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Women's Basketball 2007-08

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2007-08 ND Women's Basketball: Game 27

#14/14 Notre Dame Fighting Irish (20-6 / 8-4 BIG EAST) vs.

DePaul Blue Demons (18-7 / 7-5 BIG EAST)

◆ DATE: February 24, 2008	◆ RADIO: ESPN Radio 1490 AM
◆ TIME: 1:00 p.m. CT	Sean Stires, p-b-p
◆ AT: Chicago, Ill.	◆ TV: ESPNU (live)
McGrath Arena (3,000)	John Rooke, p-b-p
◆ SERIES: DPU leads 18-11	Brooke Weisbrod, color
◆ 1ST MTG: 1/30/79 (DPU 82-53)	◆ LIVE STATS: depaulbluedemons.com
◆ LAST MTG: 1/22/08 (DPU 81-80)	◆ TICKETS: (773) 325-7526



2007-08 Schedule

20-6 / 8-4 BIG EAST

N1	Southern Indiana (exhib.)	W, 90-38
N5	Hillsdale (exhibition)	W, 96-64
N9	(24/rv) Miami (Ohio) ¹	W, 98-50
N13	(23/25) Western Kentucky ¹	W, 78-59
N16	(23/25) @ Maryland (3/3) ¹	L, 59-75
N20	(23/24) @ Central Michigan	W, 94-41
N24	(23/24) Boston College	W, 88-58
N27	(22/23) Canisius	W, 93-47
D2	(22/23) Michigan	W, 77-46
D5	(16/20) @ Bowling Green	W, 86-84 ^{OT}
D8	(16/20) @ Purdue ^{BTN}	W, 61-48
D12	(17/17) Valparaiso	W, 94-56
D21	(17/17) @ IUPUI	W, 67-44
D29	(16/16) Saint Francis (Pa.)	W, 82-39
J2	(14/14) @ Richmond	W, 84-59
J5	(14/14) Tennessee (3/3) ^{CBS}	L, 63-87
J8	(14/14) • @ Louisville ^{CSTV}	W, 82-74
J13	(14/14) • @ West Virginia (16/16) ^{ESPNU}	L, 50-56
J16	(17/15) • Villanova	W, 69-58
J19	(17/15) • @ Georgetown ^{BETV}	W, 104-86
J22	(16/16) • DePaul (rv/25) ^{CSTV}	L, 80-81
J27	(16/16) • Connecticut (1/1) ^{ESPNU}	L, 64-81
J30	(20/20) • Providence	W, 85-54
F2	(20/20) • @ Cincinnati	W, 73-41
F10	(16/17) • Pittsburgh (15/15) ^{ESPNU}	W, 81-66
F13	(16/16) • Marquette ^{CSTV}	W, 99-76
F16	(16/16) • @ Syracuse (21/23)	W, 79-67
F19	(14/14) • @ Rutgers (5/4) ^{CSTV}	L, 51-57
F24	• @ DePaul^{ESPNU}	1:00 CT
F27	• South Florida	7:00 ET
M1	• Seton Hall	2:00 ET
M3	• @ St. John's	7:00 ET
M8	BIG EAST 1st Round ^{2-BETV}	TBA
M9	BIG EAST Quarterfinal ^{2-ESPNU}	TBA
M10	BIG EAST Semifinal ^{2-ESPNU}	TBA
M11	BIG EAST Final ^{2-ESPNU}	7:00 ET
M22	NCAA 1st Round ^{3-ESPN/ESPNU}	TBA
M23	NCAA 1st Round ^{3-ESPN/ESPNU}	TBA
M24	NCAA 2nd Round ^{3-ESPN/ESPNU}	TBA
M25	NCAA 2nd Round ^{3-ESPN/ESPNU}	TBA
M29	NCAA Regional Semifinal ^{4-ESPN}	TBA
M30	NCAA Regional Semifinal ^{4-ESPN}	TBA
M31	NCAA Regional Final ^{4-ESPN}	TBA
A1	NCAA Regional Final ^{4-ESPN}	TBA
A6	NCAA Women's Final Four ^{5-ESPN}	TBA
A8	NCAA Championship Game ^{5-ESPN}	TBA

Storylines

- ◆ Notre Dame closes out a season-long three-game road trip, all against teams that are ranked or receiving votes in both polls.
- ◆ The Irish face DePaul for the second time this season, looking to split the regular-season series with the Blue Demons for the third consecutive year.

This weekend marks the beginning of the stretch drive in the BIG EAST Conference and No. 14 Notre Dame will have its hands full on Sunday when it travels to DePaul for a 1 p.m. (CT)/2 p.m. (ET) matinee at McGrath Arena. The Irish, who dropped an 81-80 decision to the Blue Demons last month, also will be seeking their first win on the DePaul campus since 1991, having lost their last five visits to Lincoln Park.

Notre Dame (20-6, 8-4 BIG EAST) put together a spirited defensive performance on Tuesday at No. 5/4 Rutgers, but it wasn't quite enough as the Scarlet Knights pulled out a 57-51 win. The Irish held RU without a field goal for nearly 11 minutes crossing over halftime, but Notre Dame's own offensive woes (uncharacteristic .328 shooting) proved to be the difference.

Senior guard **Charel Allen** tossed in a game-high 18 points, while junior guard **Lindsay Schrader** added 10 points and a game-high eight rebounds for the Irish.

Rankings

- ◆ Notre Dame is ranked 14th in both the Associated Press and ESPN/USA Today polls this week.
- ◆ DePaul is receiving votes in both the Associated Press and ESPN/USA Today polls this week.

Web Sites

- ◆ Notre Dame: <http://www.UND.com>
- ◆ DePaul: <http://www.depaulbluedemons.com>
- ◆ BIG EAST: <http://www.bigeast.org>

Setting The Standard

Under the guidance of 21st-year head coach **Muffet McGraw**, Notre Dame has evolved into one of the country's leading women's basketball powers. The Irish have appeared in 14 NCAA Tournaments (including a current streak of 12 in a row) and advanced to the NCAA Sweet 16 six times in the past 11 years. Notre Dame also has reached the NCAA Women's Final Four twice, winning college basketball's ultimate prize with the 2001 national championship.

In its history, Notre Dame has developed nine All-Americans, nine WNBA players (including six draft picks in the past seven years) and four USA Basketball veterans (nine medals won). Now in their 31st season in 2007-08, the Irish own an all-time record of **633-284 (.690)**.

Notre Dame Head Coach Muffet McGraw

Saint Joseph's (Pa.) '77

- ◆ 21st season at Notre Dame
- 469-185 (.717) at Notre Dame.
- ◆ 557-226 (.711) in 26 years as head coach.

