

St. Norbert College Sports Information

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Women's Basketball Preview St. Norbert College (10-2, 7-0) vs. Beloit College (5-7, 4-3)

Tuesday, January 13, 2015 - 5:30 p.m.

Schuldes Sports Center (2,100) - De Pere, Wisconsin

Game Overview:

St. Norbert tries to remain unbeaten in Midwest Conference action when it hosts Beloit Tuesday at Schuldes Sports Center. The Green Knights have won their last three games overall.

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/livestats/xlive.htm

The Series:

St. Norbert leads Beloit 52-15 in an all-time series dating back to the 1977-78 season. The Green Knights have won 11 straight games in the series since a 65-52 Beloit win on Jan. 6, 2009. St. Norbert has won 31 of the last 33 games in the series, which dates back to the 1998-99 season.

Last Meeting:

St. Norbert defeated Beloit 73-48 on Jan. 22, 2014 at Flood Arena in Beloit to give Connie Tilley her 600th career win. The Green Knights pulled away early to lead 40-20 at halftime. Morgan Heim led all scorers with 18 points, while Tasha Giese added 14 points and Brianna Byrne 12 points for St. Norbert. Lana Wieseman paced the Buccaneers with 15 points.

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley (UW-La Crosse, 1974) is 619-279 in her 38th season in De Pere. Combining her softball and volleyball coaching tenures with the Green Knights, Tilley is 948-476 at St. Norbert. Tilley's 619 wins ranks 10th 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 Jennifer McCormick (Elmhurst, 2004) is 21-60 in her fourth season in Beloit.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the game at 10-2 overall and 7-0 in the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights have not played since last Wednesday, when they dispatched Lawrence 88-34 in Appleton. St. Norbert is 5-0 at - MORE -

2014-2015 Results

Date	Opponent	Result
N 15	UW-Stout %	W 64-57
N 16	UW-Superior %	W 76-46
N 19	at Lake Forest *	W 64-41
N 22	Monmouth *	W 73-41
N 25	at UW-Eau Claire	L 66-53
N 29	UW-Oshkosh (5)	W 62-50
D 3	at Ripon *	W 62-39
D 6	Grinnell *	W 58-38
D 13	at UW-Stevens Point	L 71-59
D 17	at Illinois College *	W 72-45
J 3	at Cornell *	W 56-48
J 7	at Lawrence *	W 88-34
J 13	Beloit *	5:30 p.m.
J 17	Knox *	1 p.m.
J 21	at Carroll *	5:30 p.m.
J 24	at Monmouth *	1 p.m.
J 27	Ripon *	5:30 p.m.
J 31	Carroll *	3 p.m.
F 4	Lawrence *	5:30 p.m.
F 7	at Beloit *	2 p.m.
F 10	Lake Forest *	5:30 p.m.
F 14	at Knox *	1 p.m.
F 21	Cornell *	3 p.m.

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

home this season, and has not played at Schuldes Sports Center since a 58-38 win over Grinnell on Dec. 6.

Sophomore guard Brianna Byrne leads the Green Knights in scoring at 12.7 points per game. Sophomore guard Regan Carmichael is averaging 10.6 points per game, while sophomore guard Jill Kleiman is netting 10.3 points and 3.9 steals per game. Senior forward Tasha Giese is shooting 59.7 percent from the floor and is averaging 9.2 points and 5.2 rebounds per game. Junior center Heidi Van Sistine is averaging 8.6 points and 5.2 rebounds per game.

St. Norbert is scoring an average of 65.6 points per game, and is shooting 43.4 percent from the floor, 27.5 percent on 3-pointers and 66.2 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 48.0 points per game while shooting 34.2 percent from the floor, 26.4 percent on 3-pointers and 68.6 percent at the free-throw line.

About the Buccaneers:

Beloit enters the game 5-7 overall and 4-3 in the Midwest Conference. The Buccaneers snapped a three-game losing streak Saturday with a 100-81 home win over Knox. Beloit is 1-6 on the road this season, its only win away from home a 51-31 triumph at Lawrence on Dec. 3.

