purdue / Texas A&M





Gina Mancini

Junior • 5-7
Free / Breast
Falmouth, Maine
Falmouth



AS A SOPHOMORE: Saved her fastest performance in the 50 Free (24.19) for the BIG EAST Championships ... swam the 100 Free (53.90) at the league meet as well ... top time in the 100 Free (53.78) was registered during the Shamrock Invitational, where she also swam the 100 Back (1:01.89) ... turned in a time of 1:08.38 during the preliminary round of the 100 Breast at the BIG EAST meet ... next fastest time in the event was a 1:08.84 set at the Irish Invitational.

AS A FRESHMAN: Qualified for the BIG EAST Championships in three events – 50 Free, 100 Free and 100 Breast ... recorded three of her career-best times with the Irish at the Minnesota Invite at the beginning of the season ... the sixth-quickest performer in the 100 Breast throughout the season.

THE MANCINI FILE: Eight-time individual state champion as a prep at Falmouth (Maine) ... led her high school to three state championships ... four-time Maine State Championship Swimmer of the Meet ... three-time Maine State Swimmer of the Year ... served as team captain each of her last two prep seasons ... went undefeated in all high school individual races in her four years ... holds three individual state high school swimming records (50 Free, 100 Free and 100 Breast) ... also holds two state records in relay events ... national qualifier ... NISCA high school Academic All-American ... NISCA high school swimming All-American ... three-time All-American (50 Free, 100 Free and 100 Breast) ... served as team captain for the Westbrook Seals ... born April 22, 1988, in Portland, Maine ... daughter of Nancy and Gino Mancini ... oldest of three children ... enrolled in the Mendoza College of Business.

MANCINI'S CAREER BESTS

50 Free	24.19 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Free	53.78 • 2007 Michigan Invite
100 Back	1:01.89 • 2008 Shamrock Invite
100 Breast	1:07.71 • 2006 Minnesota Invite
200 Breast	2:32.57 • 2008 Irish Invite
200 IM	2:12.10 • 2006 Minnesota Invite

Student-Athletes



Keri Masterson

Junior • 5-8
Fly / Free
West Hempstead,
N.Y. / Sacred Heart



AS A SOPHOMORE: Fastest time in the 50 Free (25.24) was registered at the Husky Invitational, besting her mark of 25.57 set during the Irish Invitational ... also swam the 100 Free in 55.13 at the Husky Invitational ... best 200 Free performance (2:04.21) came during the Irish Invitational ... took a shot at the 100 Back (1:03.67) at Toledo ... it was her lone race on the season in that event ... went a couple of rounds at the Husky Invitational in the 100 Fly, maxing out with a 58.19 in the preliminary heat ... top 200 Fly mark (2:15.12) came at Minnesota.

AS A FRESHMAN: Qualified for the BIG EAST Championships in three different events ... competed in the 50 Free, 100 Free and 100 Fly at the conference level ... posted two career-bests with the Irish at the conference meet in the 50 and 100 Free ... also found success versus Purdue in recording career bests in the 100 and 200 Fly ... the sixth-fastest for swimmer on the season in the 200 Fly.

THE MASTERSON FILE: Swam four years at Sacred Heart (N.Y.) ... state champion in the 100 Fly ... two-time CHSAA MVP ... two-time All-American (400 Free Relay and 100 Fly) ... team MVP as a senior ... served as team captain her senior season ... CHSAA record holder in the 50 Free, 100 Fly, 400 Free Relay, 200 Free Relay and 200 Medley Relay ... NISCA high school academic All-American ... NISCA high school All-American ... career-best marks through high school: 100 Fly (55.26), 50 Free (23.82), 100 Free (52.11) ... National Merit Student ... swam for the Long Island Aquatic club team ... part of both the Mathematics and Science National Honor Societies ... born Feb. 23, 1988, in Manhasset, N.Y. ... daughter of Joanne and Tom Masterson ... father, Tom, played football and lacrosse at Harvard ... grandfather, Eugene McConnell, played basketball at St. Francis College ... older brother, Chris, attended Notre Dame and played lacrosse ... made the dean's list after a stellar spring 2008 semester ... enrolled in the Mendoza College of Business as a finance major.

MASTERSON'S CAREER BESTS

25 Free	11.83 • 2007 Husky Invite
50 Free	24.58 • 2007 BIG EAST
100 Free	54.09 • 2007 BIG EAST
200 Free	2:04.21 • 2008 Irish Invite
100 Back	1:03.67 • 2008 vs. Toledo
100 Fly	58.05 • 2006 vs. Purdue
200 Fly	2:09.83 • 2006 vs. Purdue





Tiffany Robak

Junior • 5-7
Diving
Milwaukee, Wis.
Pius XI



AS A SOPHOMORE: Did not compete for the Irish ... sat out after having surgery on both shoulders.