NOTES

- ◆ 2001 consensus National Coach of the Year
- ◆ Four-time Naismith Coach of the Year finalist
- ◆ Four-time conference Coach of the Year
 - BIG EAST Conference (2001)
 - Midwestern Collegiate Conference (1991)
 - North Star Conference (1988)
 - East Coast Conference (@ Lehigh) (1983)

Notre Dame's Probable Starting Lineup (c = captain)

No	Name	Pos	Ht	Yr	PPG	RPG	Other	Notes
52	Erica Williamson	C	6-4	So.	6.5	4.4	1.0 bpg	• 2nd career dbl-dbl @ SU (14p, 11r)
1	Tulyah Gaines (C)	G	5-7	Sr.	7.0	2.0	3.8 apg	• 6.5 avg, 2.17 A/TO ratio past 2 games
2	Charel Allen (C)	G	5-11	Sr.	14.3	5.2	2.4 apg	• 5 pts to move into Top 10 ND history
20	Ashley Barlow	G	5-9	So.	11.9	4.4	2.0 apg	• Career-high six assists vs. Marquette
24	Lindsay Schrader	G	6-0	Jr.	10.7	5.9	2.0 apg	• 12.8 ppg, 6.8 rpg, 2.5 spg past 4 gms

Off the Bench For the Irish

11	Amanda Tsipis (C)	G	5-9	Sr.	0.9	0.5	0.2 apg	• Averaging career highs in all categories
14	Devereaux Peters	F	6-2	Fr.	9.0	5.6	2.0 bpg	• Out for season (torn ACL - left knee)
22	Brittany Mallory	G	5-10	Fr.	6.6	1.9	1.2 spg	• .389 3FG% (14th BE) in league play
23	Melissa Lechlitner	G	5-7	So.	5.5	1.8	2.8 apg	• 2 big baskets in final 3 min @ Syracuse
32	Becca Bruszewski	F	6-1	Fr.	4.7	2.5	0.5 spg	• 6.0 rpg. vs. Top 5 teams (9p, 5r @ RU)
33	Melissa D'Amico	C	6-5	Sr.	3.3	2.1	0.6 bpg	• 91 career blocks (10th in ND history)

Pronunciations: Tulyah (tuh-LIE-uh); Charel (shuh-REL); Tsipis (SIP-iss); Lechlitner (LECK-light-ner); Bruszewski (broo-SHEFF-skee); D'Amico (duh-ME-koh)

(x) - numbers before opponent are ND rankings in AP/ESPN-USA Today polls; numbers after opponent indicates its ranks

- = BIG EAST Conference game
- 1 = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)
- 2 = BIG EAST Championship (Hartford, Conn.)
- 3 = First/second round games at: Albuquerque, Baton Rouge, Bridgeport, College Park, Des Moines, Norfolk, Stanford and West Lafayette
- 4 = Regionals at: Greensboro, New Orleans, Oklahoma City and Spokane
- 5 = NCAA Women's Final Four (Tampa, Fla.)

CBS = Game televised on CBS
 ESPN/ESPNU/ESPNU = Game to be televised on ESPN/ESPNU/ESPNU
 CSTV = Game to be televised on College Sports Television
 BETV = Game to be televised on BIG EAST TV package
 BTN = Game televised on Big Ten Network
 NOTE: All home games not scheduled for commercial TV broadcast will air live on UND.com





A Quick Look At The Fighting Irish

Behind a high-octane offense and an aggressive defense, Notre Dame has been a fixture in the national polls this season. The Irish have been ranked every week (except for the preseason ESPN/USA Today poll) and have appeared in the top 20 for the past 12 weeks, rising as high as 14th on three occasions (including this week).

Notre Dame also ranks in the top 20 in six NCAA statistical categories, including scoring offense (6th, 78.5 ppg.), scoring margin (10th, +17.3 ppg.) and assist/turnover ratio (10th, 1.12), with nearly half its wins by 30 points. The Irish also rank second in the BIG EAST (17th nationally) in steals (11.96 spg.) and have forced 20 turnovers on 16 occasions.

Senior guard **Charel Allen**, a first-team all-BIG EAST and honorable mention All-America pick last year, is setting the pace for a balanced Notre Dame attack, averaging a team-high 14.3 points per game (16th in BIG EAST) and owning the team lead with 53 steals (9th in BIG EAST). She also has scored in double figures 22 times in 26 games, including 13 of her last 15.

Sophomore guard **Ashley Barlow** has built upon last year's BIG EAST All-Freshman Team selection, ranking second on the team in scoring (11.9 ppg.) and standing right behind Allen with 49 steals. She also boasts a team-high .333 three-point percentage and is 38th in the country with an .840 free throw percentage.

Junior guard **Lindsay Schrader** continues to work her way back to peak form after missing last year with a torn ACL in her right knee. Schrader is third on the squad in scoring (10.7 ppg.) and tops in rebounding (5.9 rpg.) as one of the cornerstones of Notre Dame's unique Princeton-based four-guard lineup.

While Schrader is back from her ACL injury, freshman forward **Devereaux Peters** had her season end early with a torn ACL in her left knee, suffered Feb. 10 vs. Pittsburgh. Peters provided a strong spark off the bench, averaging 9.0 points, 5.6 rebounds and 2.0 blocks per game. She also scored in double figures 14 times, including a season-high 15 points vs. Villanova and her first career double-double (10 points, 12 rebounds) against top-ranked Connecticut.

Potent Notables About The Irish

- Notre Dame is among the nation's winningest programs during the past 12 seasons (1996-97 to present), ranking seventh with 287 victories in that span.
- Notre Dame's incoming class of 2008 (next year's freshmen) has an average ranking of 15th (peaking at No. 8 by *Dan Olsen Collegiate Girls Basketball Report*), marking the 12th consecutive season that the Irish attracted a Top 25 recruiting class. Notre Dame is one of only three schools (along with Connecticut and Tennessee) to have an active streak of that length.
- Notre Dame ranked ninth in the Feb. 11 unofficial national attendance rankings (compiled by the Wisconsin Sports Information Office), averaging 7,090 fans to its 14 home games this season (including three of the top six crowds in school history). The Irish also have attracted 5,000-or-more fans to 108 of their last 110 home games, including five Joyce Center sellouts of 11,418 (most recently on Jan. 27, 2008 vs. Connecticut). Last season, Notre Dame ranked 10th nationally in attendance (6,364 fans per game), marking the seventh consecutive year the Irish were among the national top 20 in attendance.
- The Irish have become a regular fixture in the WNBA Draft in recent years, as six Notre Dame players have been selected in the past seven seasons. **Megan Duffy** was the most recent Irish player to be chosen, going to the Minnesota Lynx in the third round (31st overall pick) of the 2006 WNBA Draft. Duffy and **Ruth Riley** (San Antonio) both were active in the league during the 2007 season, with Riley making her sixth playoff appearance (on her third different team) in a solid seven-year pro career. All told, seven Notre Dame alums have competed in WNBA regular-season play, with three of them combining to win four league championships — Riley won a pair of crowns with the Detroit Shock (2003 Finals MVP, 2006), **Coquese Washington** toiled for the 2000 Houston Comets, while **Jacqueline Batteast** was Riley's teammate on the '06 title-winning squad in Detroit.
- Notre Dame has been an elite program in the classroom as well. For the second

Winningest Teams (1996-97 to present)	
385	Connecticut
376	Tennessee
340	Duke
313	Louisiana Tech
306	Old Dominion
299	Purdue
◆287	NOTRE DAME
282	UC Santa Barbara
272	Texas Tech

through games of Feb. 22

LAST IRISH GAME

#5/4 Rutgers 57, #14 Notre Dame 51
February 19, 2008
Louis Brown Athletic Center (Piscataway, N.J.)

