

# **St. Norbert College** Athletics Communications

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# St. Norbert College Green Knights Football Preview St. Norbert College (0-1) vs. UW-Eau Claire (1-0) Saturday, September 14, 2019 - 1 p.m. Donald J. Schneider Stadium (2,454) - De Pere, Wisconsin

2019 Midwest Conference Standings									
		ference							
North Division	W	$\mathbf{L}$	W	$\mathbf{L}$					
Beloit	0	0	0	1					
Lake Forest	0	0	1	0					
Lawrence	0	0	1	0					
Macalester	0	0	0	1					
Ripon	0	0	0	1					
St. Norbert	0	0	0	1					
South Division	W	$\mathbf{L}$	W	$\mathbf{L}$					
Chicago	0	0	0	1					
Cornell	0	0	1	0					
Grinnell	0	0	0	1					
Illinois College	0	0	1	0					
Knox	0	0	0	1					
Monmouth	0	0	0	1					
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#### Game Overview:

St. Norbert entertains Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference foe UW-Eau Claire for its home opener at Schneider Stadium. The games concludes a two-year home-and-home series with the Green Knights and Blugolds.

#### **Broadcast:**

Live video will be available at: https://portal.stretchinternet.com/snc/ Live stats will be available online at: http://www.snc.edu/athletics/teamfiles/livestats/xlive.htm

#### The Series:

UW-Eau Claire leads St. Norbert 6-3 in an all-time series dating back to 1956. St. Norbert is 2-3 at home in the series, with the last meeting in De Pere a 24-20 UW-Eau Claire win in the 2007 NCAA Division III Playoffs.

#### Last Meeting:

UW-Eau Claire topped St. Norbert 30-23 in double overtime on Sept. Sept. 8, 2018 at Carson Park in Eau Claire. Brian Kulaga's 9-yard run in the second overtime proved the difference. The Blugolds led 16-0 at halftime before St. Norbert answered on Drew Rhodes touchdown passes of 59 yards to Samuel Staehling and 33 yards to Drew Chevarria. The Green Knights recovered an onside kick with 48 seconds left and Spenser

Date	Opponent	Site	Time/Result	Quick Fact
Sept. 7	Aurora	Montgomery, Ill.	L 50-40	St. Norbert sets school record with 60 pass attempts
Sept. 14	UW-Eau Claire	De Pere	1 p.m.	SNC lost double-overtime affair in 2018 at Carson Park
Sept. 28	Monmouth	Monmouth, Ill.	1 p.m.	Rematch of last two MWC Championship Games
Oct. 5	Grinnell	De Pere	1 p.m.	SNC holds 18-game winning streak in series
Oct. 12	Ripon	Ripon	1 p.m.	SNC is 19-1 vs. Ripon in last 20 games in the series
Oct. 19	Beloit (HC)	De Pere	1 p.m.	St. Norbert has won 20 consecutive Homecoming games
Oct. 26	Lawrence	De Pere	1 p.m.	Green Knights have won 21 straight games over the Vikings
Nov. 2	Macalester	St. Paul, Minn.	1 p.m.	Green Knights own 2-0 record against Scots in St. Paul
Nov. 9	Lake Forest	Lake Forest, Ill.	1 p.m.	First meeting against LFC since 2016 season
Nov. 16	TBA	TBA	Noon	St. Norbert will visit South Division opponent in Week 11

# St. Norbert Quick Facts

Nickname:Green Knights
<b>Location:</b>
Colors:Dartmouth Green & Old Gold
Founded:
<b>Enrollment:</b>
President:Brian Bruess
Athletics Director:
Conference:
Facility:Donald J. Schneider Stadium
<b>Capacity:</b>
Year Opened:
All-Time Schneider Stadium Record:37-7
Head Coach:Dan McCarty
Record at St. Norbert:
<b>First Season/Seasons of Football:</b> 1931/85
All-Time Overall Record:
All-Time MWC Record:
MWC Championships:17
(1985,87-89,99,2000-04,06-07,10,12-13,15,18)
NCAA Playoff Appearances:
(1989,99,2000-01,03-04,06-07,10,12-13,15,18)

# 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 Experience: 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	10-2	5-0	1st	Second Rd.							
2019	0-1	0-0									
Totals	34-10	22-1									
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McCarty vs. MWC											
Team	Overall	Home	Away								
Beloit	4-0	1-0	3-0								
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	2-2	2-0	0-2								
Ripon	4-0	2-0	2-0								
Totals	29-2	16-0	13-2								

Thompson-Meyers' 29-yard field goal with 3 seconds left forced overtime. Rhodes completed 15 of 41 passes for 212 yards and two touchdowns with one interception for St. Norbert. Kulaga led Eau Claire with 113 yards rushing on 28 carries and two touchdowns. Scott Procter completed 13 of 26 passes for 160 yards.

