

St. Norbert College Athletics Communications

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Women's Basketball Preview St. Norbert College (9-12) at Beloit College (4-17)

Tuesday, February 5, 2019 - 5:30 p.m.

Flood Arena (2,250) - Beloit, Wisconsin

Game Overview:

St. Norbert, winners of seven of its last eight games, looks to keep its momentum going with a trip to Beloit to face the Buccaneers. The visit to Beloit will be the last for retiring St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley to her hometown.

Broadcast:

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

The Series:

St. Norbert leads Beloit 60-15 in an all-time series dating back to the 1977-78 season. The Green Knights have won 19 straight games in the series since a 65-52 Beloit win on Jan. 6, 2009. St. Norbert has won 39 of the last 41 games in the long-running series, which dates back to the 1998-99 season.

Last Meeting:

St. Norbert defeated Beloit 67-66 on Jan. 8, 2019 at Mulva Family Fitness & Sports Center in De Pere. The Green Knights trailed 54-42 at the end of the third quarter before mounting a furious rally to eke out the win. Christine Olijnyk and Macie Zurfluh had 14 points apiece while Sarah Neumann added 12 points for the Green Knights. Shelby Kline topped the Buccaneers with 23 points, while Candace Cunningham added 12 points and 17 rebounds.

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley (UW-La Crosse, 1974) is 691-309 in her 42nd season in De Pere. Combining her softball and volleyball coaching tenures with the Green Knights, Tilley is 1,017-506 at St. Norbert. Tilley's 689 wins is sixth all-time for the most triumphs in NCAA Division III history.

Beloit coach Gloria Bradley (Seton Hall, 1984) is 14-54 in her third season in Beloit. Including a 114-69 mark in seven seasons at Montclair State and a 126-172 ledger in 11 seasons at Wayne State (Mich.), Bradley is 254-294 in 22 seasons of collegiate coaching.

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2018-2019 Results								
Date	Opponent	Result						
N 16	Marian #	W 88-26						
N 17	UW-Superior #	L 74-57						
N 26	at UW-Oshkosh	L 76-43						
N 30	Monmouth *	L 71-60						
D1	Knox *	L 72-70						
D 5	at Lake Forest *	L 78-68						
D 8	Ripon *	W 49-47						
D 15	UW-Stevens Point	L 65-58						
D 20	at Carroll	L 66-59						
D 29	vs. UW-Eau Claire %	L 71-60						
D 30	vs. St. Benedict %	L 62-48						
J 2	at Illinois College *	L 71-60						
J 5	Cornell *	L 55-48						
J 8	Beloit *	W 67-66						
J 12	at Knox *	W 57-51						
J 16	Lake Forest *	W 70-56						
J 19	at Ripon *	L 67-58						
J 25	at Grinnell *	W 49-43						
J 26	at Cornell *	W 67-63						
J 31	at Lawrence *	W 61-48						
F 2	Illinois College *	W 72-49						
F 5	at Beloit *	5:30 p.m.						
F 9	Grinnell *	1 p.m.						
F 13	Lawrence *	5:30 p.m.						
F 16	at Monmouth *	1 p.m.						
# - St.	# - St. Norbert Tip-Off Tournament - De Pere,							

Wis.; % - Music City Classic - Nashville, Tenn.; Note: Home games in bold at Mulva Family Fitness & Sports Center - De Pere, Wis.; (rankings) by D3hoops.com. All times Central Standard Time.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the contest 9-12 overall and 8-6 in the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights have won seven of their last eight games after defeating Illinois College 72-49 this past Saturday in De Pere.

Senior guard Macie Zurfluh tops St. Norbert in scoring at 13.1 points and 5.0 assists per game. Senior center Sarah Ratajczyk is averaging 10.2 points and a teamhigh 8.2 rebounds per game while shooting 66.9 percent from the floor. Sophomore guard Olivia DeCleene is averaging 9.0 points per game, while senior guard Christine Olijnyk is averaging 8.3 points per game.

St. Norbert is scoring an average of 60.4 points per game, and is shooting 39.2 percent from the floor, 25.1 percent on 3-pointers and 65.8 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 60.8 points per game while shooting 41.0 percent from the floor, 32.1 percent on 3-pointers and 66.0 percent at the free-throw line.

About the Buccaneers:

Beloit enters the game 4-17 overall and 3-11 in the Midwest Conference. The Buccaneers dropped their fourth straight game with an 87-65 setback this past Saturday at Lake Forest.

Senior guard Shelby Kline leads the Buccaneers in scoring at 17.5 points per game. Senior guard Candace Cunningham is averaging a double-double at 13.5 points and 11.1 rebounds per game. Sophomore guard Kelly Loudon is totaling 8.8 points per game, while junior guards Lauren Glaser and Danielle Strejc are both posting 6.5 points per game.

