

St. Norbert College Athletics Communications

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St. Norbert College Green Knights Women's Hockey Preview St. Norbert College (0-2) vs. Aurora Univ. (0-2) Friday-Saturday, November 3-4, 2017 - 7 p.m. Fri., 2 p.m. Sat. Resch Olympic Pavilion (1,014) - De Pere, Wisconsin

Series Overview:

St. Norbert begins play in the Northern Collegiate Hockey Association when it hosts first-year program Aurora in a two-game series at Resch Olympic Pavilion.

Broadcast:

The games will be streamed live at: https://portal.stretchinternet.com/snc/

The Series:

St. Norbert and Aurora are meeting for the first time.

The Coaches:

St. Norbert coach Meredith Roth (Providence, 2004) is 21-29-5 in her third season in De Pere.

2017	-2018 NCHA	Standings	
Team	W-L-T	Points	Overall
Adrian	0-0-0	0	2-0-0
Aurora			0-2-0
Concordia-Wis	0-0-0	0	1-1-0
Finlandia	0-0-0	0	0-1-0
Lake Forest	0-0-0	0	0-2-0
Marian	0-0-0	0	0-2-0
Northland	0-0-0	0	1-1-0
St. Norbert	0-0-0	0	0-2-0
St. Scholastica	0-0-0		1-0-0
Trine	0-0-0		0-0-0
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Games on Friday, Nov. 3

St. Scholastica at Marian, 4 p.m. * Finlandia at Trine, 6 p.m. * Lake Forest at Concordia-Wis., 7 p.m. * Aurora at St. Norbert, 7 p.m.

Games on Saturday, Nov. 4 Finlandia at Trine, 1 p.m. * St. Scholastica at Marian, 1 p.m. * Aurora at St. Norbert, 2 p.m. *

Aurora at St. Norbert, 2 p.m. *
Lake Forest at Concordia-Wis., 3 p.m. *
Adrian at Northland, 7 p.m. *

* - NCHA game

2017-2018 Results

Date	Opponent	Result
O 28	at St. Mary's	L 3-1
O 31	at UW-Stevens Point	L 2-1
N 3	Aurora *	7 p.m.
N 4	Aurora *	2 p.m.
N 10	at Finlandia *	2 p.m.
N 11	at Finlandia *	Noon
N 17	Concordia-Wis. *	7 p.m.
N 18	Concordia-Wis. *	3 p.m.
D 1	St. Scholastica *	7 p.m.
D 2	St. Scholastica *	3 p.m.
D 8	UW-Eau Claire	7 p.m.
J 5	Gustavus Adolphus	7 p.m.
J 6	Gustavus Adolphus	2 p.m.
J 9	UW-Stevens Point	7 p.m.
J 16	at UW-River Falls	5 p.m.
J 19	at Marian *	5 p.m.
J 20	at Marian *	5 p.m.
J 26	Adrian *	7 p.m.
J 27	Adrian *	3 p.m.
F 2	at Trine *	6 p.m.
F 3	at Trine *	1 p.m.
F 9	Lake Forest *	7 p.m.
F 10	Lake Forest *	3 p.m.
F 16	at Northland *	7 p.m.
F 17	at Northland *	4 p.m.
F 23-24	NCHA Playoffs - First Rd.	TBA
M 2-3	NCHA Final Three	TBA
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* - NCHA regular-season game. **Note:** Home games in **bold;** (rankings) by USCHO.com. All times Central.

St. Norbert Quick Facts

Nickname:Green Knights
Location: De Pere, WI 54115
Colors:Dartmouth Green & Old Gold
Founded:
Enrollment:
President:Brian Bruess
Athletics Director:Tim Bald
Conference: .Northern Collegiate Hockey Assn.
Facility:
Capacity:
Year Opened:
Dimensions:
All-Time Home Record:52-32-8
Head Coach:
Record at St. Norbert: 21-29-5 (third year)
Assistant Coaches:Sarah Bier
Larry Clemens
First Season of Hockey:2010-11
Seasons of Hockey:8
All-Time Overall Record:99-78-17
All-Time NCHA Record:68-54-13
NCHA Playoffs Championships:One
(2013)
NCAA Tournament Appearances:One
(2013)

Head Coach Meredith Roth

Education: Bachelor's degree in social sciences from Providence College (2004); master's degree in sports management from SUNY-Cortland (2013).

Coaching Experience:
U-16 head coach at
Shattuck-St. Mary's,
Minn. (2004-06);
Assistant coach at
Providence (2006-10);
Volunteer assistant coach



at Cornell University (2010-12); Assistant coach at Providence (2012-15); Head coach at St. Norbert (Sept. 1, 2015 to present).

