



St. Norbert College

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Women's Basketball Preview

St. Norbert College (7-3, 2-2 MWC) vs. Knox College (5-5, 1-3 MWC)
Schuldes Sports Center (2,100) - De Pere, Wis. - Fri., Jan. 15 - 5 p.m.
St. Norbert College (7-3, 2-2 MWC) vs. Grinnell College (3-8, 1-3 MWC)
Schuldes Sports Center (2,100) - De Pere, Wis. - Sat., Jan. 16 - 1 p.m.

Weekend Overview:

St. Norbert looks to rebound from a tough loss at Ripon with a pair of Midwest Conference home games against Knox and Grinnell at Schuldes Sports Center.

The Series:

St. Norbert leads Knox 23-0 in a series begun in the 1993-94 season.
 St. Norbert leads Grinnell 22-0 in a series begun in the 1992-93 season.

Last Meetings:

St. Norbert topped Knox 95-38 last Jan. 24 at Schuldes Sports Center. The Green Knights were led by 19 points from Denise Heuser and 18 points from Jamie Kuhl.

St. Norbert beat Grinnell 72-51 last Jan. 17 at Darby Gym. The Green Knights led 40-20 at halftime and got a team-high 15 points from Heuser.

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley (UW-La Crosse, 1974) is 515-254 in her 33rd season in De Pere. Combining her softball and volleyball coaching tenures with the Green Knights, Tilley is 844-452 at St. Norbert.

Knox coach Emily Cline (Cornell, 2001) is 11-22 in her second season in Galesburg.

Grinnell coach Kate Gluckman (Tufts, 2004) is 7-27 in her second season in Grinnell.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the weekend with a 7-3 overall record and a 2-2 mark in the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights, whose last four and five of six games have been decided by three points or less, lost 62-61 at Ripon last Saturday in their most recent outing.

Senior guard Denise Heuser leads the team in scoring at 13.7 points per game, and has made a team-high 13 3-pointers this season. Junior forward Rachel Hermus is scoring 9.1 points per game while averaging a team-high 5.7 rebounds per game. Senior forward Emily Otzelberger is shooting a team-high 61.2 percent from the floor while scoring 7.1 points per game.

St. Norbert is averaging 64.7 points per game. The Green Knights are

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2009-2010 Results

Date	Opponent	Result
O 31	at UW-Green Bay (exh)	L 78-47
N 20	%Dubuque	W 74-48
N 21	%UW-La Crosse	W 54-35
N 24	UW-Eau Claire	W 75-49
N 28	at UW-Oshkosh	W 60-41
D 4	*at Lake Forest	L 68-67
D 5	*at Monmouth	W 77-44
D 29	^vs. UW-Platteville	W 61-58
D 30	^vs. Wartburg	L 53-50
J 4	*Beloit	W 68-65
J 9	*at Ripon	L 62-61
J 15	*Knox	5 p.m.
J 16	*Grinnell	1 p.m.
J 22	*at Illinois College	5 p.m.
J 23	*at Knox	2 p.m.
J 27	*Carroll	7 p.m.
J 30	*at Beloit	4 p.m.
F 2	*at Lawrence	7 p.m.
F 5	*Monmouth	5 p.m.
F 6	*Lake Forest	2 p.m.
F 10	*Ripon	5:30 p.m.
F 13	*Lawrence	2 p.m.
F 16	*at Finlandia	4:30 p.m.
F 20	*at Carroll	2 p.m.
F 26-27	at Midwest Conference Tournament	

* - Midwest Conference game; % - St. Norbert Tip-Off Tournament, De Pere, Wis.; ^ - Wartburg Holiday Tournament, Waverly, Iowa. **Note:** Home games in **bold**; (rankings) by D3hoops.com. All times Central Standard Time.

shooting 43.9 percent from the floor, 33.3 percent on 3-pointers and 70.3 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring 52.3 points per game. The opposition is shooting 37.6 percent from the floor including 29.4 percent on 3-pointers and 65.7 percent on free throws.

About the Prairie Fire:

Knox enters Friday's game with a 5-5 overall record and a 1-3 ledger in the Midwest Conference. The Prairie Fire have won four of its last seven games, but have lost its last two. Knox dropped its most recent outing, an 83-72 loss at Monmouth on Tuesday.

Sophomore forward Kelly Ricketts leads the Prairie Fire in scoring and rebounding at 9.8 points and 6.3 rebounds per game. Junior guard Jenny Haskell is netting an average of 9.3 points per game, while senior guard Erin Navolio is netting 8.5 points per game and has made a team-high 12 3-pointers.

