



St. Norbert College

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Football Preview

St. Norbert College (7-1, 4-0) at Beloit College (1-8, 0-4)

Saturday, November 3, 2018 - 1 p.m.

Strong Stadium (3,500) - Beloit, Wisconsin

2018 Midwest Conference Standings

	Conference		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
North Division				
St. Norbert	4	0	7	1
Chicago	3	1	5	3
Macalester	2	2	5	3
Ripon	2	2	5	3
Lawrence	1	3	2	6
Beloit	0	4	1	7
South Division				
Monmouth	4	0	7	1
Lake Forest	3	1	5	3
Knox	2	2	2	6
Illinois College	2	2	3	5
Cornell	1	3	3	5
Grinnell	0	4	1	7

Games on Saturday, Nov. 3

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

Game Overview:

Midwest Conference North Division champion St. Norbert travels to Beloit in the final game of divisional play. The Green Knights have won six consecutive games.

Broadcast:

Live video and live stats will be available at: <https://portal.stretchinternet.com/snc/>

The Series:

St. Norbert leads Beloit in an all-time series 24-10 dating back to 1984, and has won 18 of the last 19 meetings. The Green Knights are 12-5 all-time at Beloit in the series.

Last Meeting:

St. Norbert defeated Beloit 47-7 on Nov. 4, 2017 at Schneider Stadium in De Pere. The Green Knights led 33-0 at halftime and piled up a 546-252 advantage in total offense. Samuel Staehling caught three passes for 184 yards, going for touchdowns of 46, 48 and 90 yards. Jadon Sackman rushed 17 times for 104 yards and one touchdown for St. Norbert, which rushed for 278 yards on 54 carries. Jack Becker completed 4 of 9 passes for 217 yards and three touchdowns. Ben Sposito completed 13 of 22 passes for 129 yards and one touchdown for the Buccaneers. Joey Werner topped Beloit on the ground with 103 yards on 15 carries.

2018 St. Norbert Football Schedule and Results (7-1, 4-0 MWC North)

Date	Opponent	Site	Time/Result	Quick Fact
Sept. 1	Aurora	De Pere	W 16-7	First SNC win without an offensive TD since Oct. 8, 1938
Sept. 8	UW-Eau Claire	Eau Claire	L 30-23/2ot	Third overtime loss for St. Norbert in 12-game stretch
Sept. 22	Grinnell	De Pere	W 91-0	St. Norbert record for points in a game
Sept. 29	Knox	Galesburg, Ill.	W 34-0	SNC holds 18-game winning streak in series
Oct. 6	Ripon	De Pere	W 30-17	SNC is 19-1 vs. Ripon in last 20 games in the series
Oct. 13	Chicago	Chicago, Ill.	W 21-20	Olejniczak's blocked PAT with 1:02 left proves difference
Oct. 20	Lawrence	Appleton	W 46-0	Green Knights have won 21 straight games over the Vikings
Oct. 27	Macalester (HC)	De Pere	W 17-15	St. Norbert's 20th consecutive Homecoming win
Nov. 3	Beloit	Beloit	1 p.m.	Staehling six TDs on seven receptions in two games vs. BC
Nov. 10	Monmouth	De Pere	1 p.m.	SNC and MC meet in MWC title game for sixth time

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: ...36-7
Head Coach:Dan McCarty
Record at St. Norbert:31-8 (fourth year)
First Season/Seasons of Football: ...1931/85
All-Time Overall Record:457-289-20
All-Time MWC Record:202-39-0
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	7-3	5-0	2nd	
2018	7-1	4-0		
Totals	31-8	21-1		

McCarty vs. MWC

Team	Overall	Home	Away
Beloit	3-0	1-0	2-0
Carroll	1-0	1-0	0-0
Chicago	2-0	1-0	1-0
Cornell	1-0	1-0	0-0
Grinnell	2-0	1-0	1-0
Illinois College	2-0	1-0	1-0
Knox	3-0	1-0	2-0
Lake Forest	1-0	1-0	0-0
Lawrence	4-0	2-0	2-0
Macalester	4-0	2-0	2-0
Monmouth	1-2	1-0	0-2
Ripon	4-0	2-0	2-0
Totals	27-2	15-0	12-2

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Dan McCarty (UM-Duluth, 2000) is 31-8 in his fourth season in De Pere. He is 3-0 all-time against Beloit.