ROBAK'S CAREER BESTS

1-meter (6)	249.30 • 2007 vs. Louisville
3-meter (6)	287.25 • 2007 vs. Louisville
1-meter (11)	251.05 • 2007 NCAA Zone C
3-meter (11)	252.10 • 2007 Husky Invite

AS A FRESHMAN: Finished 12th in the 1-meter 11 dives at the NCAA Zone C with 251.05 points in the finals ... qualified in both the 3-meter and the 1-meter event at the BIG EAST Championships ... finished well for the Irish in both events, bringing in 15 points for the Notre Dame victory ... posted career-bests in both the 1-meter and the 3-meter events against Louisville ... the top diver for the team in the 3-meter (six dives) and the 1-meter (11 dives) ... second-best 1-meter (six dives).

THE ROBAK FILE: Five-time 3-meter YMCA national champion ... three-time All-American ... two-time 1-meter YMCA national champion ... two-time Wisconsin High School Diver of the Year ... three-time team MVP as a prep at Pius XI (Wis.) ... NISCA high school All-American ... competed in the U.S. Diving Open in spring 2006 ... born Feb. 26, 1988, in Milwaukee, Wis. ... daughter of Doreen and Joseph Robak ... enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters as a pre-professional studies and Spanish major.

Student-Athletes



**Zeina
Shanata**

Junior • 5-5
Free
Gainesville, Fla.
Bucholz



AS A SOPHOMORE: Scored points in the 200 Fly (2:05.10) at the BIG EAST Conference Championships ... lone performance in the 50 Free (25.11) came during the Shamrock Invitational ... swam the 100 Free in 53.64 at the Husky Invitational ... took a shot at the 200 Free (1:53.52) during the league meet ... finished the 1,000 Free in 10:29.53 against LSU ... dried off in 58.10 at the Husky Invitational in the 100 Fly ... checked in at 2:08.01 in the 200 IM at the BIG EAST meet, her fastest time in the event on the season ... swam the 400 IM at the Husky Invitational in 4:32.51.

AS A FRESHMAN: Posted strong times against Purdue, marking four career-bests ... recorded three career-bests at the Michigan Invitational for another strong showing ... was fourth-fastest for the Irish in the 200 Fly ... received the Golden Dumbbell Award and the Swimming Coaches Award at the end of the season.

THE SHANATA FILE: Three-time champion in the state of Florida ... member of the two-time high school team state champions as a prep at Bucholz (Fla.) ... four-time All-American ... two-time team MVP ... NISCA high school All-American ... two-time high school team captain ... served as Gator Swim Club team captain in spring 2006 ... Gator Swim Club record holder in nine events ... Gainesville Sun Swimmer of the Year for three straight years ... career-best times in high school: 200 Free (1:50.40), 500 Free (4:55.71), 100 Fly (56.74), 200 Fly (2:03.05), 100 Free (51.03), 50 Free (23.86) ... born Oct. 2, 1987, in Miami, Fla. ... daughter of Haydee and Anwar Shanata ... oldest of two children ... currently learning to play guitar ... performed during Notre Dame's 2008 O.S.C.A.R.S. (Outstanding Student-Athletes Celebrating Achievements and Recognition Showcase) ... enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters as a psychology major.

