



## QUICK FACTS

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Location: Urbana-Champaign, Ill.  
 Nickname: Fighting Illini  
 Founded: 1867  
 Enrollment: 42,326  
 Colors: Orange and Blue  
 Conference: Big Ten  
 Stadium (capacity): Illinois Field (1,500)  
 Surface: FieldTurf  
 President: Michael J. Hogan  
 Chancellor: Phyllis M. Wise  
 Athletic Director: Mike Thomas  
 Ticket Office: 217-333-3470

### HISTORY

First Year: 1879  
 Overall Record: 2,378-1,541-38 (.606)  
 Big Ten Record: 1,039-770-10 (.574)  
 Years in NCAA Tournament/Last: 10 / 2011  
 NCAA Tournament Record: 15-17 / .469

### TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Record: 30-27  
 2011 Big Ten Record/Place: 15-9 / T-1st  
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10 / 12  
 Pitchers Returning/Lost: 11 / 6  
 Position Starters Returning/Lost: 4 / 5  
 Starting Pitchers Returning/Lost: 1 / 3  
 Newcomers: 12

### COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Dan Hartleb (Southern Illinois '89)  
 Career Record/Record at Illinois: 181-154 (6 seasons)  
 Associate Head Coach: Eric Snider (Northern Iowa '87)  
 Assistant Coach: Drew Dickinson (Illinois '09)  
 Volunteer Assistant Coach: Jason Anderson  
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# MEDIA GUIDELINES

## CREREDENTIALS

Any member of the media wishing to cover the Fighting Illini this season must request, in writing, credentials from **Ben Taylor** in the Sports Information Office. All requests must be in writing on your company letterhead and be either mailed, emailed or faxed to Ben Taylor.

NO credential requests will be accepted over the phone. Be specific when requesting the type of credential needed, either press or photo. Any non-working people in possession of a media credential will be asked to turn over the credential and leave the press area. Media agencies that violate this policy may not be issued credentials for future games.

The acceptance of media credentials is an acknowledgement of the University of Illinois' rights to the game and play-by-play coverage and an agreement to abide by any restrictions the UI may place on real-time play-by-play coverage and use of comprehensive game statistics. Failure to abide by these restrictions implemented by the UI may result in revocation of press credentials. The UI reserves the right to grant approval for distribution of real time play-by-play, game-related statistics and information through the internet. Season requests should be received by Feb. 10. Single-game requests should be made at least two days prior to the date of the game.

Space in the baseball press box is assigned by the Athletic Public Relations Office for working media personnel only. Spouses, children, sponsors or other non-working personnel will be escorted from the facility. Media credential requests for Fighting Illini road games should be directed to the host baseball SID. A full list of opponent SID contacts is available on page 6.

## INTERVIEW GUIDELINES

All media requests of coaches, student-athletes and administrators must be made through **Ben Taylor** of the Athletic Public Relations Office.

Media personnel are asked not to call the student-athlete at his residence or on his cell phone. Student-athletes have been instructed not to talk to media who have not coordinated their requests through the Athletic Public Relations Office.

In most situations, the most convenient opportunity for media interviews is before or after team practice sessions. If this is not a convenient time for the media, return telephone calls from the student-athletes to the media will be arranged. The student-athletes' academic endeavors are of the utmost importance, and they will not be asked to miss classes for purposes of a media interview. In most situations, student-athletes are not available on the day of scheduled intercollegiate competition until after the event is complete.

## GAME DAY INTERVIEWS

Illinois head coach Dan Hartleb and selected players are available for interviews in the Illinois Field press box approximately five minutes after the conclusion of the final game of the day. There will be no interviews between games of doubleheaders. Please contact the visiting SID for opponent coach and player interviews.

On non-game days, Illinois coaches and players are available for interviews before and after practice by contacting the Illinois Athletic Public Relations Office.

## MEDIA SERVICES

Media personnel covering Illinois Baseball at Illinois Field are provided game programs, media guides, pregame notes and statistics. Final box scores are distributed to each assigned location in the press box during postgame interview sessions with coaches and players. Complete play-by-play summaries are available upon request.