Beloit is scoring an average of 58.8 points per game and is shooting 34.5 percent from the floor, 30.5 percent on 3-pointers and 66.0 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 67.8 points per game while shooting 43.2 percent from the floor, 25.9 percent on 3-pointers

and 65.5 percent at the free-throw

Tilley Talk:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley has 691 career wins to stand in sixth place all-time in wins among NCAA Division III women's basketball coaches.

Tilley moved past retired Elizabethtown coach Yvonne Kauffman for sixth place on the list with a win over Lawrence on Jan. 31. Kauffman went 689-328 in 42 seasons (1971-2012).

The 2018-19 season will be Tilley's 42nd and last with the Green Knights after announcing on Jan. 4 her intention to retire at the end of the season. St. Norbert is 7-2 since the announcement.

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 (71), Ripon (63) and Beloit (60).

St. Norbert has appeared in 28 Midwest Conference Tournaments or championship games in 35 seasons in the league.

Jump Shots:

- *-St. Norbert improved its lead in the Midwest Conference in turnover margin. The Green Knights are plus-3.52 in turnover margin in comparison to their opponents. St. Norbert is averaging 14.3 turnovers per game, while its opponents are averaging 17.9. Lake Forest is second at plus-1.52.
- * St. Norbert is 183-5 in its last 188 games when scoring at least 70 points. Under Connie Tilley, St. Norbert is 355-24 when scoring at least 70 points.
- * St. Norbert owns an impressive 223-68 record since the start of the 2007-08 season. The Green Knights have won at least 19 games in nine of the last 11 seasons, with eight 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	110111
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	regional
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	regional
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		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	Sweet 10
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	occorrect receiv
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	11100 1100
2012-13	15-9	12-6	3rd	
2013-14	21-5	16-2	T1st	First Rd.
2014-15	22-4	17-1	1st	First Rd.
2015-16	21-5	18-0	1st	First Rd.
2016-17	20-6	15-3	T2nd	First Rd.
2017-18	10-5		-	
2018-19	9-12	8-6		
Totals		449-115		
			consin l	Independent

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

MWC Glance								
Team	MWC	Overall						
Ripon	12-2	13-8						
Monmouth	11-3	16-5						
Knox	9-5	12-9						
Lake Forest	9-5	10-11						
St. Norbert	8-6	9-12						
Grinnell	6-9	8-13						
Cornell	5-8	5-13						
Illinois College	5-9	9-12						
Beloit	3-11	4-17						
Lawrence	2-12	5-15						

St. Norbert Quick Facts

Nickname:Green Knights
Location: De Pere, WI 54115
Colors:Dartmouth Green & Old Gold
Founded:
Enrollment:
President:
Athletics Director:Tim Bald
Conference:
Facility: .Mulva Family Fitness & Sports Center
Capacity:
Year Opened:
Head Coach:
Record at St. Norbert: 691-309 (42nd year)
Assistant Coaches:Amy Proctor
Kheenan Halvorson
First Season of Women's Basketball: .1974-75
Seasons of Women's Basketball:45
All-Time Overall Record:718-326
All-Time MWC Record:
MWC Championships:14
(1984-89, 2003, '08, '10-12, '14-16)
NCAA Tournament Appearances:14
(1983, '85-89, 2003, '08, '10-11, '14-17)
NCAA Sweet 16 Appearances:Four
(1985, '86, '88, 2003)
NCAA Final Four Appearances
NCAA Final Four Appearances:One
(1985)

D3hoops.com Division III Top 25 Poll #9 - Jan. 28, 2019

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	Bowdoin (16)	616	19-0
2	Thomas More (9)	608	23-0
3	St. Thomas	543	18-1
4	Tufts	529	19-1
5	Amherst	493	17-2
6	Mary Hardin-Baylor	489	19-1
7	Scranton	464	18-1
8	Trine	443	18-2
9	Messiah	442	19-1
10	St. Joseph's-Maine	400	19-0
11	Норе	359	16-3
12	UW-Oshkosh	347	17-2
13	Illinois Wesleyan	304	16-3
14	George Fox	296	16-3
15	East Texas Baptist	278	17-2
16	Wartburg	235	17-3
17	Geneseo State	218	16-1
18	DeSales	182	16-2
19	Chicago	180	14-4
20	DePauw	135	16-4
21	Texas-Dallas	118	15-4
22	Transylvania	92	17-2
23	Gettysburg	76	15-3
25	Misericordia	43	17-1
Other	s receiving votes	HW-La	Crosse 34

Others receiving votes: UW-La Crosse 34, Wheaton-Ill. 31, Augsburg 27, Emory and Henry 23, Babson 17, Ithaca 9, Washington-Mo. 9, Claremont-Mudd-Scripps 7, Johns Hopkins 5, Austin 3, Christopher Newport 3, Loras 2, Trinity-Conn. 2, Trinity-Texas 2, New Paltz State 1, UW-Eau Claire 1.

