



St. Norbert College

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Football Preview

St. Norbert College (2-2) at Ripon College (1-3)

Saturday, October 7, 2017 - 1 p.m.
 Ingalls Field (3,500) - Ripon, Wisconsin

2017 Midwest Conference Standings

	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
North Division				
Beloit	0	0	0	4
Chicago	0	0	2	2
Lawrence	0	0	1	3
Macalester	0	0	2	2
Ripon	0	0	1	3
St. Norbert	0	0	2	2
South Division	W	L	W	L
Cornell	0	0	2	2
Grinnell	0	0	1	3
Illinois College	0	0	1	3
Knox	0	0	3	1
Lake Forest	0	0	4	0
Monmouth	0	0	3	1

Games on Saturday, Oct. 7

St. Norbert at Ripon, 1 p.m.
 Beloit at Macalester, 1 p.m.
 Cornell at Illinois College, 1 p.m.
 Monmouth at Grinnell, 1 p.m.
 Lawrence at Chicago, 1 p.m.
 Knox at Lake Forest, 2 p.m.

Game Overview:

It's Ripon Week as St. Norbert travels south as the Red Hawks' Homecoming guest. The game is the Midwest Conference North Division opener for both teams.

Broadcast:

The game will be video streamed with live stats at: <https://portal.stretch-internet.com/snc/>

The Series:

St. Norbert owns a 27-10 lead over Ripon in a hotly contested series that dates back to 1979. St. Norbert has won 17 of the last 18 meetings in the series, the Green Knights' lone blemish a 19-7 Ripon win at Ingalls Field in 2008. The Green Knights are 12-6 all-time at Ripon in the series and hold an all-time 1,129-691 scoring edge in the rivalry.

Last Meeting:

St. Norbert defeated Ripon 48-7 on Oct. 22, 2016 at Schneider Stadium in De Pere. The Red Hawks scored on the first play of the second quarter on a 16-yard touchdown run by Samuel Shroyer, but the Green Knights would score seven consecutive touchdowns to close out the win. St. Norbert, which scored two defensive touchdowns, outgained Ripon 303-211. J.T. Crosby completed 14 of 21 passes for 136 yards and four touchdowns, while Samuel Staehling caught eight passes for 100 yards and two scores. Shroyer had a team-high 60 yards rushing on 18 carries for Ripon.

2017 St. Norbert Football Schedule and Results (2-2, 0-0 MWC)

Date	Opponent	Site	Time/Result	Quick Fact
Sept. 2	UW-Stevens Point	Stevens Point	L 34-33/2ot	Most points for SNC vs. WIAC school since 1970 (74 games)
Sept. 9	Benedictine	De Pere	L 29-7	750th game in St. Norbert football history
Sept. 23	Grinnell	Grinnell, Iowa	W 66-13	Spenser Thompson-Meyers boots MWC/SNC record 55-yd. FG
Sept. 30	Knox	De Pere	W 61-17	Staehling catches three TDs for second consecutive game
Oct. 7	Ripon	Ripon	1 p.m.	Green Knights guest at Ingalls Field for RC Homecoming
Oct. 14	Chicago (HC)	De Pere	1 p.m.	SNC has won 18 consecutive Homecoming games
Oct. 21	Lawrence	De Pere	1 p.m.	Green Knights own 19-game winning streak against Vikings
Oct. 28	Macalester	St. Paul, Minn.	1 p.m.	2016 game featured total of 41 offensive possessions
Nov. 4	Beloit	De Pere	1 p.m.	SNC's 68 points in '16 most allowed by BC since 1926
Nov. 11	TBA	South Div. opp.	TBA	MWC Championship Weekend returns w/addition of U-Chicago

St. Norbert Quick Facts

Nickname:Green Knights
Location:De Pere, WI 54115
Colors:Dartmouth Green & Old Gold
Founded:1898
Enrollment:2,160
President:Brian Bruess
Athletics Director:Tim Bald
Conference:Midwest Conference
Facility:Donald J. Schneider Stadium
Capacity:2,454
Year Opened:2010
All-Time Schneider Stadium Record: ...29-7
Head Coach:Dan McCarty
Record at St. Norbert:19-6 (third year)
First Season/Seasons of Football: ...1931/84
All-Time Overall Record:445-287-20
All-Time MWC Record:193-39-0
MWC Championships:16
(1985,87-89,99,2000-04,06-07,10,12-13,15)
NCAA Playoff Appearances:12
(1989,99,2000-01,03-04,06-07,10,12-13,15)

Head Coach Dan McCarty

E d u c a t i o n :
 Bachelor's degree at
 University of
 Minnesota-Duluth
 (2000).

