



# St. Norbert College

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### St. Norbert College Green Knights Men's Basketball Preview

#### No. 14 St. Norbert College (15-1, 11-0) vs. Ripon College (11-5, 8-3)

Tuesday, January 27, 2015 - 7:30 p.m.  
 Schuldes Sports Center (2,100) - De Pere, Wisconsin

#### Game Overview:

St. Norbert and Ripon tangle in a battle of teams both residing in the top three of the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights lead Monmouth by two games and Ripon by three games with seven games remaining.

#### Broadcast:

The game will be broadcast with video streaming at <http://client.stretch-internet.com/client/snc.portal#>

Live stats are available at: <http://www.snc.edu/athletics/teamfiles/lives-tats/xlive.htm>

#### The Series:

Ripon holds a 60-53 series lead over St. Norbert in a spirited rivalry dating back to the 1932-33 season. The Green Knights have narrowed the gap by winning 16 of the last 18 meetings over the last eight seasons.

#### Last Meeting:

St. Norbert topped Ripon 80-68 on Dec. 3, 2014 at Storzer Center in Ripon. The Green Knights led 44-22 at halftime and 53-22 early in the second half before the Red Hawks climbed back to within six points late. Austin Elliott led St. Norbert with 23 points, while Andrew Schwoerer registered 18 points and 12 rebounds. Ty Sabin pumped in 27 points for the Red Hawks, while Kyle Loughrin added 19 points.

#### The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Gary Grzesk (UW-Green Bay, 1996) is 160-57 in his ninth season in De Pere. He was 51-31 in three seasons at Lakeland before arriving at St. Norbert to give him an overall mark of 211-88.

Ripon coach Ryan Kane (St. Norbert, 1999) is 39-25 in his third season in Ripon.

#### About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the game 15-1 overall and 11-0 in the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights picked up a key road win Saturday at Monmouth, topping the second-place Scots 76-62. St. Norbert has won its last 35 games against Midwest Conference opponents.

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#### 2014-2015 Results

Date	Opponent	Result
N 15	at UW-Oshkosh	W 67-50
N 18	North Park	W 76-65
N 22	Monmouth *	W 75-47
N 25	at Lake Forest *	W 111-103/3ot
D 3	at Ripon *	W 80-68
D 6	Grinnell *	W 102-75
D 13	at UW-Eau Claire	W 66-55
D 17	at Illinois College *	W 87-58
D 29	St. Scholastica %	W 82-55
D 30	John Carroll %	L 80-70
J 3	at Cornell *	W 66-48
J 7	at Lawrence *	W 81-72
J 13	Beloit *	W 73-53
J 17	Knox *	W 87-45
J 21	at Carroll *	W 67-61
J 24	at Monmouth *	W 76-62
J 27	Ripon *	7:30 p.m.
J 31	Carroll *	5 p.m.
F 4	Lawrence *	7:30 p.m.
F 7	at Beloit *	4 p.m.
F 10	Lake Forest *	7:30 p.m.
F 14	at Knox *	3 p.m.
F 21	Cornell *	5 p.m.

\* - Midwest Conference game; % - Nicolet National Bank Holiday Tournament - De Pere, Wis. **Note:** Home games in **bold**; (rankings) by D3hoops.com.

Senior forward Andrew Schwoerer tops the Green Knights with 16.9 points and 7.7 rebounds per game. Schwoerer is 24 points shy of becoming the first St. Norbert player in 25 years to reach 1,300 career points. Senior guard Austin Elliott is averaging 14.6 points and 4.4 rebounds per game, and nearly posted a triple-double in the win over Monmouth with 16 points, 10 assists and nine rebounds. Senior center Steven Hofacker is averaging 10.0 points and 5.6 rebounds per game.

St. Norbert is scoring an average of 79.1 points per game, and is shooting a Division III-best 54.6 percent from the floor, 42.9 percent on 3-pointers and 75.3 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 62.3 points per game while shooting 39.3 percent from the floor, 33.0 percent on 3-pointers and 68.4 percent at the free-throw line.

#### About the Red Hawks:

Ripon enters the game at 11-5 overall and 8-3 in the Midwest Conference. The Red Hawks have been idle since last Wednesday, when they gained a 72-63 win over Lawrence in Ripon.