Notre Dame (51)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Williamson	26	3-12	0-0	0-0	6	2	2	6
Gaines	19	0-6	0-0	2-4	0	5	1	2
Allen	34	7-14	1-2	3-4	3	1	3	18
Barlow	32	1-6	1-1	0-0	5	1	4	3
Schrader	31	4-7	0-0	2-2	8	2	3	10
Mallory	14	1-5	1-4	0-0	1	2	0	3
Lechlitner	23	0-5	0-0	0-0	2	1	2	0
Bruszewski	21	4-6	0-0	1-1	5	0	0	9
Team					7			
Totals	200	20-61	3-7	8-11	37	14	15	51

Rutgers (57)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Carson	37	1-8	0-1	0-0	5	1	2	2
McCurdy	10	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Vaughn	25	6-8	0-0	2-5	7	0	2	14
Prince	36	6-8	1-1	5-5	5	5	3	18
Ajavon	37	5-11	1-3	4-6	4	7	4	15
Adams	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Zurich	23	0-3	0-2	0-0	3	0	1	0
Ray	9	1-3	0-2	0-0	2	0	0	2
Junaid	22	3-8	0-0	0-2	5	1	1	6
Team					7			
Totals	200	22-51	2-9	11-18	39	14	13	57

Notre Dame 22 29 — 51
Rutgers 22 35 — 57

FG Pct: Notre Dame 32.8, Rutgers 43.1. **3-PT FG Pct:** Notre Dame 42.9, Rutgers 22.2. **FT Pct:** Notre Dame 72.7, Rutgers 61.1. **Turnovers:** Notre Dame 12, Rutgers 16. **Blocked Shots:** Notre Dame 2, Rutgers 5 (Vaughn 3). **Steals:** Notre Dame 9 (Allen 3), Rutgers 5 (Ajavon 3). **Attendance:** 5,027.

Covering the Irish

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Media Services

The official Notre Dame athletics web site contains schedules, rosters, updated statistics and historical information from previous seasons. High-resolution color headshots and action photos of Notre Dame players, coaches and staff are available upon request.

Official Notre Dame athletics web site:
• <http://www.UND.com>

In-Season Interview Policy

All requests for Notre Dame player, coach or staff interviews must be made through **Chris Masters** and 24 hours' notice is appreciated. Please be aware that student-athletes' academic obligations always take precedence before any interview requests.

Media members also may speak to Irish team personnel before or after practice sessions. While most practices are open to the media, some may be closed at the coaching staff's discretion — contact **Chris Masters** for the latest practice schedule and availability.

On game days, no interviews will be granted with any Notre Dame player or coach prior to competition.

Credentials / Parking

Season credentials will be issued to all media covering the Irish on a regular basis. Please note — any Notre Dame men's basketball season credentials also offer access to all Irish women's basketball games.

For single-game credentials, contact **Chris Masters** no less than 24 hours before tipoff. Credential requests must be submitted via fax on official letterhead. Passes are left at the media will call entrance (Gate 1) of the Joyce Center.

Parking is free for all Irish women's basketball games. **Credentials remain the property of the University of Notre Dame and may be revoked at any time.**

Game Notes

Notre Dame's game notes package is completed and made available on-line through the official Irish athletics web site during the season, usually at least one day prior to tipoff. Notre Dame's game notes are in Adobe PDF format and will be distributed via *electronic means only* (e-mail or web). Fax distribution is by request only.

Please contact **Chris Masters** if you wish to be added to the e-mail distribution list for Notre Dame's regular women's basketball release.

Gameday Services

Gameday packages containing game notes, flipcards and other information will be available on press row prior to all home contests. A pre-game meal also is served in the arena level media room (exit court via Gate 8 ramp behind visitors' bench, make first right, enter first door on right) beginning 75 minutes before tipoff.

A bank of statistics monitors is located on press row for the media's convenience. Final statistics books include an official NCAA box score and play-by-play. Telephone, copier and fax services are available on a first-come, first-served basis. The Joyce Center also offers wireless Internet capability — check with **Chris Masters** for access.

Post-Game Press Conferences

Following each Notre Dame home game, Irish head coach **Muffet McGraw** and selected players, followed by the visiting head coach and selected players, will be available to speak with the media. Post-game press conferences are held in the Joyce Center auditorium, located near Gate 1 on the first floor of the arena (exit floor via Gate 1 ramp to right of press row, go straight and turn right at WBB office).

Media members should submit player requests for post-game interviews to **Chris Masters** at the final media timeout of the second half.





2007-08 Standings

	BIG EAST		Overall	
	W	L	W	L
(1/1) Connecticut	12	1	25	1
(5/4) Rutgers	11	1	21	4
(13/13) West Virginia	10	2	21	4
◆(14/14) NOTRE DAME	8	4	20	6
(23/21) Pittsburgh	8	4	18	7
(22/24) Syracuse	7	5	19	6
Louisville	7	5	18	7
DePaul	7	5	18	7
Marquette	6	7	14	12
Villanova	5	8	15	11
St. John's	4	8	13	12
Georgetown	3	9	13	12
South Florida	3	9	13	12
Seton Hall	3	9	13	11
Providence	2	10	12	13
Cincinnati	2	11	11	14

Through games of Feb. 22

(n) Ranking in Associated Press/ESPN-USA Today polls

Player of the Week

Nov. 19	.....	Krystal Ellis, Marquette
Nov. 26	.....	Laura Kurz, Villanova
Dec. 3	.....	Shavonte Zellous, Pittsburgh
Dec. 10	.....	Angel McCoughtry, Louisville
Dec. 17	.....	Jill Stephens, Cincinnati
Dec. 24	.....	Allie Quigley, DePaul
Dec. 31	.....	Noteisha Womack, Seton Hall
Jan. 7	.....	Shavonte Zellous, Pittsburgh
Jan. 14	.....	Shavonte Zellous, Pittsburgh
Jan. 21	.....	Olayinka Sanni, West Virginia
Jan. 28	.....	Angel McCoughtry, Louisville
Feb. 4	.....	LaQuita Owens, West Virginia
Feb. 11	.....	Epiphanny Prince, Rutgers
Feb. 18	.....	Deirdre Naughton, DePaul

Freshman of the Week

Nov. 19	.....	Maya Moore, Connecticut
Nov. 26	.....	Maya Moore, Connecticut
Dec. 3	.....	Keshia Hines, Louisville
Dec. 10	.....	Ebonie Williams, Seton Hall
Dec. 17	.....	Angel Robinson, Marquette
Dec. 24	.....	Erica Morrow, Syracuse
Dec. 31	.....	Maya Moore, Connecticut
Jan. 7	.....	Angel Robinson, Marquette
Jan. 14	.....	Maya Moore, Connecticut
Jan. 21	.....	Maya Moore, Connecticut
Jan. 28	.....	Maya Moore, Connecticut
Feb. 4	.....	Maya Moore, Connecticut
Feb. 11	.....	Erica Morrow, Syracuse
Feb. 18	.....	Maya Moore, Connecticut

Upcoming BIG EAST Games

Saturday, February 23

- Cincinnati at Syracuse 1:00p
- Louisville at Seton Hall 2:00p
- Rutgers at Providence 2:00p
- South Florida at Georgetown 3:00p
- St. John's at Connecticut (Storrs) 4:00p
- Villanova at West Virginia 4:00p
- Pittsburgh at Marquette 8:00p

Sunday, February 24

- Notre Dame at DePaul 2:00p

Monday, February 25

- Connecticut at LSU 7:00p

Tuesday, February 26

- Georgetown at Syracuse 6:00p
- Providence at Louisville 7:00p
- Seton Hall at St. John's 7:00p
- West Virginia at Pittsburgh 8:00p

• = BIG EAST Conference game
All times Eastern and subject to change



Around the BIG EAST

year in a row, the Irish posted a perfect 100-percent Graduation Success Rate (GSR), according to figures released by the NCAA in October 2007. Notre Dame was one of 23 Division I-A programs to achieve this distinction, and one of only two BIG EAST schools (Syracuse was the other). Furthermore, since **Muffet McGraw** became the Irish head coach in 1987, every Notre Dame women's basketball player that has completed her athletic and academic eligibility at the University has graduated (a perfect 53-for-53 success rate).

A Quick Look At DePaul

With the regular season coming down to its final days, DePaul appears to be making one of its patent late charges. Following a similar formula to last year, the Blue Demons have won back-to-back games to put themselves back in the conversation for both a BIG EAST Championship bye and an NCAA Tournament berth.