Junior forward Lana Wieseman leads the Buccaneers, scoring 20.9 points per game with 7.9 rebounds per game, and is shooting 54.0 percent from the floor. Sophomore guard Laura Panicali is averaging 11.8 points per game, while sophomore forward Nora Polaski is registering 11.4 points and 5.9 rebounds per game.

Beloit is scoring an average of 63.2 points per game, and is shooting 40.5 percent from the floor, 23.0 percent on 3-pointers and 67.0 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 66.7 points per game while shooting 38.4 percent from the floor, 22.4 percent on 3-pointers and 65.4 percent at the free-throw line.

D is for Defense:

St. Norbert is currently leading

the Midwest Conference in scoring defense at 48.0 points per game, which is sixth in this week's NCAA Division III national rankings.

The Green Knights have held 10 of their 12 opponents this season to 50 points or less, the only two exceptions coming in road losses to UW-Eau Claire (66-53 on Nov. 25) and UW-Stevens Point (71-59 on Dec. 13).

In seven Midwest Conference games so far this season, the Green Knights are yielding a scant 40.9 points per game. Cornell has scored the most points against St. Norbert in a conference game with 48, in a 56-48 Green Knights' win on Jan. 3.

Tilley Talk:

With a 64-41 win over Lake Forest on Nov. 19, St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley moved into sole possession of 10th place in Division III women's basketball history for career wins with 611.

Tilley, who now has 619 career wins, passed Susan Dunagan for 10th place in career wins. Dunagan, who retired after last season, coached at Roanoke from 1982 to 2014. Johns Hopkins coach Nancy Funk currently has 630 wins to stand in ninth place.

Tilley has wins over 79 different schools, including all nine Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference members. Her most wins against a single opponent have come against Lawrence (64), Ripon (56) and Beloit (52).

Jump Shots:

- * St. Norbert is 151-4 in its last 155 games when scoring at least 70 points. 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 328-23 when scoring at least 70 points.
- * St. Norbert owns an impressive 152-38 record since the start of the 2007-08 season. The Green Knights have won at least 19 games in six of the last seven seasons, with four 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

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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	
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	10-2	7-0		
Totals	619-279	398-105		

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

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

St. Norbert Quick Facts

Nickname:Green Knights
Nickname:
Colors:Dartmouth Green & Old Gold
Founded:
Enrollment:
President:
Athletics Director:
Conference:Midwest Conference
Facility:Schuldes Sports Center
Capacity:
Year Opened:
Head Coach:
Record at St. Norbert:
Assistant Coaches:
Brí Hauge, Kheenan Halvorson, Abby Gildernick
Kheenan Halvorson, Abby Gildernick
First Season of Women's Basketball: .1974-75
Seasons of Women's Basketball:41
All-Time Overall Record:646-296
All-Time MWC Record:
MWC Championships:12
(1984-89, 2003, '08, '10-12, '14)
NCAA Tournament Appearances:11
(1983, '85-89, 2003, '08, '10-11, '14)
NCAA Sweet 16 Appearances:Four
(1985, '86, '88, 2003)
NCAA Final Four Appearances: One
(1985)
NCAA Sweet 16 Appearances:

D3hoops.com Division III Top 25 Poll #7 - Jan. 12, 2015

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	FDU-Florham (21)	620	13-0
2	Thomas More (2)	591	13-0
3	Amherst (2)	574	13-0
4	Washington-Mo.	550	12-0
5	Montclair St.	519	14-0
6	St. Thomas	497	13-0
7	Scranton	452	14-1
8	New York Univ.	445	11-0
9	Tufts	419	12-1
10	George Fox	407	13-0
11	Норе	354	13-1
12	Wheaton-Ill.	352	13-1
13	DePauw	320	13-1
14	Calvin	288	12-0
15	Whitworth	279	13-0
16	Texas-Tyler	230	14-1
17	UW-Oshkosh	205	12-2
18	Williams	196	12-2
19	Transylvania	189	12-1
20	Salisbury	157	12-1
21	John Carroll	126	12-1
22	Maryville-Tenn.	114	10-1
23	Puget Sound	70	11-1
24	North Central-Ill.	51	13-1
25	Luther	32	12-1
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Others receiving votes: Univ. of New England 20, Eastern Mennonite 13, Rhodes 9, St. Norbert 9, Trinity-Texas 8, Bowdoin 5, Cortland State 5, Cabrini 5, Baldwin-Wallace 3, Gettysburg 3, Berry 2, Eastern 2, Stevens 2, Texas-Dallas 2.