#### The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Dan McCarty (UM-Duluth, 2000) is 34-10 in his fifth season in De Pere.

UW-Eau Claire coach Wesley Beschorner (South Dakota, 2005) is 1-0 in his first season in Eau Claire.

#### About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the game 0-1 after a season-opening 50-40 loss this past Saturday at Aurora.

Iunior quarterback Freddy Poorman completed 32 of 57 passes for 384 yards and four touchdowns. Senior wide receiver Samuel Staehling caught 10 passes for 203 yards and three touchdowns, while junior wide receiver Matt Galanopoulos caught seven passes for 74 yards and one touchdown. Sophomore running back Nate Ihlenfeldt averaged 7.0 yards per carry with 112 yards on 16 attempts with one touchdown.

Senior defensive back Joe Peterson and junior linebacker Zach Kratky share the team lead in tackles with seven apiece. Senior defensive lineman Jerome Tillis and sophomore defensive back Joe Jung each have six tackles.

St. Norbert is averaging 40.0 points and 528.0 yards per game this season. Defensively, the Green Knights are allowing 50.0 points and 604.0 yards per game.

#### About the Blugolds:

UW-Eau Claire enters the game 1-0 overall after a 35-3 win over Loras this past Saturday at Carson Park.

Junior running back Austin Belot led the Eau Claire offense with 168 yards rushing on just 17 carries with two touchdowns. Sophomore quarterback Jonathan Malueg completed 8 of 18 passes for 98 yards with two interceptions. Sophomore tight end Killy Kitzmann had a team-high five receptions for 56 yards.

Senior All-American linebacker Sam Romanski paced the defense with 13 tackles, including five tackles-for-loss. Senior defensive back Vince Coenen had nine tackles, while junior linebacker Victor Martinelli had seven tackles with two quarterback sacks. Eau Claire had seven sacks against Loras.

Eau Claire is averaging 35.0 points and 362.0 yards per game this season. Defensively, the Blugolds are allowing 3.0 points and 210.0 yards per game.

#### **Record Report:**

St. Norbert set several team and individual records in this past Saturday's 50-40 loss at Aurora.

The Green Knights ran a whopping 100 plays against the Spartans, tying a school record. St. Norbert also ran 100 plays in a 35-14 win over Beloit on Oct. 28, 1989.

St. Norbert attempted 60 passes, surpassing the old record of 53 set in a 21-7 loss to Monmouth on Oct. 21, 1996.

Junior quarterback Freddy Poorman attempted 57 passes, breaking the old mark of 53 by Dan Luedtke in the 1996 Monmouth contest. Poorman's 32 completions tied the St. Norbert mark set by Kurt Rotherham in a 34-30 loss to Michigan Tech on Sept. 13, 1986.

Poorman finished with 384 passing yards, the second-highest total in St. Norbert history. Only Luke Ott's 421 yards in a 52-28 win over Lake Forest on Oct. 27, 2001 is higher.

#### **Staehling Stuff:**

Senior wide receiver Samuel Staehling had another big day, scoring half of St. Norbert's 40 points against Aurora with three touchdown receptions and a two-point conversion.

Staehling finished with 10 receptions for 203 yards. Staehling had St. Norbert's first 10-reception game since Oct. 22, 2011 when Joe Green had 10 against Grinnell.

# St. Norbert College Football Last Time It Happened

## Safety:

By St. Norbert: at Beloit, 11/3/18 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: at Beloit, 11/3/18 (60) By Opponent: at Aurora, 9/7/19 (50)

# 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. Trine, 11/17/18 (26 yards) By Opponent: Famus Hasty, UW-Whitewater, 11/24/18 (48 yards)

#### Fumble Return for TD:

By St. Norbert: Matt Gurgone vs. Trine, 11/17/18 (35 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: Freddy Poorman vs. Aurora, 9/7/19 (384 yards) By Opponent: Gavin Zimbelman, Aurora, 9/7/19 (497 yards)

#### 150 Yards Receiving:

By St. Norbert: Samuel Staehling vs. Aurora, 9/7/19 (203 yards) By Opponent: Jacolby Maxwell, Aurora, 9/7/19 (175 yards)

#### 10 Pass Receptions:

By St. Norbert: Samuel Staehling vs. Aurora, 9/7/19 (10) By Opponent: Alec Beatty, Macalester, 10/27/18 (10)

#### 40 Yard Field Goal:

By St. Norbert: Spenser Thompson-Meyers at Beloit, 11/3/18 (50 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 Staehling's 203 receiving yards was just the seventh 200-yard receiving game in school history. His career high is 217 yards against Beloit on Oct. 8, 2016.

