



St. Norbert College

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Women's Basketball Preview

St. Norbert College (9-13) vs. Grinnell College (8-13)

Saturday, February 9, 2019 - 1 p.m.

Mulva Family Fitness & Sports Center (1,844) - De Pere, Wisconsin

Game Overview:

St. Norbert looks to rebound from having a four-game winning streak snapped when it hosts Grinnell. The Green Knights are still one game out of fourth place in the Midwest Conference standings with three games to play.

Broadcast:

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

Live stats will be available at: <https://www.snc.edu/athletics/team-files/livestats/xlive.htm>

The Series:

St. Norbert leads Grinnell 37-0 in an all-time series dating back to the 1992-93 season.

Last Meeting:

St. Norbert defeated Grinnell 49-43 on Jan. 25, 2019 at Darby Gym in Grinnell, Iowa. The Green Knights trailed 37-36 with 6:51 remaining but went on an 11-0 run down the stretch to pull away. Sarah Ratajczyk led St. Norbert with 21 points. Tyria Heath paced the Pioneers with 18 points.

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.

Grinnell coach Dana Harrold (Dubuque, 2004) is 57-80 in her sixth season in Grinnell.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the game 9-13 overall and 8-7 in the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights are one game out of fourth place in the league standings with three games remaining following an 85-76 loss

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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
D 1	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 *	L 85-76
F 9	Grinnell *	1 p.m.
F 13	Lawrence *	5:30 p.m.
F 16	at Monmouth *	1 p.m.

- 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.

Tuesday at Beloit.

Junior guard Macie Zurfluh leads the Green Knights in scoring at 13.0 points per game. Senior center Sarah Ratajczyk is totaling 10.7 points and a team-high 8.3 rebounds per game while shooting 68.9 percent from the floor. Sophomore guard Olivia DeCleene is averaging 9.2 points per game, while senior guard Christine Olijnyk is averaging 8.6 points per game.

St. Norbert is scoring an average of 61.1 points per game, and is shooting 39.6 percent from the floor, 25.9 percent on 3-pointers and 66.2 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 61.9 points per game while shooting 41.4 percent from the floor, 32.7 percent on 3-pointers and 66.6 percent at the free-throw line.

About the Pioneers:

Grinnell enters the game 8-13 overall and 6-8 in the Midwest Conference. The Pioneers have won their last two games, including knocking Monmouth from a share of the league lead with a 62-57 win this past Saturday.

Sophomore guard Tyria Heath leads the Pioneers with a scoring average of 12.5 points per game. Freshman guard Sasha Thomas is adding 9.1 points per game. Freshman forward Kate Tomczik is averaging 8.4 points and 7.7 rebounds per game, while freshman guard Sofia Ahojja is totaling 6.4 points per game.

Grinnell is scoring an average of 52.7 points per game and is shooting 32.5 percent from the floor, 21.9 percent on 3-pointers and 60.8 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 59.5 points per game while shooting 35.2 percent from the floor, 26.7 percent on 3-pointers and 70.4 percent at the free-throw line.

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 7-3 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:

* - Junior guard Macie Zurfluh is ranked highly in a pair of categories in the latest NCAA Division III statistical rankings. Zurfluh is 27th in total assists with 110 and is 35th in assists per game at 5.0. Chris Pier holds the St. Norbert single-season record for assists with 177 in the Final Four campaign of 1984-85.

* - St. Norbert is 42nd in the latest NCAA Division III national statistical rankings in fewest turnovers per game at 14.4.

* - St. Norbert is 183-6 in its last 189 games when scoring at least 70 points. Under Connie Tilley, St. Norbert is 355-25 when scoring at least 70 points.

* - St. Norbert owns an impressive 223-69 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	
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	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	9-13	8-7		
Totals	691-310	449-116		

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

MWC Glance

Team	MWC	Overall
Ripon	13-2	14-8
Monmouth	12-3	17-5
Lake Forest	10-5	11-11
Knox	9-6	12-10
St. Norbert	8-7	9-13
Grinnell	6-9	8-13
Cornell	5-9	5-14
Illinois College	5-9	9-12
Beloit	4-11	5-17
Lawrence	2-13	5-16

St. Norbert Quick Facts

Nickname:Green Knights
Location:De Pere, WI 54115
Colors:Dartmouth Green & Old Gold
Founded:1898
Enrollment:2,168
President:Brian Bruess
Athletics Director:Tim Bald
Conference:Midwest Conference
Facility: ..Mulva Family Fitness & Sports Center
Capacity:1,844
Year Opened:2017
Head Coach:Connie Tilley
Record at St. Norbert:691-310 (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:718-327
All-Time MWC Record:389-112
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:One
(1985)

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Top 25 Poll #10 - Feb. 4, 2019

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	Bowdoin (16)	616	22-0
2	Thomas More (9)	608	24-0
3	St. Thomas	567	20-1
4	Amherst	539	19-2
5	Trine	498	19-2
6	Tufts	493	20-2
7	Messiah	449	21-1
8	St. Joseph's-Maine	428	21-0
9	Mary Hardin-Baylor	398	20-2
10	Hope	386	17-3
11	UW-Oshkosh	374	18-2
12	Scranton	346	19-2
13	George Fox	327	18-3
14	East Texas Baptist	308	19-2
15	Wartburg	263	18-3
16	DeSales	228	19-2
17	Chicago	196	16-4
18	Illinois Wesleyan	177	17-4
19	Texas-Dallas	148	17-4
20	DePauw	141	18-4
21	Transylvania	133	19-2
22	Whitman	99	17-4
23	Gettysburg	96	17-3
24	Wheaton-Ill.	85	18-4
25	UW-La Crosse	50	17-3

Others receiving votes: Augsburg 42, Geneseo State 41, Emory and Henry 28, Claremont-Mudd-Scripps 17, Washington-Mo. 13, Trinity-Texas 9, Johns Hopkins 7, Loras 5, New Paltz State 4, Babson 2, Trinity-Conn. 2, Vassar 2.

