



St. Norbert College

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Women's Basketball Preview

St. Norbert College (3-2, 2-0) at Grinnell College (3-2, 2-1)

Saturday, December 5, 2015 - 3 p.m.
 Darby Gym (1,250) - Grinnell, Iowa

Game Overview:

St. Norbert hits the road for another important Midwest Conference game at Grinnell. The game is the last conference road game for the Green Knights until January 12.

Broadcast:

The game will be broadcast with video streaming and live stats at: <http://client.stretchinternet.com/client/snc.portal#>

The Series:

St. Norbert leads Grinnell 32-0 in an all-time series dating back to the 1992-93 season.

Last Meeting:

St. Norbert defeated Grinnell 58-38 on Dec. 6, 2014 at Schuldes Sports Center in De Pere. The Green Knights led 28-14 at halftime and held the Pioneers to shooting 27.5 percent from the floor. Brianna Byrne led St. Norbert with 17 points and seven rebounds, while Stephanie Weigman added 12 points and six rebounds. Sophia Gatton led Grinnell with 11 points, while Alex Neckopulos added nine points and 14 rebounds.

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley (UW-La Crosse, 1974) is 634-283 in her 39th season in De Pere. Combining her softball and volleyball coaching tenures with the Green Knights, Tilley is 962-480 at St. Norbert. Tilley's 634 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.

Grinnell coach Dana Harrold (Dubuque, 2004) is 16-35 in her third season in Grinnell.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the game 3-2 overall and 2-0 in the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights turned in their best defensive effort of the young season with a 61-26 win over Ripon at home this past Wednesday. St. Norbert is 30-1 in its last 31 games against Midwest Conference oppo-

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2015-2016 Results

Date	Opponent	Result
N 5	at UW-Green Bay (exh)	L 75-38
N 14	at St. Thomas (18)	L 62-60
N 21	UW-Platteville	W 78-60
N 24	UW-Eau Claire	L 70-62
N 28	at Monmouth *	W 75-51
D 2	Ripon *	W 61-26
D 5	at Grinnell *	3 p.m.
D 8	Lake Forest *	7:30 p.m.
D 12	at UW-Oshkosh	3 p.m.
D 19	Cornell *	5 p.m.
D 22	Illinois College *	7 p.m.
J 2	UW-Stevens Point	6 p.m.
J 6	Lawrence *	7:30 p.m.
J 12	at Beloit *	7 p.m.
J 16	at Knox *	3 p.m.
J 20	Carroll *	7 p.m.
J 23	Monmouth *	3 p.m.
J 26	at Ripon *	7:30 p.m.
J 30	at Carroll *	3 p.m.
F 3	at Lawrence *	7:30 p.m.
F 6	Beloit *	4 p.m.
F 9	at Lake Forest *	7:30 p.m.
F 13	Knox *	3 p.m.
F 20	at Cornell *	3 p.m.

* - Midwest Conference game. **Note:** Home games in **bold**; (rankings) by D3hoops.com. All times Central Standard Time.

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Junior guard Brianna Byrne leads the Green Knights in scoring at 12.8 points per game. Junior guard Regan Carmichael averages 12.2 points and a team-high 5.0 rebounds per game. Senior guard Stephanie Weigman is averaging 11.8 points per game, while junior center Mallory Nickerson is averaging 7.2 points and 4.6 rebounds per game.

St. Norbert is scoring an average of 66.8 points per game, and is shooting 40.7 percent from the floor, 30.8 percent on 3-pointers and 63.8 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 53.8 points per game while shooting 37.9 percent from the floor, 31.4 percent on 3-pointers and 68.6 percent at the free-throw line.

About the Pioneers:

Grinnell enters the game 3-2 overall and 2-1 in the Midwest Conference. The Pioneers suffered their first setback in conference play with a 52-45 road loss at Cornell on Wednesday.

Senior guard Alissa Hirsh leads the Pioneers in scoring at 17.0 points per game and is shooting 64.8 percent from the floor. Senior guard Anne Boldt is scoring 10.6 points per game, while sophomore forward Kayla Morrissey is also scoring 10.6 points per game. Junior forward Alex Neckopulos is averaging 8.2 points and 11.4 rebounds per game.

Grinnell is scoring an average of 63.2 points per game, and is shooting 36.0 percent from the floor, 25.0 percent on 3-pointers and 65.9 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 63.0 points per game while shooting 38.6 percent from the floor, 25.7 percent on 3-pointers and 69.0 percent at the free-throw line.

Tilley Talk:

With a 64-41 win over Lake Forest on Nov. 19, 2014, 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 634 career wins, passed Susan Dunagan for 10th place in career wins. Dunagan coached at Roanoke from 1982 to 2014. Johns Hopkins coach Nancy Funk currently has 640 wins to stand in ninth place.

Tilley has wins over 79 different schools, including all eight Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference members. Her most wins against a single opponent have come against Midwest Conference foes Lawrence (65), Ripon (58) and Beloit (54).