## WIRELESS ACCESS

Wireless internet access is available for media and photographers in the Illinois Field press box. Media or photographers interested in gaining access to the wireless network must get a login name and password from **Ben Taylor** prior to the game. For more information about equipment and software needed to utilize wireless access, please reference the following page on the University of Illinois website: <http://www.cites.uiuc.edu/wireless/>.

## FIGHTINGILLINI.COM

Media are strongly encouraged to access fightingillini.com, the official website of University of Illinois athletics, for up-to-date information concerning the Illinois baseball team. Pregame notes will be available at least one day in advance of Big Ten series, and game summaries, box scores and season statistics are updated on the website following each game.

## TELEPHONES

Telephone lines in the press box must be ordered at least one week in advance of the game(s) for which they are needed. Lines may be ordered by contacting AT&T (800-321-8152 or by fax 810-443-9370) during regular business hours. No telephone lines or telephones are available through the SID office except for the visiting radio station. A telephone line is available for use by an opponent's official radio station. For information, contact the UI SID office at least one week in advance.

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## RADIO

For the 24th consecutive season, WDWS-AM 1400 and the Illini Sports Network will broadcast Fighting Illini baseball games with play-by-play duties being handled by veteran broadcaster Dave Loane. Games scheduled to be broadcast by WDWS-AM 1400 also will be broadcast live on the internet by connecting to [www.fightingillini.com](http://www.fightingillini.com) and subscribing to the All-Access service.

# MEDIA OUTLETS/ROAD HEADQUARTERS

## LOCAL PRINT

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## ROAD HEADQUARTERS

Updates on the Illinois baseball team may be obtained from sports information personnel traveling with the team. The team, along with SID Ben Taylor, will stay at the following hotels:

### Feb. 17-19

**Big East/Big Ten Challenge**  
Holiday Inn Express Icot/Clearwater  
13625 Icot Blvd.  
Clearwater, FL 33760  
Phone: 727.536.7275

### Feb. 24-26

**YMBL Cardinal Classic**  
MCM Elegante Hotel  
2355 Interstate 10 South  
Beaumont, TX 77705  
Phone: 409.842.3600

### March 2-4

**Coastal Carolina Invitational**  
Caravelle Resort  
6900 N. Ocean Blvd.  
Myrtle Beach, SC 29572  
Phone: 877.230.9269

### March 9-11

**Nike College Showcase**  
Holiday Inn Eugene/Springfield  
919 Kruse Way  
Springfield, OR 97477  
Phone: 541.284.0713

### March 16-18

**Spring Trip**  
Fairfield Inn & Suites  
1400 Champion Dr.  
Marion, IL 62959  
Phone: 618.993.3011

### March 23-25

**Nebraska**  
Holiday Inn Downtown Lincoln  
141 N. 9th St.  
Lincoln, NE 68508  
Phone: 402.475.1038

### April 13-15

**Purdue**  
Courtyard Marriott Lafayette  
150 Fairington Ave.  
Lafayette, IN 47905  
Phone: 765.449.4800

### April 27-29

**Northwestern**  
Sheraton Chicago Northbrook  
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Northbrook, IL 60062  
Phone: 847.480.1900

### May 11-13

**Penn State**  
Ramada Conference Center  
1450 S. Atherton St.  
State College, PA 16801  
Phone: 814.238.3001

## DIRECTIONS TO ILLINOIS FIELD

### FROM CHICAGO O'HARE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT:

I-90/94 to I-57 South or I-294 Tri-State Tollway East to I-80 West to I-57 South. Follow I-57 South approximately 110 miles south to I-74 East.

Exit Neil Street, turn right. Travel approx. 3 miles to Kirby Ave. and turn left. Illinois Field will be ahead on your right, immediately after the intersection of Kirby Ave. and Fourth Street.

**APPROXIMATE TRAVEL TIME: 2:45**

### FROM CHICAGO MIDWAY AIRPORT:

Take I-55 West to I-294 Tri-State Tollway East to I-80 West to I-57 South. Follow I-57 South approximately 110 miles south to I-74 East.

Exit Neil Street, turn right. Travel approx. 3 miles to Kirby Ave. and turn left. Illinois Field will be ahead on your right, immediately after the intersection of Kirby Ave. and Fourth Street.