Sophomore guard Ty Sabin, Division III's second-leading scorer, tops the Red Hawks averaging 28.4 points per game, and has 925 points in his career. Senior guard Kyle Loughrin is averaging 16.6 points per game. Junior forward Justin Leistikow is netting 6.4 points and a team-high 7.2 rebounds per game. Freshman forward Nathan Runde comes off the bench to score 5.7 points per game.

Ripon is scoring an average of 79.0 points per game, and is shooting 48.6 percent from the floor, 39.2 percent on 3-pointers and 73.3 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 76.6 points per game while shooting 47.6 percent from the floor, 35.4 percent on 3-pointers and 63.5 percent at the free-throw line.

#### Building a Winner:

In his first eight-plus seasons,

head coach Gary Grzesk turned the St. Norbert men's basketball program into an annual contender for the Midwest Conference championship, winning the MWC title four times in the last five seasons.

The Green Knights have won 20 games four times in the last five years under Grzesk. In the program's previous 86 seasons, St. Norbert had 20-win seasons just twice.

St. Norbert's 25 wins in 2014 is a school record. The Green Knights won 23 games in 2010, and also won 21 games twice (1984 and 2002). St. Norbert also won 20 games in 2011 and 2013.

St. Norbert's 81-23 record from 2011 to 2014 marks the best four-year total in school history.

Since starting the 2007-08 season 2-5, St. Norbert is a solid 149-39. St. Norbert reached its highest national ranking in the 13-year history of the D3hoops.com Top 25 with a No. 5 ranking the weeks of Feb. 17, Feb. 24 and March 3, 2014.

#### Schwoerer Stuff:

St. Norbert senior forward Andrew Schwoerer is a pre-season All-America selection this season by both D3hoops.com and DIII News.

Schwoerer reached the career 1,000-point mark last season, only the third St. Norbert player since 1975 to do so as a junior.

Schwoerer has 1,276 career points to place 11th on the St. Norbert career scoring list. He trails Jerry Lamers (1,281 points from 1955-59) by six points for 10th place. Schwoerer would be the first St. Norbert player in 25 years to crack the top 10 in career scoring.

#### Jump Shot:

\* - As of Jan. 26, St. Norbert leads Division III in field-goal percentage at 54.6 percent. The Green Knights are also second in scoring margin at plus-16.8 points per game and second in rebound margin at plus-11.8 rebounds per game.

## Head Coach Gary Grzesk

**Education:** Bachelor's degree in Spanish at UW-Green Bay (1996); master's degree in education administration at Youngstown State (1998).

**Playing Experience:** Four-year letterman at UW-Green Bay (1993-96).

**Coaching Experience:**

Assistant coach at Youngstown State (1996-2002); assistant coach at UW-Green Bay (2002-03); head coach at Lakeland (2003-06); head coach at St. Norbert (April 13, 2006 to present).



### Grzesk's Head Coaching Record

#### Lakeland

Year	Overall	LMC	Place	NCAA
2003-04	16-13	8-4	3rd	First Rd.
2004-05	14-12	7-5	T3rd	
2005-06	21-6	13-1	1st	
<b>Totals</b>	<b>51-31</b>	<b>28-10</b>		

#### St. Norbert

Year	Overall	MWC	Place	NCAA
2006-07	9-13	8-8	6th	
2007-08	14-10	10-6	T3rd	
2008-09	18-6	12-4	T3rd	
2009-10	23-4	14-2	1st	Second Rd.
2010-11	20-6	14-4	1st	First Rd.
2011-12	16-9	12-6	3rd	
2012-13	20-6	15-3	1st	First Rd.
2013-14	25-2	18-0	1st	Second Rd.
2014-15	15-1	11-0		
<b>Totals</b>	<b>160-57</b>	<b>114-33</b>		
<b>Career</b>	<b>211-88</b>			

### Grzesk vs. MWC at St. Norbert

Team	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
Beloit	13-4	8-1	5-3	0-0
Carroll	14-7	9-2	5-4	0-1
Cornell	4-1	2-0	2-1	0-0
Grinnell	12-7	9-1	2-6	1-0
Illinois Coll.	15-0	7-0	8-0	0-0
Knox	13-2	7-1	6-1	0-0
Lake Forest	12-3	5-2	7-1	0-0
Lawrence	11-7	5-3	6-4	0-0
Monmouth	13-1	7-0	6-1	0-0
Ripon	16-4	10-1	6-3	0-0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>123-36</b>	<b>69-11</b>	<b>53-24</b>	<b>1-1</b>

