

OHIO STATE (3-0), PENN STATE (2-0) AND  
INDIANA (2-0) REMAIN UNDEFEATED IN BIG TEN PLAY;  
PSU AND INDIANA COLLECT WEEKLY HONORS

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**2005 CONFERENCE & OVERALL STANDINGS**

	Conference					Overall						
	W	L	T	PCT	GF	GA	W	L	T	PCT	GF	GA
1. Ohio State	3	0	0	1.000	13	5	10	2	0	.833	44	16
2. Penn State	2	0	0	1.000	9	4	12	1	0	.923	49	11
Indiana	2	0	0	1.000	6	3	10	1	0	.909	39	13
4. Iowa	1	1	0	.500	5	6	7	4	0	.636	38	17
5 Michigan State	0	2	0	.000	4	6	8	4	0	.667	27	20
Northwestern	0	2	0	.000	4	9	6	4	0	.600	31	31
Michigan	0	2	0	.000	3	9	6	6	0	.500	25	29

**THIS WEEK IN THE BIG TEN**

**October**

4	NORTHWESTERN at IOWA	3 p.m.
5	OHIO STATE at Miami (Ohio)	3 p.m.
6	MICHIGAN at MICHIGAN STATE	5 p.m.
8	PENN STATE at IOWA	3 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. UConn	5 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN at INDIANA	1 p.m.
9	UConn at MICHIGAN	Noon
	NORTHWESTERN vs. Lindenwood [1]	2 p.m.

[1] - in Bloomington, Ind.

**LAST WEEK IN THE BIG TEN**

**September**

27	No. 9 MICHIGAN STATE def. Central Michigan, 3-1
28	No. 7 PENN STATE def. Syracuse, 3-0
	No. 10 OHIO STATE def. Ohio, 4-0
30	No. 8 INDIANA def. No. 13 MICHIGAN, 3-2

**October**

1	No. 14 IOWA def. No. 9 MICHIGAN STATE, 3-2
	No. 10 OHIO STATE def. NORTHWESTERN, 3-2
2	No. 7 PENN STATE def. No. 13 MICHIGAN, 3-2
	No. 8 INDIANA def. Kent State, 5-2

**BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**

*Offensive Player of the Week*

Annelise Legel, Penn State

Jr., F, Morgantown, Pa./Twin Valley

Legel scored three goals in two games last week, while helping the Nittany Lions extend their win streak to 12 straight games to pick up her first Offensive Player of the Week accolade. Against Syracuse, the junior forward tallied one goal to give PSU a 3-0 shutout over the Orange. Legel followed with another solid performance, notching two first-half goals in a 3-2 victory over No. 13 Michigan. The Morgantown, Pa. native is currently tied for first in the conference with a total of 11 goals, while also ranking second in points per game (1.92 pg).

*Defensive Player of the Week*

Haley Exner, Indiana

So., GK, San Diego, Calif./Scripps Ranch

Exner claims Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week laurels after leading the Hoosiers to a 2-0 record, including a 3-1 victory over No. 13 Michigan. For the weekend, she recorded nine saves against the Wolverines and until the last minute of play, held Michigan scoreless. Exner, who ranks second in the conference in save percentage (.814) and goals against average (1.21), collects her second career Player of the Week laurel as she was also honored on Sept. 12, 2005.

**2005 STX/NFHCA COACHES POLL**

(Released on Sept. 27, 2005)

Institution (record)	Votes (1st)	Prev
1. Wake Forest (7-0)	580 (29)	1
2. Maryland (10-1)	548	2
3. North Carolina (8-1)	503	3
4. American (8-0)	473	4
Duke (7-2)	473	5
6. Old Dominion (6-4)	423	7
7. Penn State (10-1)	382	8
8. Indiana (9-1)	342	11
9. Michigan State (7-3)	331	6
10. Ohio State (8-2)	329	14
11. Louisville (9-2)	253	13
12. Northeastern (8-1)	246	12
13. Michigan (6-4)	238	9
14. Iowa (6-4)	223	10
15. Villanova (8-1)	120	17
16. Boston College (6-2)	108	18
17. James Madison (5-4)	95	19
18. Connecticut (6-3)	88	15
19. Richmond (5-4)	78	16
20. Boston (6-3)	64	NR

Also receiving votes: Virginia (45), Harvard (41), Northwestern (35), William & Mary (26), Ohio (11), Pennsylvania (11), California (7); Hofstra (5), Miami (Ohio) (5), Central Michigan (2), Princeton (2), Cornell (1), Pacific (1), Syracuse (1).

**2005 BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**

A29	O: Lydia Schrott, Jr., Indiana
	D: Megan Akstin, Sr., Penn State
S5	O: Meghan Small, Jr., Northwestern
	D: Lissa Munley, Fr., Iowa
S12	O: Katie Morris, Jr., Michigan
	D: Haley Exner, So., Indiana
S19	O: Lucy Clayton, Sr., Ohio State
	O: Natalie Berrena, Sr., Penn State
	D: Sara Cahill, Sr., Penn State
S26	O: Leticia Fragapane, Sr., Ohio State
	D: Carlyne Wynn, Jr., Ohio State
O3	O: Annelise Legel, Jr., Penn State
	D: Haley Exner, So., Indiana