



St. Norbert College

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Hockey Preview

No. 11 St. Norbert College (3-0) vs.

Bethel University (0-2) - Friday, November 6, 2009 - 7 p.m.

Hamline University (1-1) - Saturday, November 7, 2009 - 7 p.m.

Cornerstone Community Center (1,876) - Green Bay, Wisconsin

Weekend Overview:

St. Norbert takes a brief respite from Northern Collegiate Hockey Association action when it hosts Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference foes Bethel and Hamline this weekend.

Broadcast:

St. Norbert coverage is on the WSNC radio Webcast with Tim Derozier on the call. The Webcast is available at <http://www.snc.edu/athletics/hockey/webcast.htm>.

The Series:

St. Norbert leads the series with Bethel 18-1 in a series that began during the 1988-89 season. St. Norbert has won the last 18 games, with Bethel's only win an 8-4 triumph in the first series meeting on Feb. 10, 1989.

St. Norbert leads the series with Hamline 8-2. The Green Knights and Pipers split weekend series in 1990-91 and 1991-92. St. Norbert has won the last six games.

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2009-2010 NCHA Standings

Team	W-L-T	Points	Overall
St. Norbert (11)	2-0-0	4	3-0-0
St. Scholastica (13)	2-0-0	4	2-0-0
UW-River Falls	2-0-0	4	3-0-0
UW-Eau Claire	0-0-0	0	0-2-0
UW-Stevens Point	0-2-0	0	1-2-0
UW-Stout (3)	0-2-0	0	0-2-0
UW-Superior (4)	0-2-0	0	0-2-0

Games on Friday, Nov. 6

Bethel at St. Norbert, 7 p.m.
 Augsburg at Eau Claire, 7 p.m.
 St. John's at St. Scholastica, 7 p.m.
 Gustavus Adolphus at River Falls, 7 p.m.
 Concordia at Superior, 7 p.m.
 Hamline at Stevens Point, 7:30 p.m.
 St. Mary's at Stout, 7:30 p.m.

Games on Saturday, Nov. 7

St. John's at Superior, 4 p.m.
 Hamline at St. Norbert, 7 p.m.
 Gustavus Adolphus at Eau Claire, 7 p.m.
 Concordia at St. Scholastica, 7 p.m.
 Augsburg at River Falls, 7 p.m.
 Bethel at Stevens Point, 7:30 p.m.
 St. Thomas at Stout, 7:30 p.m.

2009-2010 Results

Date	Opponent	Result
O 27	Lake Forest	W 8-1
O 30	*at UW-Stout (3)	W 2-0
O 31	*at UW-Stout (3)	W 4-1
N 6	Bethel	7 p.m.
N 7	Hamline	7 p.m.
N 13	*UW-Stevens Point	7 p.m.
N 14	*UW-Stevens Point	7 p.m.
N 20	*at UW-River Falls	7 p.m.
N 21	*at UW-River Falls	7 p.m.
N 27	#vs. Lawrence	3:30 p.m.
N 28	#vs. Salem State	3:30 p.m.
D 4	*St. Scholastica	7 p.m.
D 5	*St. Scholastica	7 p.m.
J 8	at Concordia-Moorhead	7 p.m.
J 9	at St. John's	2:30 p.m.
J 15	*at UW-Eau Claire	7 p.m.
J 16	*at UW-Eau Claire	7 p.m.
J 22	*UW-Superior	7 p.m.
J 23	*UW-Superior	4 p.m.
J 28	*at UW-Stevens Point	7:30 p.m.
J 30	*UW-Eau Claire	7 p.m.
F 5	*at St. Scholastica	7 p.m.
F 6	*at St. Scholastica	7 p.m.
F 12	*UW-Stout	7 p.m.
F 13	*UW-River Falls	7 p.m.
F 19-20	NCHA Quarterfinals	TBA
F 27	NCHA Semifinals	TBA
M 6	NCHA Peters Cup Final	TBA
M 10	NCAA First Round	TBA
M 13	NCAA Quarterfinals	TBA
M 19-20	NCAA Frozen Four ^	TBA

* - NCHA regular-season game; # - St. Scholastica Tournament, Duluth, Minn.; ^ - at Olympic Center, Lake Placid, N.Y. **Note:** Home games in **bold**; (rankings) by U.S. College Hockey Online.