**C o l l e g i a t e
 C o a c h i n g
 E x p e r i e n c e:** Tight
 ends coach at UW-
 Eau Claire (1998);
 Wide receivers/tight
 ends coach at UM-
 Duluth (1999-2001);

Recruiting coordinator/defensive coordinator at
 UW-Stout (2007-2011); Defensive coordinator at
 St. Norbert (2014); Head coach at St. Norbert
 (Nov. 20, 2014 to present).



McCarty at St. Norbert

Year	Overall	MWC	Place	NCAA
2015	10-1	5-0	1st	First Rd.
2016	7-3	7-1	2nd	
2017	2-2	0-0		
Totals	19-6	12-1		

McCarty vs. MWC

Team	Overall	Home	Away
Beloit	2-0	0-0	2-0
Carroll	1-0	1-0	0-0
Cornell	1-0	1-0	0-0
Grinnell	1-0	0-0	1-0
Illinois College	2-0	1-0	1-0
Knox	2-0	1-0	1-0
Lake Forest	1-0	1-0	0-0
Lawrence	2-0	1-0	1-0
Macalester	2-0	1-0	1-0
Monmouth	1-1	1-0	0-1
Ripon	2-0	1-0	1-0
Totals	17-1	9-0	8-1

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Dan McCarty (UM-Duluth, 2000) is 19-6 in his third season in De Pere. He is 2-0 all-time against Ripon.

Ripon coach Ron Ernst (Nebraska Wesleyan, 1980) is 163-96 in his 27th season in Ripon.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the game 2-2 overall after dispatching Knox 61-17 this past Saturday in De Pere. The Green Knights have scored 127 points in their last two games.

Senior quarterback Jack Becker has completed 37 of 64 passes for 637 yards with 10 touchdowns. Sophomore wide receiver Samuel Staehling, the reigning MWC Offensive Player of the Week, has 16 receptions for 391 yards and eight touchdowns. Junior wide receiver Drew Chavarria has eight catches for 80 yards. Senior running back Elijah Fort has rushed for 504 yards on 96 carries and six touchdowns.

Junior linebacker Matt Gurgone has a team-high 23 tackles with eight tackles-for-loss, also a team best. Junior linebacker Matt Barrett has 20 tackles, while senior defensive back Hunter Prokash has 17 tackles and a team-high two interceptions. Senior defensive back Tyler Jensen has 15 tackles and a team-high six passes defended.

St. Norbert is averaging 41.8 points and 413.2 yards per game. Defensively, the Green Knights are allowing 23.2 points and 357.2 yards per game.

About the Red Hawks:

Ripon enters the game 1-3 overall. The Red Hawks are coming off their first win of the season, a 55-0 triumph over Grinnell this past Saturday at Ingalls Field.

Freshman quarterback Julian Patton leads the Red Hawks' option offense with 343 yards rushing on 62 carries with six touchdowns. Sophomore running back Tyler VanDeVelde has 213 yards rushing on 41 carries and two touchdowns. Patton has completed 13 of 30 passes for 153 yards and two touch-

downs with five interceptions. Junior wide receiver Cameron Mignone has caught nine passes for 163 yards and two touchdowns.

Defensively, sophomore linebacker Lane Barnes leads the Red Hawks with 37 tackles. Junior linebacker Ethan Hoffman has 28 tackles, while senior linebacker Hunter Gruenwald has 25 tackles. Sophomore defensive back Cameron Gruenwald has a team-high three interceptions.

Ripon is averaging 23.8 points and 323.2 yards per game. Defensively, the Red Hawks are allowing 21.5 points and 291.5 yards per game.

Streaking Staehling:

Sophomore wide receiver Samuel Staehling has touched the ball seven times in St. Norbert's last two games, with six going for touchdowns.