DePaul (18-7, 7-5) earned its second consecutive win with a hard-fought 82-78 conquest at Georgetown on Wednesday night. The Blue Demons shot 56 percent from the field, but it was a defensive stop that was the clincher, as senior guard **Allie Quigley** converted a steal and score in the closing seconds to seal the win and post the last of her 36 points (15-21 FG).

Quigley ranks second in the BIG EAST in scoring (19.3 ppg), while sophomore guard **Deirdre Naughton** stands ninth in the conference with 15.9 points per game. Junior forward **Natasha Williams** is the muscle in the post, tying for 11th in the BIG EAST in rebounding (7.4 rpg) and third in field goal percentage (.592).

Doug Bruno is winding down his 22nd season at his alma mater with a 412-237 (.635) record, including a 11-5 mark vs. Notre Dame.

The Notre Dame-DePaul Series

Notre Dame and DePaul will meet for the 30th time in a series that dates back 30 seasons and is the second-longest in Irish history (Marquette - 33 games). The Blue Demons hold a 18-11 series lead on Notre Dame, including a 10-4 edge at McGrath Arena (where the Irish have not won in their last five visits, dating back to 1991). DePaul also has won the past three games in a series, most recently taking an 81-80 decision on Jan. 22 at the Joyce Center.

The series has been largely dominated by the home team of late, with the hosts winning nine of the past 10 regular-season meetings. Last month's Blue Demon win was the first road victory in the rivalry since Feb. 11, 1992 (a 62-49 DePaul win at the Joyce Center).

The Blue Demons also have won three of the five matchups since they joined the BIG EAST in 2005-06. This year marks the third in a row that Notre Dame and DePaul have been paired as "repeat opponents" in the conference's 16-game scheduling format.

The Last Time Notre Dame And DePaul Met

Deirdre Naughton scored 20 points and No. 16 DePaul shot a season-high 60 percent to beat No. 16 Notre Dame 81-80 back on Jan. 22 at the Joyce Center.

The Fighting Irish (15-4, 3-2 BIG EAST) had a chance to win in the closing seconds, but **Holly Medley** stole the ball from **Charel Allen** with two seconds left and dribbled the clock out.

DePaul (14-4, 3-2) shot 72 percent in the first half and beat the Irish for the third straight time.

The Blue Demons, which led by two at halftime, went on a 9-0 run early in the second half to open a 58-49 lead. **Allie Quigley** ignited the run when she converted on a three-point play, then Naughton did it again 36 seconds later. **Missy Mitidiero** capped the run with a three-pointer.

The Irish cut the lead to 71-70 when Allen hit a 3 with 4:37 left. But the Blue Demons stretched the lead to five moments later when **Natasha Williams** scored inside and Quigley made a pair of free throws.

Brittany Mallory's two foul shots for the Irish cut the lead to 81-80 with seven seconds left. Quigley then caught the inbounds pass and, while being covered by Mallory, lost her dribble out of bounds to give the Irish a chance with four seconds left.

Quigley scored 16 points for DePaul, Williams had 14 and Mitidiero added 12.

Ashley Barlow scored a career-high 23 points for the Irish, Allen had 17 points on 5-of-14 shooting and **Erica Williamson** tied her career high with 16 points.

The Last Time Notre Dame And DePaul Met In Chicago

Ashley Barlow matched her (then) career high with 21 points and grabbed a team-high eight rebounds, but Notre Dame ran into a hot-shooting DePaul squad and dropped an 87-73 decision to the Blue Demons on Feb. 26, 2007, at McGrath Arena in Chicago.

Breona Gray scored 15 points, while **Tulyah Gaines** added 14 points and five assists. **Charel Allen** had 10 points in a foul-plagued 25 minutes, but did score her 1,000th career point in the second half, becoming the 23rd Irish player to reach that milestone.

As a team, Notre Dame shot 43.9 percent from the field, including 50 percent (6-of-12) from three-point range. However, the Irish also allowed 11 three-pointers and 87 points, with both marks tying for opponent season highs. **Caprice Smith** led four Blue Demons in double figures with a game-best 22 points on 8-of-12 shooting.

The Irish came out strong in the first half, jumping to an 8-3 lead behind two early buckets from Gaines. DePaul then responded with a 12-4 run of its own, capped by **Erin Cattell's** baseline jumper at the 12:48 mark. Notre Dame steadied itself with eight of the next nine points, and rode that momentum out to a 30-23 lead when Gaines canned her own jumper on the baseline with 5:52 remaining in the half. The Irish then went cold, making only two baskets the rest of the period, while the Blue Demons continued to stroke from the perimeter, as **Jenna Rubino** punctuated a three-point flurry by putting the hosts back in front with 3:02 to go. The teams then traded markers in the waning moments, leaving DePaul in front, 36-35 at halftime.

The lead changed hands four times in the



LAST IRISH GAME vs. DePAUL

#rv/25 DePaul 81, #16 Notre Dame 80
January 22, 2008
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

DePaul (81)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Williams	31	6-10	0-0	2-4	4	1	3	14
Smith	15	2-2	1-1	0-0	6	1	5	5
Quigley, A.	34	4-9	1-2	7-7	2	7	3	16
Mitidiero	27	4-8	3-6	1-2	0	5	2	12
Naughton	36	7-11	2-3	4-4	8	0	0	20
Pikes	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	2	1	0
Cattell	6	1-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	4	2
Threatt	8	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	4
Johnson	10	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	3	2
Medley	5	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2
Chester	21	2-3	0-0	0-0	3	2	5	4
Team					4			
Totals	200	30-50	7-13	14-17	30	22	26	81

Notre Dame (80)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Williamson	26	5-10	0-0	6-9	6	1	1	16
Gaines	31	0-5	0-1	0-2	1	4	3	0
Allen	34	5-14	1-1	6-8	2	1	1	17
Barlow	29	8-12	2-3	5-6	7	0	3	23
Schrader	31	3-7	0-0	2-2	3	4	0	8
Peters	19	3-7	0-0	1-3	8	0	5	7
Mallory	8	1-2	0-0	3-3	0	0	1	5
Lechlitner	16	0-3	0-0	0-0	0	2	1	0
Bruzewski	3	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	2
D'Amico	3	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2
Team					4			
Totals	200	26-62	3-5	25-35	32	12	15	80

DePaul 45 36 - 81
Notre Dame 43 37 - 80

FG Pct: DePaul 60.0, Notre Dame 41.9. **3-PT FG Pct:** DePaul 53.8, Notre Dame 60.0. **FT Pct:** DePaul 82.4, Notre Dame 71.4. **Turnovers:** DePaul 19, Notre Dame 10. **Blocked Shots:** DePaul 5 (Chester 2), Notre Dame 5 (Peters 3). **Steals:** DePaul 5 (Medley 2), Notre Dame 7 (Peters 2). **Attendance:** 5,503.

opening minute of the second half, with Barlow giving Notre Dame its last lead at 39-38 on a driving layup at the 19:17 mark. That lasted all of six seconds, before **Allie Quigley** converted an old-fashioned three-point play in transition, kicking off a 10-0 DePaul run over the next two minutes. The Irish battled back and got as close as 53-48 when Allen drilled a long jumper with 12:57 to play. But, **Erin Carney** hit a three-pointer from the top of the key 30 seconds later and Notre Dame couldn't trim the margin below seven points thereafter.