### MWC Glance

Team	MWC	Overall
St. Norbert	11-0	15-1
Monmouth	9-2	12-4
Ripon	8-3	11-5
Lake Forest	7-5	8-8
Grinnell	6-5	8-8
Carroll	5-6	8-8
Lawrence	4-7	6-10
Beloit	4-8	5-12
Cornell	4-8	5-12
Illinois College	2-9	3-13
Knox	2-9	4-12

## 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:** .....Schuldes Sports Center  
**Capacity:** .....2,100  
**Year Opened:** .....1979  
**Head Coach:** .....Gary Grzesk  
**Record at St. Norbert:** .....160-57 (ninth year)  
**Record Overall:** .....211-88 (12th year)  
**Assistant Coaches:** .....Woody Wilson  
 .....Bryan Roehrig, Corey Ciesielczyk  
 .....Justin Zwiefelhofer, Steve Kestly  
**First Season of Men's Basketball:** .....1916-17  
**Seasons of Men's Basketball:** .....92  
**All-Time Overall Record:** .....1,013-855  
**All-Time MWC Record:** .....297-180  
**MWC Championships:** .....Six  
 .....(1984, 2002, '10, '11, '13, '14)  
**NCAA Tournament Appearances:** .....Seven  
 .....(1958, '84, 2002, 10, '11, '13, '14)  
**NAIA Tournament Appearances:** .....Three  
 .....(1961, '62, '65)

## D3hoops.com Division III

### Top 25 Poll #9 - Jan. 26, 2015

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	UW-Whitewater (16)	611	16-2
2	St. Thomas (7)	603	15-1
3	Marietta (2)	561	17-0
4	Augustana	541	16-2
5	Dickinson	489	15-2
6	WPI	447	15-2
7	Washington-Mo.	444	14-2
8	Randolph-Macon	423	15-2
9	Albertus Magnus	422	15-1
10	Wooster	405	15-2
11	Virginia Wesleyan	355	14-3
12	Emory	342	13-3
13	Richard Stockton	334	16-2
14	<b>St. Norbert</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>15-1</b>
15	Chapman	283	16-0
16	Elmhurst	248	15-3
17	Babson	208	15-2
18	Johns Hopkins	176	15-2
19	UW-Stevens Point	173	14-4
20	Franklin and Marshall	152	15-2
21	Whitworth	95	15-2
22	Eastern Connecticut St.	85	15-3
23	New York Univ.	69	12-4
24	St. Olaf	63	13-3
25	William Paterson	52	16-2

**Others receiving votes:** Case Western Reserve 47, North Central-Ill. 47, Hardin-Simmons 36, Catholic 27, St. John Fisher 26, Illinois Wesleyan 18, Chicago 10, MIT 6, Brooklyn 5, Amherst 4, Claremont-Mudd-Scripps 2, Aurora 1, Rhode Island College 1.

## St. Norbert Men's Basketball Career Highs

### #1 - Nick Hofman

**Points:** 4 (4 times, last 1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Rebounds:** 4 (2 times, last 1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Assists:** 4 (12/29/14 vs. St. Scholastica)

### #3 - Terrence Garner

**Points:** 16 (2 times, last 12/6/14 vs. Grinnell)  
**Rebounds:** 8 (12/30/14 vs. John Carroll)  
**Assists:** 7 (12/29/14 vs. St. Scholastica)

### #4 - Mitch Winter

**Points:** 16 (12/17/14 vs. Illinois College)  
**Rebounds:** 6 (1/3/15 vs. Cornell)  
**Assists:** 2 (2 times, last 12/6/14 vs. Grinnell)

### #5 - Ben Socha

**Points:** 2 (4 times, last 1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Rebounds:** 2 (1/3/15 vs. Cornell)  
**Assists:** 2 (12/29/14 vs. St. Scholastica)