**APPROXIMATE TRAVEL TIME: 2:30**

### FROM INDIANAPOLIS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT:

I-465 North to I-74 West. Exit Lincoln Avenue, turn left. Travel approx. 3 miles to Florida Ave. and turn Right. Illinois Field will be ahead approximately one mile on your left.

**APPROXIMATE TRAVEL TIME: 2:00**

### FROM LAMBERT-ST. LOUIS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT:

Lindbergh Avenue North to I-270 East; I-70 East to Effingham, Ill. and I-57 North. Exit 229 Monticello Road (Savoy) and turn right to U.S. 45 (approx. 1 mile). Turn left on U.S. 45 to Kirby Ave. and turn right. Illinois Field will be ahead on your right, immediately after the intersection of Kirby Ave. and Fourth Street.

**APPROXIMATE TRAVEL TIME: 3:00**

# BIG TEN COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

**FEBRUARY**

17	ILLINOIS vs. Notre Dame [1]	1 p.m.
	INDIANA vs. Connecticut [1]	4 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Pittsburgh [1]	1 p.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. Pittsburgh [1]	7:30 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. St. John's [1]	4 p.m.
	MINNESOTA vs. Louisville [1]	10 a.m.
	NEBRASKA vs. Gonzaga [2]	9 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN vs. West Virginia [1]	10 a.m.
	OHIO STATE vs. South Florida [1]	10 a.m.
	PENN STATE vs. Seton Hall [1]	4 p.m.
	PURDUE vs. Cincinnati [1]	1 p.m.
18	ILLINOIS vs. Louisville [1]	4 p.m.
	INDIANA vs. Cincinnati [1]	10 a.m.
	IOWA vs. Notre Dame [1]	10 a.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. Seton Hall [1]	1 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. South Florida [1]	1 p.m.
	MINNESOTA vs. St. John's [1]	1 p.m.
	NEBRASKA vs. Gonzaga [2]	9 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN vs. Pittsburgh [1]	4 p.m.
	OHIO STATE vs. Seton Hall [1]	7:30 p.m.
	PENN STATE vs. West Virginia [1]	4 p.m.
	PURDUE vs. Connecticut [1]	10 a.m.
19	ILLINOIS vs. St. John's [1]	10 a.m.
	INDIANA vs. Pittsburgh [1]	1 p.m.
	IOWA vs. West Virginia [1]	8:45 a.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. West Virginia [1]	10 a.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. Louisville [1]	10 a.m.
	MINNESOTA vs. South Florida [1]	1 p.m.
	NEBRASKA vs. Gonzaga [2]	2 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN vs. Seton Hall [1]	1 p.m.
	OHIO STATE vs. Connecticut [1]	1 p.m.
	PENN STATE vs. Cincinnati [1]	10 a.m.
	PURDUE vs. Notre Dame [1]	10 a.m.
24	ILLINOIS vs. Gonzaga [3]	1 p.m.
	INDIANA at Tulane	7:30 p.m.
	IOWA at Coastal Carolina [4]	4 p.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. Iona [5]	2 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. Miami (Ohio) [6]	1 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. Furman [6]	5 p.m.
	Milwaukee at MINNESOTA	7:35 p.m.
	NEBRASKA vs. Utah [7]	3 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN at Cal State Northridge	5 p.m.
	OHIO STATE at Georgia Tech	4:05 p.m.
	PENN STATE at UNC Greensboro	4 p.m.
	PURDUE at East Carolina [8]	5 p.m.
25	ILLINOIS vs. Gonzaga [3]	Noon
	ILLINOIS at Lamar [3]	3:30 p.m.
	INDIANA at Tulane	3 p.m.
	IOWA vs. George Mason [4]	11 a.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. Iona (OH) [5]	11 a.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. Furman [6]	4 p.m.
	Milwaukee at MINNESOTA (DH)	3:05 p.m.
	NEBRASKA vs. Utah [7]	4 p.m.
	NEBRASKA at Texas A&M Corpus Christi [7]	8 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN at Cal State Northridge (DH)	4 p.m.
	OHIO STATE at Georgia Tech	2:05 p.m.
	PENN STATE at UNC Greensboro	1 p.m.
	PURDUE vs. Maryland [8]	11 a.m.
26	ILLINOIS at Lamar [3]	Noon
	INDIANA at Tulane	2 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Virginia Tech [4]	11 a.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. Iona [5]	11 a.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. Miami (Ohio) [6]	Noon
	Milwaukee at MINNESOTA	2:05 p.m.
	NEBRASKA vs. UNLV [7]	Noon
	NORTHWESTERN at Cal State Northridge	4 p.m.
	OHIO STATE at Georgia Tech	1:05 p.m.
	PENN STATE at UNC Greensboro	1 p.m.
	PURDUE vs. Western Carolina [8]	Noon
29	MICHIGAN at Florida Gulf Coast	6:30 p.m.