Other Notre Dame-DePaul Series Tidbits

- DePaul's 18 series wins are third-most by one opponent in Notre Dame history, trailing only Connecticut (21) and Tennessee (19).
- The Irish and Blue Demons previously faced off as members of the North Star Conference from 1983-88, with the two sides splitting their 10 NSC games.
- In each of the past 10 series games, the winning team has scored at least 75 points. DePaul kept that trend going with an 81-80 victory on Jan. 22 at the Joyce Center.
- While that series trend held up last month, another did not, as the Blue Demons became the first visiting team to win in the series since Feb. 11, 1992, when DePaul earned a 62-49 victory at the Joyce Center. The Blue Demon triumph snapped a nine-game winning streak by home teams in the series (with one neutral-site win by DePaul at last year's BIG EAST Championship in Hartford).
- Notre Dame sophomore guard **Melissa Lechlitner** was a member of the 2007 USA

Notre Dame In the Polls

Associated Press Poll

Week	Points	Rank	Weeks Ranked	
			07-08	All Time
Preseason	131	24	1	140
Nov. 12, 2007	112	23	2	141
Nov. 19, 2007	119	23	3	142
Nov. 26, 2007	231	22	4	143
Dec. 3, 2007	402	16	5	144
Dec. 10, 2007	435	17	6	145
Dec. 17, 2007	472	17	7	146
Dec. 24, 2007	536	16	8	147
Dec. 31, 2007	615	14	9	148
Jan. 7, 2008	530	14	10	149
Jan. 14, 2008	431	17	11	150
Jan. 21, 2008	529	16	12	151
Jan. 28, 2008	271	20	13	152
Feb. 4, 2008	438	16	14	153
Feb. 11, 2008	513	16	15	154
Feb. 18, 2008	640	14	16	155

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ESPN/USA Today Coaches' Poll

Week	Points	Rank	Weeks Ranked	
			07-08	All Time
Preseason	57	—	—	131
Nov. 13, 2007	41	25	1	132
Nov. 20, 2007	83	24	2	133
Nov. 27, 2007	122	23	3	134
Dec. 4, 2007	176	20	4	135
Dec. 11, 2007	237	17	5	136
Dec. 18, 2007	273	17	6	137
Dec. 25, 2007	289	16	7	138
Jan. 2, 2008	352	14	8	139
Jan. 8, 2008	335	14	9	140
Jan. 15, 2008	277	15	10	141
Jan. 22, 2008	293	16	11	142
Jan. 29, 2008	195	20	12	143
Feb. 5, 2008	244	17	13	144
Feb. 12, 2008	283	16	14	145
Feb. 19, 2008	338	14	15	146

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U19 World Championship Team, coached by DePaul's **Doug Bruno**, that went a perfect 9-0 and captured the gold medal in Bratislava, Slovakia, this past summer. Lechlitner averaged 4.6 points and 1.4 assists during the FIBA U19 World Championships.

- Notre Dame junior guard **Lindsay Schrader** (Bartlett/Bartlett HS) and freshman forward **Devereaux Peters** (Chicago/Fenwick HS) are two of the 11 Illinois natives to play for the Irish, with 10 coming from the Chicago-land area. Some of the other Notre Dame products from the Windy City include NCAA career three-point percentage leader **Alicia Ratay** (Lake Zurich/Lake Zurich HS), and 1,000-point scorer and 2004 Purple Heart recipient **Danielle Green** (Chicago/Roosevelt HS). Peters is out for the remainder of this season after suffering a left knee injury (torn ACL) on Feb. 10 during Notre Dame's win over 15th-ranked Pittsburgh.
- Schrader was the 2005 Illinois Miss Basketball, having claimed that honor by the sixth-largest margin (374 points) since the award was created in 1986.
- Both head coaches have ties to the old Women's Professional Basketball League (WBL). Notre Dame head coach **Muffet McGraw** was a point guard for the California Dreams in 1979, while DePaul's **Doug Bruno** was the head coach and director of player personnel for the Chicago Hustle from 1978-80.

National Polls

Associated Press Poll

February 18, 2007: Poll #16

Team	Rec	Pts	LW
1 ◆Connecticut (38)	24-1	1,230	2
2 North Carolina (2)	24-2	1,167	3
3 ◆Tennessee (1)	23-2	1,106	1
4 ◆Maryland	27-2	1,089	4
5 ◆Rutgers (8)	20-4	1,071	5
6 LSU (1)	22-3	1,028	7
7 Stanford	24-3	1,003	6
8 California	23-3	886	9
9 Baylor	22-3	846	8
10 Old Dominion	22-3	730	13
11 Oklahoma	18-5	726	10
12 Duke	19-7	661	12
13 ◆West Virginia	20-4	657	11
14 NOTRE DAME	20-5	640	16
15 Kansas State	18-6	565	17
16 Oklahoma State	20-4	441	15
17 George Washington	20-5	417	14
18 Utah	21-3	401	19
19 UTEP	21-2	244	24
20 Ohio State	18-6	243	23
21 Texas A&M	18-7	235	20
22 ◆Syracuse	19-5	176	21
23 ◆Pittsburgh	18-7	146	18
24 Georgia	19-7	107	—
25 Vanderbilt	19-7	92	25

Others Receiving Votes: Wyoming 87, Virginia 74, Marist 56, ◆Louisville 29, Liberty 24, ◆DePaul 21, Iowa 17, Arizona State 10, Hartford 6, Michigan State 6, Chattanooga 4, Illinois State 3, Nebraska 3, ◆Purdue 1, Texas 1, Iowa State 1.

ESPN/USA Today Coaches' Poll

February 19, 2008: Poll #16

Team	Rec	Pts	LW
1 ◆Connecticut (27)	24-1	766	2
2 North Carolina (3)	24-2	729	3
3 ◆Tennessee	23-2	698	1
4 ◆Rutgers (1)	20-4	687	4
5 ◆Maryland	27-2	655	5
6 LSU	22-3	625	7
7 Stanford	24-3	609	6
8 California	23-3	543	9
9 Baylor	22-3	533	8
10 Oklahoma	18-5	464	10
11 Duke	19-7	426	12
12 Old Dominion	22-3	416	14
13 ◆West Virginia	20-4	404	11
14 NOTRE DAME	20-5	338	16
15 Kansas State	18-6	323	17
16 George Washington	20-5	291	13
17 Oklahoma State	20-4	268	15
18 Utah	21-3	223	20
19 Texas A&M	18-7	181	19
20 Ohio State	19-6	149	22
21 ◆Pittsburgh	18-7	125	18
22 Georgia	19-7	116	24
23 Marist	25-2	83	25
24 ◆Syracuse	19-5	72	23
25 UTEP	21-2	61	—

Others Receiving Votes: Vanderbilt 59, Wyoming 59, Virginia 29, Liberty 27, Hartford 17, ◆DePaul 15, Auburn 14, Illinois State 13, Texas 13, ◆Western Kentucky 11, Iowa 8, Arizona State 5, Georgia Tech 5, ◆Louisville 4, Nebraska 4, Wisconsin-Green Bay 3, Middle Tennessee 1, Minnesota 1, TCU 1.