### #10 - D.J. DeValk

**Points:** 18 (12/30/14 vs. John Carroll)  
**Rebounds:** 3 (2 times, last 1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Assists:** 9 (1/3/15 vs. Cornell)

### #11 - Carson Hughes

**Points:** 3 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Rebounds:** 3 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Assists:** 1 (2 times, last 1/17/15 vs. Knox)

### #12 - Austin Elliott

**Points:** 25 (1/21/15 vs. Carroll)  
**Rebounds:** 9 (1/24/15 vs. Monmouth)  
**Assists:** 10 (1/24/15 vs. Monmouth)

### #15 - Turner Kehoe

**Points:** 4 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Rebounds:** 1 (2 times, last 1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Assists:** n/a

### #20 - Sean Benka

**Points:** 4 (11/16/13 vs. North Park)  
**Rebounds:** 2 (3 times, last 1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Assists:** 1 (2 times, last 1/11/14 vs. Monmouth)

### #21 - Brett O'Sullivan

**Points:** 2 (3 times, last 1/13/15 vs. Beloit)  
**Rebounds:** 3 (12/17/14 vs. Illinois College)  
**Assists:** 1 (12/17/14 vs. Illinois College)

### #22 - Ben Bobinski

**Points:** 13 (12/29/14 vs. St. Scholastica)  
**Rebounds:** 7 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Assists:** 2 (2 times, last 1/24/15 vs. Monmouth)

### #24 - Mitchell Reinthaler

**Points:** 7 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Rebounds:** 3 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Assists:** 2 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)

### #25 - Reggie Roemer

**Points:** 2 (3 times, last 1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Rebounds:** 1 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)  
**Assists:** 1 (3 times, last 1/13/15 vs. Beloit)

### #30 - Andrew Schwoerer

**Points:** 31 (11/25/14 vs. Lake Forest)  
**Rebounds:** 14 (11/15/14 vs. UW-Oshkosh)  
**Assists:** 6 (1/10/12 vs. Ripon)

### #34 - Michael Alfieri

**Points:** 2 (2 times, last 12/29/14 vs. St. Scholastica)  
**Rebounds:** 1 (12/29/14 vs. St. Scholastica)  
**Assists:** n/a

### #42 - Bryan Dalton

**Points:** 28 (11/25/14 vs. Lake Forest)  
**Rebounds:** 13 (12/6/14 vs. Grinnell)  
**Assists:** 6 (11/25/14 vs. Lake Forest)

### #44 - Tim Marshall

**Points:** 4 (5 times, last 1/13/15 vs. Beloit)  
**Rebounds:** 3 (2 times, last 1/3/15 vs. Cornell)  
**Assists:** 1 (4 times, last 1/3/15 vs. Cornell)

### #53 - Steven Hofacker

**Points:** 19 (1/7/15 vs. Lawrence)  
**Rebounds:** 12 (11/18/14 vs. North Park)  
**Assists:** 4 (2 times, last 12/17/14 vs. Illinois College)

**St. Norbert College Men's Basketball**  
**St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Jan 24, 2015)**  
**All games**