SHANATA'S CAREER BESTS

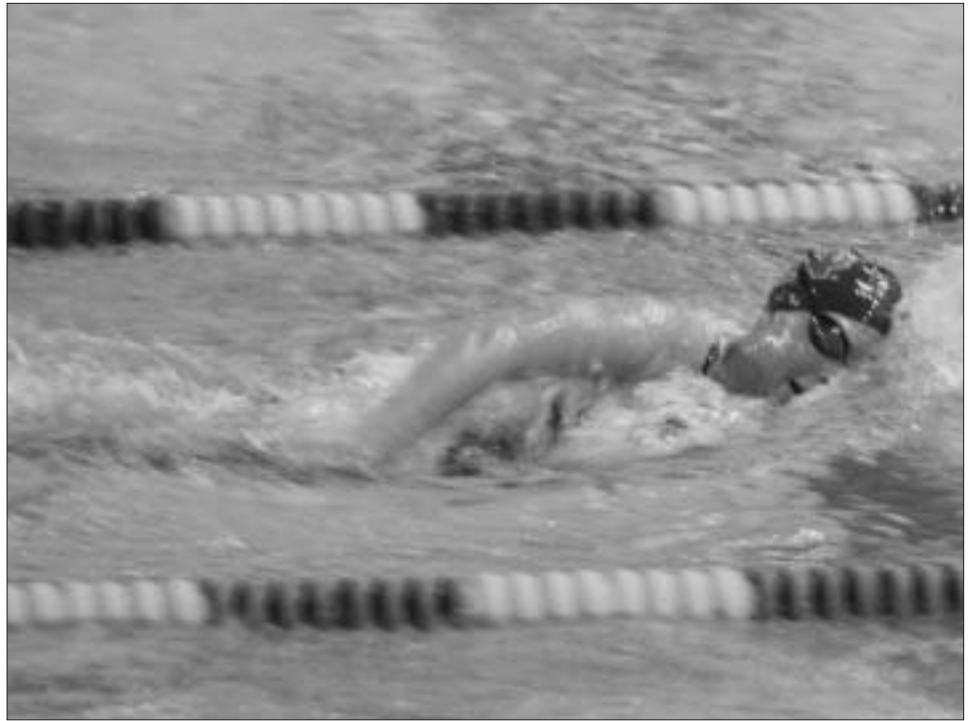
50 Free	24.95 • 2007 Michigan Invite
100 Free	53.31 • 2006 vs. Purdue
200 Free	1:53.06 • 2006 vs. Purdue
500 Free	5:05.69 • 2007 Michigan Invite
1,000 Free	10:23.31 • 2006 vs. Michigan State
100 Fly	57.91 • 2006 vs. Purdue
200 Fly	2:05.10 • 2007 Husky Invite
200 IM	2:08.01 • 2008 BIG EAST
400 IM	4:23.51 • 2007 Husky Invite





Lexie Shue

Junior • 5-9
Free / Breast
Corona del Mar, Calif.
Corona del Mar



AS A SOPHOMORE: Checked in with a time of 25.59 in the 50 Free against Pittsburgh ... also recorded a time of 5:04.42 in the 500 Free versus the Panthers while clearing the 1,000 Free in 10:12.99 ... best 1,000 Free time of the season was a 10:05.09 at Toledo ... at the Shamrock Invitational, swam the 1,650 Free (17:00.44) and 400 IM (4:36.29) ... swam the 100 Breast (1:12.73) and 200 Breast (2:29.47) once throughout the season.

AS A FRESHMAN: Was fourth-fastest for the Irish in three events, the 500, the 1,000 and the 1,650 Free ... was the fifth-fastest swimmer in two events for the team, the 100 and the 200 Breast ... recorded all her best times of the year in the beginning of the season ... earned a monogram.

THE SHUE FILE: Undefeated in dual-meet competition all four years as a prep ... seven-time California CIF state champion ... record holder in four events at Corona del Mar (Calif.) ... three-time MVP of her high school squad ... two-time Los Angeles League MVP ... served as team captain her senior season ... Irvine Aquazot club team record holder in eight events ... NISCA high school Academic All-American ... NISCA high school All-American ... national qualifier in the 1,650 Free, 1,000 Free and 500 Free... best times in high school: 500 Free (4:51.11), 1,000 Free (9:52.31), 1,650 Free (16:33.53) ... born May 22, 1988, in Ridgewood, N.J. ... daughter of Pamela and William Shue.

SHUE'S CAREER BESTS

50 Free	25.59 • 2007 vs. Pittsburgh
200 Free	1:55.32 • 2006 Dennis Stark Relays
500 Free	4:52.79 • 2006 vs. Michigan State
1,000 Free	10:01.39 • 2006 vs. Purdue
1,650 Free	16:55.42 • 2006 Minnesota Invite
100 Breast	1:06.49 • 2006 Minnesota Invite
200 Breast	2:23.73 • 2006 vs. Pittsburgh
400 IM	4:36.29 • 2008 Shamrock Invite

Student-Athletes



Natalie Stitt

**Junior • 5-6
Diving
Holland, Mich.
West Ottawa**



AS A SOPHOMORE: Earned a pair of all-BIG EAST honors ... finished first in the 3-meter event and was third off the 1-meter board ... followed a score of 272.70 in the 1-meter event in the prelims of the BIG EAST Championships with a 240.50 mark in the final heat ... top score in that event was a 306.89 at the Shamrock Invitational ... solid against Toledo with a score of 264.22 ... off the 3-meter board she set a season-best during the Shamrock Invitational (315.00) ... notched total counts of 266.90 and 254.60 during the league meet in the same event ... posted a preliminary score of 245.60 and a final round count of 250.0 for a 495.60 total in the 3-meter event at the NCAA Zone C diving meet ... those scores earned her a 15th-place finish ... registered respective scores of 252.45 and 240.50 in the preliminary and final rounds of the zone meet, good for 13th overall among the 41 divers competing in the event ... won team's award as the most improved diver.