Knox is scoring an average of 66.7 points per game while shooting 37.5 percent from the floor, 29.0 percent on 3-pointers and 61.0 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring 65.7 points per game and are shooting 40.7 percent from the floor, 35.9 percent on 3-pointers and 67.0 percent at the free-throw line.

About the Pioneers:

Grinnell enters Friday's game at Carroll with a 3-8 overall record and a 1-3 ledger in the Midwest Conference. The Pioneers have lost five straight games since a 3-3 start, including a 62-38 loss to Illinois College last Saturday.

Senior forward Jessica Shotts leads the Pioneers in scoring at 14.0 points per game, and has hoisted up 108 three-point field goal attempts. Shotts has made 35 3-pointers for a 32.4 percent clip. Junior guard Brianna Gallo is scoring 7.5 points per game, while freshman center Michelle Briggs is averaging 6.6 points and 9.8 rebounds per game.

Grinnell is scoring an average of

54.5 points per game while shooting 31.5 percent from the floor, 24.6 percent on 3-pointers and 68.6 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring 64.7 points per game and are shooting 36.9 percent from the floor, 25.7 percent on 3-pointers and 64.3 percent at the free-throw line.

D is for Defense:

St. Norbert is allowing its opponents to score just 52.3 points per game this season. The Green Knights' scoring defense is eight points per game better than the next-best team, which is Beloit's 60.3 points per game.

In this week's NCAA Division III national statistical rankings, St. Norbert had the 28th-best scoring defense out of 424 teams.

The Green Knights have allowed opponents to 49 points or less in five of their games this season, including a low of 35 points in a 54-35 win over UW-La Crosse in the championship game of the St. Norbert Tip-Off Tournament on Nov. 21.

St. Norbert has not had a season where it has held its opponents to under an average of 52 points per game since a 50.2 points per game mark in 1985-86.

WIAC Wins:

St. Norbert has won at least one game against the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference in each of the past seven seasons and in eight of the last nine years.

The Green Knights posted a 4-0 mark against the WIAC this year. St. Norbert last went unbeaten against the WIAC in 1984-85, going 7-0 against that league en route to a Final Four trip and a 24-4 record.

Head coach Connie Tilley owns a respectable 66-70 record against WIAC foes during her career at St. Norbert, and owns at least one win against all nine member schools.

Jump Shots:

* - Junior forward Rachel Hermus' 12 rebounds against Ripon last Saturday were a career high.

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	Sweet 16
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	Regional
2008-09	20-5	15-1	2nd	
2009-10	7-3	2-2		
Totals	515-254	317-94		

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

2009-10 MWC Standings

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

* - through games of Jan. 12, 2010

St. Norbert Quick Facts

Nickname:Green Knights
Location:De Pere, WI 54115
Colors:Dartmouth Green & Old Gold
Founded:1898
Enrollment:2,100
President:Thomas Kunkel
Athletics Director:Tim Bald
Conference:Midwest Conference
Facility:Schuldes Sports Center
Capacity:2,100
Year Opened:1979
Head Coach:Connie Tilley
Record at St. Norbert:515-254 (33rd year)
Assistant Coaches:Nicky Van Laanen
Riley Woldt
Erin Pamperin
First Season of Women's Basketball:1974-75
Seasons of Women's Basketball:36
All-Time Overall Record:542-271
All-Time MWC Record:258-90
MWC Championships:Eight
(1984, '85, '86, '87, '88, '89, 2003, '08)
NCAA Tournament Appearances:Eight
(1983, '85, '86, '87, '88, '89, 2003, '08)
NCAA Sweet 16 Appearances:Four
(1985, '86, '88, 2003)
NCAA Final Four Appearances:One
(1985)

D3hoops.com Division III Top 25 Poll - Jan. 12, 2010

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	Illinois Wesleyan (20)	620	13-0
2	Amherst (4)	595	12-0
3	Washington-Mo.	570	11-1
4	Kean (1)	559	15-1
5	Marymount	500	14-0
6	Hope	498	12-1
7	Scranton	443	10-2
8	Bowdoin	419	10-1
9	Muhlenberg	419	10-1
10	George Fox	352	11-2
11	Tufts	332	12-1
12	Carthage	303	11-2
13	William Paterson	297	14-1
14	Messiah	267	12-1
15	UW-Whitewater	259	11-3
16	Moravian	253	11-2
17	Calvin	248	12-1
18	UW-River Falls	243	13-1
19	Thomas More	150	12-1
20	Christopher Newport	122	12-0
21	Gettysburg	120	12-0
22	Puget Sound	108	11-2
23	Howard Payne	102	11-2
24	UW-Stevens Point	98	10-3
25	Emmanuel	84	9-3

Others receiving votes: Washington and Jefferson 57, Chicago 28, Mount Union 18, Lewis and Clark 17, St. Benedict 11, Southern Maine 10, Brandeis 9, Louisiana College 8, Simpson 6, **St. Norbert 6**, Mississippi College 4, DePauw 2, Cal Lutheran 1.

