



St. Norbert College

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Women's Basketball Preview

St. Norbert College (9-4) at Ripon College (8-5)

Wednesday, January 18, 2017 - 5:30 p.m.
 Storzer Center (1,250) - Ripon, Wisconsin

Game Overview:

St. Norbert travels to Ripon in a key game between teams near the top of the Midwest Conference standings. The Green Knights and Red Hawks are part of a three-way tie for second place in the Midwest Conference along with Illinois College.

Broadcast:

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

The Series:

St. Norbert leads Ripon 62-27 in a series started during the 1975-76 season. The Green Knights have won 22 of the last 25 games in the series.

Last Meeting:

St. Norbert defeated Ripon 78-46 on Feb. 26, 2016 in a semifinal game of the Midwest Conference Tournament at Schuldes Sports Center in De Pere. The Green Knights led 43-22 at halftime and cruised to the win behind a 42-21 rebounding advantage. Jill Kleiman led St. Norbert with 13 points, while Regan Carmichael added 11 points. Maddie Koster led the Red Hawks with 10 points.

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley (UW-La Crosse, 1974) is 661-290 in her 40th season in De Pere. Combining her softball and volleyball coaching tenures with the Green Knights, Tilley is 989-487 at St. Norbert. Tilley's 661 wins ranks seventh 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.

Ripon coach Lauren Johnson (Clarke, 2008) is 34-49 in her fourth season in Ripon.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the game 9-4 overall and 6-2 in the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights extended their winning streak to six games with a pair of league wins last weekend. St. Norbert topped Illinois College

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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 *	W 67-58
J 6	Grinnell *	W 54-35
J 13	Illinois College *	W 78-48
J 14	Monmouth *	W 72-48
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.

78-48 on Friday before defeating Monmouth 72-48 on Saturday.

Senior guard Brianna Byrne leads the Green Knights at 12.7 points per game and is shooting 52.9 percent from beyond the three-point arc. Senior guard Regan Carmichael is averaging 11.3 points per game. Senior guard Jill Kleiman is registering 7.7 points per game, while sophomore center Sarah Ratajczyk is scoring 6.4 points per game.

St. Norbert is scoring an average of 63.9 points per game, and is shooting 40.9 percent from the floor, 34.1 percent on 3-pointers and 64.5 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 50.8 points per game while shooting 33.8 percent from the floor, 29.3 percent on 3-pointers and 64.8 percent at the free-throw line.

About the Red Hawks:

Ripon enters the game 8-5 overall and 6-2 in the Midwest Conference. The Red Hawks are coming off a tough 58-55 home loss to first-place Cornell this past Saturday.

Sophomore center Maggie Oimoen is averaging 14.0 points and 7.3 rebounds per game. Senior forward Nicole Herkert is registering 7.8 points and 5.9 rebounds per game. Junior center Eleanore Mueller is averaging 7.3 points and 5.0 rebounds per game.

Ripon is scoring an average of 64.5 points per game and is shooting 42.8 percent from the floor, 36.4 percent on 3-pointers and 65.8 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 59.8 points per game while shooting 35.2 percent from the floor, 33.3 percent on 3-pointers and 67.0 percent at the free-throw line.

Byrne Bullets:

Senior guard Brianna Byrne enters the game with 1,079 career points. Byrne is 13th in career scoring, trailing Geri Wilkinson for 12th (1,099 points from 1975-79).

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.

Byrne is also currently first in Division III in three-point field goal percentage. Byrne has canned 27 of 51 three-point field-goal attempts for a 52.9 percent success rate.

Tilley Talk:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley has 661 career wins to sit in seventh place all-time in wins among NCAA Division III women's basketball coaches. Johns Hopkins coach Nancy Funk currently has 655 wins to trail Tilley's total by six.

Tilley passed Southern Maine's Gary Fifield for the No. 7 spot on the list with a 72-48 win over Monmouth on Jan. 14. Fifield won 660 games at Southern Maine from 1988-2015.

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 (57).

Jump Shots:

* - St. Norbert is 26th in Division III in scoring defense, allowing just 50.8 points per game. It is the best defensive mark in the Midwest Conference, just ahead of Cornell's 53.2 points allowed per game.

* - St. Norbert is 173-4 in its last 177 games when scoring at least 70 points and has a 40-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 345-23 when scoring at least 70 points.