AS A FRESHMAN: Pulled in best 1-meter (11 dives) performance of the year at the NCAA Zone C Championships ... that effort placed her in 16th behind teammate Tiffany Robak ... qualified for both the 1-meter (6 dives) and the 3-meter (6 dives) for the BIG EAST Championships ... finished third in the 1-meter to earn her first all-BIG EAST honors ... finished 10th in the 3-meter with a score of 221.15 behind teammates Tara Hyer and Robak.

THE STITT FILE: Diving state champion in Michigan ... two-time team MVP for West Ottawa (Mich.) ... won the state's Diver of the Year honors as a senior ... served as high school team captain for the 2005-06 campaign ... all-state and All-American in each of her three high school seasons ... NISCA high school All-American ... USA Diving Scholar Athlete ... all-state in the pole vault in 2005 ... track and field team captain during her final prep campaign ... born May 8, 1989, in Grand Rapids, Mich. ... daughter of Mary and Ray Stitt ... active in gymnastics as a youth ... enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters as an English major with a peace studies minor.

STITT'S CAREER BESTS

1-meter (6)	306.89 • 2008 Shamrock Invite
3-meter (6)	315.00 • 2008 Shamrock Invite
1-meter (11)	250.60 • 2008 Irish Invite
3-meter (11)	289.40 • 2008 Irish Invite





Katie Casey

Sophomore • 5-3
Fly / Free
Ponte Vedra Beach, Fla.
Bolles

AS A FRESHMAN: Swam the 200 Fly at the U.S. Olympic Trials ... shouldered a sizable load for the Irish throughout the regular season ... peaked with the BIG EAST Conference title in the 200 Fly ... placed third in the 100 Fly for an all-BIG EAST honor ... checked in at 1:52.79 in the 200 Free in the preliminary round of the conference meet ... next fastest time in the 200 Free came during the Shamrock Invitational (1:55.85) ... swam the 500 Free in 5:09.02 at the Husky Invitational ... recorded a time of 55.37 in the 100 Fly at the BIG EAST Championships after clocking in at 56.18 in the preliminary round ... her final time was nearly three seconds quicker than what she registered against Minnesota (58.31) earlier in the season ... whisked through the pack with a mark of 1:59.37 in the finals of the 200 Fly at the league meet ... her previous best of the season was a 2:01.09 against Minnesota ... tried her hand in the 200 IM (2:17.12) at the Irish Invitational.

CASEY'S CAREER BESTS

200 Free	1:52.79 • 2008 BIG EAST
500 Free	5:09.02 • 2007 Husky Invitational
100 Fly	55.37 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 Fly	1:59.37 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 IM	2:17.12 • 2008 Irish Invite

THE CASEY FILE: Nine-time All-American ... three-time All-American in the 200 Free, two-time All-American in the 500 Free, one-time All-American in the 100 Fly, one-time All-American in the 200 Free Relay and one-time All-American in 400 Free Relay ... was a conference champion, regional champion, and Florida state champion all four years in high school ... went undefeated through prep career ... captain of her high school team her senior year ... born on July 21, 1989, in Red Bank, N.J. ... daughter of Ann and Donald Casey ... her father and her uncle, Brian Casey, were members of the Notre Dame men's swim team ... has two siblings.



Delia Cronin

Sophomore • 5-9
Free
Phoenix, Ariz.
Xavier

AS A FRESHMAN: Swam a time of 24.42 in the 50 Free at the BIG EAST Championships ... it was an event in which she took part in 11 times throughout the season, also finishing the race in 24.53 (Minnesota), 24.61 and 24.93 (Pittsburgh), 24.65 (USC), 24.90 (Husky Invitational), 24.05 and 24.23 (LSU), 25.07 (Irish Invitational), 25.35 (Shamrock Invitational) and 25.49 (Toledo) ... ran through the 100 Free in 53.48 at the BIG EAST meet, 53.98 in the tri-meet with Purdue and Texas A&M, and then in 54.00 versus Pittsburgh ... turned in times of 1:56.64 (Irish Invitational) and 1:56.83 (Shamrock Invitational) in the 200 Free ... swam the 100 Breast (1:06.97) in the prelim heat of the BIG EAST Championships ... clocked a 2:16.63 in the 200 IM against Miami.

CRONIN'S CAREER BEST

25 Free	12.18 • 2007 Husky Invite
50 Free	24.42 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Free	53.48 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 Free	1:56.64 • 2008 Irish Invite
100 Breast	1:06.97 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 IM	2:16.63 • 2008 vs. Miami

THE CRONIN FILE: Set the National Private School 200 Medley Relay record in 2005 ... earned All-America honors her sophomore through senior seasons in the 50 Free, 100 Free, 200 Free, 200 Medley Relay, and 200 Free Relay ... earned all-state honors her sophomore through senior seasons ... Arizona state champion in each of her final three prep seasons ... voted team captain her senior year ... voted Regional Swimmer of the Year in 2005 ... member of the National Honor Society ... born Jan. 23, 1989, in Phoenix, Ariz. ... daughter of Debbie and Michael Cronin ... her father and grandfather, George Cronin, both attended Notre Dame ... youngest of five children ... three of her siblings attended Notre Dame.