First-place votes shown in parentheses

LW = last week

◆ = 2007-08 Notre Dame opponent





DePaul Series

DePaul Leads Series, 18-11

Date	Site	Result	Score
1/30/79	Chicago	L	53-82
2/27/82	Notre Dame	L	55-60
2/27/83	Chicago	W	52-50
1/21/84	Chicago	L	46-62
1/30/84	Notre Dame	W	78-62
1/27/85	Chicago	L	64-72
2/24/85	Notre Dame	W	68-57
1/26/86	Notre Dame	W	55-53
2/23/86	Chicago	W	73-58
1/18/87	Notre Dame	L	68-80
2/21/87	Chicago	W	53-44
1/20/88	Chicago	L	77-80
2/28/88	Notre Dame	L	68-69
1/24/89	Chicago	L	62-83
3/24/89	Amarillo, Texas ¹	L	69-77
1/27/90	Notre Dame	L	64-71
1/11/91	Chicago	W	81-66
2/11/92	Notre Dame	L	49-62
1/25/93	Chicago	L	55-71
1/11/94	Notre Dame	W	77-63
1/16/95	Chicago	L	87-96
12/31/01	Notre Dame	W	79-50
12/11/02	Chicago	L	59-75
1/17/06	Notre Dame	W	78-75
2/12/06	Chicago	L	50-79
2/11/07	Notre Dame	W	78-70
2/26/07	Chicago	L	73-87
3/3/07	Hartford, Conn. ²	L	71-76
1/22/08	Notre Dame	L	80-81

1 = NWT
2 = BIG EAST Championship

Series Scoring	Total	Average
Notre Dame	1,922	66.3
DePaul	2,011	69.3

Current Win Streak: DePaul - 3 games
Muffet McGraw vs. DePaul: 5-13
Doug Bruno vs. Notre Dame: 11-5
McGraw vs. Bruno: Bruno leads 11-5
ND Biggest Win: 29 (79-50 on 12/31/01)
DPU Biggest Win: 29, twice (MR: 79-50 on 2/12/06)
ND Longest Win Streak: 3 (1985-86)
DPU Longest Win Streak: 5 (1988-90)

THE TALE OF THE TAPE

	ND	DPU
Overall/BIG EAST record	20-6/8-4	18-7/7-5
AP/ESPN-USA Today rank	14/14	rv/rv

SCORING

Points scored per game	78.5	80.3
Points allowed per game	61.2	68.9
Field goal percentage	.460	.444
Three-point percentage	.297	.350
Free throw percentage	.759	.680

REBOUNDING

Rebounds per game	39.3	42.7
Opponent rebs. per game	34.8	37.4
Rebounding margin	+4.5	+5.3

OTHER

Assists per game	16.2	17.7
Turnovers per game	14.4	15.6
Assist/turnover ratio	1.12	1.13
Blocked shots per game	4.3	4.2
Steals per game	12.0	9.9



Twenty Questions

Notre Dame reached the 20-win mark for the 14th time in the past 15 seasons with a 79-67 victory at Syracuse on Feb. 16. The Irish now have registered 20-or-more wins 18 times in the 21-year **Muffet McGraw** era and the 22nd time in the program's 31-year history.

Peaking When It Counts

When the regular season enters its stretch run in the month of February, Notre Dame historically seems to raise its level of play. Since joining the BIG EAST Conference in 1995-96, the Irish are 75-20 (.789) in February games, including a 43-4 (.915) mark at home.

In the 21-year **Muffet McGraw** era (1987-present), the Irish are 123-35 (.778) in the month of February, including a 65-10 (.867) home record. In that time, Notre Dame has not had a losing February, and only once did the Irish end the month at .500 (4-4 in 1988-89, McGraw's second season in South Bend).

This year, Notre Dame is 4-1 in February, winning its first four outings before dropping a 57-51 decision at No. 5/4 Rutgers on Tuesday.

Chart Toppers

Notre Dame is peppered throughout the latest NCAA statistical rankings (as of Friday). The Irish among the top 20 in the nation in six categories, led by a No. 6 ranking for scoring offense (78.5) and No. 10 rankings for scoring margin (+17.3) and assist/turnover ratio (1.12). Notre Dame also is 16th in field goal percentage (.460), 17th in steals per game (12.0) and 20th in fewest turnovers per game (14.4).

A full recap of Notre Dame's positions on the NCAA statistics charts (and its relation to the national leaders) can be found on page 11 of this notes package.

Thirty Deeds

Nearly half (9) of Notre Dame's 20 wins this season have come by at least 30 points, while the Irish have held 30-point leads late in the second half against Western Kentucky, Richmond and Marquette. This marks the first time in school history that Notre Dame has fashioned nine 30-point wins in its first 26 games.

It's also the first time since the 2000-01 national championship season that the Irish have logged at least nine 30-point wins in a single season. That year, Notre Dame collected

a school-record 10 30-point victories, but only seven of those came in the first 26 games.

What's more, the Irish had a streak of four consecutive 30-point wins from Nov. 20-Dec. 2. The last time Notre Dame did that was Jan. 20-30, 1999, when the Irish had four straight 30-point victories, all during BIG EAST Conference play — at Seton Hall (87-47), home vs. St. John's (99-60), at Syracuse (94-61) and at Providence (97-59).

Put A Tiger In Your Tank

Less than two seasons after posting the pro-

gram's lowest scoring output (64.5 ppg) since 1980-81 (its first as a Division I program), Notre Dame has reversed that trend in a big way.

The Irish currently rank third in the BIG EAST Conference in scoring (and sixth in the nation) at 78.5 points per game, having tallied at least 80 points 14 times this season. What's more, Notre Dame also has the fourth-highest scoring average through 26 games in program history, and highest since the 1998-99 squad averaged 83.1 points at this juncture on the way to the single-season school scoring record (81.0).

What's more, Notre Dame has scored at least 90 points six times this season. That's the most 90-point games for the Irish in one year since 1998-99, when they tied the school record with seven 90-point games. In fact, during the six seasons prior to the current one (2001-02 through 2006-07), Notre Dame had a combined total of four 90-point games.

Notre Dame also ranks second in the conference (and ninth in the nation) in scoring margin at +18.3 points per game.

McGraw's Shock Troops

During his coaching tenure with the Notre Dame football team in the 1920s, **Knute Rockne** was at the forefront of the two-platoon system, using his "shock troops" — a full team of second stringers — at the start of most games.

While Irish women's basketball coach **Muffet McGraw** may not quite be following Rockne's philosophy to the letter, she could easily rotate in much of her second unit and not see much decline in productivity. In fact, Notre Dame's bench is averaging 29.6 points per game (compared to 48.9 ppg. by the starters) and has outscored all 26 opponent benches this season by an average of +15.1 points per night.

Prior to her season-ending knee injury on Feb. 10 vs. Pittsburgh, freshman forward **Devereaux Peters** was leading the way for this year's Irish "shock troops". The Chicago native averaged 9.0 points, 5.6 rebounds and 1.96 blocks per game (fourth in BIG EAST and 44th in the nation) with a .522 field goal percentage (eighth in the conference). Peters came off the bench in 21 of 23 games this year, piling up a season-high 15 points and seven steals vs. Villanova before collecting her first career double-double (10 points, season-high 12 rebounds) on Jan. 27 against top-ranked Connecticut.

Youth Movement

Last year's Irish rookie class (aka the "BMW" trio of guards **Ashley Barlow** and **Melissa Lechlitter** and center **Erica Williamson**) became the first threesome from one school ever to be named to the BIG EAST Conference All-Freshman Team in the same season. Following on the heels of that success, Notre Dame has a new freshman trio that is aiming to make an early splash at the college level — the "BBD" lineup of guard **Brittany**

ND Scoring Averages Through 26 Games

83.1 ppg	1998-99
80.1 ppg	1995-96
79.3 ppg	1990-91
♦78.5 ppg	2007-08
77.3 ppg	1994-95

Most 90-Point Games Single Season

7	1998-99
7	1996-97
♦6	2007-08
6	1995-96
5	1994-95

Most 30-Point Wins Single Season

10	2000-01
♦9	2007-08
7	1998-99
6	1990-91
6	1989-90



Mallory and forwards **Becca Bruszewski** and **Devereaux Peters**.