**MARCH**

1	New Mexico State at MINNESOTA	5:05 p.m.
2	ILLINOIS vs. St. John's [9]	1 p.m.
	INDIANA at East Tennessee State	4 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Akron [10]	Noon
	MICHIGAN vs. OHIO STATE [11]	6 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE at Texas A&M	7:35 p.m.
	New Mexico State at MINNESOTA [12]	7:35 p.m.
	NEBRASKA vs. West Virginia [12]	1:15 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN vs. Western Michigan [11]	3 p.m.
	PURDUE at Auburn [13]	7 p.m.
3	ILLINOIS vs. Pittsburgh [9]	1 p.m.
	ILLINOIS at Coastal Carolina [9]	6 p.m.
	INDIANA at East Tennessee State	1 p.m.
	IOWA at Austin Peay [10]	3:33 p.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. Chicago State [11]	12:30 p.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. Xavier [11]	3 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE at Texas A&M	3:05 p.m.
	West Virginia at MINNESOTA [12]	7:35 p.m.
	NEBRASKA vs. New Mexico State [12]	1:05 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN vs. Xavier [11]	11 a.m.
	NORTHWESTERN vs. Villanova [11]	2 p.m.

	OHIO STATE vs. Western Michigan (DH) [11]	Noon
	PENN STATE at Samford	1 p.m.
	PURDUE vs. Southern Miss [13]	6 p.m.
4	ILLINOIS at Coastal Carolina [9]	Noon
	INDIANA at East Tennessee State	1 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Youngstown State [10]	Noon
	MICHIGAN vs. Xavier [11]	11 a.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE at Texas A&M	2:05 p.m.
	NEBRASKA at MINNESOTA [12]	4:05 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN vs. Chicago State [11]	11 a.m.
	OHIO STATE vs. Chicago State [12]	Noon
	PENN STATE at Samford	1 p.m.
	PURDUE vs. Charleston Southern [13]	Noon
5	PENN STATE at Samford	6 p.m.
6	INDIANA at Louisville	3 p.m.
	Kansas State at NEBRASKA	3:05 p.m.
	PENN STATE at Mississippi State	7:30 p.m.
7	INDIANA at Indiana State	3 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE at Baylor	7:35 p.m.
	Hamline at MINNESOTA	7:35 p.m.
	Nebraska-Kearney at NEBRASKA	2:35 p.m.
	PENN STATE at Mississippi State	7:30 p.m.
8	NORTHWESTERN at UIC	6:05 p.m.
9	ILLINOIS at Oregon [14]	9 p.m.
	INDIANA at Cal State Northridge	5 p.m.
	MICHIGAN at LSU [15]	8 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. Xavier [11]	3:30 p.m.
	California at NEBRASKA	2:35 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN at UIC	6:05 p.m.
	OHIO STATE vs. Marist [16]	Noon
	PENN STATE at UAB	6:30 p.m.
	PURDUE at Murray State	3 p.m.
10	ILLINOIS vs. Connecticut [14]	2 p.m.
	ILLINOIS at Oregon State [14]	6 p.m.