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. UW-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 (2 times, last 2/5/19 vs. Beloit)
 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: 3 (2/5/19 vs. Beloit)
 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 (4 times, last 2/5/19 vs. Beloit)
 Assists: 11 (1/25/19 vs. Grinnell)

#30 - Ali Hoefl

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 05, 2019)
All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	9-13	5-5	4-6	0-2
CONFERENCE	8-7	4-3	4-4	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	1-6	1-2	0-2	0-2

##	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								
24	Macie Zurfluh	22-22	707	32.1	100-259	.386	16-50	.320	71-94	.755	24	75	99	4.5	53	2	110	66	10	65	287	13.0
35	Sarah Ratajczyk	22-22	658	29.9	91-132	.689	0-0	.000	54-77	.701	77	105	182	8.3	41	0	19	21	2	17	236	10.7
04	Olivia DeCleeene	22-16	667	30.3	70-175	.400	27-87	.310	36-56	.643	20	46	66	3.0	39	0	46	31	6	37	203	9.2
20	Christine Olijnyk	22-21	576	26.2	75-231	.325	18-95	.189	22-27	.815	12	40	52	2.4	23	0	39	23	4	26	190	8.6
14	Sarah Neumann	22-10	385	17.5	69-171	.404	0-0	.000	15-35	.429	37	57	94	4.3	30	1	9	53	25	17	153	7.0
15	Hannah Gibbons	22-5	213	9.7	21-48	.438	2-8	.250	10-14	.714	6	24	30	1.4	24	0	6	17	2	6	54	2.5
30	Ali Hoefl	18-2	164	9.1	21-62	.339	2-20	.100	8-18	.444	11	26	37	2.1	12	0	13	20	0	6	52	2.9
12	Liz Edinger	17-0	248	14.6	18-63	.286	8-27	.296	4-5	.800	2	14	16	0.9	17	1	15	17	3	6	48	2.8
34	Hannah Ciesielczyk	22-5	291	13.2	16-45	.356	1-3	.333	6-9	.667	18	31	49	2.2	33	1	6	17	3	1	39	1.8
21	Mary Cravillion	13-0	83	6.4	10-26	.385	5-14	.357	4-4	1.000	0	12	12	0.9	6	0	5	2	1	4	29	2.2
32	Jessica Boerner	20-1	166	8.3	10-33	.303	0-0	.000	6-12	.500	12	26	38	1.9	23	0	3	13	8	1	26	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											46	36	82				10					
Total.....		22	4400		511-1292	.396	84-324	.259	239-361	.662	269	518	787	35.8	319	5	285	316	68	194	1345	61.1
Opponents.....		22	4400		507-1225	.414	131-401	.327	217-326	.666	250	567	817	37.1	396	11	286	384	68	170	1362	61.9

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	1345	1362	# 11/16/18	MARIAN UNIV.	w 88-26	317
Points per game	61.1	61.9	# 11/17/18	UW-SUPERIOR	L 57-74	295
Scoring margin	-0.8	-	11/26/18	at UW-Oshkosh	L 43-76	304
FIELD GOALS-ATT	511-1292	507-1225	* 11/30/18	MONMOUTH COLLEGE	L 60-71	361
Field goal pct	.396	.414	* 12/1/18	KNOX COLLEGE	L 70-72	228
3 POINT FG-ATT	84-324	131-401	* 12/5/18	at Lake Forest College	L 68-78	88
3-point FG pct	.259	.327	* 12/8/18	RIPON COLLEGE	w 49-47	417
3-pt FG made per game	3.8	6.0	12/15/18	UW-STEVENS POINT	L 58-65	440
FREE THROWS-ATT	239-361	217-326	12/20/18	at Carroll Univ.	L 59-66	149
Free throw pct	.662	.666	% 12/29/18	vs UW-Eau Claire	L 60-71	132
F-Throws made per game	10.9	9.9	% 12/30/18	vs College St. Benedict	L 48-62	101
REBOUNDS	787	817	* 1/2/19	at Illinois College	L 60-71	110
Rebounds per game	35.8	37.1	* 1/5/19	CORNELL COLLEGE	L 48-55	370
Rebounding margin	-1.4	-	* 1/8/19	BELOIT COLLEGE	w 67-66	398
ASSISTS	285	286	* 1/12/19	at Knox College	w 57-51	100
Assists per game	13.0	13.0	* 1/16/19	LAKE FOREST COLLEGE	w 70-56	447
TURNOVERS	316	384	* 1/19/19	at Ripon College	L 58-67	269
Turnovers per game	14.4	17.5	* 1/25/19	at Grinnell College	w 49-43	539
Turnover margin	+3.1	-	* 1/26/19	at Cornell College	w 67-63	295
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	0.7	* 1/31/19	at Lawrence Univ.	w 61-48	424
STEALS	194	170	* 2/2/19	ILLINOIS COLLEGE	w 72-49	488
Steals per game	8.8	7.7	* 2/5/19	at Beloit College	L 76-85	112
BLOCKS	68	68				
Blocks per game	3.1	3.1				
ATTENDANCE	3761	2623				
Home games-Avg/Game	10-376	10-239				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	2-116				

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

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Totals
St. Norbert College	293	312	326	414	1345
Opponents	349	289	394	330	1362