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St. Norbert College Green Knights Women's Basketball Preview
St. Norbert College (5-4) at Beloit College (2-7)
Wednesday, January 4, 2017 - 5:30 p.m.
Flood Arena (2,250) - Beloit, Wisconsin

Game Overview:

St. Norbert returns to action after a 17-day hiatus when it travels to the State Line area to face Beloit in a Midwest Conference game. The Green Knights have been off since winning a pair of games in Florida on Dec. 17-18.

Broadcast:

The game will be live streamed and have live stats available at: https://portal.stretchinternet.com/snc/

The Series:

St. Norbert leads Beloit 56-15 in an all-time series dating back to the 1977-78 season. The Green Knights have won 15 straight games in the series since a 65-52 Beloit win on Jan. 6, 2009. St. Norbert has won 35 of the last 37 games in the series, which dates back to the 1998-99 season.

Last Meeting:

St. Norbert defeated Beloit 95-59 on Feb. 6, 2016 at Schuldes Sports Center in De Pere. The Green Knights led 54-25 at halftime as they shot 55.6 percent from the floor for the game. Regan Carmichael led the Green Knights with 23 points, while Stephanie Weigman added 18 points and Mallory Nickerson 14 points. Lana Wieseman led the Buccaneers with 19 points.

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley (UW-La Crosse, 1974) is 657-290 in her 40th season in De Pere. Combining her softball and volleyball coaching tenures with the Green Knights, Tilley is 985-487 at St. Norbert. Tilley's 657 wins ranks eighth all-time for the most triumphs in NCAA Division III history. Only Elizabethtown's Yvonne Kauffman (42 years, 1971-2012) has spent more time coaching women's basketball at one school.

Beloit coach Gloria Bradley (Seton Hall, 1984) is 2-7 in her first season in Beloit. Including a 114-69 mark in seven seasons at Montclair State and a 126-172 ledger in 11 seasons at Wayne State (Mich.), Bradley is 242-248 in 19 seasons of collegiate coaching.

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2016-2017 Results

Date	Opponent	Result
N 16	at Carroll	W 76-49
N 22	at UW-Eau Claire	L 52-51
N 29	at UW-Oshkosh (12)	L 54-32
D 2	at Knox *	W 66-42
D 3	at Illinois College *	L 76-69
D 7	**Lawrence ***	**W 71-32**
D 10	at Cornell *	L 70-59
D 17	vs. Randolph #	W 69-47
D 18	vs. Widener #	W 67-50
J 4	at Beloit *	5:30 p.m.
J 6	**Grinnell ***	**5 p.m.**
J 13	**Illinois College ***	**5:30 p.m.**
J 14	**Monmouth ***	**1 p.m.**
J 18	at Ripon *	5:30 p.m.
J 21	**Knox ***	**5 p.m.**
J 25	at Lawrence *	5:30 p.m.
J 28	**Cornell ***	**3 p.m.**
J 31	**Ripon ***	**5:30 p.m.**
F 4	at Monmouth *	1 p.m.
F 8	at Lake Forest *	5:30 p.m.
F 11	at Grinnell *	1 p.m.
F 14	**Lake Forest ***	**5:30 p.m.**
F 18	**Beloit ***	**1 p.m.**

* - Midwest Conference game; # - St. Pete Classic - Eckerd College, St. Petersburg, Fla. **Note:** Home games in **bold** at Kress Events Center at UW-Green Bay**;** (rankings) by D3hoops.com. All times Central Standard Time.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the game with a 5-4 overall record and a 2-2 slate in the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights have been off since a trip to Florida on Dec. 17-18, when they beat Randolph 69-47 and Widener 67-50.

Senior guard Brianna Byrne leads the Green Knights with averages of 12.3 points and 4.9 rebounds per game. Senior guard Regan Carmichael is averaging 11.4 points per game. Senior guard Jill Kleiman is averaging 8.2 points per game, while sophomore center Sarah Ratajczyk is averaging 6.2 points per game.

St. Norbert is scoring an average of 62.2 points per game, and is shooting 39.1 percent from the floor, 32.4 percent on 3-pointers and 63.1 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 52.4 points per game while shooting 33.2 percent from the floor, 29.9 percent on 3-pointers and 64.9 percent at the free-throw line.