St. Norbert Quick Facts

Nickname:Green Knights
Location:De Pere, WI 54115
Colors:Dartmouth Green & Old Gold
Founded:1898
Enrollment:2,100
President:Thomas Kunkel
Athletics Director:Tim Bald
Conference: Northern Collegiate Hockey Assn.
Facility:Cornerstone Community Center
Capacity:1,876
Year Opened:2000
Dimensions:200x85
All-Time Cornerstone Record:127-14-8
Record Crowds: ..2,210 (3/5/05 vs. Superior)
 ..5,516 (2/4/06 vs. Stevens Point) - Resch Center
Head Coach:Tim Coghlin
Record at St. Norbert: ..344-100-36 (17th year)
Assistant Coaches:A.J. Aitken
Tommy Cianflone
Mark Mazzoleni
Ryan Wempe
First Season of Hockey:1988-89
Seasons of Hockey:22
All-Time Overall Record:380-175-37
All-Time NCHA Record:166-49-23
NCHA Championships:Ten
(1997,98,99,2002,03,04,05,06,07,08)
NCHA Peters Cup Championships: ..Seven
(1998,99,2003,04,05,07,08)
NCAA Tournament Appearances:Ten
(1997,98,99,2002,03,04,05,06,07,08)
NCAA Frozen Four Appearances:Five
(2003,04,06,07,08)
NCAA Championships:One
(2008)

USCHO.com Division III Top 15 Poll - Oct. 26, 2009

Place	School (1st-place)	Pts.	Record
1	Plattsburgh State (5)	253	24-2-2
2	Neumann (9)	245	21-9-2
3	UW-Stout (1)	217	23-6-2
4	UW-Superior (1)	178	23-4-3
5	Hobart (1)	162	21-7-2
6	Adrian (1)	159	27-1-1
7	Middlebury	154	19-7-1
8	Oswego State (1)	150	18-8-1
9	Amherst	145	22-5-1
10	Gustavus Adolphus	135	19-11-0
11	St. Norbert	132	19-8-1
12	Manhattanville (1)	127	16-4-5
13	St. Scholastica	106	20-7-2
14	Elmira	93	16-8-3
15	Norwich	70	13-8-4

Others receiving votes: UW-River Falls 14, Curry 10, Hamline 10, St. Thomas 10, Nichols 7, Babson 5, New England College 5, UW-Stevens Point 5, Castleton State 3, Mass.-Dartmouth 2, St. Olaf 2, Wentworth 1.

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Tim Coghlin (UW-Stevens Point, 1989) is 344-100-36 in his 17th season in De Pere. The Green Knights are 200-31-19 in the last eight-plus seasons.

Bethel coach Joel Johnson (Bethel, 1996) is 27-22-3 in this third season in Arden Hills.

Hamline coach Scott Bell (Minnesota, 1995) is 44-55-8 in his fifth season in St. Paul.

Last Meetings:

St. Norbert topped Bethel 4-1 before a crowd of 2,025 in a NCAA Division III Tournament quarterfinal game at the Cornerstone Community Center on March 10, 2007. Steven Sleep and Troy Boisjoli scored late in the second period to give the Green Knights a 3-1 lead after two periods. Kyle Jones made 17 saves for St. Norbert, while Aaron Damjanovich made 30 stops for the Royals.

St. Norbert beat Hamline 5-1 on Jan. 12, 2007 at Drake Arena in St. Paul. Shane Wheeler and Marc Belanger had second-period goals to give the Green Knights a 4-1 lead after two periods, and Matt Boyd added a third-period score. Kyle Jones 14 saves for St. Norbert, while Matt Wanvig had 32 saves for the Pipers.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert improved to 3-0 on the season and 2-0 in the NCHA with an impressive weekend sweep of No. 3-ranked UW-Stout by scores of 2-0 and 4-1 in Menomonie.

Senior forward Shane Wheeler has three goals and three assists for six points, while freshman forward Cody Keefer has two goals and four assists for six points. Sophomore forward Johan Ryd and junior forward Brandon Longley also have two goals each. Ryd, junior defenseman Mike Bernardy, sophomore forward Alain Joannette and junior forward Scott Pulak all have three points this season.

Junior goaltender B.J. O'Brien has been used exclusively between the pipes for St. Norbert. O'Brien is 3-0 with a 0.67 goals against average

and .965 save percentage.

St. Norbert is 2-for-15 (13.3 percent) on the power play and is 15-for-15 (100.0 percent) on the penalty kill.

About the Royals:

Bethel enters the weekend 0-2 after losing a pair of non-conference games 4-0 to Augsburg and 4-3 to Gustavus Adolphus this past weekend.

Sophomore forward Chris Fiala has two goals for two points, while sophomore defenseman Austin Hatch has one goal and one assist for two points. Freshman defenseman Jon Crouse has two assists for two points.

Senior goaltender Aaron Damjanovich is 0-2 in net with a 4.02 goals against average and .871 save percentage.