Student-Athletes



Lizzie Gormley

Sophomore • 5-6
Breast
Houston, Texas
Langham Creek

AS A FRESHMAN: Took part in a pair of sprints, finishing the 100 Free at Miami in 58.47 and the 50 Free at the Shamrock Invitational in 26.71 ... saved her top time in the 100 Breast (1:05.61) for the BIG EAST Championships ... also recorded her best 200 Breast (2:19.75) at the league meet ... swam the 200 IM a pair of times, finishing the event at the BIG EAST meet in 2:10.36 while going the distance in 2:11.08 during the Irish Invitational ... had ankle surgery after season's end ... winner of the Beeler-Hipp and Golden Dumbbell awards.

GORMLEY'S CAREER BESTS

50 Free	26.71 • 2008 Shamrock Invite
100 Free	58.47 • 2008 vs. Miami
1000 Free	10:54.43 • 2008 vs. Miami
100 Breast	1:05.61 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 Breast	2:19.75 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 IM	2:10.36 • 2008 BIG EAST

THE GORMLEY FILE: Four-time NISCA All-American in the 100 Breast, the 200 IM and 200 Medley Relay ... USA Swimming Scholastic All-American ... earned all-state honors her junior and senior seasons ... earned all-city and all-conference honors after her junior and senior seasons ... regional champion as a senior ... prep squad, Langham Creek (Texas), went undefeated during her senior campaign ... member of the National Honor Society and Spanish National Honor Society ... rafted in South Bend's East Race ... born Oct. 27, 1988, in Houston, Texas ... daughter of Vikki and Bill Gormley ... youngest of four children ... sister swam at Texas ... enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters as a pre-professional studies major.



Heidi Grossman

Sophomore • 5-6
Diving
Barrington, R.I.
Barrington

AS A FRESHMAN: Top 1-meter performance was turned in at the Shamrock Invitational (276.60) ... turned in respective scores of 276.60 and 213.60 during the preliminary and final rounds at the BIG EAST Championships ... best 3-meter total of the season was registered at the Shamrock Invitational (295.21) ... checked in at 283.53 during the prelims of the league meet, followed by a 250.35 in the finals ... tallied 266.65 points at Minnesota ... 1-meter (11 dives) score at the Irish Invitational stood at 249.60 while her 3-meter score at the event was 255.60 ... got a taste of the racing circuit by swimming the 50 Free (29.00) at the Shamrock Invitational.

GROSSMAN'S CAREER BESTS

1-meter (6)	276.60 • 2008 Shamrock Invite
3-meter (6)	295.21 • 2008 Shamrock Invite
1-meter (11)	249.60 • 2008 Irish Invite
3-meter (11)	255.60 • 2008 Irish Invite

THE GROSSMAN FILE: An All-American diver as a junior and senior at Barrington (R.I.) ... competed at the New England Championships her final two prep years ... held the girls' 1-meter diving record with a score of 414.45 at the New England Championships ... seven-time Junior Olympics qualifier ... 2006 USA Diving Regionals champion on the 3-meter with a score of 338.55 ... member of high school field hockey team for four years ... earned all-state second team honors her senior season on the field ... born in Providence, R.I., on July 24, 1989 ... daughter of Holly and Paul Grossman ... has one younger sister ... mother played field hockey and lacrosse at Providence ... father played golf at Providence ... enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters ... majoring in graphic design and political science.





Kellyn Kuhlke

Sophomore • 5-5
Fly / Free
Plano, Texas
Plano West

AS A FRESHMAN: Hindered by an injury that sidelined her for most of the season ... swam in a pair of races for the Irish ... logged a 57.21 in the 100 Fly during a home meet versus USC ... at Minnesota, she shelved a 57.77 in the 100 Fly ... took part in the 100 Fly at the U.S. Olympic Trails.

KUHLKE'S CAREER BEST

100 Fly 57.21 • 2007 vs. USC

THE KUHLKE FILE: Ten-time All-American and scholastic All-American ... earned all-state honors all four years in high school ... holds Plano West (Texas) records in the 50 and 100 Free and 100 Fly ... also holds records in the 200 and 400 Free Relay ... three-time district champion ... two-time regional champion ... Texas state champion and team captain her senior season ... member of the National Honor Society and Spanish Honor Society ... born on April 3, 1989, in Minneapolis, Minn. ... daughter of Sheryl and John Kuhlke ... has three siblings.