St. Norbert Women's Basketball Career Highs

#11 - Brianna Byrne

Points: 20 (2/11/14 vs. Carroll) Rebounds: 8 (1/4/14 vs. Lawrence) Assists: 4 (11/29/14 vs. UW-Oshkosh)

#12 - Stevie Winer

Points: 4 (1/7/15 vs. Lawrence) Rebounds: 1 (2 times, last 1/7/15 vs. Lawrence)

Assists: 1 (3 times, last 1/7/15 vs. Lawrence)

#13 - Jill Kleiman

Points: 21 (12/14/13 vs. Cornell) Rebounds: 6 (2 times, last 1/7/15 vs. Lawrence)

Assists: 7 (2/28/14 vs. Carroll)

#14 - Rachel Hagge

Points: 11 (1/7/15 vs. Lawrence) Rebounds: 7 (12/7/13 vs. Grinnell) Assists: 5 (3 times, last 12/17/14 vs. Illinois College)

#15 - Kyra VandenHeuvel

Points: 11 (11/15/13 vs. Northland) Rebounds: 7 (1/26/13 vs. Knox) Assists: 3 (2 times, last 12/15/12 vs. Lawrence)

#21 - Regan Carmichael

Points: 15 (11/16/14 vs. UW-Superior) Rebounds: 7 (11/15/14 vs. UW-Stout) Assists: 5 (11/22/14 vs. Monmouth)

#22 - Megan McGoohan

Points: 12 (11/15/13 vs. Northland) Rebounds: 2 (11/15/13 vs. Northland) Assists: 3 (11/15/13 vs. Northland)

#23 - Stephanie Weigman

Points: 19 (1/18/14 vs. Illinois College) Rebounds: 8 (1/7/15 vs. Lawrence) Assists: 3 (1/7/15 vs. Lawrence)

#24 - Jessica House

Points: 3 (2 times, last 12/3/14 vs. Ripon) Rebounds: 4 (2 times, last 1/7/15 vs. Lawrence)

Assists: 1 (11/22/14 vs. Monmouth)

#25 - Michaela Machurick

Points: 6 (12/17/14 vs. Illinois College) Rebounds: 4 (11/16/14 vs. UW-Superior)

Assists: 2 (12/3/14 vs. Ripon)

#32 - Tasha Giese

Points: 23 (12/10/11 vs. Knox) Rebounds: 15 (12/10/11 vs. Knox) Assists: 8 (2/22/14 vs. Illinois College)

#40 - Mallory Nickerson

Points: 16 (11/15/13 vs. Northland) Rebounds: 7 (11/22/14 vs. Monmouth) Assists: 2 (12/13/14 vs. UW-Stevens Point)

#42 - Heidi Van Sistine

Points: 24 (2/1/14 vs. Knox) Rebounds: 14 (2/1/14 vs. Knox) Assists: 4 (11/15/14 vs. UW-Stout)

St. Norbert College Women's Basketball St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Jan 07, 2015) All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	10-2	5-0	5-2	0-0
CONFERENCE	7-0	2-0	5-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	3-2	3-0	0-2	0-0