Bethel is 2-for-14 (14.3 percent) on the power play and is 8-for-10 (80.0 percent) on the penalty kill.

About the Pipers:

Hamline enters Friday's game at UW-Stevens Point with a 1-1 record after splitting a pair of non-conference games. The Pipers lost 3-1 to St. Olaf and topped Concordia-Moorhead 2-1.

Sophomore forward Kelly Plude is the only Hamline player with multiple points, registering three assists. Junior defenseman Chris Berenguer, junior forward Ryan Kupperman and freshman defenseman Taylor Vichorek all have one goal apiece.

Sophomore goaltender Beau Christian is 1-1 in goal with a 1.51 goals against average and .936 save percentage.

Hamline is 1-for-11 (9.1 percent) on the power play and is 9-for-9 (100.0 percent) on the penalty kill.

MIAC Minutiae:

St. Norbert has a solid 68-8-3 record against Minnesota Intercollegiate Athletic Conference competition since Tim Coghlin took over the Green Knights' helm in 1993. Two of the losses came in a sweep at St. Mary's in Coghlin's first year of 1993-94.

Since then, the Green Knights are 68-6-3 against the MIAC. The losses came in a 4-3 decision at St. John's on Nov. 24, 2000 and a pair of losses to St. Thomas in the 2004-05 season. The Green Knights also dropped a 7-4 contest to Augsburg during 2005-06, to Gustavus Adolphus in 2007-08 and to St. Thomas in 2008-09. St. Norbert has tied St. Thomas twice and Augsburg once, those coming in the 1999-2000 and 2000-01 seasons.

At home under Coghlin, St. Norbert is a remarkable 36-2-1 against MIAC foes. The losses came in a 3-2 defeat to St. Thomas in the 2005 NCAA Division III Tournament and to Gustavus Adolphus 4-2 on Nov. 3, 2007.

Home Sweet Cornerstone:

When 14th century poet Dante Alighieri was penning his masterpiece *The Divine Comedy* and the immortal line, "All hope abandon ye who enter here," he could have easily been referring to visiting hockey teams at the Cornerstone Community Center.

St. Norbert is 105-7-5 in its last 117 games at the Cornerstone Community Center. In the last eight-plus seasons, the Green Knights are a sparkling 118-10-7 at the Cornerstone, with three losses and one tie coming to national champion UW-Superior during the 2001-02 season.

All-time, St. Norbert is 127-14-8 at the Cornerstone Community Center, which includes a 9-4-1 mark there its first season in the building in 2000-01. Under Tim Coghlin, St. Norbert is 206-36-14 at home, which includes games at Brown County Arena, Resch Center and De Pere Ice Arena.

St. Norbert was 10-3-1 at the Cornerstone last season. The Green Knights lost that many games at the Cornerstone just twice in their history - going 9-4-1 in 2000-01 and 13-3-2 in 2001-02.

Poll Position:

St. Norbert has been ranked in the USCHO.com Division III Poll for 140 consecutive weeks. Prior to

being ranked seventh in the Nov. 5, 2007 poll, the Green Knights had been rated in the top four for 100 of 101 weeks.

St. Norbert entered the 2008-09 season at No. 1 before falling to No. 3 on Nov. 24. The Green Knights are 56-11-5 all-time when ranked No. 1.

During the 140-week stretch of being ranked, St. Norbert has been No. 1 for 40 weeks. St. Norbert was rated No. 1 in the 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007 and 2008 final polls.

St. Norbert was 4-7-1 against ranked foes in 2008-09 but is now 2-0 already this season. St. Norbert is 77-33-12 against teams ranked in the USCHO.com Poll under Tim Coghlin. The Green Knights are 0-3 all-time against the No. 1-ranked team and are 2-5 all-time against the No. 2-ranked team.

Gimme Five:

St. Norbert is unbeaten in its last 216 games when scoring five goals or more with a 211-0-5 mark since a 7-5 loss to Bemidji State in De Pere on Jan. 12, 1996. The Green Knights had an 85-game winning streak snapped when scoring five or more goals when they tied UW-Superior 5-5 on Dec. 3, 2004.

St. Norbert is 5-18-4 in its last 27 games when allowing five goals or more dating back to the 1996-97 season. The only wins were a 9-5 win over St. Scholastica on Feb. 20, 1999, a 7-5 win over UW-Stout on Nov. 30, 2001, another win over UW-Stout in an 8-5 triumph on Jan. 14, 2005, a 7-5 win over UW-Stevens Point on Feb. 3, 2007 and a 7-5 win over Gustavus Adolphus on Oct. 31, 2008.