	INDIANA at Cal State Northridge	4 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Georgetown [17]	2 p.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. Notre Dame [15]	2 p.m.
	MICHIGAN at LSU [k]	7:30 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. Seton Hall [11]	6 p.m.
	Stony Brook at MINNESOTA [18]	1 p.m.
	Kansas at MINNESOTA [18]	7:35 p.m.
	California at NEBRASKA	3:05 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN at UIC	3:05 p.m.
	OHIO STATE at Coastal Carolina [16]	Noon
	OHIO STATE vs. Toledo [16]	5 p.m.
	PENN STATE at UAB	2 p.m.
	PURDUE at Murray State	3 p.m.
11	ILLINOIS vs. West Virginia [14]	2 p.m.
	INDIANA at Cal State Northridge	4 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Illinois State [17]	2 p.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. Notre Dame [15]	11:30 a.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE vs. Pittsburgh [11]	Noon
	Stony Brook at MINNESOTA [18]	1:05 p.m.
	California at NEBRASKA	2:05 p.m.
	OHIO STATE at Coastal Carolina [16]	1 p.m.
	PENN STATE at UAB	1 p.m.
	PURDUE at Murray State	2 p.m.
12	IOWA vs. Eastern Illinois [17]	5 p.m.
	California at NEBRASKA	1:05 p.m.
13	INDIANA at San Diego	5 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Bucknell [17]	5 p.m.
	Kansas State at MINNESOTA	7:35 p.m.
	South Dakota State at NEBRASKA	2:35 p.m.
	PURDUE at Missouri State	4 p.m.
14	INDIANA at San Diego	5 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Long Island [17]	2 p.m.
	Kansas State at MINNESOTA	4:05 p.m.
15	INDIANA at Loyola Marymount	6 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Jacksonville State [17]	10 a.m.
	Louisiana Tech at NEBRASKA	4:05 p.m.
	PURDUE at Wichita State	4 p.m.
16	ILLINOIS at Southern Illinois	3:30 p.m.
	INDIANA at Loyola Marymount	6 p.m.
	IOWA vs. Army [17]	11 a.m.
	MICHIGAN at Coastal Carolina [19]	4 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE at Cincinnati	4 p.m.
	Louisiana Tech at NEBRASKA	2:35 p.m.
	NORTHWESTERN vs. Eastern Illinois [17]	TBA
	Austin Peay at OHIO STATE	5:05 p.m.
	PENN STATE at East Carolina	6 p.m.
	PURDUE at Wichita State	7:30 p.m.
17	ILLINOIS vs. Northern Illinois [20]	Noon
	INDIANA at Loyola Marymount	4 p.m.
	MICHIGAN vs. UAB [19]	11 a.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE at Coastal Carolina [19]	5 p.m.
	MICHIGAN STATE at Cincinnati	4 p.m.
	Cal Poly at MINNESOTA	7:35 p.m.
	Louisiana Tech at NEBRASKA	2:35 p.m.

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<b>OHIO STATE</b>	– 614.292.0021 or 614.292.0024
<b>PENN STATE</b>	– 814.865.2552
<b>PURDUE</b>	– 217.549.7965