Samantha Maxwell

Sophomore • 5-10
Breast / IM
Chandler, Ariz.
Corona del Sol

AS A FRESHMAN: Stepped in and made an immediate impact on the program in her first season ... swam in a pair of events (100 Breast, 200 Breast) at the U.S. Olympic Trials ... earned an invitation to the NCAA Championships with a season-best time of 1:01.68 in the 100 Breast, and her 2:12.76 in the 200 Breast ranked 14th among collegiate swimmers heading into the NCAAs ... finished 30th in the nation with a 1:02.36 in the 100 Breast at the NCAAs ... four-time all-BIG EAST performer ... claimed the 200 Breast (2:12.76) title while setting a school record at the BIG EAST Championships ... her 100 Breast (1:01.68) mark was good for second at the league meet and was also the best in Notre Dame history ... teamed for a second-place finish and school record in the 200 Medley Relay (1:48.84) ... her 400 Medley Relay team also placed second at the league meet ... fastest 200 IM (2:08.72) performance came during the preliminary round of the BIG EAST Championships.

THE MAXWELL FILE: Holds the 50 Breast Junior National record ... an All-American selection each of her four prep seasons at Corona del Sol (Ariz.) ... earned all-state and all-city honors all four years in high school ... voted team MVP her junior and senior seasons, and team captain for her senior campaign ... nationally ranked her final three prep seasons ... four-time regional champion ... born May 5, 1989 ... daughter of Tracey and Ronald Maxwell ... once piloted a stunt plane ... enrolled in the Mendoza College of Business as a management major.

MAXWELL'S CAREER BESTS

50 Free	24.49 • 2007 Husky Invite
100 Free	54.78 • 2007 vs. Purdue / Texas
1000 Free	10:49.89 • 2008 vs. Toledo
100 Breast	1:01.68 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 Breast	2:12.76 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 IM	2:08.72 • 2008 BIG EAST

Student-Athletes



Amywren Miller

Sophomore • 5-8
Free / Breast
Grosse Pointe
Farms, Mich.
Peddie

AS A FRESHMAN: Represented Notre Dame at the U.S. Olympic Trials ... took part in the 50 Free at the meet ... one of three Irish swimmers that advanced to the NCAA Championships ... touched the wall in 55.26 for a top-50 finish in the 100 Fly ... also swam the 100 Free and 50 Free at the meet ... her time of 22.39 in the 50 Free was the nation's 17th-fastest heading into the NCAAs ... her 49.10 in the 100 Free ranked among the top-20 fastest times as well ... represented the Irish well at the BIG EAST Championships by earning seven all-conference honors ... had a hand in five school records ... teamed to set a school record in the 200 Medley Relay (1:48.84) at the meet ... tied a school record with a first-place finish in the 50 Free (22.39) ... her 200 Free Relay (1:31.07) quartet finished first and set a school record ... placed second in the 100 Fly (54.88) and 100 Free (49.10) ... the 100 Free time was also a school record ... teamed for silver honors in the 400 Medley Relay (3:41.54) and record-setting 400 Free Relay (3:19.38) teams.

THE MILLER FILE: A 16-time All-American as a prep at Peddie (Mich.) ... an All-American in the 50 Free, 100 Free, 200 Free Relay and 200 Medley Relay in each of her high school seasons ... four-time all-conference, all-city and all-state selection ... held national rankings throughout her prep career ... set the 200 Free Relay and 200 Medley Relay national high school records ... born Aug. 7, 1989, in Grosse Pointe, Mich. ... daughter of Karen and John Miller ... youngest of three children ... sister, Kammy, was an All-American swimmer at USC.

MILLER'S CAREER BESTS

25 Free	10.62 • 2007 Husky Invite
50 Free	22.39 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Free	49.10 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Breast	1:04.40 • 2007 Husky Invite
100 Fly	54.88 • 2008 BIG EAST



Lauren Parisi

Sophomore • 5-8
Back / IM
Hauppauge, N.Y.
Hauppauge

AS A FRESHMAN: Three-time all-BIG EAST performer ... teamed up to set school records in the 200 (1:31.07) and 400 Free Relay (3:19.38) at the BIG EAST Championships ... shot through the 25 Free at the Husky Invitational in 11.05 ... registered a 24.42 in the 50 Free during the Shamrock Invitational ... top 100 Free time came at Toledo in 53.07 ... had three shots at the 200 Free ... best mark in that event was a 1:53.31 swim during the Shamrock Invitational ... best 50 Back (24.76) performance was swam at Toledo ... raced the 100 Back in a season-best time of 55.63 at the BIG EAST Championships ... in the 200 Back, clocked in at 1:58.47 at the BIG EAST meet for a third-place finish ... swam her best 100 Fly (57.44) at the Husky Invitational ... tore through the finals of the 200 IM at the BIG EAST meet in 2:03.76.