Staehling was named MWC Offensive Player of the Week after hauling in four passes for 177 yards and three touchdowns in a 61-17 win over Knox this past Saturday. Staehling caught three passes for 106 yards and three touchdowns in a 66-13 win over Grinnell on Sept. 23.

Staehling, the MWC Newcomer of the Year last season, shares the conference lead with eight touchdown receptions, also good for fifth nationally in NCAA Division III. His 17 career touchdown receptions are already tied for fourth best in St. Norbert career annals.

Becker Bullets:

Senior quarterback Jack Becker has seen his efficiency rating rise to a lusty 186.73 through four games.

His rating leads the Midwest Conference and is currently fifth nationally in NCAA Division III.

Becker is also 11th nationally in yards per completion at 17.2 yards per reception.

Running Rhodes:

Senior defensive back Drew Rhodes has given the Green Knights a strong weapon in the returning kicks.

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Last Time It Happened

Safety:

By St. Norbert: vs. Knox, 9/17/16

By Opponent: Illinois College, 9/26/15

Overtime Game:

at UW-Stevens Point, 9/2/17 (UW-Stevens Point 34, St. Norbert 33) - 2 OT

50 Points in a Game:

By St. Norbert: vs. Knox, 9/30/17 (61)

By Opponent: North Central, 9/13/14 (51)

Punt Return for TD:

By St. Norbert: Drew Rhodes vs. Grinnell, 9/23/17 (60 yards)

By Opponent: Todd Steele, Monmouth, 9/22/90 (90 yards)

Kickoff Return for TD:

By St. Norbert: Loren Coleman vs. Ripon, 10/23/04 (93 yards)

By Opponent: Alex Pasiewicz, Lake Forest, 10/1/16 (96 yards)

Interception Return for TD:

By St. Norbert: Tommy Gonzalez vs. Macalester, 11/12/16 (10 yards)

By Opponent: Ryan Winske, UW-Whitewater, 11/21/15 (19 yards)

Fumble Return for TD:

By St. Norbert: Stuart Kwaterski vs. Illinois College, 10/29/16 (10 yards)

By Opponent: Danny Drummond, Benedictine, 9/9/17 (0 yards)

200 Yards Rushing:

By St. Norbert: Casey Meehan vs. Grinnell, 10/30/04 (254 yards)

By Opponent: Justin Berrens, Lawrence, 10/11/03 (215 yards)

300 Yards Passing:

By St. Norbert: J.T. Crosby vs. Beloit, 10/8/16 (313 yards)

By Opponent: Ryan Sample, Benedictine, 9/9/17 (402 yards)

150 Yards Receiving:

By St. Norbert: Samuel Staehling vs. Knox, 9/30/17 (177 yards)

By Opponent: Brandon Moore, Benedictine, 9/9/17 (181 yards)

10 Pass Receptions:

By St. Norbert: Joe Green vs. Grinnell, 10/22/11 (10)

By Opponent: Ben Knake, Cornell, 10/3/15 (11)

40 Yard Field Goal:

By St. Norbert: Spenser Thompson-Meyers vs. Grinnell, 9/23/17 (55 yards)

By Opponent: Graham Fisher, Grinnell, 11/3/12 (40 yards)

Defensive Extra Point:

By St. Norbert: Ernest James vs. Monmouth, 10/11/08

By Opponent: Derek Micke, Lawrence, 9/15/07

Rhodes has returned seven punts for an average of 23.1 yards per return, which is good for second nationally in NCAA Division III. His mark trails only Mount Union's Jared Ruth's 24.6 yards per return.

Rhodes has also returned seven kickoffs for an average of 21.0 yards per return.

Sixty Twice:

St. Norbert scored 66 points against Grinnell on Sept. 23 and 61 against Knox this past Saturday. It marked the third time in school history the Green Knights have scored at least 60 points in consecutive games.

The Green Knights scored 62 and 63 points against Lake Forest and Knox on Sept. 27-Oct. 4, 2008. They also scored 68 and 62 points against Beloit and Lawrence on Oct. 8-15, 2016. The 130 points in those two games are a school record for points in consecutive games.

Winning Ways:

St. Norbert had its 18th consecutive winning season in 2016.