About the Buccaneers:

Beloit enters the game 2-7 overall and 0-4 in the Midwest Conference. The Buccaneers have lost five consecutive games, including a 70-61 home setback to Elmhurst this past Saturday.

Senior forward Nora Polaski leads Beloit with 11.2 points and 5.1 rebounds per game. Senior guard Laura Panicali is averaging 11.2 points per game. Junior center Jaylan Dunn is averaging 8.0 points and 4.6 rebounds per game.

Beloit is scoring an average of 54.1 points per game and is shooting 40.0 percent from the floor, 25.3 percent on 3-pointers and 70.6 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 63.6 points per game while shooting 41.9 percent from the floor, 29.1 percent on 3-pointers and 69.3 percent at the free-throw line.

Byrne Bullets:

Senior guard Brianna Byrne enters the game with 1,025 career points. Byrne is 14th in career scoring, trailing Liz Kleba for 13th (1,060 points from 1977-81).

Byrne became just the 15th player in the history of the St. Norbert women's basketball program to reach the 1,000-point plateau during a 69-47 win over Randolph on Dec. 17.

Only two St. Norbert players have reached 1,000 career points in the last 15 seasons. Krista Pelky reached the mark from 2009-12 and is eighth all-time with 1,170 career points. Bianca White is 15th in St. Norbert annals with 1,016 points from 2004-07.

Byrne is also currently third in Division III in three-point field goal percentage. Byrne has canned 20 of 37 three-point field-goal attempts for a 54.1 percent success rate.

Tilley Talk:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley has 657 career wins to sit in eighth place all-time in wins among NCAA Division III women's basketball coaches. Johns Hopkins coach Nancy Funk currently has 654 wins to trail Tilley's total by three.

Tilley has wins over 81 different schools, including all eight Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference members. Her most wins against a single opponent have come against Midwest Conference foes Lawrence (68), Ripon (59) and Beloit (56).

Jump Shots:

* - St. Norbert is 171-4 in its last 175 games when scoring at least 70 points and has a 38-game winning streak when reaching the 70-point plateau. St. Norbert had a 60-game winning streak when scoring 70 points snapped in a 77-72 loss to Monmouth on Feb. 3, 2012. Under Connie Tilley, St. Norbert is 343-23 when scoring at least 70 points.

* - St. Norbert owns an impressive 189-49 record since the start of the 2007-08 season. The Green Knights have won at least 19 games in eight of the last nine seasons, with seven years with at least 20 wins. The 107 wins from 2008 to 2012 is the best five-year stretch in program history.

Head Coach Connie Tilley

Education: Bachelor's degree in physical education at UW-La Crosse (1974); master's degree in public health administration at UW-La Crosse (1976).
Coaching Experience: Head women's basketball coach at St. Norbert (1977 to present).

Tilley's Head Coaching Record

Year	Overall	MWC	Place	NCAA
1977-78	13-5	6-2*	2nd	
1978-79	16-4	12-0*	1st	
1979-80	18-5	10-0*	1st	
1980-81	22-8	9-1*	1st	
1981-82	15-9	11-1*	2nd	
1982-83	20-6	11-0*	1st	Regional
1983-84	17-6	10-1	1st	
1984-85	24-4	11-0	1st	Final Four
1985-86	21-2	11-0	1st	Sweet 16
1986-87	19-6	11-1	1st	Regional
1987-88	17-5	5-2	1st	Sweet 16
1988-89	20-6	10-0	1st	Regional
1989-90	11-11	4-4	7th	
1990-91	16-8	6-2	4th	
1991-92	11-10	3-5	8th	
1992-93	11-10	8-5	7th	
1993-94	11-11	7-7	6th	
1994-95	8-14	5-9	6th	
1995-96	8-14	6-8	7th	
1996-97	14-10	11-3	3rd	
1997-98	13-9	7-6	5th	
1998-99	11-12	10-6	3rd	
1999-2000	17-6	15-1	3rd	
2000-01	12-11	10-6	3rd	
2001-02	13-10	10-6	5th	
2002-03	23-5	15-1	1st	Sweet 16
2003-04	16-9	13-3	2nd	
2004-05	16-9	13-3	2nd	
2005-06	17-8	13-3	2nd	
2006-07	16-8	12-4	3rd	
2007-08	22-5	15-1	1st	Second Rd.
2008-09	20-5	15-1	2nd	
2009-10	23-4	14-2	1st	Second Rd.
2010-11	23-3	17-1	1st	First Rd.
2011-12	19-5	17-1	1st	
2012-13	15-9	12-6	3rd	
2013-14	21-5	16-2	T1st	First Rd.
2014-15	22-4	17-1	1st	First Rd.
2015-16	21-5	18-0	1st	First Rd.
2016-17	5-4	2-2		
Totals	**657-290**	**428-108**		