Beloit coach Seth Duerr (Wooster, 2000) is 11-38 in his fifth season in Beloit.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert heads into its final Midwest Conference North Division game with a 7-1 overall record and a 4-0 mark in the MWC North. The Green Knights wrapped up the North Division title with a 17-15 win over Macalester this past Saturday in De Pere.

Senior quarterback Drew Rhodes tops the Green Knights in both passing and rushing. Rhodes has completed 98 of 169 passes for 1,137 yards and 10 touchdowns with five interceptions. He has rushed 119 times for 448 yards and two touchdowns. Sophomore wide receiver Matt Galanopoulos has caught 25 passes for 242 yards and three touchdowns, while junior Samuel Staehling has caught 23 passes for 353 yards and three touchdowns. Junior running back Jadon Sackman has 293 rushing yards on 56 carries and five touchdowns.

Senior linebacker Matt Barrett has a team-high 56 tackles with nine tackles-for-loss and 3 1/2 quarterback sacks. Senior linebacker Mike Olijnyk has 52 tackles with 15 1/2 tackles for loss and 4 1/2 quarterback sacks, while senior linebacker Matt Gurgone has 44 tackles, 14 tackles-for-loss, five quarterback sacks, four forced fumbles and four interceptions.

St. Norbert is averaging 34.8 points and 355.6 yards per game. Defensively, the Green Knights are allowing 11.1 points and 205.0 yards per game.

About the Buccaneers:

Beloit enters the game 1-7 overall and 0-4 in the Midwest Conference North Division. The Buccaneers have lost six consecutive games since beating Knox 23-20 on Sept. 8. Beloit dropped a 32-27 decision at Lawrence this past Saturday.

Senior running back Joey Werner leads the Beloit offense with 654 yards rushing on 172 carries with two touchdowns. Senior quarterback Erick Mitchell has completed 99 of 195 passes for 1,098 yards with 12 touchdowns and 12 interceptions. Junior wide receiver Tyler Korous has caught 39 passes for 396 yards and seven touchdowns, while freshman wide receiver Juan Reyes has 25 receptions for 299 yards and two scores.

Sophomore defensive back Pat Nicolas has a team-high 108 tackles with three fumble recoveries and two forced fumbles. Freshman defensive back Silas Say has 58 tackles, while junior defensive back Caleb Wachal has 51 stops.

Beloit is averaging 17.1 points and 295.9 yards per game. Defensively, the Buccaneers are allowing 41.6 points and 445.5 yards per game.

Dual Threat:

St. Norbert senior quarterback Drew Rhodes is currently leading the Green Knights in both rushing yards (448) and passing yards (1,137).

Should that hold up, Rhodes would become just the third St. Norbert player to lead the Green Knights in rushing and passing in the same season since records were available in 1954.

All-American Norm Jarock did it in 1957, rushing for 1,306 yards while passing for 252.

Dan Luedtke was St. Norbert gridder to accomplish it, doing it twice. Luedtke did it in 1996 (469 rushing, 1,402 passing) and 1997 (394 rushing, 1,134 passing).

Defensive Dossier:

St. Norbert still ranks in the top seven in four major defensive categories in this week's NCAA Division III national statistics.

The Green Knights are fourth in Division III in tackles for loss per game at 10.6. St. Norbert is fifth in rushing defense at 49.4 yards per game and seventh in total defense at 205.0 yards per game.