The Green Knights have an all-time record of 445-287-20 in 83 years of intercollegiate football, a winning percentage of .605. In Midwest Conference play, St. Norbert has an all-time league-best record of 193-39, a winning percentage of .832.

St. Norbert has won 138 of its last 153 Midwest Conference games, a winning percentage of .902.

Quick Hitters:

* - Senior running back Elijah Fort's 33 career rushing touchdowns place him third all-time in school history. Casey Meehan is the career leader with 42 from 2002-05. Larry Krause (39, 1966-69), A.J. Phillips (32, 2005-08) and Jason Augustynowicz (31, 1998-2001) are the top four.

* - St. Norbert is 205-13 all-time when scoring 30-or-more points and is 124-2 all-time when scoring 40-or-more points. The Green Knights' last loss when scoring at least 30 points came in a 34-33 double-overtime loss at UW-Stevens Point on Sept. 2, 2017.



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St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 30, 2017)

All games



Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
9/2/17	at UW-Stevens Point	L 33-34	1216
9/9/17	BENEDICTINE UNIV.	L 7-29	1140
9/23/17	at Grinnell College	W 66-13	507
9/30/17	KNOX COLLEGE	W 61-17	1087

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All games	2-2	1-1	1-1	0-0
Conference	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
Non-Conference	2-2	1-1	1-1	0-0

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Elijah Fort	4	96	505	1	504	5.2	6	42	126.0
Nate Nelson	2	29	159	4	155	5.3	2	25	77.5
Jack Becker	4	27	130	21	109	4.0	1	20	27.2
Sean Ferraro	4	15	69	6	63	4.2	0	19	15.8
Jadon Sackman	3	6	33	2	31	5.2	0	12	10.3
Bright Boachie	3	2	7	0	7	3.5	0	5	2.3
Brayden Van Ess	1	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	3.0
Total	4	185	926	71	855	4.6	10	42	213.8
Opponents	4	116	359	150	209	1.8	3	20	52.2

Team Statistics	SNC	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	91	65
Rushing	51	13
Passing	27	49
Penalty	13	3
RUSHING YARDAGE	855	209
Rushing Attempts	185	116
Average Per Rush	4.6	1.8
Average Per Game	213.8	52.2
TDs Rushing	10	3
PASSING YARDAGE	798	1220
Comp-Att-Int	55-105-4	94-160-5
Average Per Pass	7.6	7.6
Average Per Catch	14.5	13.0
Average Per Game	199.5	305.0
TDs Passing	11	9
TOTAL OFFENSE	1653	1429
Average Per Play	5.7	5.2
Average Per Game	413.2	357.2
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	13-212	14-216
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	7-162	1-0
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	5-70	4-30
FUMBLES-LOST	1-1	8-4
PENALTIES-Yards	18-145	30-294
PUNTS-AVG	18-30.3	26-36.4
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	29:12	30:48
3RD-DOWN Conversions	26/60	19/63
4TH-DOWN Conversions	4/7	4/10

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Jack Becker	4	186.73	37-64-2	57.8	637	10	96	159.2
Colin Bursik	4	84.16	18-39-1	46.2	161	1	57	40.2
Team	3	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Keegan O'Hara	1	-200.00	0-1-1	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	4	143.17	55-105-4	52.4	798	11	96	199.5
Opponents	4	135.11	94-160-5	58.7	1220	9	75	305.0

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Hunter Prokash	2	14	7.0	0	14
Carson Borowski	1	0	0.0	0	0
Ben Kornowski	1	30	30.0	0	30
Sam Koss	1	26	26.0	0	26

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Samuel Staehling	4	16	391	24.4	8	96	97.8
Drew Chavarria	4	8	80	10.0	0	21	20.0
Marty Franzkowiak	4	7	84	12.0	0	43	21.0
Elijah Fort	4	6	120	20.0	2	57	30.0
Sean Ferraro	4	6	50	8.3	1	14	12.5
Trey Powers	3	2	27	13.5	0	14	9.0
Jadon Sackman	3	2	17	8.5	0	9	5.7
T.J. Kane	2	2	15	7.5	0	8	7.5
Bright Boachie	3	2	9	4.5	0	5	3.0
Carson Falk	2	2	-6	-3.0	0	1	-3.0
Mark Molitor	2	1	6	6.0	0	6	3.0
Matt Galanopoulos	2	1	5	5.0	0	5	2.5
Total	4	55	798	14.5	11	96	199.5
Opponents	4	94	1220	13.0	9	75	305.0

