

THUNDERING HERD

2012 MARSHALL UNIVERSITY TRACK & FIELD QUICK FACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location.....Huntington, W.Va.
Founded.....1837
Enrollment.....13,841
Nickname.....Thundering Herd
Colors.....Green & White
National Affiliation.....NCAA Division I
Conference.....Conference USA
President.....Dr. Stephen J. Kopp (Notre Dame, '73)
Director of Athletics.....Mike Hamrick (Marshall, '80)
Assoc. AD/Chief of Staff.....Jeff O'Malley
Assoc. AD/Finance.....David Steele
Assoc. AD/SWA.....Beatrice Crane Banford
Assoc. AD/Facilities.....Scott Morehouse
Assoc. AD/Compliance.....Derek Gwinn
Assoc. AD/External Affairs.....Aaron Goebbel

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach.....Jeff Small (15th Year)
Alma Mater.....Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, '81
Assistant Coach.....Willie Johnson (2nd Season)
Alma Mater.....Florida State, '05
Assistant Coach.....Lacey Carmon-Johnson
Alma Mater.....Rice University
Graduate Assistant.....Bryan Howard
Alma Mater.....Florida State
Track Office Phone.....304.696.5412

TEAM INFORMATION

2011 Indoor Finish.....12/12 (26.5 pts.)
2011 Outdoor Finish.....12/12 (21 pts.)
All-C-USA Members.....3
C-USA Champions.....1
Returners/Lost.....21/16
Newcomers.....10

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TOP RETURNERS

Vanessa Jules - Jr. - 2011 Third-Team All-Conference (Indoor High Jump); School record holder in 300m, high jump, 4x1 relay, and 4x4 relay; 2011 NCAA Qualifier (High Jump)

Elaine Derricott - Jr. - 2011 C-USA Champion (Outdoor Heptathlon); 2011 Third-Team All-Conference (Indoor Pentathlon); School record holder in heptathlon and pentathlon

Jasia Richardson - Jr. - 2011 Third-Team All-Conference (Indoor Triple Jump)

Amanda Kennedy - Jr. - 2010 NCAA Regional Qualifier (Javelin); School record holder in outdoor javelin



2011-12 ROSTER

<u>Name</u>	<u>Event(s)</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Hometown(Last School)</u>
Crystal Walker	Jumps	JR	Dallas, Texas (South Oak Cliff)
Leslie Thomas	Distance	JR	Montgomery, W.Va. (Riverside)
Sammantha Stroker	Distance	SO	Wash. Ct. House, Ohio (Miami Trace)
Brittany Stanley	Throws	SR	Portsmouth, Ohio (Portsmouth)
Kristen Roles	Distance	FR	Lester, W.Va. (Independence)
Jasia Richardson	Jumps	JR	Richmond, Va. (J.R. Tucker)
Amber Pierson	Sprints/Jumps	JR	Prince Georges, Va. (Prince Georges)
Kelley Mortakis	Distance	SR	Wheeling, W.Va. (Wheeling Central)
Molly Miloscia	Mid-Distance	SO	Stow, Ohio (St. Vincent & Mary)
Delkira Maybin	Sprints	SR	Newberry, S.C. (Newberry)
Hadassah Lynch	Sprints	SO	Parkersburgh, W.Va. (Parkersburg)
Whitney Lewis	Mid-Distance	SO	Inwood, W.Va. (Musselman)
Zoe Leonard	Distance	FR	Mount Vernon, Ohio (Mount Vernon)
Celia Leonard	Distance	FR	Mount Vernon, Ohio (Mount Vernon)
Taylor Kirchwehm	Multi	FR	St. Louis, Missouri (Lutheran South)
Amanda Kennedy	Throws	JR	Bentleyville, Pa.
Vanessa Jules	Multi	JR	Silver Springs, Md. (Paint Branch)
Courtney Hughes	Throws	SO	Huntington, W.Va.
Amanda Hottenstein	Throws	SO	Fleetwood, Pa. (Fleetwood)
Kearra Haynes	Sprints	FR	Dallas, Texas (Skyline)
Paige Govey	Mid-Distance	SR	Colliers, W.Va. (Brooke)
Julia Galloway	Distance	SO	Huntington, W.Va. (Huntington)
An'Drea Gaither	Sprints	FR	Berryville, Va. (Clarke County)
Loren Dyer	Sprints/Jumps	FR	Lortan, Va. (South County)
Elaine Derricott	Multi	JR	Richmond, Va. (Henrico)
Lauren DeHays	Multi	SR	Tipp City, Ohio (Tippecanoe)
Alanna Dawkins	Sprints	FR	Columbus, Ohio (Franklin Heights)
Alecia Daniels	Hurdles	JR	Edgerton, Ohio (Edgerton)
Rachel Coaxum	Hurdles/Jumps	SR	Catlett, Va. (Liberty)
Brittany Carey	Sprints	SR	Hurricane, W.Va. (Hurricane)
Lauren Bartoldson	Distance	FR	Martinsburg, W.Va. (Martinsburg)
Elizabeth Barnhart	Throws	JR	Galloway, Ohio (Westland)

2011-12 SCHEDULE

Indoor Season

12/2-3	Diler Invitational	Findlay, Ohio	All Day
1/13-14	Kentucky Invitational	Lexington, Ky.	All Day
1/20-21	Gladstein Invitational	Bloomington, Ind.	All Day
1/27-28	SPIRE Midwest Indoor Open	Geneva, Ohio	All Day
2/3-4	New Balance Invitational	New York, N.Y.	All Day
2/10-11	Akron Invitational	Akron, Ohio	All Day
2/17	Ohio State Tune-Up	Columbus, Ohio	All Day
2/25-26	C-USA Indoor Championships	Birmingham, Ala.	All Day
3/5	Virginia Tech Last Chance	Blacksburg, Va.	All Day
3/9-10	NCAA Indoor Championships	Boise, Idaho	All Day

Outdoor Season

3/16	Bulls Invitational	Tampa, Fla.	All Day
3/23-24	UCF Invitational	Orlando, Fla.	All Day
3/27-30	Texas Relays	Austin, Texas	All Day
4/7	Ohio Women's Team Challenge	Athens, Ohio	All Day
4/14	Hilltopper Relays	Bowling Green, Ky.	All Day
4/20-21	Polytan Invitational	Bloomington, Ind.	All Day
4/26-28	Penn Relays	Philadelphia, Pa.	All Day
5/5	Ohio Invite	Athens, Ohio	All Day
5/11-14	C-USA Outdoor Championships	New Orleans, La.	All Day
5/26-28	NCAA First Round	Jacksonville, Fla.	All Day
6/9	NCAA Outdoor Championships	Des Moines, Iowa	All Day