All three Irish rookies have done their part to help Notre Dame to its 20-6 record, with each one averaging at least 12 minutes and having scored in double figures at least four times. Before suffering a season-ending knee injury on Feb. 10 vs. Pittsburgh, Peters was fourth on the team in scoring (9.0 ppg) and scored in double digits 14 times, while also ranking fourth in the BIG EAST (44th in the nation) in blocked shots (1.96 bpg). Mallory is averaging 6.6 points per game, leads the team with 26 three-pointers and chalked up a season-high 15 points on Jan. 19 at Georgetown. Bruszewski is logging 4.7 points and 2.5 rebounds per game, collecting her fourth double-figure scoring performance of the season with 10 points and six rebounds on Feb. 10 vs. 15th-ranked Pittsburgh.

Spreading The Wealth

One of the hallmarks of Notre Dame's squad this season is its balance and depth. That's been particularly evident, as six different players from all five floor positions and all four classes have led the team in scoring at least once. Senior point guard **Tulyah Gaines** became the latest new scoring leader for the Irish with 13 points vs. No. 15 Pittsburgh (Feb. 10) and a season-high 22 points vs. Marquette (Feb. 13).

Double Trouble

Notre Dame's balance this season can best be seen in its point distribution. No fewer than 10 of the 11 Irish players on this year's roster have scored in double figures at least once this season, with only senior guard **Amanda Tsipis** yet to crack the 10-point mark.

Notre Dame also has had at least three double-figure scorers in all but four games (Purdue, No. 3 Tennessee, No. 16 West Virginia, No. 5/4 Rutgers) this year, with a season-high seven in double digits at Georgetown (the most in one game for the Irish since Feb. 6, 1997 vs. Syracuse).

What's more, the Irish fielded five double-figure scorers in three consecutive games from Nov. 20-27. It's believed to be the first time in school history (and certainly the first time in the **Muffet McGraw** era) the Irish have pulled off that feat of three straight games with five double-digit scorers, although records are incomplete prior to the 1983-84 season.

Protecting The Pill

Notre Dame has been sharp at the offensive end this season, thanks in large part to its ability to take care of the basketball. The Irish rank 20th in the nation with just 14.4 turnovers per game and have been charged with 20 or more turnovers just twice in the past 42 games (20 at Louisville on Jan. 8; 23 vs. Marquette on Feb. 13).

The Irish took ball protection to a new level in their loss at No. 3 Maryland on Nov. 16. Notre Dame set a school record with only three turnovers against the Terrapins, with two of those giveaways coming on offensive fouls. The previous school record for fewest turnovers was six, set on Feb. 12, 2006 at DePaul.

With only three turnovers, it probably comes as no surprise that Maryland did not register a

steal against Notre Dame. However, what is surprising is that it was the first time in the 31-year history of the Irish program that an opponent did not record a steal against Notre Dame. Several opponents had only one steal vs. the Irish, with the most recent being Boston College on March 19, 2006 in the first round of the NCAA Tournament (played at West Lafayette, Ind.).

Piping Hot Turnovers

Notre Dame is forcing 22.1 turnovers per night and currently leads the BIG EAST with a +7.69 turnover margin, more than three takeaways better than second-place Connecticut. The Irish have caused at least 20 turnovers in 16 games this season, including a season-high 33 takeaways against Boston College on Nov. 24.

Notre Dame has made even the strongest ball-handling teams struggle this season. In fact, Villanova came into its Jan. 16 game at the Joyce Center leading the nation with only 11.2 turnovers per game. However, the Wildcats left town with 24 turnovers, their highest single-game giveaway mark in more than six years (Dec. 1, 2001 at Temple).

The Five-Finger Discount

Notre Dame ranks second in the BIG EAST Conference and 17th nationally in steals, averaging 11.96 thefts per game (11.08 in conference play), including eight games this season where the Irish had at least 15 steals. What's more, Notre Dame's season-high 23 steals vs. Providence on Jan. 30 were the most for the Irish in a single game since Jan. 28, 1995 (23 vs. Wisconsin-Milwaukee at the Joyce Center), and only one off the BIG EAST record.

Individually, the Irish have seven players with at least 25 steals this season. Senior guard **Charel Allen** leads the way with 53, ranking ninth in the BIG EAST in that category (2.04 spg). Allen has been especially potent of late with 18 steals in the past six games (3.0 spg), including a career-high six in the win over Providence.

Notre Dame tied Connecticut for the BIG EAST title in steals last season (9.69 spg. in league play; 10.47 overall), the first time the Irish won a conference steals crown since 1989-90, when they led the Horizon League with 10.93 steals per game.

Off And Running

Notre Dame has wasted little time in jumping ahead of its opponents this season. In eight of their 20 wins, the Irish have opened up a double-digit lead less than 12 minutes into the game, while other first-half runs against

ND First-Half Scoring Runs

Miami (Ohio)	30-4 (20:00 to 9:30)
W. Kentucky	18-5 (20:00 to 12:59)
@ Maryland	10-0 (18:47 to 15:47)
@ C. Michigan	20-0 (5:37 to 1:04)
Boston College	18-4 (20:00 to 13:57)
Canisius	14-0 (11:39 to 6:50)
Michigan	21-4 (17:32 to 11:40)
@ Bowling Green	18-3 (10:03 to 3:59)
Valparaiso	15-2 (8:37 to 4:04)
Saint Francis (Pa.)	17-2 (20:00 to 13:41)
Villanova	16-6 (13:58 to 9:55)
@ Georgetown	15-3 (17:07 to 14:19)
Providence	20-2 (13:10 to 8:20)
@ Cincinnati	21-0 (4:53 to 13:21*)
Pittsburgh	11-0 (11:15 to 5:09)
Marquette	21-1 (10:15 to 3:29)
@ Rutgers	14-2 (5:31 to 17:47*)

* - run continued into 2nd half

Central Michigan (20-0), Bowling Green (18-3),

2007-08 Trends

Day of the Week

Sunday	2-2
Monday	0-0
Tuesday	4-2
Wednesday	6-0
Thursday	0-0
Friday	2-1
Saturday	6-1

Time of Game

Day games (before 6 p.m. local time)	7-2
Night games (6 p.m. or later local time)	13-4

Location

Home games	11-3
Road games	9-3
Neutral site games	0-0

Halftime score

Leading at the half	17-0
Tied at the half	2-1
Trailing at the half	1-5

Individual scoring

Two or fewer double-figure scorers	1-3
Three double-figure scorers	6-2
Four double-figure scorers	6-1
Five or more double-figure scorers	7-0

Rebounding margin

Grab more rebounds than opponents	15-2
Grab same number of rebounds as opponents	0-0
Grab fewer rebounds than opponents	5-4

Field goal shooting

Higher pct. than opponent	19-0
Lower pct. than opponent	1-6
Shoot 45% or better	13-0
Shoot less than 45%	7-6
Hold opponent under 40%	12-1

Free throw margin

Make more free throws	15-3
Make same number of free throws	1-0
Make fewer free throws	4-3

Turnovers

Commit fewer turnovers	19-4
Commit same number of turnovers	0-1
Commit more turnovers	1-1

Miscellaneous

Vs. Top 25 (AP or ESPN/USA Today polls)	2-6
On television	5-5
In white jerseys	11-2
In alternate white jerseys	0-1
In blue jerseys	9-3
In green jerseys	0-0

Margin of Victory

1-5 points	1-1
6-10 points	1-2
11-15 points	4-0
16-20 points	2-2
21+ points	12-1
In overtime games	1-0

Conference Affiliation

Atlantic Coast	1-1
Atlantic 10	1-0
BIG EAST	8-4
Big Ten	2-0
Horizon League	1-0
Metro Atlantic Athletic	1-0
Mid-American	3-0
Northeast	1-0
Southeastern	0-1
Summit League	1-0
Sun Belt	1-0

Month

November	5-1
December	6-0
January	5-4
February	4-1
March	0-0





BIG EAST Teleconference

The BIG EAST Conference women's basketball coaches will hold five media teleconferences during the 2007-08 season.