Twenty Talk:

St. Norbert turned in its best defensive effort of the season on Dec. 2 when it held Ripon to 26 points in a 61-26 win at Schuldes Sports Center. The Green Knights limited the Red Hawks to just 10 points in the second half.

It marked the third time in a 13-game stretch dating back to last season the Green Knights have held a team below 30 points. St. Norbert topped Lake Forest 66-28 on Feb. 10 and beat Lawrence 73-27 on Feb. 4, with both games at Schuldes Sports Center.

Jump Shots:

* - St. Norbert is leading the Midwest Conference in assist-to-turnover ratio at plus-1.3. Grinnell is third in the conference at plus-1.1.

* - St. Norbert is second in the Midwest Conference in turnover margin at plus-8.0 per game while Grinnell is third at plus-4.0.

* - St. Norbert is 160-4 in its last 164 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 332-23 when scoring at least 70 points.

* - St. Norbert owns an impressive 167-42 record since the start of the 2007-08 season. The Green Knights have won at least 19 games in seven of the last eight seasons, with six 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	1st	First Rd.
2014-15	22-4	17-1	1st	First Rd.
2015-16	3-2	2-0		
Totals	634-283	410-106		

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

MWC Glance

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

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:Connie Tilley
Record at St. Norbert:634-283 (39th year)
Assistant Coaches:Riley Woldt,
Bri Hauge,
Kheenan Halvorson
First Season of Women's Basketball:1974-75
Seasons of Women's Basketball:42
All-Time Overall Record:661-300
All-Time MWC Record:351-102
MWC Championships:13
(1984-89, 2003, '08, '10-12, '14-15)
NCAA Tournament Appearances:12
(1983, '85-89, 2003, '08, '10-11, '14-15)
NCAA Sweet 16 Appearances:Four
(1985, '86, '88, 2003)
NCAA Final Four Appearances:One
(1985)

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Top 25 Poll #2 - Nov. 30, 2015

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	Thomas More (24)	624	3-0
2	Amherst	582	3-0
3	Tufts	563	2-0
4	George Fox	526	4-0
5	New York Univ.	514	5-0
6	UW-Oshkosh (1)	496	4-0
7	Hope	480	4-0
8	Montclair St.	431	4-0
9	St. Thomas	391	5-0
10	Univ. of New England	345	3-0
11	Washington-Mo.	334	4-1
12	Wheaton-Ill.	333	3-1
13	Calvin	255	4-1
14	FDU-Florham	199	4-1
15	Texas-Tyler	197	3-0
16	Maryville-Tenn.	172	4-1
17	Capital	142	5-0
18	Rochester	132	4-0
19	Trinity (Texas)	122	6-0
20	UW-Whitewater	110	5-0
21	Muhlenberg	98	4-0
22	Williams	95	3-0
23	Carthage	93	4-0
24	Ohio Northern	86	3-2
25	Scranton	83	4-0

Others receiving votes: Christopher Newport 70, Bowdoin 61, St. John Fisher 51, Luther 48, Marietta 42, Lebanon Valley 41, Chicago 40, DePauw 39, Wisconsin Lutheran 38, Albright 32, Texas-Dallas 30, UW-River Falls 29, Geneseo State 26, Eastern 23, Mary Washington 18, Eastern Connecticut 16, Plattsburgh State 16, Salisbury 14, Wheaton-Mass. 14, **St. Norbert 13**, McDaniel 10, Moravian 8, Catholic 7, Whitman 7, John Carroll 6, Austin 4, Claremont-Mudd-Scripps 4, Baldwin-Wallace 3, York-Pa. 3, Bethel 3, Carnegie Mellon 2, Cortland State 2, UW-Stevens Point 2.

St. Norbert Women's Basketball Career Highs

#10 - Jessica Harberts

Points: 2 (12/2/15 vs. Ripon)
 Rebounds: n/a
 Assists: n/a

#11 - Brianna Byrne

Points: 29 (2/7/15 vs. Beloit)
 Rebounds: 8 (1/4/14 vs. Lawrence)
 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 (2 times, last 1/12/15 vs. Carroll)

#14 - Rachel Hagge

Points: 17 (2/28/15 vs. Cornell)
 Rebounds: 7 (12/7/13 vs. Grinnell)
 Assists: 7 (2/7/15 vs. Beloit)

#15 - Kyra VandenHeuvel

Points: 13 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)
 Rebounds: 7 (1/26/13 vs. Knox)
 Assists: 3 (4 times, last 2/14/15 vs. Knox)

#20 - Christine Olijnyk

Points: 2 (11/28/15 vs. Monmouth)
 Rebounds: 1 (12/2/15 vs. Ripon)
 Assists: n/a

#21 - Regan Carmichael

Points: 16 (12/2/15 vs. Ripon)
 Rebounds: 7 (3 times, last 11/28/15 vs. Monmouth)
 Assists: 7 (11/28/15 vs. Monmouth)

#22 - Megan McGoohan

Points: 12 (11/15/13 vs. Northland)
 Rebounds: 7 (1/17/15 vs. Knox)
 Assists: 3 (11/15/13 vs. Northland)