The Green Knights have allowed five goals just 12 times in their last 235 games.

Ice Chips:

* - Johan Ryd's two goals on Oct. 31 against UW-Stout came on his 20th birthday. It was his first career multi-goal game.

* - St. Norbert has scored five goals just five times in its last 25 games.

Head Coach Tim Coghlin

Education: Bachelor's degree in communications at UW-Stevens Point (1989); master's degree in education at UW-Stevens Point (1995).

Playing Experience: Four-year letterman at UW-Stevens Point (1986-89); Milwaukee Admirals (1989); Fife Flyers, British Premier League (1991).

Coaching Experience: Assistant coach at UW-Stevens Point (1991-93); head coach at St. Norbert (May 26, 1993 to present).



Coghlin's Head Coaching Record

Year	Overall	NCHA	Place	NCAA
1993-94	10-9-1	n/a	n/a	
1994-95	9-14-4	5-12-3	6th	
1995-96	12-13-3	10-8-2	4th	
1996-97	21-9-1	16-4-0	1st	Quarters
1997-98	27-6-0	17-3-0	1st	Quarters
1998-99	25-5-3	12-2-2	1st	Quarters
1999-2000	22-5-2	10-3-1	2nd	
2000-01	18-8-3	9-4-1	3rd	
2001-02	23-5-3	12-0-2	1st	Quarters
2002-03	27-2-2	12-1-1	1st	Semis
2003-04	27-3-2	11-2-1	1st	Runner-Up
2004-05	24-3-3	12-0-2	1st	Quarters
2005-06	25-5-2	10-2-2	1st	Runner-Up
2006-07	25-4-2	10-3-1	1st	Semis
2007-08	27-1-4	10-0-4	1st	Champion
2008-09	19-8-1	8-5-1	4th	
2009-10	3-0-0	2-0-0		
Totals	344-100-36	166-49-23		

Coghlin vs. NCHA

Team	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
Bemidji State *	4-5-1	2-2-0	2-3-1	0-0-0
Lake Forest *	39-6-3	25-1-0	14-5-3	0-0-0
St. Scholastica	37-3-2	25-1-2	12-2-0	0-0-0
Eau Claire	36-3-2	25-1-1	10-2-1	1-0-0
River Falls	28-16-2	18-5-1	10-11-1	0-0-0
Stevens Point	31-17-5	19-6-4	12-11-1	0-0-0
Stout	30-5-3	19-3-0	11-2-3	0-0-0
Superior	24-18-10	16-10-3	8-8-7	0-0-0
Totals	229-73-28	149-29-11	79-44-17	1-0-0

* - No longer in NCHA, LFC in MCHA not included.

Coghlin vs. MIAC

Team	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
Augsburg	2-1-1	2-0-0	0-1-1	0-0-0
Bethel	13-0-0	7-0-0	6-0-0	0-0-0
Concordia	4-0-0	2-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0
Gustavus	12-1-0	5-1-0	5-0-0	2-0-0
Hamline	6-0-0	3-0-0	3-0-0	0-0-0
St. John's	9-1-0	5-0-0	4-1-0	0-0-0
St. Mary's	9-2-0	4-0-0	4-2-0	0-0-0
St. Olaf	8-0-0	4-0-0	4-0-0	0-0-0
St. Thomas	5-3-2	4-1-1	1-2-1	0-0-0
Totals	68-8-3	36-2-1	26-5-2	2-0-0

2009-2010 St. Norbert Hockey Game Summaries

Game #1 (Oct. 27)

Cornerstone Community Center (1,125)

St. Norbert 8, Lake Forest 1

LF 1 0 0 - 1

SN 2 2 4 - 8

1st: SN - Keefer 1 (Wheeler), PPG, 5:42

SN - Wheeler 1 (Keefer, Eccles), 12:41

LF - Brown 1 (Bark), 14:12

2nd: SN - Bernardy 1 (Wheeler, Keefer), 0:18

SN - Keefer 2 (Ryd, Donohue), 10:09

3rd: SN - Longley 1 (Pulak, Hammerbeck), 1:40

SN - Fylling 1 (Exton, Favreau), 5:32

SN - Wheeler 1 (Allen, Bernardy), 6:35

SN - Joannette 1 (Keefer, Eccles), 19:00

Penalties: LF 4-8, SN 7-14

Power Play: LF 0-7, SN 1-4

Saves: Sullivan (LF) 11-16-9 - 36 (60:00)

O'Brien (SN) 1-6-11 - 18 (60:00)

Game #2 (Oct. 30)

Dunn County Ice Arena (1,200)