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Joel Krawczyk	13	368	28.3	45	1	5	3	0	0
Jeff Allen	5	177	35.4	49	0	1	0	0	0

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
SpenserThmpsn-Meyers	5-6	83.3	1-1	0-0	3-3	0-0	1-2	55	0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Drew Rhodes	7	162	23.1	1	60
Total	7	162	23.1	1	60
Opponents	1	0	0.0	0	0

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Drew Rhodes	7	147	21.0	0	29
Grant Murray	3	31	10.3	0	20
Nick LeCaptain	2	21	10.5	0	14
Matt Galanopoulos	1	13	13.0	0	13
Total	13	212	16.3	0	29
Opponents	14	216	15.4	0	34

Scoring	td	fg	PAT			dxp	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv				pass
Elijah Fort	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
Samuel Staehling	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
SpenserThmpsn-Meyers	-	5-6	20-22	-	-	-	-	35
Nate Nelson	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Drew Rhodes	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Sean Ferraro	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Colin Bursik	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Jack Becker	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	22	5-6	20-22	-	-	-	-	167
Opponents	13	1-1	10-12	1-1	-	-	-	93

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Elijah Fort	4	504	120	0	0	0	624	156.0
Samuel Staehling	4	0	391	0	0	0	391	97.8
Drew Rhodes	4	0	0	162	147	0	309	77.2
Nate Nelson	2	155	0	0	0	0	155	77.5
Sean Ferraro	4	63	50	0	0	0	113	28.2
Total	4	855	798	162	212	70	2097	524.2
Opponents	4	209	1220	0	216	30	1675	418.8

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
St. Norbert College	45	66	33	10	13	167
Opponents	15	20	23	21	14	93

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Jack Becker	4	91	109	637	746	186.5
Elijah Fort	4	96	504	0	504	126.0
Nate Nelson	2	29	155	0	155	77.5
Colin Bursik	4	47	-17	161	144	36.0
Sean Ferraro	4	15	63	0	63	15.8
Total	4	290	855	798	1653	413.2
Opponents	4	276	209	1220	1429	357.2



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 St. Norbert College Overall Individual Statistics (as of Sep 30, 2017)
 All games



##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles				tfl/yds	Sacks no-yds	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot				int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
47	Matt Gurgone	4	17	6	23	8.0-27	1.5-7	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	
50	Matt Barrett	4	12	8	20	3.0-7	1.0-3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
14	Hunter Prokash	4	10	7	17	1.0-2	.	2-14	2	.	1-0	.	.	.	
6	Tyler Jensen	4	12	3	15	1.0-10	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	.
46	Mike Olijnyk	4	9	4	13	2.5-28	1.0-12	.	2	.	.	.	.	.
8	Ben Kornowski	4	8	4	12	3.0-9	.	1-30	.	.	1-0	.	.	.	
20	Bison Woods	2	10	1	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
92	Will Utesch	4	8	3	11	2.5-3	.	.	.	.	1-0	1	.	.
23	Sam Koss	4	7	4	11	1.0-6	.	1-26	.	.	1-0	1	.	.	
10	Walter McBride	4	10	1	11	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
99	Kordell Draves	4	5	4	9	3.0-15	2.5-14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
2H	Connor Hoell	3	7	2	9	1.5-7	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	
51	Bryan Nolan	4	7	.	7	3.0-27	1.0-22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
37	Nick Agen	4	1	5	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
96	Stuart Kwaterski	2	6	.	6	3.0-11	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
5	Joe Peterson	4	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	Blake Olejniczak	3	5	.	5	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
57	Dan Bakovich	3	3	2	5	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
25	Nate Essman	3	3	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
97	Jerome Tillis	4	3	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total		4	166	70	236	37-168	8-68	5-70	15	.	4-0	7	2	.	
Opponents		4	185	96	281	21-81	9-53	4-30	11	.	1-0	1	1	.	