NORTHWESTERN vs. Bucknell [17]	TBA
NORTHWESTERN vs. Navy [17]	TBA
Austin Peay at OHIO STATE	3:05 p.m.
PENN STATE at East Carolina	2 p.m.
PURDUE at Wichita State (DH)	3 p.m.
18 ILLINOIS vs. Northern Illinois [30]	Noon
ILLINOIS vs. Southern Illinois [30]	3:30 p.m.
MICHIGAN vs. Connecticut [19]	11 a.m.
MICHIGAN STATE at Cincinnati	1 p.m.
Cal Poly at MINNESOTA	3:05 p.m.
Louisiana Tech at NEBRASKA	12:05 p.m.
NORTHWESTERN vs. Long Island [17]	TBA
Austin Peay at OHIO STATE	1:05 p.m.
PENN STATE at East Carolina	1 p.m.
19 Cal Poly at MINNESOTA	2:30 p.m.
NORTHWESTERN vs. Jacksonville State [17]	TBA
20 INDIANA at Eastern Kentucky	3 p.m.
North Dakota State at MINNESOTA	7:35 p.m.
Northern Colorado at NEBRASKA	7:35 p.m.
NORTHWESTERN vs. Nebraska-Omaha [17]	TBA
OHIO STATE at Louisville	4 p.m.
21 Eastern Kentucky at INDIANA	3 p.m.
Grand View at IOWA	5:05 p.m.
North Dakota State at MINNESOTA	4:05 p.m.
Northern Colorado at NEBRASKA	2:35 p.m.
OHIO STATE at Dayton	3 p.m.
Pittsburgh at PENN STATE	3:35 p.m.
23 ILLINOIS at NEBRASKA	7:35 p.m.
INDIANA at PENN STATE	6:05 p.m.
NORTHWESTERN at IOWA	5:05 p.m.
IPFW at MICHIGAN	3:05 p.m.
Oakland at MICHIGAN STATE	3:05 p.m.
The Citadel at MINNESOTA	7:35 p.m.
PURDUE at OHIO STATE	5:05 p.m.
24 ILLINOIS at NEBRASKA	3:05 p.m.
INDIANA at PENN STATE	2:05 p.m.
NORTHWESTERN at IOWA	2:05 p.m.
IPFW at MICHIGAN	1:05 p.m.
Oakland at MICHIGAN STATE	1:05 p.m.
The Citadel at MINNESOTA	3:05 p.m.
PURDUE at OHIO STATE	3:05 p.m.
25 ILLINOIS at NEBRASKA	2:05 p.m.
INDIANA at PENN STATE	1:05 p.m.
NORTHWESTERN at IOWA	2:05 p.m.
IPFW at MICHIGAN	1:05 p.m.
Oakland at MICHIGAN STATE	1:05 p.m.
The Citadel at MINNESOTA	2:05 p.m.
PURDUE at OHIO STATE	1:05 p.m.
27 ILLINOIS at Illinois State	5:30 p.m.
Xavier at INDIANA	3 p.m.
Oakland at MICHIGAN	3:05 p.m.
Bowling Green at MICHIGAN STATE	3:05 p.m.
Kansas State at NEBRASKA	7:35 p.m.
Eastern Michigan at OHIO STATE	6:35 p.m.
Louisville at PURDUE	4 p.m.
28 ILLINOIS at Bradley	7 p.m.
Nebraska-Omaha at IOWA	7:05 p.m.
MICHIGAN at Eastern Michigan	3 p.m.
Central Michigan at MICHIGAN STATE	3:05 p.m.
South Dakota State at MINNESOTA	7:35 p.m.
Coppin State at PENN STATE (DH)	2 p.m.
IPFW at PURDUE	4 p.m.
30 Mississippi Valley State at ILLINOIS	5:05 p.m.



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www.und.com  
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**Head Coach:** Mik Aoki (2nd year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 23-29-1  
**Series:** Illinois leads 37-24  
**Last Meeting:** Illinois won 11-1 (2/26/10)

**LOUISVILLE**

Feb. 18  
www.uoflsports.com  
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**2011 Overall Record:** 32-29  
**Series:** Illinois leads 4-2  
**Last Meeting:** Louisville won 1-0 (3/9/2003)

**ST. JOHN'S**

Feb. 19 // March 2  
www.redstormsports.com  
**Baseball SID:** Tim Brown  
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**Email:** brown1@stjohns.edu  
**Head Coach:** Ed Blankmeyer (17th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 36-22  
**Series:** Tied 1-1  
**Last Meeting:** St. John's won 6-4 (2/28/2010)

**GONZAGA**

Feb. 24-25  
www.gozags.com  
**Baseball SID:** Ricky Hoskin  
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**Head Coach:** Mark Machtolf (9th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 32-19-1  
**Series:** First meeting

**LAMAR**

Feb. 25-26  
www.lamarcards.com  
**Baseball SID:** Rush Wood  
**Phone:** 409.880.7845  
**Email:** rush.wood@lamar.edu  
**Head Coach:** Jim Gilligan (35th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 29-27  
**Series:** Illinois leads 1-0  
**Last Meeting:** Illinois won 1-0 (2/24/2008)

**PITTSBURGH**

March 3  
www.pittsburghpanthers.com  
**Baseball SID:** Matt Jackson  
**Phone:** 412.648.8240  
**Email:** mjackson@athletics.pitt.edu  
**Head Coach:** Joe Jordano (15th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 33-23  
**Series:** Pittsburgh leads 1-0  
**Last Meeting:** Pittsburgh won 10-6 (2/18/2011)