St. Norbert 2, UW-Stout 0

SN 0 0 2 - 2

St 0 0 0 - 0

1st: no scoring

2nd: no scoring

3rd: SN - Hammerbeck 1 (Pulak), 10:15

SN - Wheeler 3 (Boyd, Tabisz), ENG, 19:53

Penalties: SN 4-8, St 5-10

Power Play: SN 0-5, St 0-4

Saves: O'Brien (SN) 7-9-5 - 21 (60:00)

Hopper (St) 15-9-x - 24 (37:44)

Lescovich (St) x-2-12 - 14 (21:25)

Game #3 (Oct. 31)

Dunn County Ice Arena (950)

St. Norbert 4, UW-Stout 1

SN 1 2 1 - 4

St 0 1 0 - 1

1st: SN - Ryd 1 (Tabisz, Joannette), 2:05

2nd: St - Hanson 1 (Gaulrapp, Motz), 0:52

SN - Ryd 2 (Stroh, Joannette), 2:37

SN - Longley 2 (Bernardy, Pulak), PPG, 15:32

3rd: SN - Boyd 1 (Wheeler, Keefer), 16:11

Penalties: SN 4-8, St 6-12

Power Play: SN 1-6, St 0-4

Saves: O'Brien (SN) 7-2-7 - 16 (60:00)

Lescovich (St) 11-10-18 - 39 (60:00)

2009-2010 St. Norbert College Hockey
St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 31, 2009)
All games

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
10/27/09	LAKE FOREST COLLEGE	W 8-1	1125
* 10/30/09	at #3 UW-Stout	W 2-0	1200
* 10/31/09	at #3 UW-Stout	W 4-1	950

Record:	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
ALL GAMES	3-0-0	1-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0
CONFERENCE	2-0-0	0-0-0	2-0-0	0-0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	1-0-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0

TEAM STATISTICS	SNC	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	14-127	2-57
Shot pct.	.110	.035
Goals/Game	4.7	0.7
Shots/Game	42.3	19.0
POWER PLAYS		
Goals-Power Plays	2-15	0-15
Conversion Percent	.133	.000
GOAL BREAKDOWN		
Power Play	2	0
Short-handed	0	0
Empty net	1	0
Penalty	0	0
Unassisted	0	0
Overtime	0	0
PENALTIES		
Number	15	15
Minutes	30	30
Penalties/Game	5.0	5.0
Pen minutes/Game	10.0	10.0

#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	pen-min	pp	sh
16	Shane Wheeler	3	3	3	6	0	.000	1-2	0	0
8	Cody Keefer	3	2	4	6	0	.000	0-0	1	0
21	Johan Ryd	3	2	1	3	0	.000	1-2	0	0
2	Mike Bernardy	3	1	2	3	0	.000	0-0	0	0
15	Alain Joannette	3	1	2	3	0	.000	1-2	0	0
10	Scott Pulak	3	0	3	3	0	.000	0-0	0	0
23	Brandon Longley	3	2	0	2	0	.000	1-2	1	0
22	Matt Boyd	2	1	1	2	0	.000	1-2	0	0
9	Adam Hammerbeck	3	1	1	2	0	.000	2-4	0	0
5	Sam Eccles	1	0	2	2	0	.000	0-0	0	0
28	Nick Tabisz	2	0	2	2	0	.000	1-2	0	0
26	Peter Fylling	3	1	0	1	0	.000	0-0	0	0
17	Tyler Allen	3	0	1	1	0	.000	3-6	0	0
24	Derek Donohue	2	0	1	1	0	.000	2-4	0	0
27	Dylan Exton	3	0	1	1	0	.000	2-4	0	0
4	Justin Favreau	3	0	1	1	0	.000	0-0	0	0
11	Kyle Stroh	3	0	1	1	0	.000	0-0	0	0
12	Noah Nemgar	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
33	Sam Tikka	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
7	Dustin Walz	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
Total		3	14	26	40	127	.110	15-30	2	0
Opponents		3	2	3	5	57	.035	15-30	0	0

#	Goalie	gp	min	ga	gaavg	saves	save%	w-l-t
30	B.J. O'Brien	3	180:00	2	0.67	55	.965	3-0-0
Total		3	180:00	2	0.67	55	.965	3-0-0
Opponents		3	180:00	14	4.67	113	.890	0-3-0

Attendance Summary	SNC	Opponent
Total	1125	2150
Dates/Avg Per Date	1/1125	2/1075
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
St. Norbert College	3	4	7	14
Opponents	1	1	0	2

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
St. Norbert College	40	41	46	127
Opponents	16	18	23	57

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
St. Norbert College	0	0	0	0
Opponents	0	0	0	0