St. Norbert Women's Basketball Career Highs

#4 - Olivia DeCleene

Points: 17 (2 times, last 1/16/18 vs. Lake Forest) Rebounds: 8 (1/8/19 vs. Beloit) Assists: 5 (2 times, last 1/31/18 vs. Lawrence)

#5 - Ava Moldenhauer

Points: n/a

Rebounds: 2 (11/16/18 vs. Marian) Assists: 1 (11/16/18 vs. Marian)

#10 - Jordan Murphy

Points: 3 (11/16/18 vs. Marian) Rebounds: 2 (11/16/18 vs. Marian) Assists: 1 (11/16/18 vs. Marian)

#12 - Liz Edinger

Points: 20 (12/2/17 vs. Illinois College) Rebounds: 6 (2 times, last 12/6/17 vs. Lawrence) Assists: 8 (2 times, last 12/6/17 vs. Lawrence)

#13 - Sarah Chouinard

Points: 9 (11/17/18 vs. UW-Superior) Rebounds: 2 (5 times, last 1/9/19 vs. Beloit)

Assists: 3 (2 times, last 12/29/18 vs. UW-Eau Claire)

#14 - Sarah Neumann

Points: 18 (12/7/17 vs. Lawrence) Rebounds: 10 (6 times, last 1/12/19 vs. Knox) Assists: 2 (3 times, last 12/29/18 vs.

W-Eau Claire)

#15 - Hannah Gibbons

Points: 15 (12/1/18 vs. Knox) Rebounds: 5 (1/25/19 vs. Grinnell) Assists: 1 (5 times, last 1/12/19 vs. Knox)

#20 - Christine Olijnyk

Points: 15 (12/29/18 vs. UW-Eau Claire) Rebounds: 7 (12/29/18 vs. UW-Eau Claire)

Assists: 8 (11/17/18 vs. UW-Superior)

#21 - Mary Cravillion

Points: 8 (1/26/19 vs. Cornell) Rebounds: 2 (2 times, last 1/26/19 vs. Cornell)

Assists: 2 (1/31/19 vs. Lawrence)

#23 - Bethany Oren

Points: 2 (2 times, last 1/8/19 vs. Beloit)

Rebounds: 3 (11/17/18 vs. UW-Superior) Assists: 1 (11/16/18 vs. Marian)

#24 - Macie Zurfluh

Points: 19 (12/5/18 vs. Lake Forest) Rebounds: 9 (3 times, last 2/2/19 vs. Illinois College) Assists: 11 (1/25/19 vs. Grinnell)

#30 - Ali Hoeft

Points: 12 (11/26/18 vs. UW-Oshkosh) Rebounds: 6 (2/2/19 vs. Illinois College) Assists: 3 (12/30/18 vs. St. Benedict)

#32 - Jessica Boerner

Points: 8 (11/16/18 vs. Marian) Rebounds: 7 (12/20/18 vs. Carroll) Assists: 1 (3 times, last 2/2/19 vs. Illinois College)

#34 - Hannah Ciesielczyk

Points: 8 (2 times, last 1/26/19 vs. Cornell) Rebounds: 7 (1/2/19 vs. Illinois College) Assists: 2 (1/26/19 vs. Cornell)

#35 - Sarah Ratajczyk

Points: 22 (1/16/19 vs. Lake Forest) Rebounds: 14 (11/30/18 vs. Monmouth) Assists: 3 (2 times, last 12/1/18 vs. Knox)



St. Norbert College Women's Basketball St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Feb 02, 2019) All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	9-12	5-5	4-5	0-2
CONFERENCE	8-6	4-3	4-3	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	1-6	1-2	0-2	0-2