* - St. Norbert owns an impressive 193-49 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	1st	First Rd.
2014-15	22-4	17-1	1st	First Rd.
2015-16	21-5	18-0	1st	First Rd.
2016-17	9-4	6-2		
Totals	661-290	432-108		

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

MWC Glance

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

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:661-290 (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:688-307
All-Time MWC Record:372-104
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 #8 - Jan. 16, 2017

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	Tufts (15)	612	15-0
2	Amherst (6)	598	15-0
3	Scranton	565	15-0
4	St. Thomas (1)	544	14-0
5	Thomas More (3)	529	15-0
6	Christopher Newport	479	15-0
7	Hope	464	15-1
8	Wartburg	418	15-1
9	Mary Washington	406	15-0
10	UW-Oshkosh	372	14-1
11	Ohio Northern	357	15-0
12	Washington-Mo.	313	12-2
13	Carnegie Mellon	292	13-1
14	Puget Sound	274	14-1
15	DePauw	273	16-1
16	Trinity-Texas	268	14-1
17	Montclair State	267	14-1
18	Whitman	197	14-1
19	Bowdoin	166	12-2
20	UW-Whitewater	164	14-1
21	George Fox	161	12-2
22	Gustavus Adolphus	132	15-0
23	Rochester	63	11-3
24	Trine	54	14-1
25	Messiah	51	15-1

Others receiving votes: Wheaton-Ill. 36,
 Geneseo State 32, Texas-Dallas 14, Calvin 7,
 Marymount 5, New York Univ. 5, Bluffton 2,
 Ithaca 2, Albright 1, Babson 1, Illinois Wesleyan
 1.

St. Norbert Women's Basketball Career Highs

#10 - Hayley Winzenried

Points: 2 (4 times, last 1/6/17 vs.
 Grinnell)
 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: 11 (1/6/17 vs. Grinnell)
 Assists: 7 (5 times, last 11/16/16 vs.
 Carroll)

#14 - Sarah Neumann

Points: 11 (12/18/16 vs. Widener)
 Rebounds: 9 (1/13/17 vs.
 Illinois College)
 Assists: 1 (8 times, last 1/14/17 vs.
 Monmouth)

#15 - Hannah Gibbons

Points: 1 (12/17/16 vs. Randolph)
 Rebounds: 1 (3 times, last 1/6/17 vs.
 Grinnell)
 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: 7 (1/4/17 vs. Beloit)
 Rebounds: 2 (1/4/17 vs. Beloit)
 Assists: 3 (1/4/17 vs. Beloit)

#24 - Macie Zurfluh

Points: 9 (3 times, last 1/13/17 vs.
 Illinois College)
 Rebounds: 6 (2 times, last 12/10/16 vs.
 Cornell)
 Assists: 6 (1/4/17 vs. Beloit)

#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 (3 times, last 1/13/17 vs.
 Illinois College)

#33 - Jelena Ostojic

Points: 14 (1/4/17 vs. Beloit)
 Rebounds: 6 (2 times, last 1/4/17 vs.
 Beloit)
 Assists: 4 (2 times, last 1/4/17 vs.
 Beloit)

#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 (2 times, last 1/13/17 vs.
 Illinois College)
 Rebounds: 8 (1/14/17 vs. Monmouth)
 Assists: 3 (1/13/17 vs. Illinois College)