St. Norbert is 11th in third-down

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Last Time It Happened

Safety:

By St. Norbert: at Lawrence, 10/20/18 (twice)

By Opponent: Illinois College, 9/26/15

Overtime Game:

at UW-Eau Claire, 9/8/18 (UW-Eau Claire 30, St. Norbert 23 - 2 OT)

50 Points in a Game:

By St. Norbert: vs. Grinnell, 9/22/18 (91)

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: Matt Gurgone vs. Grinnell, 9/22/18 (36 yards)

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

Fumble Return for TD:

By St. Norbert: Matt Gurgone (2 yards), Bright Boachie (0 yards) and Luke Bero vs. Grinnell, 9/22/18 (0 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: Jack Becker vs. Macalester, 10/28/17 (328 yards)

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

150 Yards Receiving:

By St. Norbert: Samuel Staehling vs. Beloit, 11/4/17 (184 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: Alec Beatty, Macalester, 10/27/18 (10)

40 Yard Field Goal:

By St. Norbert: Spenser Thompson-Meyers vs. Monmouth, 11/11/17 (41 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

conversion percentage defense at 24.6 percent and 17th in scoring defense at 11.1 points per game.

Senior linebacker Mike Olijnyk is 17th in Division III in tackles-for-loss at an average of 1.9 per game. Senior linebacker Matt Gurgone is 35th nationally at 1.8 tackles-for-loss per game.

The Green Knights have three shutouts in 2018, the first time they have done so in one year since the 2006 season. St. Norbert last had four shutouts in 2000.

Winning Ways:

St. Norbert has assured itself of a 20th consecutive winning season. The Green Knights' last season at-or-below .500 was a 5-5 mark in 1998.

The Green Knights have an all-time record of 457-289-20 in 83 years of intercollegiate football, a winning percentage of .610. In Midwest Conference play, St. Norbert has an all-time league-best record of 202-39, a winning percentage of .838.

St. Norbert has won 147 of its last 162 Midwest Conference games, a winning percentage of .907.

The Green Knights have won at least seven games in 19 of the last 20 seasons. The lone exception was a 6-4 campaign in 2014.

Quick Hitters:

* - Senior linebacker Matt Gurgone is tied for fourth among active NCAA Division III players in forced fumbles with seven.

* - Senior kicker Spenser Thompson-Meyers' 35 career field goals currently leads all active NCAA Division III players. He also set a new St. Norbert record this past Saturday with his 161st successful point-after attempt.

* - St. Norbert is outscoring its opponents 70-6 in the first quarter and 92-7 in the third quarter.

* - St. Norbert is 212-13 all-time when scoring 30-or-more points and is 129-2 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.



2018 St. Norbert College Football
 St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 27, 2018)
All games



Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
9/1/18	AURORA UNIV.	W 16-7	1640
9/8/18	at UW-Eau Claire	L 23-30	4487
9/22/18	GRINNELL COLLEGE	W 91-0	2111
9/29/18	at Knox College	W 34-0	500
* 10/6/18	RIPON COLLEGE	W 30-17	1859
* 10/13/18	at Univ. of Chicago	W 21-20	1026
* 10/20/18	at Lawrence Univ.	W 46-0	556
* 10/27/18	MACALESTER COLLEGE	W 17-15	1970

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All games	7-1	4-0	3-1	0-0
Conference	4-0	2-0	2-0	0-0
Non-Conference	3-1	2-0	1-1	0-0

Team Statistics	SNC	OPP
FIRST DOWNS	149	103
Rushing	95	28
Passing	48	63
Penalty	6	12
RUSHING YARDAGE	1673	395
Rushing Attempts	353	279
Average Per Rush	4.7	1.4
Average Per Game	209.1	49.4
TDs Rushing	19	4
PASSING YARDAGE	1172	1245
Comp-Att-Int	99-171-5	117-245-12
Average Per Pass	6.9	5.1
Average Per Catch	11.8	10.6
Average Per Game	146.5	155.6
TDs Passing	10	7
TOTAL OFFENSE	2845	1640
Average Per Play	5.4	3.1
Average Per Game	355.6	205.0
KICK RETURNS: #-Yards	19-334	18-308
PUNT RETURNS: #-Yards	18-176	11-86
INT RETURNS: #-Yards	12-201	5-21
FUMBLES-LOST	15-11	17-9
PENALTIES-Yards	46-445	34-288
PUNTS-AVG	41-38.7	60-33.4
TIME OF POSSESSION/Game	30:15	29:45
3RD-DOWN Conversions	36/97	31/126
4TH-DOWN Conversions	3/7	10/21