#23 - Stephanie Weigman

Points: 26 (2/14/15 vs. Knox)
 Rebounds: 8 (3 times, last 2/14/15 vs. Knox)
 Assists: 3 (2 times, last 1/17/15 vs. Knox)

#31 - Lily Quinn

Points: n/a
 Rebounds: 2 (2 times, last 12/2/15 vs. Ripon)
 Assists: n/a

#32 - Julia Easter

Points: n/a
 Rebounds: n/a
 Assists: n/a

#35 - Sarah Ratajczyk

Points: 9 (11/28/15 vs. Monmouth)
 Rebounds: 4 (11/28/15 vs. Monmouth)
 Assists: 1 (12/2/15 vs. Ripon)

#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: 15 (2/4/15 vs. Lawrence)
 Assists: 4 (2 times, last 1/31/15 vs. Carroll)



St. Norbert College Women's Basketball
 St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Dec 02, 2015)
All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	3-2	2-1	1-1	0-0
CONFERENCE	2-0	1-0	1-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	1-2	1-1	0-1	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										
11	Brianna Byrne	5-5	126	25.2	22-44	.500	5-13	.385	15-21	.714	7	7	14	2.8	7	0	1	8	3	4	64	12.8		
21	Regan Carmichael	5-5	147	29.4	21-56	.375	13-29	.448	6-8	.750	5	20	25	5.0	9	0	23	5	1	6	61	12.2		
23	Stephanie Weigman	5-5	142	28.4	26-53	.491	0-4	.000	7-11	.636	11	9	20	4.0	8	0	8	10	4	10	59	11.8		
40	Mallory Nickerson	5-5	82	16.4	14-38	.368	0-0	.000	8-16	.500	7	16	23	4.6	14	0	1	8	4	4	36	7.2		
13	Jill Kleiman	5-5	138	27.6	12-25	.480	4-10	.400	3-4	.750	1	11	12	2.4	13	0	20	8	0	13	31	6.2		
42	Heidi Van Sistine	5-0	92	18.4	9-25	.360	0-0	.000	10-12	.833	9	14	23	4.6	7	0	4	4	1	2	28	5.6		
14	Rachel Hagge	5-0	86	17.2	6-19	.316	2-8	.250	3-5	.600	2	9	11	2.2	8	0	12	6	1	6	17	3.4		
15	Kyra VandenHeuvel	5-0	70	14.0	6-16	.375	0-3	.000	4-8	.500	3	5	8	1.6	8	0	4	2	0	7	16	3.2		
35	Sarah Ratajczyk	3-0	17	5.7	4-5	.800	0-0	.000	1-3	.333	3	2	5	1.7	4	0	1	2	0	0	9	3.0		
22	Megan McGoohan	5-0	56	11.2	3-13	.231	0-4	.000	2-2	1.000	3	2	5	1.0	8	0	7	8	0	4	8	1.6		
20	Christine Olijnyk	3-0	21	7.0	1-7	.143	0-6	.000	1-2	.500	1	0	1	0.3	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.0		
10	Jessica Harberts	2-0	3	1.5	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0		
31	Lily Quinn	3-0	12	4.0	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1	3	4	1.3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0		
32	Julia Easter	3-0	8	2.7	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0.0		
Team											14	15	29											
Total.....		5	1000		125-307	.407	24-78	.308	60-94	.638	67	113	180	36.0	89	0	81	62	14	56	334	66.8		
Opponents.....		5	1000		94-248	.379	22-70	.314	59-86	.686	51	131	182	36.4	92	3	54	102	13	35	269	53.8		

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	334	269	11/14/15	at St. Thomas	L 60-62	205
Points per game	66.8	53.8	11/21/15	UW-PLATTEVILLE	w 76-60	215
Scoring margin	+13.0	-	11/24/15	UW-EAU CLAIRE	L 62-70	254
FIELD GOALS-ATT	125-307	94-248	* 11/28/15	at Monmouth College	w 75-51	150
Field goal pct	.407	.379	* 12/2/15	RIPON COLLEGE	w 61-26	416
3 POINT FG-ATT	24-78	22-70	* - Conference game			
3-point FG pct	.308	.314				
3-pt FG made per game	4.8	4.4				
FREE THROWS-ATT	60-94	59-86				
Free throw pct	.638	.686				
F-Throws made per game	12.0	11.8				
REBOUNDS	180	182				
Rebounds per game	36.0	36.4				
Rebounding margin	-0.4	-				
ASSISTS	81	54				
Assists per game	16.2	10.8				
TURNOVERS	62	102				
Turnovers per game	12.4	20.4				
Turnover margin	+8.0	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	1.3	0.5				
STEALS	56	35				
Steals per game	11.2	7.0				
BLOCKS	14	13				
Blocks per game	2.8	2.6				
ATTENDANCE	885	355				
Home games-Avg/Game	3-295	2-178				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	0-0				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Totals
St. Norbert College	75	81	97	81	334
Opponents	57	76	81	55	269