THE PARISI FILE: Placed second in the 200 Back at Junior Nationals in 2007 ... as a senior, was nationally ranked in the 100 Back and 200 Back ... placed 15th in the 200m Back in her first national meet at age 11 ... has taken part in four national championship meets ... 16-time All-American ... as a senior she was New York's state champion in the 200 IM and the 100 Back ... two-time team captain and four-time team MVP at Hauppauge (N.Y.) ... competed in seven state championship meets with Hauppauge ... earned all-conference, all-city and all-state honors all four years as a prep ... holds five individual event records at Hauppauge and three top marks in medley events ... admits to being terrified of open water and holding her breath ... aunt swam at Fordham ... began swimming at the age of 11 ... born Dec. 29, 1989, in Manhasset, N.Y. ... daughter of Maureen and Joe Parisi ... the oldest of two children ... enrolled in the College of Arts and Letters as a psychology major.

PARISI'S CAREER BESTS

200 Free	1:53.86 • 2008 vs. Toledo
50 Back	24.76 • 2008 vs. Toledo
100 Back	55.63 • 2008 BIG EAST
200 Back	1:58.47 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Fly	57.44 • 2007 Husky Invite
200 IM	2:03.76 • 2008 BIG EAST





Meg Reynolds

Sophomore • 5-7
Free
Alpharetta, Ga.
Wesleyan

AS A FRESHMAN: Fastest time in the 50 Free (24.66) came during the BIG EAST Championships ... next best time in the event was at the Husky Invitational (24.68) ... made it through the 100 Free in 54.25 at the BIG EAST Championships ... swam the 100 fly on four occasions ... top time was a 1:01.68 at the Shamrock Invitational ... also went the distance in the event during the Husky Invitational (1:01.96), Irish Invitational (1:02.01) and at Miami (1:07.00).

REYNOLDS' CAREER BESTS

25 Free	11.77 • 2007 Husky Invite
50 Free	24.66 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Free	54.25 • 2008 BIG EAST
100 Fly	1:01.68 • 2008 Shamrock Invite

THE REYNOLDS FILE: Named a USA Swimming Scholastic All-American ... earned NISCA All-America honors ... Junior National qualifier ... as a sophomore, was the high school state champion in the 400 Free Relay as a prep at Wesleyan (Ga.) ... two-time all-state swimmer ... member of the National Honor Society and National Art Honor Society ... born July 15, 1989, in Hartford, Conn. ... daughter of Mary and Tom Reynolds ... her older sister, Caitlin, swims at Stanford ... attended the final Major League Baseball All-Star game at Yankee Stadium ... enrolled in the Mendoza College of Business.



Lauren Sylvester

Sophomore • 5-10
Free
Philadelphia, Pa.
Germantown

AS A FRESHMAN: Swam the 400 Free at the U.S. Olympic Trials ... all-BIG EAST in the 800 Free Relay, taking second in the race ... turned in a 50 Free time of 25.32 at Minnesota ... swam the 100 Free in 54.39 during the Shamrock Invitational, beating her previous season-best result of 54.64 set at the Irish Invitational ... saved her best swim in the 200 Free for the BIG EAST Championships, finishing in 1:51.17 in the final heat ... her top 500 Free performance came during the league meet as well, a 4:51.86 showing in the final round of competition ... went the distance in the 1,000 Free at Minnesota in 9:59.47 ... best mark in the 1,650 Free (16:49.52) came at the beginning of the season during the Husky Invitational, though her 16:52.80 showing at the BIG EAST meet was not far behind ... swam the 100 Back (1:00.91) and 200 IM (2:11.34) at Toledo ... competed in a round of the 100 Fly (1:03.33) against Miami.

THE SYLVESTER FILE: Helped set the national 18-under record in the 800 Free Relay ... earned All-America honors all four years as a prep at Germantown (Pa.) ... nationally-ranked her sophomore, junior and senior seasons ... team went undefeated all four years of high school ... three-time conference champion ... born Dec. 4, 1988, in Philadelphia, Pa. ... daughter of Cheryl and Frank Sylvester ... oldest of two children.