St. Norbert Women's Basketball Career Highs

#10 - Liz Secor
 Points: 4 (12/5/09 vs. Monmouth)
 Rebounds: n/a
 Assists: 1 (12/5/09 vs. Monmouth)

#12 - Rachel Hermus
 Points: 19 (2/20/08 vs. Lawrence)
 Rebounds: 12 (1/9/10 vs. Ripon)
 Assists: 3 (6 times, last 12/30/09 vs. Wartburg)

#13 - Stefanie Bunday
 Points: 27 (2/11/09 vs. Ripon)
 Rebounds: 8 (4 times, last 2/3/09 vs. Lawrence)
 Assists: 8 (2/3/09 vs. Lawrence)

#14 - Krista Pelky
 Points: 20 (1/4/10 vs. Beloit)
 Rebounds: 5 (4 times, last 1/4/10 vs. Beloit)
 Assists: 6 (11/24/09 vs. UW-Eau Claire)

#20 - Katie Hackbart
 Points: 5 (1/24/09 vs. Knox)
 Rebounds: 3 (2 times, last 2/14/09 vs. Lawrence)
 Assists: 1 (2/14/09 vs. Lawrence)

#21 - Bri Hauge
 Points: 11 (3 times, last 12/5/09 vs. Monmouth)
 Rebounds: 5 (1/18/08 vs. Illinois College)
 Assists: 2 (2 times, last 12/5/08 vs. Lake Forest)

#22 - Denise Heuser
 Points: 23 (1/19/08 vs. Lake Forest)
 Rebounds: 7 (2/29/08 vs. Beloit)
 Assists: 8 (1/6/07 vs. Beloit)

#23 - Amy Brunner
 Points: 14 (1/16/09 vs. Knox)
 Rebounds: 12 (1/18/08 vs. Illinois College)
 Assists: 5 (2/14/09 vs. Lawrence)

#24 - Emily Otzelberger
 Points: 12 (3 times, last 1/9/10 vs. Ripon)
 Rebounds: 9 (2 times, last 1/9/10 vs. Ripon)
 Assists: 4 (1/18/08 vs. Illinois College)

#25 - Brigitte Baudhuin
 Points: 6 (11/15/08 vs. Northland)
 Rebounds: 6 (12/5/09 vs. Monmouth)
 Assists: 2 (2/3/09 vs. Lawrence)

#30 - Kristin Zimmerman
 Points: 16 (11/28/09 vs. UW-Oshkosh)
 Rebounds: 7 (11/30/07 vs. Grinnell)
 Assists: 3 (3 times, last 12/29/09 vs. UW-Platteville)

#31 - Katie Arndt
 Points: 4 (11/20/09 vs. Dubuque)
 Rebounds: 1 (11/24/09 vs. UW-Eau Claire)
 Assists: n/a

#32 - Erin Baganz
 Points: 11 (2 times, last 1/4/10 vs. Lake Forest)
 Rebounds: 4 (12/4/09 vs. Lake Forest)
 Assists: 8 (12/4/09 vs. Lake Forest)

#34 - Jamie Kuhl
 Points: 18 (1/24/09 vs. Knox)
 Rebounds: 7 (12/5/08 vs. Lake Forest)
 Assists: 4 (12/20/08 vs. Transylvania)

#42 - Krista Hawkinson
 Points: 7 (1/4/10 vs. Beloit)
 Rebounds: 4 (12/5/09 vs. Monmouth)
 Assists: 1 (2 times, last 12/29/09 vs. UW-Platteville)

St. Norbert College Women's Basketball
St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Jan 09, 2010)
All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	7-3	4-0	2-3	1-0
CONFERENCE	2-2	1-0	1-2	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	5-1	3-0	1-1	1-0