* - St. Norbert was in the Wisconsin Independent Colleges-Women's Athletic Conference until 1983.

MWC Glance

Team	MWC	Overall
Cornell	4-0	6-3
Illinois College	4-0	7-2
Grinnell	3-1	5-4
Ripon	3-1	5-3
Knox	3-2	6-4
St. Norbert	2-2	5-4
Lake Forest	1-3	2-7
Monmouth	1-3	1-8
Beloit	0-4	2-7
Lawrence	0-5	2-8

St. Norbert Quick Facts

Nickname: .....Green Knights
Location: .....De Pere, WI 54115
Colors: .....Dartmouth Green & Old Gold
Founded: 1898
Enrollment: 2,168
President: .....Thomas Kunkel
Athletics Director: .....Tim Bald
Conference: .....Midwest Conference
Facility: .Mulva Family Fitness & Sports Center
Capacity: 2,100
Year Opened: 2017
Head Coach: .....Connie Tilley
Record at St. Norbert: .....657-290 (40th year)
Assistant Coaches: .....Riley Woldt, ...Bri Hauge, ...Kheenan Halvorson
First Season of Women's Basketball: .1974-75
Seasons of Women's Basketball: 43
All-Time Overall Record: 684-307
All-Time MWC Record: 368-104
MWC Championships: .....14 .....(1984-89, 2003, '08, '10-12, '14-16)
NCAA Tournament Appearances: .....13 .....(1983, '85-89, 2003, '08, '10-11, '14-16)
NCAA Sweet 16 Appearances: .....Four .....(1985, '86, '88, 2003)
NCAA Final Four Appearances: .....One .....(1985)

D3hoops.com Division III Top 25 Poll #6 - Jan. 2, 2017

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	Tufts (15)	611	9-0
2	Amherst (5)	595	10-0
3	Scranton (1)	566	11-0
4	St. Thomas	521	10-0
5	Washington-Mo.	515	10-0
6	Thomas More (4)	514	10-0
7	Christopher Newport	427	11-0
8	Hope	410	12-1
9	Montclair State	405	11-0
10	Carnegie Mellon	391	11-0
11	Wartburg	388	11-1
12	Mary Washington	333	11-0
13	UW-Oshkosh	328	10-1
14	Trinity-Texas	308	11-0
15	Ohio Northern	281	11-0
16	Whitman	207	11-0
17	Bowdoin	189	9-1
18	Puget Sound	168	10-1
19	DePauw	158	12-1
20	George Fox	155	8-2
21	UW-Whitewater	152	10-1
22	Rochester	121	8-2
23	Wheaton-Ill.	95	8-2
24	Messiah	76	11-0
25	Calvin	48	11-1

Others receiving votes: New York Univ. 43, Gustavus Adolphus 36, Ithaca 24, Albright 16, Stockton 10, Marymount 9, SUNY Geneseo 7, Augustana 4, Trine 4, Babson 3, Baldwin Wallace 2, Texas-Tyler 2, Lewis & Clark 1, UW-Stevens Point 1, Williams 1.