**COASTAL CAROLINA**

March 3-4  
www.gocccsports.com  
**Baseball SID:** Mike Cawood  
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**Email:** cawood@coastal.edu  
**Head Coach:** Gary Gilmore (17th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 42-20  
**Series:** Tied 1-1  
**Last Meeting:** CCU won 9-4 (3/13/2010)

**OREGON**

March 9  
www.goducks.com  
**Baseball SID:** Andria Wenzel  
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**Email:** awenzel@uoregon.edu  
**Head Coach:** George Horton (5th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 33-26-1  
**Series:** First meeting

**CONNECTICUT**

March 10  
www.uconnhuskies.com  
**Baseball SID:** Brendan Flynn  
**Phone:** 860.486.3531  
**Email:** bryan.flynn@uconn.edu  
**Head Coach:** Jim Penders (9th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 45-20-1  
**Series:** First meeting

**OREGON STATE**

March 10  
www.osubeavers.com  
**Baseball SID:** Hank Hager  
**Phone:** 541.737.3720  
**Email:** hank.hager@oregonstate.edu  
**Head Coach:** Pat Casey (18th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 41-19  
**Series:** First meeting

**WEST VIRGINIA**

March 11  
www.msnsportsnet.com  
**Baseball SID:** Grant Dovey  
**Phone:** 304.293.9902  
**Email:** grant.dovey@mail.wvu.edu  
**Head Coach:** Greg Van Zant (18th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 28-27  
**Series:** Illinois leads 6-2  
**Last Meeting:** WVU won 5-4 (2/20/2011)

**SOUTHERN ILLINOIS**

March 16 // March 18 // May 1  
www.siusalukis.com  
**Baseball SID:** Scott Gierman  
**Phone:** 618.453.5470  
**Email:** sgierman@siu.edu  
**Head Coach:** Ken Henderson (2nd year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 23-34  
**Series:** Southern Illinois leads 30-22  
**Last Season:** SIU won season series, 2-1

**NORTHERN ILLINOIS**

March 17-18  
www.niuhuskies.com  
**Baseball SID:** Matthew Scheerer  
**Phone:** 815.753.1708  
**Email:** mscheerer@niu.edu  
**Head Coach:** Ed Mathey (10th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 30-27  
**Series:** Illinois leads 20-8-1  
**Last Season:** NIU swept season series, 2-0

**NEBRASKA**

March 23-25  
www.huskies.com  
**Baseball SID:** Jeremy Foote  
**Phone:** 402.472.7778  
**Email:** jfoote@huskers.com  
**Head Coach:** Darin Erstad (1st year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 30-25  
**Series:** Illinois leads 3-0  
**Games at Illinois:** Illinois leads 3-0  
**Games at Nebraska:** 0-0  
**Neutral Games:** 0-0  
**Last Meeting:** Illinois won 3-0 (5/9/1905)

**ILLINOIS STATE**

March 27 // April 17  
www.goredbirds.com  
**Baseball SID:** John Tworck  
**Phone:** 309.438.5746  
**Email:** jdtwork@ilstu.edu  
**Head Coach:** Mark Kingston (3rd year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 36-18  
**Series:** Illinois leads 44-30  
**Last Meeting:** Illinois won 14-2 (3/30/2011)

**BRADLEY**

March 28 // April 3  
www.bradleybraves.com  
**Baseball SID:** Bobby Parker  
**Phone:** 309.677.2624  
**Email:** bparker@bradley.edu  
**Head Coach:** Elvis Dominguez (4th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 22-32  
**Series:** Illinois leads 40-19-1  
**Last Meeting:** Bradley won 7-4 (4/5/2011)

**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY STATE**

March 30-April 1  
www.mvsu.edu/athletics  
**Baseball SID:** Kenneth Mister  
**Phone:** 662-254-3639  
**Email:** sportsinfo@mvsu.edu  
**Head Coach:** Doug Shanks (13th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 18-36  
**Series:** First meeting

**INDIANA**

April 6-8  
www.iuhoosiers.com  
**Baseball SID:** Kyle Kuhlman  
**Phone:** 812.855.4770  
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**Press Box Phone:** 812.855.4787  
**Head Coach:** Tracy Smith (7th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 30-25  
**Series:** Illinois leads 108-70-1  
**Games at Illinois:** Illinois leads 60-27  
**Games at Indiana:** Illinois leads 46-39-1  
**Neutral Games:** Indiana leads 4-2  
**Last Season:** Illinois swept series, 3-0