SYLVESTER'S CAREER BESTS

50 Free	25.32 • 2007 vs. Minnesota
100 Free	54.39 • 2008 Shamrock Invite
200 Free	1:51.17 • 2008 BIG EAST
500 Free	4:51.86 • 2008 BIG EAST
1,000 Free	9:59.47 • 2007 vs. Minnesota
1,650 Free	16:49.52 • 2007 Husky Invite
100 Back	1:00.91 • 2008 vs. Toledo
100 Fly	1:03.33 • 2008 vs. Miami
200 IM	2:11.34 • 2008 vs. Toledo

Student-Athletes



**Emily
Barton**

**Freshman • 5-9
Breast / IM
Scottsdale, Ariz.
Desert Mountain**

THE BARTON FILE: Earned All-America honors in each of her four years as a prep ... four-time state champion, regional champion and all-city performer ... part of the 2005 Junior National Champion squad that set the country's record in the 200 Free Relay ... nine-time Junior National Qualifier and was Arizona's high school state champion in the 100 Breast, 200 IM, 200 Medley Relay and 400 Free Relay ... holds the Arizona prep record in the 400 Free Relay ... attended high school at Desert Mountain (Ariz.) where she was the program's record holder in the 100 Breast and 200 IM ... team captain as a senior ... three-time team MVP ... member of the National Honor Society ... each of her two older sisters – Ann ('07) and Kelli ('05) – swam at Notre Dame ... born in Phoenix, Ariz., on Dec. 30, 1989 ... daughter of Kari and Fred Barton ... enrolled in the First Year of Studies.



**Gwen
Blythe**

**Freshman • 5-8
Breast / IM
Colleyville, Texas
Colleyville Heritage**

THE BLYTHE FILE: Swam in the 2008 U.S. Olympic Trials, clocking a time of 2:37.71 in the 200m Breast ... four-time All-American in the 100 Breast ... earned an All-America nod in the 200 Medley Relay as a freshman ... garnered the same status in the 200 IM as a junior and senior ... swam for Colleyville Heritage (Texas) as a prep, setting the school record in the 100 Breast (1:02.33) ... her high school team boasted an undefeated record her junior season ... four-time conference champion, three-time regional champion, four-time team MVP ... earned all-conference, all-city and all-state recognition in each of her four prep seasons ... picked up one state title in the 100 Breast as a junior ... born in Grapevine, Texas, on July 25, 1990 ... daughter of Gwen and Richard Blythe ... has one younger sister, Rachel ... enrolled in the First Year of Studies.





Colleen Fotsch

Freshman • 5-7
Fly / Back
Palo Alto, Calif.
Palo Alto

THE FOTSCH FILE: The 2008 Junior National Champion and record holder in the 50 Fly (24.42) ... swam the 100 Fly at the 2008 U.S. Olympic Trials ... captain of her Palo Alto (Calif.) prep squad during her junior and senior seasons ... led high school team to undefeated seasons in 2006-07 and 2007-08 ... team MVP as a senior ... five-time All-American, earning the honor in the 100 Back (twice), 100 Fly (twice) and 100 Free ... Central California Swimming club record holder in the 100 Back and 100 Fly ... born in Greenbrae, Calif., on Jan. 11, 1990 ... daughter of Kate and Don Fotsch ... has three younger brothers: D.J., Shawn and Connor ... enrolled in the First Year of Studies.



Theresa Hall

Freshman • 5-8
Diving
Flossmoor, Ill.
Homewood-Flossmoor

THE HALL FILE: Led Homewood-Flossmoor (Ill.) to an undefeated season as a senior in 2007-08 ... four-time conference champion and two-time team captain ... earned a regional title as a junior in 2006-07 ... member of the National Honor Society and National Spanish Honor Society ... daughter of Diane and Marty Hall ... has three younger sisters: Kelly, Samantha and Jennifer ... born in Flossmoor, Ill., on Oct. 31, 1989 ... enrolled in the First Year of Studies.



Amy Prestinario

Freshman • 5-8
Free / IM
Naperville, Ill.
Naperville Central

THE PRESTINARIO FILE: Made her 2008 U.S. Olympic Trials cut time shortly after the meet concluded in July, swimming the 200 IM in a time of 2:19.80 ... excelled in the middle-distance freestyle and individual medley events as a prep at Naperville Central (Ill.) ... claimed a pair of Illinois high school state titles in the 200 IM (2005, 2006) and 200 Medley Relay (2005, 2006) while racking a championship finish in the 500 Free (2006) and the 400 Free Relay (2004) ... three-time All-American in both the 200 IM and 500 Free ... four-time all-conference, all-city and all-state honoree ... three-time conference champion ... four-time team MVP ... four-time Senior National Qualifier (2005-08) and five-time Junior National Qualifier (2004-08) ... born in Elk Grove Village, Ill., on Jan. 9, 1990 ... daughter of Lisa and Joe Prestinario ... has one younger brother, Matt ... enrolled in the First Year of Studies.

Class Photos



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2008-09 Juniors



2008-09 Sophomores



2008-09 Freshmen