Rushing	gp	att	gain	loss	net	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Drew Rhodes	8	119	562	114	448	3.8	2	34	56.0
Jadon Sackman	5	56	298	5	293	5.2	5	32	58.6
Nate Ihlenfeldt	6	39	212	1	211	5.4	1	15	35.2
Brandon Dudley	5	31	198	2	196	6.3	2	31	39.2
Matt Vanden Heuvel	7	25	138	0	138	5.5	1	12	19.7
Ben Styczynski	5	27	126	1	125	4.6	2	28	25.0
Matt Galanopoulos	8	22	113	10	103	4.7	4	15	12.9
David Lox	7	9	58	4	54	6.0	0	20	7.7
Austin Pepler	4	10	49	0	49	4.9	0	9	12.2
Brayden Van Ess	2	3	34	0	34	11.3	0	18	17.0
Sean Ferraro	3	1	14	0	14	14.0	1	14	4.7
Freddy Poorman	1	3	12	0	12	4.0	0	9	12.0
Colin Bursik	2	1	8	0	8	8.0	1	8	4.0
Greg Lenhart	2	1	3	0	3	3.0	0	3	1.5
Carier Beaudoin	3	1	1	0	1	1.0	0	1	0.3
Total	8	353	1826	153	1673	4.7	19	34	209.1
Opponents	8	279	782	387	395	1.4	4	40	49.4

Passing	gp	effic	comp-att-int	pct	yds	td	lg	avg/g
Drew Rhodes	8	128.11	98-169-5	58.0	1137	10	60	142.1
Freddy Poorman	1	0.00	0-1-0	0.0	0	0	0	0.0
Matt Galanopoulos	8	394.00	1-1-0	100.0	35	0	35	4.4
Total	8	128.92	99-171-5	57.9	1172	10	60	146.5
Opponents	8	90.07	117-245-12	47.8	1245	7	63	155.6

Receiving	gp	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	avg/g
Matt Galanopoulos	8	25	242	9.7	3	33	30.2
Samuel Staehling	8	23	353	15.3	3	59	44.1
Drew Chavarria	8	14	209	14.9	2	41	26.1
David Lox	7	14	105	7.5	0	19	15.0
Nate Ihlenfeldt	6	13	124	9.5	2	60	20.7
Brandon Dudley	5	4	38	9.5	0	19	7.6
Trey Powers	4	2	10	5.0	0	6	2.5
Brock Moldenhauer	8	1	31	31.0	0	31	3.9
Mark Molitor	8	1	21	21.0	0	21	2.6
Austin Pepler	4	1	20	20.0	0	20	5.0
Jadon Sackman	5	1	19	19.0	0	19	3.8
Total	8	99	1172	11.8	10	60	146.5
Opponents	8	117	1245	10.6	7	63	155.6

Field Goals	fg	pct.	01-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-99	lg	blk
SpenserThmpsn-Meyers	10-12	83.3	0-1	6-6	4-5	0-0	0-0	38	1

Scoring	td	fg	PAT				dpx	saf	pts
			kick	rush	rcv	pass			
SpenserThmpsn-Meyers	-	10-12	34-34	-	-	-	-	-	64
Matt Galanopoulos	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42
Jadon Sackman	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Nate Ihlenfeldt	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Matt Gurgone	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Samuel Staehling	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Brandon Dudley	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Ben Styczynski	2	-	-	0-1	-	-	-	-	12
Drew Chavarria	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Drew Rhodes	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Lucas Van Deurzen	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Colin Bursik	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Matt Vanden Heuvel	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Luke Bero	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Bright Boachie	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Total	35	10-12	34-34	0-1	-	-	-	2	278
Opponents	11	4-5	9-10	-	1	1-1	-	-	89

Score by Quarters	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
St. Norbert College	70	72	92	37	7	278
Opponents	6	27	7	35	14	89

Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Matt Gurgone	4	88	22.0	2	36
Hunter Prokash	2	30	15.0	0	18
Mike Olijnyk	1	3	3.0	0	3
Joe Peterson	1	26	26.0	0	26
Walter McBride	1	3	3.0	0	3
Jared Gradecki	1	46	46.0	0	46
Nate Essman	1	0	0.0	0	0
Judge Krull	1	5	5.0	0	5

Punting	no.	yds	avg	lg	tb	fc	i20	50+	blk
Jeff Allen	40	1587	39.7	56	2	17	21	6	1
TEAM	1	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Punt Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Nate Ihlenfeldt	8	57	7.1	0	23
Matt Galanopoulos	7	87	12.4	0	25
Ethan Vanden Plas	1	16	16.0	0	0
Sean Ferraro	1	11	11.0	0	11
Bryan Nolan	1	5	5.0	0	0
Lucas Van Deurzen	0	0	0.0	1	0
Total	18	176	9.8	1	25
Opponents	11	86	7.8	0	33

Kick Returns	no.	yds	avg	td	lg
Matt Galanopoulos	8	176	22.0	0	31
Nate Ihlenfeldt	5	62	12.4	0	18
Dan Bakovich	2	16	8.0	0	8
Austin Pepler	2	67	33.5	0	33
Pat Ryan	1	13	13.0	0	13
Drew Chavarria	1	0	0.0	0	0
Total	19	334	17.6	0	33
Opponents	18	308	17.1	0	31

All Purpose	g	rush	rcv	pr	kr	ir	total	avg/g
Matt Galanopoul	8	103	242	87	176	0	608	76.0
Nate Ihlenfeldt	6	211	124	57	62	0	454	75.7
Drew Rhodes	8	448	0	0	0	0	448	56.0
Total	8	1673	1172	176	334	201	3556	444.5
Opponents	8	395	1245	86	308	21	2055	256.9

Total Offense	g	plays	rush	pass	total	avg/g
Drew Rhodes	8	288	448	1137	1585	198.1
Jadon Sackman	5	56	293	0	293	58.6



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 All games



##	Defensive Leaders	gp	Tackles			tfl/yds	Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles		blkd	
			ua	a	tot		no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
50	Matt Barrett	8	36	20	56	9.0-35	3.5-18	.	1	.	1-0	.	.	.
46	Mike Olijnyk	8	31	21	52	15.5-63	4.5-28	1-3	2	.	.	3	.	1
47	Matt Gurgone	8	34	10	44	14.0-75	5.0-49	4-88	4	.	2-2	4	.	.
8	Ben Kornowski	8	26	11	37	9.0-31	2.5-18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
5P	Joe Peterson	8	22	7	29	.	.	1-26	4	.	.	.	.	.
25	Nate Essman	8	22	7	29	3.0-7	.	1-0	6	.	1-0	.	.	.
14	Hunter Prokash	8	20	8	28	3.0-16	2.0-14	2-30	5	.	1-0	.	.	.
99	Kordell Draves	8	15	9	24	4.5-8	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.
10	Walter McBride	8	14	7	21	0.5-0	.	1-3	.	.	.	.	.	.
94	Blake Olejniczak	8	13	4	17	2.5-12	1.5-11	.	.	.	1-11	.	1	.
97	Jerome Tillis	8	10	5	15	4.5-8	1.0-4	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
57	Dan Bakovich	7	11	1	12	1.0-2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
91	Cameron Hackl	7	7	3	10	0.5-1	0.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
92	Will Utesch	7	7	3	10	2.5-5	1.5-2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
TM	TEAM	6	7	.	7	6.0-27	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	1
96	Jordan Jagodinsky	8	6	1	7	1.0-1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
9	Bright Boachie	7	5	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	1-0	.	.	.
51	Bryan Nolan	8	4	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
24	Judge Krull	7	4	2	6	1.5-3	.	1-5	1	.	.	.	.	.
58	Pat Ryan	7	5	1	6	1.5-1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Total	8	329	134	463	85-319	22-145	12-201	25	.	9-13	16	3	2
	Opponents	8	377	144	521	37-150	9-60	5-21	16	.	11-0	11	2	.