**EASTERN ILLINOIS**

April 10 // April 18  
www.eiupanthers.com  
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**Phone:** 217.581.7020  
**Email:** glautzenheiser@eiu.edu  
**Head Coach:** Jim Schmitz (18th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 18-33  
**Series:** Illinois leads 48-23  
**Last Season:** EIU swept season series, 2-0

**MISSOURI**

April 11  
www.mutigers.com  
**Baseball SID:** Shawn Davis  
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**Head Coach:** Tim Jamieson (18th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 27-32  
**Series:** Missouri leads 12-9-1  
**Last Meeting:** Missouri won 7-4 (4/7/2010)

**PURDUE**

April 13-15  
www.purduesports.com  
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**Press Box Phone:** 217.549.7965  
**Head Coach:** Doug Schreiber (14th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 25-26  
**Series:** Illinois leads 154-76-1  
**Games at Illinois:** Illinois leads 83-37  
**Games at Purdue:** Illinois leads 68-38-1  
**Neutral Games:** Illinois leads 3-1  
**Last Season:** Illinois won series, 2-1

**OHIO STATE**

April 20-22  
www.ohiostatebuckeyes.com  
**Baseball SID:** Brett Rybak  
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**Email:** rybak.13@osu.edu  
**Press Box Phone:** 614.292.0021 or 0024  
**Head Coach:** Greg Beals (2nd year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 26-27  
**Series:** Ohio State leads 96-90-2  
**Games at Illinois:** Series tied 48-48  
**Games at OSU:** Ohio State leads 45-37-2  
**Neutral Games:** Illinois leads 5-3  
**Last Season:** Illinois won series, 2-1

**INDIANA STATE**

April 24  
www.gosycamores.com  
**Baseball SID:** Danny Pfrank  
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**Head Coach:** Rick Heller (3rd year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 29-28  
**Series:** Illinois leads 35-33-2  
**Last Season:** Illinois won 7-6 (3/25/2011)

**NORTHWESTERN**

April 27-29  
www.nusports.com  
**Baseball SID:** Nick Brilowski  
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**Email:** brilowski@northwestern.edu  
**Press Box Phone:** 847.491.4200  
**Head Coach:** Paul Stevens (25th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 20-29  
**Series:** Illinois leads 159-85  
**Games at Illinois:** Illinois leads 86-29  
**Games at NU:** Illinois leads 72-55  
**Neutral Games:** Tied 1-1  
**Last Season:** Illinois won series, 2-1

**MICHIGAN STATE**

May 4-6  
www.msuspartans.com  
**Baseball SID:** Ben Phlegar  
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**Press Box Phone:** 812.855.4787  
**Head Coach:** Jake Boss Jr. (4th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 36-21  
**Series:** Illinois leads 68-58  
**Games at Illinois:** Illinois leads 40-24  
**Games at Michigan St.:** MSU leads 33-25  
**Neutral Games:** Illinois leads 3-1  
**Last Season:** Illinois went 4-1 vs. MSU (won series 2-1 and went 2-0 vs. MSU in Big Ten Tournament)

**PENN STATE**

May 11-13  
www.gopsusports.com  
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**Press Box Phone:** 814.865.2552  
**Head Coach:** Robbie Wine (8th year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 32-22  
**Series:** Tied 25-25  
**Games at Illinois:** Illinois leads 12-11  
**Games at Penn State:** PSU leads 12-11  
**Neutral Games:** Tied 2-2  
**Last Season:** Penn State won series, 2-1

**MINNESOTA**

May 17-19  
www.gophersports.com  
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**Press Box Phone:** 612.627.4400  
**Head Coach:** John Anderson (31st year)  
**2011 Overall Record:** 25-24  
**Series:** Minnesota leads 103-94-1  
**Games at Illinois:** Minnesota leads 47-44-1  
**Games at Minnesota:** Minnesota leads 49-48  
**Neutral Games:** Minnesota leads 7-2  
**Last Meeting:** Illinois won series, 2-1, in 2009; Minnesota won 13-4 in '09 Big Ten Tournament

**BIG TEN CONFERENCE**

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