					Total		3-Poi	nt	F-Thro	W		Rebou	nds									
##	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	12-12	358	29.8	55-131	.420	10-34	.294	32-46	.696	7	38	45	3.8	24	0	24	29	14	13	152	12.7
13	Jill Kleiman	12-12	376	31.3	43-94	.457	14-39	.359	24-34	.706	13	29	42	3.5	21	0	32	20	1	47	124	10.3
32	Tasha Giese	12-12	302	25.2	40-67	.597	0-4	.000	30-45	.667	28	34	62	5.2	35	1	22	15	18	17	110	9.2
41	Heidi Van Sistine	12-12	295	24.6	48-83	.578	0-0	.000	7-20	.350	23	39	62	5.2	17	0	18	20	16	6	103	8.6
21	Regan Carmichael	8-7	205	25.6	30-83	.361	16-52	.308	9-12	.750	3	29	32	4.0	13	0	23	13	1	8	85	10.6
40	Mallory Nickerson	10-0	142	14.2	29-68	.426	0-1	.000	16-26	.615	14	29	43	4.3	20	0	6	10	14	2	74	7.4
23	Stephanie Weigman	12-1	241	20.1	29-60	.483	4-17	.235	7-11	.636	16	23	39	3.3	15	0	6	10	2	5	69	5.8
14	Rachel Hagge	12-4	253	21.1	8-36	.222	2-16	.125	5-10	.500	6	21	27	2.3	16	0	38	22	4	13	23	1.9
25	Michaela Machurick	10-0	108	10.8	6-22	.273	1-6	.167	10-10	1.000	4	15	19	1.9	10	0	5	8	0	5	23	2.3
24	Jessica House	7-0	59	8.4	3-17	.176	1-4	.250	5-6	.833	5	9	14	2.0	7	0	1	5	0	6	12	1.7
12	Stevie Winer	6-0	36	6.0	3-13	.231	1-7	.143	2-2	1.000	0	2	2	0.3	6	0	3	3	0	5	9	1.5
22	Megan McGoohan	1-0	10	10.0	1-3	.333	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	3	0	0	2	0	0	3	3.0
15	Kyra VandenHeuvel	2-0	15	7.5	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.5	1	0	2	1	0	1	0	0.0
	Team										15	31	46					9				
	Total	12	2400		295-679	.434	50-182	.275	147-222	.662	134	301	435	36.2	188	1	180	167	70	128	787	65.6
	Opponents	12	2400		206-603	.342	33-125	.264	131-191	.686	129	295	424	35.3	215	2	100	253	30	86	576	48.0

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP
SCORING	787	576
Points per game	65.6	48.0
Scoring margin	+17.6	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	295-679	206-603
Field goal pct	.434	.342
3 POINT FG-ATT	50-182	33-125
3-point FG pct	.275	.264
3-pt FG made per game	4.2	2.8
FREE THROWS-ATT	147-222	131-191
Free throw pct	.662	.686
F-Throws made per game	12.3	10.9
REBOUNDS	435	424
Rebounds per game	36.2	35.3
Rebounding margin	+0.9	-
ASSISTS	180	100
Assists per game	15.0	8.3
TURNOVERS	167	253
Turnovers per game	13.9	21.1
Turnover margin	+7.2	-
Assist/turnover ratio	1.1	0.4
STEALS	128	86
Steals per game	10.7	7.2
BLOCKS	70	30
Blocks per game	5.8	2.5
ATTENDANCE	2094	1882
Home games-Avg/Game	5-419	7-269
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals
St. Norbert College	366	421	787
Opponents	251	325	576

	Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
#	11/15/14	UW-STOUT	W	64-57	420
#	11/16/14	UW-SUPERIOR	W	76-46	222
*	11/19/14	at Lake Forest College	W	64-41	156
*	11/22/14	MONMOUTH COLLEGE	W	73-41	286
	11/25/14	at UW-Eau Claire	L	53-66	312
	11/29/14	UW-OSHKOSH	W	62-50	720
*	12/3/14	at Ripon College	W	62-39	171
*	12/6/14	GRINNELL COLLEGE	W	58-38	446
	12/13/14	at UW-Stevens Point	L	59-71	487
*	12/17/14	at Illinois College	W	72-45	184
*	1/3/15	at Cornell College	W	56-48	205
*	1/7/15	at Lawrence University	W	88-34	367

^{# -} St. Norbert Tip-Off Tournament (De Pere, Wis.)
* = Conference game