Roth's Head Coaching Record

Year	Overall	NCHA	Place	NCAA
2015-16	15-9-4	9-6-3	3rd	
2016-17	6-18-1	4-13-1	6th	
2017-18	0-2	0-0		
Totals	21-29-5	13-19-4		

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Team	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
Adrian	0-7-0	0-3-0	0-4-0	0-0-0
Aurora	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Concordia-Wis	s. 4-1-1	2-0-1	2-1-0	0-0-0
Finlandia	5-1-0	3-0-0	2-1-0	0-0-0
Marian	2-2-2	2-1-0	0-1-2	0-0-0
Northland	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Lake Forest	1-5-2	0-3-0	1-2-2	0-0-0
St. Scholastica	2-6-0	2-2-0	0-4-0	0-0-0
Trine	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Totals	14-22-5	9-9-1	5-13-4	0-0-0

Aurora coach Grant Kimball (Lake Forest, 1996) is 0-2 in his first season in Aurora.

About the Green Knights:

St. Norbert enters the series 0-2 overall. The Green Knights opened their season with a 3-1 loss at St. Mary's last Saturday and a 2-1 setback at UW-Stevens Point on Tuesday.

Junior forward Lauren Michael leads the Green Knights in scoring with one goal and one assist for two points. Junior forward Rebecka Olsson has one goal for one point. Senior forwards Kenna Farrey and Rachael Goodrow each have one assist for one point.

Senior goaltender Leigh Grall is 0-2 with a 2.54 goals against average and .928 save percentage.

St. Norbert is 0-for-2 (0.0 percent) on the power play this season and is 6-for-9 (66.7 percent) on the penalty kill.

About the Spartans:

Aurora enters the series with an 0-2 record. This weekend's games are the first ever for the Spartans in the Northern Collegiate Hockey Association. Aurora opened its program with losses of 8-1 and 5-1 at Bethel this past weekend.

Freshman forward Anna Zak scored both of Aurora's goals and has two points overall. Freshman forward Nicole McKernan and freshman defenseman Jaden Trboyevich each have one assist for one point.

Freshman goaltender Chiara Pfosi is 0-1 with a 5.00 goals against average and .921 save percentage. Freshman Becca Binder is 0-1 with a 8.00 goals against average and .857 save percentage.

Aurora is 0-for-8 (0.0 percent) on the power play this season and is 12-for-14 (85.7 percent) on the penalty kill.

New Faces:

The Northern Collegiate Hockey Association and the corresponding schedule has a much different look to it in 2017-18 than in previous seasons.

Aurora and Trine join the NCHA as first-year programs. Northland had its inaugural season last year and played as an affiliate member of the league.

The addition of the Spartans, Thunder and Lumberjills brings the total of the women's side of the NCHA to 10 teams. Each team will face the other nine teams twice each. St. Norbert's nine NCHA series this season are all two-game series in the same location.

The league expansion also brings about a chance to the NCHA Slaats Cup Playoffs.

The top six teams in the league standings qualify for the conference tournament. The top three seedings will host the bottom three in the first round in a best-of-two series plus a mini-game, if necessary. The three first-round winners will then advance to the site of the highest remaining seeding, which will draw a semifinal bye. The semifinal winner will then play the host for the Slaats Cup title on March 3.

Home Sweet Home:

St. Norbert will enjoy the friendly confines of Resch Olympic Pavilion often in the first half of the season.

The Green Knights play four of their first six games on the road but then set up for an eight-game homestand stretching nearly two months.

St. Norbert hosts Concordia-Wisconsin on Nov. 17-18 before taking a week off for Thanksgiving. The Green Knights then host St. Scholastica on Dec. 1-2 before closing out the semester on Dec. 8 with a non-conference game against UW-Eau Claire.

The Green Knights return to action in the new year against Gustavus Adolphus on Jan. 5-6, and then hosts UW-Stevens Point on Jan. 9. St. Norbert does not play a road game after Nov. 11 until it travels to UW-River Falls on Jan. 16.

The nine-game homestand is a school record. St. Norbert's longest stretch at home to date was a five-game homestand from Jan. 16-30, 2016.