St. Norbert Women's Basketball Career Highs

#10 - Hayley Winzenried
Points: 2 (3 times, last 12/17/16 vs. Randolph)
Rebounds: 3 (12/2/16 vs. Knox)
Assists: 1 (2 times, last 12/2/16 vs. Knox)

#11 - Brianna Byrne
Points: 29 (2/7/15 vs. Beloit)
Rebounds: 8 (2 times, last 12/2/16 vs. Knox)
Assists: 7 (1/31/15 vs. Carroll)

#13 - Jill Kleiman
Points: 21 (12/14/13 vs. Cornell)
Rebounds: 8 (2/21/15 vs. Cornell)
Assists: 7 (5 times, last 11/16/16 vs. Carroll)

#14 - Sarah Neumann
Points: 11 (12/18/16 vs. Widener)
Rebounds: 6 (12/18/16 vs. Widener)
Assists: 1 (6 times, last 12/18/16 vs. Widener)

#15 - Hannah Gibbons
Points: 1 (12/17/16 vs. Randolph)
Rebounds: 1 (2 times, last 12/7/16 vs. Lawrence)
Assists: n/a

#20 - Christine Olijnyk
Points: 10 (1/12/16 vs. Beloit)
Rebounds: 3 (1/6/16 vs. Lawrence)
Assists: 2 (2 times, last 2/3/16 vs. Lawrence)

#21 - Regan Carmichael
Points: 23 (2/6/16 vs. Beloit)
Rebounds: 11 (12/8/15 vs. Lake Forest)
Assists: 8 (2/6/16 vs. Beloit)

#22 - Sara Winkel
Points: 5 (12/7/16 vs. Lawrence)
Rebounds: 2 (2 times, last 12/17/16 vs. Randolph)
Assists: 2 (12/7/16 vs. Lawrence)

#23 - Carley Frauenhoff
Points: 3 (11/16/16 vs. Carroll)
Rebounds: 1 (2 times, last 11/29/16 vs. UW-Oshkosh)
Assists: n/a

#24 - Macie Zurfluh
Points: 9 (2 times, last 12/18/16 vs. Widener)
Rebounds: 6 (2 times, last 12/10/16 vs. Cornell)
Assists: 4 (2 times, last 12/17/16 vs. Randolph)

#25 - Sarah Wiseman
Points: 7 (12/2/16 vs. Knox)
Rebounds: 3 (2 times, last 12/17/16 vs. Randolph)
Assists: 3 (12/18/16 vs. Widener)

#30 - Rachel Schmidt
Points: n/a
Assists: 1 (12/7/16 vs. Lawrence)
Rebounds: n/a

#32 - Julia Easter
Points: 2 (2 times, last 12/2/16 vs. Knox)
Rebounds: 3 (2 times, last 12/17/16 vs. Randolph)
Assists: 1 (2 times, last 1/16/16 vs. Lawrence)

#33 - Jelena Ostojic
Points: 8 (12/18/16 vs. Widener)
Rebounds: 6 (12/18/16 vs. Widener)
Assists: 4 (11/16/16 vs. Carroll)

#34 - Hannah Ciesielczyk
Points: 4 (12/7/16 vs. Lawrence)
Rebounds: 2 (2 times, last 12/17/16 vs. Randolph)
Assists: 1 (11/16/16 vs. Carroll)

#35 - Sarah Ratajczyk
Points: 12 (12/18/16 vs. Widener)
Rebounds: 7 (12/12/15 vs. UW-Oshkosh)
Assists: 2 (3 times, last 12/10/16 vs. Cornell)

#40 - Mallory Nickerson
Points: 16 (11/15/13 vs. Northland)
Rebounds: 10 (12/19/15 vs. Cornell)
Assists: 3 (2 times, last 1/23/16 vs. Monmouth)

St. Norbert College Women's Basketball

St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Dec 18, 2016)

