



St. Norbert College

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Women's Basketball Preview St. Norbert College (2-10) vs. Cornell College (3-7) Saturday, January 5, 2019 - 3 p.m. Mulva Family Fitness & Sports Center (1,844) - De Pere, Wis.

Game Overview:

St. Norbert returns home after a four-game road trip to host Cornell in a Midwest Conference contest. The Green Knights are trying to snap a five-game losing streak.

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/teamfiles/livestats/xlive.htm>

The Series:

St. Norbert leads Cornell 21-4 in an all-time series dating back to the 1983-84 season. The Green Knights topped the Rams in the Midwest Conference post-season championship game in 1984, 1986, 1987, 1988, 2015, 2016 and 2017.

Last Meeting:

Cornell defeated St. Norbert 62-49 on Jan. 27, 2018 at Small Multi-Sport Center in Mount Vernon, Iowa. The Rams led 22-19 at halftime before a 27-11 third-quarter advantage proved the difference. Haley Grana led Cornell with 11 points, while Diamond Boyd and Tal Neilly added 10 points apiece. Sarah Wiseman led the Green Knights with 16 points.

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley (UW-La Crosse, 1974) is 684-307 in her 42nd season in De Pere. Combining her softball and volleyball coaching tenures with the Green Knights, Tilley is 1,012-504 at St. Norbert. Tilley's 683 wins ranks seventh all-time for the most triumphs in NCAA Division III history.

Cornell coach Brent Brase (Cornell College, 1990) is 177-158 in his 14th season in Mount Vernon.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the game with a 2-10 overall record and a 1-4 mark in the Midwest Conference. The Green Knights made the long trek to

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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 *	3 p.m.
J 8	Beloit *	5:30 p.m.
J 12	at Knox *	1 p.m.
J 16	Lake Forest *	5:30 p.m.
J 19	at Ripon *	1 p.m.
J 25	at Grinnell *	5:30 p.m.
J 26	at Cornell *	1 p.m.
J 30	at Lawrence *	5:30 p.m.
F 2	Illinois College *	1 p.m.
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. 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.

Jacksonville, Ill., on Wednesday and dropped a 71-60 decision at Illinois College.

Junior guard Macie Zurfluh tops the Green Knights in scoring, averaging 12.7 points per game. Junior forward Sarah Neumann is averaging 8.8 points and 4.8 rebounds per game. Senior guard Christine Olijnyk is also averaging 8.8 points per game, while sophomore guard Olivia DeCleene is posting 8.0 points per game. Senior center Sarah Ratajczyk is averaging 7.9 points and a team-high 8.4 rebounds per game.

St. Norbert is scoring an average of 60.0 points per game, and is shooting 38.6 percent from the floor, 25.9 percent on 3-pointers and 68.6 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 64.9 points per game while shooting 43.0 percent from the floor, 37.1 percent on 3-pointers and 64.2 percent at the free-throw line.

About the Rams:

Cornell enters the game with a 3-7 overall record and a 3-2 showing in the Midwest Conference. The Rams are coming off a 62-49 win over Knox this past Wednesday in Mount Vernon, Iowa.

Junior guard Bella Gonzalez paces the Rams in scoring at 10.5 points per game. Senior forward Kandis O'Donnell is averaging 9.6 points and a team-high 7.0 rebounds per game. Junior guard Rose Shimaoka is averaging 9.2 points per game, while junior forward Mo Kempniak is totaling 7.3 points per game.

Cornell is scoring an average of 56.7 points per game and is shooting 34.6 percent from the floor, 28.0 percent on 3-pointers and 63.3 percent at the free-throw line. Opponents are scoring an average of 63.7 points per game while shooting 37.2 percent from the floor, 28.8 percent on 3-pointers and 66.0 percent at the free-throw line.

Tilley Talk:

St. Norbert coach Connie Tilley

has 684 career wins to sit in seventh place all-time in wins among NCAA Division III women's basketball coaches.

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, 2017. Fifield won 660 games at Southern Maine from 1988-2015.

Tilley trails Elizabethtown's Yvonne Kauffman by seven games for sixth place on the list. Kauffman went 689-328 in 42 seasons (1971-2012).

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 (70), Ripon (63) and Beloit (59).

Jump Shots:

* - St. Norbert is 2-0 this season when holding its opponents to 60 points or less.

* - St. Norbert is second in the Midwest Conference at 9.0 steals per game. Only Beloit is higher at 9.9 steals per game.