##	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-fta	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
22	Denise Heuser	7-6	187	26.7	33-73	.452	13-36	.361	17-19	.895	1	11	12	1.7	5	0	13	13	0	10	96	13.7
12	Rachel Hermus	10-10	212	21.2	36-80	.450	0-1	.000	19-25	.760	14	43	57	5.7	27	0	12	15	1	6	91	9.1
14	Krista Pelky	10-5	258	25.8	29-76	.382	4-15	.267	21-27	.778	9	29	38	3.8	13	0	27	20	1	20	83	8.3
24	Emily Otzelberger	10-9	189	18.9	30-49	.612	0-0	.000	11-20	.550	14	26	40	4.0	26	2	8	20	6	12	71	7.1
32	Erin Baganz	10-10	268	26.8	23-57	.404	6-20	.300	12-14	.857	4	16	20	2.0	21	0	24	26	2	13	64	6.4
34	Jamie Kuhl	10-0	160	16.0	28-59	.475	0-0	.000	4-4	1.000	13	20	33	3.3	17	0	4	8	3	8	60	6.0
13	Stefanie Bunday	10-9	271	27.1	20-50	.400	4-12	.333	12-21	.571	2	24	26	2.6	23	0	36	34	1	15	56	5.6
30	Kristin Zimmerman	10-1	210	21.0	21-55	.382	6-18	.333	8-15	.533	10	23	33	3.3	16	0	14	12	2	17	56	5.6
42	Krista Hawkinson	10-0	108	10.8	9-20	.450	3-7	.429	8-14	.571	4	9	13	1.3	3	0	3	6	0	5	29	2.9
23	Amy Brunner	8-0	58	7.3	7-14	.500	1-3	.333	3-4	.750	4	7	11	1.4	8	0	3	4	3	1	18	2.3
21	Bri Hauge	5-0	25	5.0	3-4	.750	3-4	.750	2-2	1.000	0	3	3	0.6	2	0	2	2	0	1	11	2.2
10	Liz Secor	4-0	21	5.3	2-7	.286	0-4	.000	3-5	.600	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	1	3	0	0	7	1.8
31	Katie Arndt	4-0	11	2.8	2-2	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.3	1	0	0	2	0	1	4	1.0
25	Brigette Baudhuin	5-0	22	4.4	0-7	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1	8	9	1.8	5	0	1	2	2	0	1	0.2
Team											18	17	35				6					
Total.....		10	2000		243-553	.439	40-120	.333	121-172	.703	94	237	331	33.1	167	2	148	173	21	109	647	64.7
Opponents.....		10	2000		190-505	.376	32-109	.294	111-169	.657	101	241	342	34.2	172	2	110	226	21	76	523	52.3

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	647	523	# 11/20/09	UNIV. OF DUBUQUE	w 74-48	369
Points per game	64.7	52.3	# 11/21/09	UW-LA CROSSE	w 54-35	303
Scoring margin	+12.4	-	11/24/09	UW-EAU CLAIRE	w 75-49	311
FIELD GOALS-ATT	243-553	190-505	11/28/09	at UW-Oshkosh	w 60-41	248
Field goal pct	.439	.376	* 12/4/09	at Lake Forest College	L 67-68	142
3 POINT FG-ATT	40-120	32-109	* 12/5/09	at Monmouth College	w 77-44	225
3-point FG pct	.333	.294	\$ 12/29/09	vs UW-Platteville	w 61-58	250
3-pt FG made per game	4.0	3.2	\$ 12/30/09	at Wartburg College	L 50-53	250
FREE THROWS-ATT	121-172	111-169	* 1/4/10	BELOIT COLLEGE	w 68-65	165
Free throw pct	.703	.657	* 1/9/10	at Ripon College	L 61-62	305
F-Throws made per game	12.1	11.1				
REBOUNDS	331	342	# -	St. Norbert Tip-Off Tournament (De Pere, Wis.)		
Rebounds per game	33.1	34.2	\$ -	Wartburg AmericInn Classic (Waverly, Iowa)		
Rebounding margin	-1.1	-	* =	Midwest Conference game		
ASSISTS	148	110				
Assists per game	14.8	11.0				
TURNOVERS	173	226				
Turnovers per game	17.3	22.6				
Turnover margin	+5.3	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	0.5				
STEALS	109	76				
Steals per game	10.9	7.6				
BLOCKS	21	21				
Blocks per game	2.1	2.1				
ATTENDANCE	1148	1420				
Home games-Avg/Game	4-287	5-234				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	1-250				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals
St. Norbert College	312	335	647
Opponents	247	276	523