#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 Jan 14, 2017)
All games



Overall record: 9-4 Conf: 6-2 Home: 4-0 Away: 3-4 Neutral: 2-0

#	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	13-13	379	29.2	57-125	.456	27-51	.529	24-38	.632	14	45	59	4.5	15	0	26	27	8	18	165	12.7
21	Regan Carmichael	13-13	366	28.2	56-160	.350	22-78	.282	13-19	.684	6	44	50	3.8	16	1	26	38	9	34	147	11.3
13	Jill Kleiman	13-13	331	25.5	26-73	.356	10-32	.313	38-50	.760	14	34	48	3.7	29	2	38	20	0	32	100	7.7
35	Sarah Ratajczyk	13-8	267	20.5	34-61	.557	0-0	.000	15-28	.536	30	23	53	4.1	15	1	12	13	3	9	83	6.4
24	Macie Zurfluh	13-5	278	21.4	27-67	.403	2-12	.167	16-31	.516	8	36	44	3.4	22	0	31	23	0	23	72	5.5
40	Mallory Nickerson	13-5	191	14.7	30-64	.469	0-0	.000	12-18	.667	27	34	61	4.7	24	0	3	15	21	6	72	5.5
33	Jelena Ostojic	13-8	208	16.0	28-62	.452	3-7	.429	7-11	.636	11	29	40	3.1	29	1	17	23	3	11	66	5.1
14	Sarah Neumann	12-0	144	12.0	22-49	.449	0-0	.000	5-10	.500	14	22	36	3.0	23	0	7	19	3	1	49	4.1
25	Sarah Wiseman	13-0	139	10.7	5-21	.238	1-7	.143	9-16	.563	4	15	19	1.5	13	0	7	14	4	9	20	1.5
23	Carley Frauenhoff	10-0	58	5.8	5-13	.385	4-10	.400	3-4	.750	1	4	5	0.5	5	0	4	7	0	2	17	1.7
20	Christine Olijnyk	13-0	91	7.0	4-19	.211	1-7	.143	6-7	.857	3	5	8	0.6	5	0	7	4	1	4	15	1.2
10	Hayley Winzenried	7-0	38	5.4	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	7	8	1.1	5	0	3	4	3	2	8	1.1
22	Sara Winkel	6-0	29	4.8	2-4	.500	1-3	.333	2-2	1.000	3	2	5	0.8	1	0	2	4	0	0	7	1.2
34	Hannah Ciesielczyk	6-0	27	4.5	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	4-6	.667	1	5	6	1.0	1	0	1	2	0	1	6	1.0
32	Julia Easter	7-0	30	4.3	1-4	.250	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	7	7	1.0	2	0	1	2	0	0	3	0.4
15	Hannah Gibbons	6-0	16	2.7	0-7	.000	0-0	.000	1-1	1.000	0	3	3	0.5	2	0	0	1	2	2	1	0.2
30	Rachel Schmidt	3-0	8	2.7	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0.0
Team												24	31	55				8				
Total.....		13	2600		301-736	.409	71-208	.341	158-245	.645	161	347	508	39.1	207	5	185	227	57	154	831	63.9
Opponents.....		13	2600		227-671	.338	71-242	.293	136-210	.648	130	320	450	34.6	241	11	135	271	32	109	661	50.8

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	831	661	11/16/16	at Carroll University	w 76-49	298
Points per game	63.9	50.8	11/22/16	at UW-Eau Claire	L 51-52	644
Scoring margin	+13.1	-	11/29/16	at UW-Oshkosh	L 32-54	310
FIELD GOALS-ATT	301-736	227-671	* 12/2/16	at Knox College	w 66-42	200
Field goal pct	.409	.338	* 12/3/16	at Illinois College	L 69-76	320
3 POINT FG-ATT	71-208	71-242	* 12/7/16	LAWRENCE UNIV.	w 71-32	271
3-point FG pct	.341	.293	* 12/10/16	at Cornell College	L 59-70	230
3-pt FG made per game	5.5	5.5	# 12/17/16	vs Randolph College	w 69-47	58
FREE THROWS-ATT	158-245	136-210	# 12/18/16	vs Widener Univ.	w 67-50	68
Free throw pct	.645	.648	* 1/4/17	at Beloit College	w 67-58	300
F-Throws made per game	12.2	10.5	* 1/6/17	GRINNELL COLLEGE	w 54-35	277
REBOUNDS	508	450	* 1/13/17	ILLINOIS COLLEGE	w 78-48	310
Rebounds per game	39.1	34.6	* 1/14/17	MONMOUTH COLLEGE	w 72-48	354
Rebounding margin	+4.5	-				
ASSISTS	185	135				
Assists per game	14.2	10.4	* - Midwest Conference game			
TURNOVERS	227	271	# - St. Pete Classic (St. Petersburg, Fla.)			
Turnovers per game	17.5	20.8				
Turnover margin	+3.4	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	0.8	0.5				
STEALS	154	109				
Steals per game	11.8	8.4				
BLOCKS	57	32				
Blocks per game	4.4	2.5				
ATTENDANCE	1212	2428				
Home games-Avg/Game	4-303	7-329				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	2-63				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Totals
St. Norbert College	214	193	224	200	831
Opponents	158	201	163	139	661