All games

Overall record: 5-4 Conf: 2-2 Home: 1-0 Away: 2-4 Neutral: 2-0

					Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds											
##	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fta	ft%	off	def	tot	avg	pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
11	Brianna Byrne	9-9	259	28.8	41-87	.471	20-37	.541	9-18	.500	11	33	44	4.9	10	0	16	20	6	15	111	12.3
21	Regan Carmichael	9-9	259	28.8	41-118	.347	12-53	.226	9-13	.692	2	33	35	3.9	11	1	17	24	9	26	103	11.4
13	Jill Kleiman	9-9	237	26.3	17-48	.354	7-22	.318	33-41	.805	9	20	29	3.2	19	1	29	11	0	23	74	8.2
35	Sarah Ratajczyk	9-4	174	19.3	23-41	.561	0-0	.000	10-19	.526	20	13	33	3.7	13	1	6	9	3	7	56	6.2
24	Macie Zurfluh	9-4	213	23.7	22-53	.415	1-7	.143	9-20	.450	8	28	36	4.0	16	0	18	16	0	18	54	6.0
40	Mallory Nickerson	9-5	127	14.1	19-48	.396	0-0	.000	8-12	.667	21	23	44	4.9	18	0	3	11	16	3	46	5.1
33	Jelena Ostojic	9-5	141	15.7	15-43	.349	3-6	.500	1-2	.500	6	22	28	3.1	16	0	10	18	2	7	34	3.8
14	Sarah Neumann	9-0	92	10.2	14-35	.400	0-0	.000	3-7	.429	10	14	24	2.7	19	0	5	12	3	0	31	3.4
25	Sarah Wiseman	9-0	97	10.8	4-20	.200	1-7	.143	5-8	.625	4	11	15	1.7	10	0	7	12	4	7	14	1.6
20	Christine Olijnyk	9-0	56	6.2	3-11	.273	1-5	.200	3-4	.750	3	3	6	0.7	2	0	5	2	1	2	10	1.1
22	Sara Winkel	4-0	23	5.8	2-3	.667	1-2	.500	2-2	1.000	3	2	5	1.3	1	0	2	3	0	0	7	1.8
10	Hayley Winzenried	6-0	34	5.7	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	7	8	1.3	4	0	3	4	3	1	6	1.0
34	Hannah Ciesielczyk	5-0	23	4.6	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	4-6	.667	1	5	6	1.2	1	0	1	2	0	1	6	1.2
23	Carley Frauenhoff	6-0	23	3.8	1-5	.200	1-5	.200	1-2	.500	0	2	2	0.3	1	0	0	5	0	1	4	0.7
32	Julia Easter	5-0	22	4.4	1-4	.250	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	6	6	1.2	2	0	0	1	0	0	3	0.6
15	Hannah Gibbons	5-0	14	2.8	0-6	.000	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0	2	2	0.4	2	0	0	1	2	2	1	0.2
30	Rachel Schmidt	2-0	6	3.0	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.5	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0.0
	Team										16	22	38					6				
	Total.....	9	1800		207-529	.391	47-145	.324	99-157	.631	115	247	362	40.2	145	3	122	159	49	113	560	62.2
	Opponents.....	9	1800		160-482	.332	52-174	.299	100-154	.649	99	236	335	37.2	165	9	97	186	22	74	472	52.4

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP
SCORING	560	472
Points per game	62.2	52.4
Scoring margin	+9.8	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	207-529	160-482
Field goal pct	.391	.332
3 POINT FG-ATT	47-145	52-174
3-point FG pct	.324	.299
3-pt FG made per game	5.2	5.8
FREE THROWS-ATT	99-157	100-154
Free throw pct	.631	.649
F-Throws made per game	11.0	11.1
REBOUNDS	362	335
Rebounds per game	40.2	37.2
Rebounding margin	+3.0	-
ASSISTS	122	97
Assists per game	13.6	10.8
TURNOVERS	159	186
Turnovers per game	17.7	20.7
Turnover margin	+3.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.8	0.5
STEALS	113	74
Steals per game	12.6	8.2
BLOCKS	49	22
Blocks per game	5.4	2.4
ATTENDANCE	271	2128
Home games-Avg/Game	1-271	6-334
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	2-63

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Totals
St. Norbert College	144	128	155	133	560
Opponents	125	131	122	94	472

	Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
	11/16/16	at Carroll University	W	76-49	298
	11/22/16	at UW-Eau Claire	L	51-52	644
	11/29/16	at UW-Oshkosh	L	32-54	310
*	12/2/16	at Knox College	W	66-42	200
*	12/3/16	at Illinois College	L	69-76	320
*	12/7/16	LAWRENCE UNIV.	W	71-32	271
*	12/10/16	at Cornell College	L	59-70	230
#	12/17/16	vs Randolph College	W	69-47	58
#	12/18/16	vs Widener Univ.	W	67-50	68

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