2017-2018 St. Norbert Hockey Game Summaries

SMU I	ce Are	ena (11)	1)		
St. Ma	ry's 3,	St. No	rbert 1		
SN	1	0	0	-	1
SM	2	0	1	-	3
1st:	SM -	Wendt	4 (Sailor)	, PPG, 3	:36
	SN - 1	Michael	l 1 (Farre	y), 5:48	
	SM -	Hender	rson 1 (Be	odick), P	PG, 14:10
2nd:	no sco	oring			
3rd:	SM -	Wendt	5 (Ryan,	Cwik), F	PG, 6:11
Penalti	ies:	SN 8-	16, SM 4	-8	
Power	Play:	SN 0-	2, SM 3-6	5	
Saves:	Grall	(SN) 7-	12-9 - 28	(59:27)	
	Ziaka	s (SM)	8-11-9 - 2	28 (59:58))
Game	#2 (Oc	t. 31)			
Ice Ha	wks A	rena (2	212)		
UW-St	evens	Point 2	2, St. No:	rbert 1	
SN	1	0	0	-	1
SM	0	1	1	-	2
1st:	SN - (Olsson	1 (Goods	ow, Mic	hael), 8:18
2nd:	SP - E	nglund	l 1 (unas	sisted), 8	:18
3rd:	SP - P	unnett	2 (Schlos	ssmache	r, Biagini), 16:1:
Penalti	ies:	SN 3-	6, SP 0-0		
Power	Play:	SN 0-	-0, SP 0-3		
Saves:	Grall	(SN) 15	5-12-9 - 3	6 (58:40)	
	Fowle	(SP) 3	-4-7 - 14	(59:54)	

Game #1 (Oct. 28)



2017-18 St. Norbert College Hockey St. Norbert College Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 31, 2017) All games



Date	Opponent		Score	Att.
10/28/17	at St. Mary's Univ.	L	1-3	111
10/31/17	at UW-Stevens Point	L	1-2	212
TEAM STATE		SNC		OPP
SHOT STATIS				
Goals-Shot a	attempts	2-44		5-69
Shot pct.		.045		.072
Goals/Game		1.0		2.5
Shots/Game		22.0		34.5
POWER PLAY	YS			
Goals-Power		0-2		3-9
Conversion F	Percent	.000		.333
GOAL BREAK	(DOWN			
Power Play		0		3
Short-hande	d	0		0
Empty net		0		0
Penalty		0		0
Unassisted		0		1
Overtime		0		0
PENALTIES				
Number		11		4
Minutes		22		8
Penalties/Ga	me	5.5		2.0
Pen minutes	/Game	11.0		4.0

Re	cord:	Over	all		Home		Away		Ŋ	Neutral	
	GAMES	0-2-	0		0-0-	0		0-2-0		0-0-0	
CO	NFERENCE	0-0-	0		0-0-	0		0-0-0		0-0-0	
NO	N-CONFERENCE	0-2-	0		0-0-	0		0-2-0		0-0-0	
##	Player		gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	pen-min	pp	sh
17	Lauren Michael		2	1	1	2	0	.000	0-0	0	0
12	Rebecka Olsson		2	1	0	1	0	.000	1-2	0	0
14	Kenna Farrey		2	0	1	1	0	.000	0-0	0	0
18	Rachael Goodrow		2	0	1	1	0	.000	1-2	0	0
7	Libby Barbato		2	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
16	Emily Bondrager		2	0	0	0	0	.000	1-2	0	0
15	Libbie Doney		2	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
3	Malin Hoglund		2	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
9	Mary Laken		2	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
21	Lisa Lenell		2	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
11	Lexi Pyykkonen		2	0	0	0	0	.000	1-2	0	0
6	Jessica Schlaff		2	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
2	Jessica Sherman		2	0	0	0	0	.000	2-4	0	0
10	Natasha Smith		2	0	0	0	0	.000	1-2	0	0
23	Kelli Sorge		2	0	0	0	0	.000	1-2	0	0
22	Letti Stafford		2	0	0	0	0	.000	2-4	0	0
19	Selena Stromer		2	0	0	0	0	.000	1-2	0	0
24	KJ Wallace		2	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0	0
TM	Team		2	0	0	0	44	.000	0-0	0	0
	Total		2	2	3	5	44	.045	11-22	0	0
	Opponents		2	5	6	11	69	.072	4-8	3	0
##	Goalie	gp		min	ga		avg	saves	save%	w-l-t	_
31	Leigh Grall	2		118:07	5	2	2.54	64	.928	0-2-0	
TM	EMPTY NET	2		1:53	0		-	0	.000	0-0-0	
	Total	2		120:00	5		2.50	64	.928	0-2-0	
	Opponents	2	-	120:00	2	1	.00	42	.955	2-0-0)

Attendance Summary Total Dates/Avg Per Date Neutral Site #/Avg				SNC 0 0/0 0/0	Opponent 323 2/162
Goals by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
St. Norbert College	2	0	0	2	
Opponents	2	1	2	5	
Shots by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
St. Norbert College	13	15	16	44	
Opponents	24	25	20	69	
Saves by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
St. Norbert College	22	24	18	64	
Opponents	11	15	16	42	