* - The Green Knights are second in the Midwest Conference in turnover margin, averaging plus 1.75 turnovers per game less than their opponents. Only Lawrence is higher at plus-2.27 per game.

* - Junior guard Macie Zurfluh leads the Midwest Conference in steals at 2.8 per game.

* - Senior center Sarah Ratajczyk leads the Midwest Conference in field-goal percentage at 64.9 percent.

* - St. Norbert is 181-5 in its last 186 games when scoring at least 70 points. Under Connie Tilley, St. Norbert is 353-24 when scoring at least 70 points.

* - St. Norbert owns an impressive 216-66 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	2-10	1-4		
Totals	684-307	442-113		

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

MWC Glance

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

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:684-307 (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:711-324
All-Time MWC Record:382-109
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 #5 - Dec. 17, 2018

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	Bowdoin (14)	608	8-0
2	Thomas More (9)	603	13-0
3	St. Thomas (2)	582	9-0
4	Tufts	531	9-0
5	Hope	494	7-1
6	Scranton	493	9-0
7	Amherst	486	6-1
8	Chicago	477	7-1
9	George Fox	430	7-1
10	Messiah	366	11-1
11	Trine	347	8-1
12	Mary Hardin-Baylor	331	9-0
13	St. Joseph's-Maine	323	10-0
14	Illinois Wesleyan	296	9-2
15	East Texas Baptist	249	10-1
16	Christopher Newport	244	8-1
17	Geneseo State	201	10-0
18	Gettysburg	182	7-1
19	UW-Oshkosh	170	7-0
20	Baldwin-Wallace	146	9-1
21	DePauw	144	6-2
22	Randolph-Macon	111	9-1
23	Texas-Dallas	74	6-2
24	Wartburg	49	6-2
25	Austin	36	7-1

Others receiving votes: Oglethorpe 30, Emory and Henry 20, Trinity-Conn. 16, Mass.-Dartmouth 14, Ithaca 13, RIT 12, UW-La Crosse 10, Muhlenberg 8, Millsaps 7, UW-Whitewater 7, DeSales 4, Middlebury 4, Wheaton-Ill. 3, Whitman 2, Misericordia 1, Trinity-Texas 1.

St. Norbert Women's Basketball Career Highs

#4 - Olivia DeCleene

Points: 17 (12/5/18 vs. Lake Forest)
 Rebounds: 5 (11/26/18 vs. UW-Oshkosh)
 Assists: 5 (12/8/18 vs. Ripon)

#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 (4 times, last 12/20/18 vs. Carroll)
 Assists: 3 (2 times, last 12/29/18 vs. UW-Eau Claire)

#14 - Sarah Neumann

Points: 18 (12/7/17 vs. Lawrence)
 Rebounds: 10 (5 times, last 11/16/18 vs. Marian)
 Assists: 2 (3 times, last 12/29/18 vs. UW-Eau Claire)

#15 - Hannah Gibbons

Points: 15 (12/1/18 vs. Knox)
 Rebounds: 4 (3 times, last 12/1/18 vs. Knox)
 Assists: 1 (4 times, last 12/20/18 vs. Carroll)

#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: 5 (2 times, last 12/20/18 vs. Carroll)
 Rebounds: 2 (12/29/18 vs. UW-Eau Claire)
 Assists: 1 (2 times, last 12/30/18 vs. St. Benedict)

#23 - Bethany Oren

Points: 2 (12/30/18 vs. St. Benedict)
 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 (2/13/18 vs. Lake Forest)
 Assists: 10 (2 times, last 11/16/18 vs. Marian)

#30 - Ali Hoefl

Points: 12 (11/26/18 vs. UW-Oshkosh)
 Rebounds: 5 (11/26/18 vs. UW-Oshkosh)
 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 (11/26/18 vs. UW-Oshkosh)

#34 - Hannah Ciesielczyk

Points: 8 (1/2/19 vs. Illinois College)
 Rebounds: 7 (1/2/19 vs. Illinois College)
 Assists: 1 (5 times, last 2/10/18 vs. Grinnell)

#35 - Sarah Ratajczyk

Points: 21 (2/3/18 vs. Monmouth)
 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 Jan 02, 2019)
All games



RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	2-10	2-4	0-4	0-2
CONFERENCE	1-4	1-2	0-2	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	12-12	370	30.8	51-132	.386	8-30	.267	42-54	.778	10	32	42	3.5	26	1	45	39	2	34	152	12.7
14	Sarah Neumann	12-9	246	20.5	49-120	.408	0-0	.000	8-20	.400	23	35	58	4.8	22	1	8	31	16	11	106	8.8
20	Christine Olijnyk	12-11	330	27.5	42-123	.341	11-56	.196	10-13	.769	8	25	33	2.8	17	0	21	12	4	15	105	8.8
04	Olivia DeCleeene	12-6	312	26.0	34-87	.391	14-45	.311	14-17	.824	12	16	28	2.3	22	0	24	20	1	17	96	8.0
35	Sarah Ratajczyk	12-12	325	27.1	37-57	.649	0-0	.000	21-31	.677	43	58	101	8.4	23	0	13	7	0	13	95	7.9
15	Hannah Gibbons	12-1	128	10.7	15-33	.455	1-5	.200	9-12	.750	4	12	16	1.3	13	0	3	9	2	5	40	3.3
12	Liz Edinger	7-0	124	17.7	11-34	.324	6-17	.353	2-3	.667	1	9	10	1.4	8	1	7	12	2	2	30	4.3
13	Sarah Chouinard	12-6	140	11.7	8-27	.296	5-15	.333	0-0	.000	0	14	14	1.2	7	0	10	18	1	4	21	1.8
34	Hannah Ciesielczyk	12-2	133	11.1	9-21	.429	1-2	.500	2-2	1.000	8	18	26	2.2	13	0	2	10	1	0	21	1.8
32	Jessica Boerner	12-0	108	9.0	7-24	.292	0-0	.000	4-8	.500	7	16	23	1.9	14	0	1	8	4	1	18	1.5
30	Ali Hoeft	10-1	75	7.5	7-29	.241	1-14	.071	3-5	.600	5	13	18	1.8	7	0	7	14	0	4	18	1.8
21	Mary Cravillion	7-0	35	5.0	4-10	.400	3-6	.500	2-2	1.000	0	4	4	0.6	4	0	2	1	1	2	13	1.9
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
23	Bethany Oren	6-0	46	7.7	1-13	.077	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	3	3	6	1.0	5	0	1	4	1	1	2	0.3
05	Ava Moldenhauer	2-0	9	4.5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	1.0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0.0
Team											22	16	38				6					
Total.....		12	2400		275-713	.386	50-193	.259	120-175	.686	146	277	423	35.2	185	3	146	193	36	110	720	60.0
Opponents.....		12	2400		288-669	.430	83-224	.371	120-187	.642	136	312	448	37.3	201	3	170	214	38	109	779	64.9

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	720	779	# 11/16/18	MARIAN UNIV.	w 88-26	317
Points per game	60.0	64.9	# 11/17/18	UW-SUPERIOR	L 57-74	295
Scoring margin	-4.9	-	11/26/18	at UW-Oshkosh	L 43-76	304
FIELD GOALS-ATT	275-713	288-669	* 11/30/18	MONMOUTH COLLEGE	L 60-71	361
Field goal pct	.386	.430	* 12/1/18	KNOX COLLEGE	L 70-72	228
3 POINT FG-ATT	50-193	83-224	* 12/5/18	at Lake Forest College	L 68-78	88
3-point FG pct	.259	.371	* 12/8/18	RIPON COLLEGE	w 49-47	417
3-pt FG made per game	4.2	6.9	12/15/18	UW-STEVENS POINT	L 58-65	440
FREE THROWS-ATT	120-175	120-187	12/20/18	at Carroll Univ.	L 59-66	149
Free throw pct	.686	.642	% 12/29/18	vs UW-Eau Claire	L 60-71	132
F-Throws made per game	10.0	10.0	% 12/30/18	vs College St. Benedict	L 48-62	101
REBOUNDS	423	448	* 1/2/19	at Illinois College	L 60-71	110
Rebounds per game	35.2	37.3				
Rebounding margin	-2.1	-				
ASSISTS	146	170				
Assists per game	12.2	14.2				
TURNOVERS	193	214				
Turnovers per game	16.1	17.8				
Turnover margin	+1.8	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	0.8	0.8				
STEALS	110	109				
Steals per game	9.2	9.1				
BLOCKS	36	38				
Blocks per game	3.0	3.2				
ATTENDANCE	2058	884				
Home games-Avg/Game	6-343	4-163				
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	167	168	171	214	720
Opponents	201	175	226	177	779