					Total		3-Poir	nt	F-Thro	W		Rebou	ınds									
##	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
24	Macie Zurfluh	21-21	677	32.2	95-245	.388	15-47	.319	71-94	.755	21	69	90	4.3	48	1	104	65	10	63	276	13.1
35	Sarah Ratajczyk	21-21	624	29.7	83-124	.669	0-0	.000	49-71	.690	73	99	172	8.2	39	0	19	19	2	17	215	10.2
04	Olivia DeCleene	21-15	632	30.1	65-164	.396	26-82	.317	33-52	.635	19	44	63	3.0	37	0	44	29	5	36	189	9.0
20	Christine Olijnyk	21-20	550	26.2	71-222	.320	14-87	.161	19-23	.826	12	40	52	2.5	21	0	35	21	4	26	175	8.3
14	Sarah Neumann	21-10	369	17.6	66-165	.400	0-0	.000	15-35	.429	35	54	89	4.2	29	1	9	51	25	17	147	7.0
15	Hannah Gibbons	21-5	206	9.8	20-46	.435	1-7	.143	10-14	.714	6	24	30	1.4	21	0	6	14	2	6	51	2.4
30	Ali Hoeft	17-1	150	8.8	20-58	.345	2-20	.100	8-18	.444	9	26	35	2.1	12	0	12	18	0	6	50	2.9
12	Liz Edinger	16-0	240	15.0	18-63	.286	8-27	.296	4-5	.800	2	14	16	1.0	16	1	14	17	3	6	48	3.0
34	Hannah Ciesielczyk	21-5	271	12.9	16-44	.364	1-3	.333	6-9	.667	18	30	48	2.3	32	1	6	16	3	1	39	1.9
21	Mary Cravillion	12-0	75	6.3	9-21	.429	4-10	.400	4-4	1.000	0	9	9	8.0	5	0	5	2	1	4	26	2.2
32	Jessica Boerner	19-1	164	8.6	10-33	.303	0-0	.000	5-10	.500	12	26	38	2.0	23	0	3	13	8	1	25	1.3
13	Sarah Chouinard	15-6	154	10.3	8-29	.276	5-17	.294	0-0	.000	0	16	16	1.1	8	0	11	19	1	5	21	1.4
23	Bethany Oren	8-0	57	7.1	2-15	.133	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	4	4	8	1.0	6	0	1	5	2	2	4	0.5
10	Jordan Murphy	3-0	19	6.3	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	3-6	.500	0	4	4	1.3	3	0	1	2	1	0	3	1.0
05	Ava Moldenhauer	3-0	12	4.0	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	0	2	2	0.7	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0.0
	Team										44	35	79					10				
	Total	21	4200		483-1232	.392	76-303	.251	227-345	.658	255	496	751	35.8	301	4	271	301	67	191	1269	60.4
	Opponents	21	4200		478-1165	.410	121-377	.321	200-303	.660	238	547	785	37.4	380	11	268	375	67	162	1277	60.8

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP
SCORING	1269	1277
Points per game	60.4	60.8
Scoring margin	-0.4	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT	483-1232	478-1165
Field goal pct	.392	.410
3 POINT FG-ATT	76-303	121-377
3-point FG pct	.251	.321
3-pt FG made per game	3.6	5.8
FREE THROWS-ATT	227-345	200-303
Free throw pct	.658	.660
F-Throws made per game	10.8	9.5
REBOUNDS	751	785
Rebounds per game	35.8	37.4
Rebounding margin	-1.6	-
ASSISTS	271	268
Assists per game	12.9	12.8
TURNOVERS	301	375
Turnovers per game	14.3	17.9
Turnover margin	+3.5	-
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	0.7
STEALS	191	162
Steals per game	9.1	7.7
BLOCKS	67	67
Blocks per game	3.2	3.2
ATTENDANCE	3761	2511
Home games-Avg/Game	10-376	9-253
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	2-116

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Totals
St. Norbert College	279	289	314	387	1269
Opponents	320	271	382	304	1277

	Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
#	11/16/18	MARIAN UNIV.	W	88-26	317
#	11/17/18	UW-SUPERIOR	L	57-74	295
	11/26/18	at UW-Oshkosh	L	43-76	304
*	11/30/18	MONMOUTH COLLEGE	L	60-71	361
*	12/1/18	KNOX COLLEGE	L	70-72	228
*	12/5/18	at Lake Forest College	L	68-78	88
*	12/8/18	RIPON COLLEGE	W	49-47	417
	12/15/18	UW-STEVENS POINT	L	58-65	440
	12/20/18	at Carroll Univ.	L	59-66	149
%	12/29/18	vs UW-Eau Claire	L	60-71	132
%	12/30/18	vs College St. Benedict	L	48-62	101
*	1/2/19	at Illinois College	L	60-71	110
*	1/5/19	CORNELL COLLEGE	L	48-55	370
*	1/8/19	BELOIT COLLEGE	W	67-66	398
*	1/12/19	at Knox College	W	57-51	100
*	1/16/19	LAKE FOREST COLLEGE	W	70-56	447
*	1/19/19	at Ripon College	L	58-67	269
*	1/25/19	at Grinnell College	W	49-43	539
*	1/26/19	at Cornell College	W	67-63	295
*	1/31/19	at Lawrence Univ.	W	61-48	424
*	2/2/19	ILLINOIS COLLEGE	W	72-49	488

^{# -} St. Norbert Tip-Off Tournament (De Pere, Wis.) % - Music City Classic (Nashville, Tenn.) * - Midwest Conference game