Overall record: 15-1 Conf: 11-0 Home: 6-1 Away: 9-0 Neutral: 0-0

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
30	Andrew Schwoerer	16-16	487	30.4	111-179	.620	2-6	.333	47-61	.770	32	91	123	7.7	29	0	37	24	1	9	271	16.9
12	Austin Elliott	14-14	449	32.1	66-132	.500	13-29	.448	59-74	.797	10	52	62	4.4	21	0	68	37	4	13	204	14.6
53	Steven Hofacker	16-16	423	26.4	63-105	.600	0-0	.000	34-46	.739	22	67	89	5.6	27	1	23	24	31	15	160	10.0
42	Bryan Dalton	16-12	361	22.6	42-88	.477	19-44	.432	32-42	.762	28	55	83	5.2	23	0	15	17	5	8	135	8.4
10	D.J. DeValk	16-16	446	27.9	39-89	.438	22-53	.415	25-29	.862	3	22	25	1.6	35	1	61	24	7	16	125	7.8
03	Terrence Garner	16-6	336	21.0	39-65	.600	1-1	1.000	30-44	.682	23	33	56	3.5	28	0	30	20	5	11	109	6.8
04	Mitch Winter	14-0	289	20.6	37-70	.529	22-49	.449	6-9	.667	7	32	39	2.8	12	0	9	14	1	3	102	7.3
22	Ben Bobinski	8-0	120	15.0	21-36	.583	7-16	.438	14-21	.667	5	13	18	2.3	7	0	5	9	0	5	63	7.9
44	Tim Marshall	14-0	126	9.0	8-14	.571	0-0	.000	3-7	.429	6	9	15	1.1	21	1	6	4	4	2	19	1.4
01	Nick Hofman	10-0	70	7.0	6-13	.462	0-2	.000	6-6	1.000	2	11	13	1.3	5	0	8	9	0	0	18	1.8
24	Mitchell Reinthaler	7-0	30	4.3	7-12	.583	1-3	.333	2-3	.667	2	6	8	1.1	3	0	2	0	0	1	17	2.4
11	Carson Hughes	7-0	22	3.1	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	9-10	.900	1	5	6	0.9	3	0	2	3	0	1	9	1.3
05	Ben Socha	7-0	22	3.1	4-4	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0.3	1	0	2	0	0	0	8	1.1
25	Reggie Roemer	6-0	24	4.0	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	0	1	1	0.2	2	0	3	2	0	2	6	1.0
21	Brett O'Sullivan	7-0	23	3.3	3-7	.429	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2	5	7	1.0	0	0	1	0	0	1	6	0.9
20	Sean Benka	6-0	22	3.7	2-7	.286	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	3	3	6	1.0	3	0	0	3	1	0	5	0.8
34	Michael Alfieri	6-0	17	2.8	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0.8
15	Turner Kehoe	4-0	8	2.0	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.0
Team											12	36	48				4					
Total.....		16	3275		455-833	.546	88-205	.429	268-356	.753	159	445	604	37.8	220	3	272	194	59	87	1266	79.1
Opponents.....		16	3275		366-932	.393	133-403	.330	132-193	.684	151	264	415	25.9	307	10	186	170	26	93	997	62.3

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	1266	997	11/15/14	at UW-Oshkosh	w 67-50	642
Points per game	79.1	62.3	11/18/14	NORTH PARK UNIV.	w 76-65	447
Scoring margin	+16.8	-	* 11/22/14	MONMOUTH COLLEGE	w 75-47	611
FIELD GOALS-ATT	455-833	366-932	* 11/25/14	at Lake Forest College	w <sup>o3</sup> 111-103	222
Field goal pct	.546	.393	* 12/3/14	at Ripon College	w 80-68	505
3 POINT FG-ATT	88-205	133-403	* 12/6/14	GRINNELL COLLEGE	w 102-75	1477
3-point FG pct	.429	.330	12/13/14	at UW-Eau Claire	w 66-55	523
3-pt FG made per game	5.5	8.3	* 12/17/14	at Illinois College	w 87-58	248
FREE THROWS-ATT	268-356	132-193	# 12/29/14	ST. SCHOLASTICA	w 82-55	866
Free throw pct	.753	.684	# 12/30/14	JOHN CARROLL UNIV.	L 70-80	923
F-Throws made per game	16.8	8.3	* 1/3/15	at Cornell College	w 66-48	180
REBOUNDS	604	415	* 1/7/15	at Lawrence University	w 81-72	784
Rebounds per game	37.8	25.9	* 1/13/15	BELOIT COLLEGE	w 73-53	502
Rebounding margin	+11.8	-	* 1/17/15	KNOX COLLEGE	w 87-45	890
ASSISTS	272	186	* 1/21/15	at Carroll University	w 67-61	456
Assists per game	17.0	11.6	* 1/24/15	at Monmouth College	w 76-62	950
TURNOVERS	194	170				
Turnovers per game	12.1	10.6				
Turnover margin	-1.5	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	1.4	1.1				
STEALS	87	93				
Steals per game	5.4	5.8				
BLOCKS	59	26				
Blocks per game	3.7	1.6				
ATTENDANCE	5716	4510				
Home games-Avg/Game	7-817	9-501				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

\* = Midwest Conference game

# - Nicolet National Bank Holiday Tournament (De Pere, Wis.)

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	OT3	Totals
St. Norbert College	612	621	8	9	16	1266
Opponents	431	541	8	9	8	997