Staehling is now fifth in St. Norbert history with 2,287 receiving yards. He trails Steve Heim (2,361 -1982-84) for fourth and Green (2,503 - 2009-12) for third.

Staehling had his fifth game with three receiving touchdowns. Staehling's 34 touchdown receptions trail Mike Whitehouse by three for the St. Norbert career record. Whitehouse had 37 from 1986-89.

#### **Forty Facts:**

Saturday's 50-40 loss to Aurora marked just the third time in St. Norbert history the Green Knights lost when scoring at least 40 points in a game.

The Green Knights lost a 57-41 decision to Carroll on Nov. 6, 1993 and a 41-40 heartbreaker to Illinois College on Nov. 10, 2001.

St. Norbert is 214-14 all-time when scoring 30-or-more points and is 130-3 all-time when scoring 40-ormore points.

#### Winning Ways:

St. Norbert is looking for its 21st consecutive winning season in 2019. The Green Knights' last season at-orbelow .500 was a 5-5 mark in 1998.

The Green Knights have an alltime record of 460-291-20 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 203-39, a winning percentage of .839.

St. Norbert has won 148 of its last 163 Midwest Conference games, a winning percentage of .908.

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.

Last season was St. Norbert's sixth season with at least 10 wins. The Green Knights won a school-record 11 games in 2003 and also won 10 games in 2000, 2006, 2007 and 2015.



# 2019 St. Norbert College Football St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 09, 2019) All games



Date 9/7/19	<b>Opponen</b> at Aurora				L		<b>core</b> 0-50		<b>At</b> 226	•••
Rushing Nate Ihlenfeldt David Lox Matt Galanopoulo Total Opponents	<b>gp</b> 1 5 1 1 1	att 16 5 2 40 22	gain 112 11 1 162 110	loss 0 3 0 50 3	net 112 8 1 112 107	avg 7.0 1.6 0.5 2.8 4.9	td 1 0 2 0	lg 22 7 1 22 24		.0 .0 .0
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Average Per Catch Average Per Game TDs Passing TOTAL OFFENSE				12.6 416.0 4 528	) -	15.1 497.0 7 604
Average Per Play Average Per Game KICK RETURNS: #- PUNT RETURNS: #	Yards			5.3 528.0 5-106	) )	8.2 604.0 4-89
INT RETURNS: #-Ya FUMBLES-LOST PENALTIES-Yards				1-2 0-0 0-0 3-20	) )	2-6 0-0 3-1 12-101
PUNTS-AVG TIME OF POSSESS 3RD-DOWN Conver 4TH-DOWN Conver	sions	9		5-35.2 33:37 8/21 5/7	'	5-40.8 26:23 6/16 4/5
Interceptions	no.	yds	avg	td	lg	
Punting Jeff Allen	<b>no</b> . 5		<b>vg lg</b> 5.2 39		fc i 2	<b>20 50+ blk</b> 2 0 0
Punt Returns Matt Galanopoulos Total Opponents	no. 1 2	yds 2 2 6	avg 2.0 2.0 3.0	td 0 0 0	lg 2 2 4	
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# 2019 St. Norbert College Football St. Norbert College Overall Individual Statistics (as of Sep 09, 2019) All games



			Tackles		Sacks	Pass defense			Fumbles	blkd				
##	Defensive Leaders	gp	ua	а	tot	tfl/yds	no-yds	int-yds	brup	qbh	rcv-yds	ff	kick	saf
5P	Joe Peterson	1	7		7				1					
53	Zach Kratky	1	2	5	7	0.5-1	0.5-1							
15	Joe Jung	1	4	2	6									
97	Jerome Tillis	1	1	5	6	0.5-2	0.5-2							
14	Lucas Dutcher	1	4	1	5									
99	Kordell Draves	1	1	4	5									
52	Danny Howard	1	1	3	4							1		
56	Maccabee Barrett	1		3	3									
18	Andrew Olson	1	1	1	2					1				
54	Kevin Pedersen	1	1	1	2					1				
9B	Bright Boachie	1	2		2					2		1		
10	Walter McBride	1	2		2						1-0			
59	Jake Berken	1	1		1					1		1		
91	Nolan Wagner	1		1	1									
3	Matt Galanopoulos	1	1		1									
94	Blake Olejniczak	1	1		1				2	1				
44	Matt Vanden Heuvel	1	1		1									
7	Ben Kohl	1	1		1									
	Total	1	31	26	57	1-3	1-3		3	6	1-0	3		
	Opponents	1	50	28	78	13-54	6-35		8	3			1	