The remaining teleconference for this season will begin at 10 a.m. (ET) and will be held on: March 6 (pre-championship).

Here is a complete listing of the times when each BIG EAST coach will be available (all times Eastern and subject to change):

- 10:00 a.m. - Quentin Hillsman, Syracuse
10:06 a.m. - Jose Fernandez, South Florida
10:12 a.m. - Muffet McGraw, Notre Dame
10:18 a.m. - Phil Seymore, Providence
10:24 a.m. - Jeff Walz, Louisville
10:30 a.m. - Harry Perretta, Villanova
10:36 a.m. - Phyllis Mangina, Seton Hall
10:42 a.m. - Agnus Berenato, Pittsburgh
10:48 a.m. - Geno Auriemma, Connecticut
10:54 a.m. - J. Kelley Hall, Cincinnati
11:00 a.m. - Terri Williams-Flournoy, Georgetown
11:06 a.m. - Doug Bruno, DePaul
11:12 a.m. - Mike Carey, West Virginia
11:18 a.m. - Kim Barnes Arico, St. John's
11:24 a.m. - Terri Mitchell, Marquette
11:30 a.m. - C. Vivian Stringer, Rutgers

Once again this season, the coaches' teleconference will be available via the BIG EAST Conference web site. Users can listen to the question and answer session live or replayed - check the BIG EAST web site (www.bigeast.org) for details.

Top Joyce Center Crowds

Table with 5 columns: Rk., Date, Opponent, Result, Atten. It lists game results and attendance figures for various opponents.

* - indicates capacity crowd // rankings from AP poll
Boldface indicates game played this season



Villanova (16-6), Georgetown (15-3) and Marquette (21-1) aided those wins.

Even in its defeat at third-ranked Maryland on Nov. 16, Notre Dame made a statement early with a 10-0 run in the first five minutes of action and led by as many as five points in the first half before the Terrapins rallied back for the win.

Keeping It On The Plus Side

Notre Dame has registered a positive assist-to-turnover ratio in 15 games this season and ranks fourth in the BIG EAST (10th nationally) with a 1.12 assist-to-turnover ratio.

Allen Climbing Irish Points Ladder

Senior guard Charel Allen continues to make her way up Notre Dame's all-time scoring list, currently standing 11th with 1,425 points and just five points away from moving into the top 10 on the Irish career scoring charts.

ND Career Scoring List table with 2 columns: Rank, Name (Year-Range), Points. Lists players like Trena Keys, Sandy Botham, etc.

Peters To Miss Rest Of 2007-08 Season

Freshman forward Devereaux Peters will miss the remainder of the 2007-08 women's basketball season after injuring her left knee in the second half of Notre Dame's 81-66 win over No. 15 Pittsburgh on Feb. 10 at the Joyce Center.

At the time of her injury, Peters ranked fourth on the team in scoring at 9.0 points per game, second in rebounding (5.6 rpg) and third in steals (1.7 spg). She also ranked among the BIG EAST leaders in blocked shots (3rd - 1.96 bpg.) and field goal percentage (10th - .522).

What's more, her total blocks (45) and blocks-per-game average rank third all-time among Irish freshmen, trailing only Shari Matvey (94 blocks, 3.1 bpg. in 1979-80) and Ruth Riley (71 blocks, 2.2 bpg. in 1997-98).

Polling Station

Notre Dame is ranked 14th in this week's Associated Press Top 25 poll, rising two places from last week's survey. This week's ranking matches the best of the season for the Irish,

and their highest in the media poll since the week of Jan. 2, 2006, when they were ranked 12th prior to losses at St. John's (66-63) and home vs. Seton Hall (74-61).

Notre Dame now has been ranked in the AP poll for 155 weeks during the program's history, with every one of those appearances coming in the Muffet McGraw era. McGraw currently ranks 14th among all active NCAA Division I head coaches for weeks in the AP poll, and also stands 25th all-time in that category.

The Irish also were in the ESPN/USA Today coaches poll for the 14th consecutive time last week, moving up one spot to 16th in the previous week's balloting. Notre Dame's No. 14 rankings on Jan. 2-8 were the highest poll position for Notre Dame in two years, when the Irish were tabbed 12th by the coaches prior to the aforementioned losses to St. John's and Seton Hall.

More Polling Data

Notre Dame head coach Muffet McGraw is one of 23 people in NCAA Division I women's basketball history who have both played for and coached a team that has appeared in the Associated Press Top 25 poll. Besides her 155 AP poll appearances while coaching at Notre Dame, McGraw was the starting point guard at Saint Joseph's (Pa.) as a senior in 1977, helping the Hawks rise to No. 3 in the nation. Of the 23 people on this elite list, 12 are currently NCAA Division I head coaches.

AP Poll Appearances Active D-I Coaches

- 1. Summitt (Tenn) 538
2. Landers (UGa) 429
3. Stringer (RU) 372
13. Blair (TAMU) 186
14. McGraw (ND) 155
15. Larry (ODU) 139

All-Time D-I Coaches

- 1. Summitt (Tenn) 538
2. Landers (UGa) 429
3. Conradt (Texas) 395
23. Sanderford (WKU) 182
24. Washington (KU) 176
25. McGraw (ND) 155

NOTE: totals through Feb. 18 poll

AP Poll Appearances As Player & Coach (active coaches only)

- June Daugherty (Wash. St.)
Nell Fortner (Auburn)
MaChelle Joseph (Ga. Tech)
Wendy Larry (ODU)
Joanne McCallie (Duke)
Kathy McConnell-Miller (CU)
Muffet McGraw (ND)
Kim Mulkey (Baylor)
Kathy Olivier (UCLA)
Bev Smith (Oregon)
Dawn Staley (Temple)
Charli Turner Thorne (Ariz. St.)

NOTES: only current teams listed
... all coaches shown have made AP poll with current teams except Daugherty (did so at Washington)
... Larry and Smith are coaching at their alma maters.

Crowded House

The Jan. 27 game vs. Connecticut was the fifth women's basketball sellout (11,418) in school history and second this season (also Jan. 5 vs. Tennessee). It also is the second time in school history Notre Dame has posted multiple sellouts in one season, having also done so in 2000-01 (Connecticut and Georgetown).

In addition, the Jan. 27 audience marked the first time the Irish have attracted three crowds of 10,000 fans in the same season, as 10,825 fans took in the Dec. 2 win over Michigan.

Clutch When It Counts

Notre Dame is 79-of-98 (.806) from the free throw line in the final two minutes (plus overtime)



this season, including an impressive 14-of-16 (.875) display in the Feb. 10 win over No. 15 Pittsburgh.

Among those with a minimum of 10 attempts, senior guard **Tulyah Gaines** leads the way with an .824 free throw percentage (14-of-17) in crunch time. Also worth noting — even after missing two free throws at Syracuse on Feb. 16, sophomore guard **Ashley Barlow** is 21-of-26 (.808) in her career when toeing the line down the stretch.

ND Free Throws In Final 2 Minutes + OT		
Peters	4-4	1.000
Schrader	2-2	1.000
Williamson	2-2	1.000
Tsipis	7-8	.875
Gaines	14-17	.824
Bruszewski	12-15	.800
Lechlitner	8-10	.800
Barlow	11-14	.786
Mallory	11-14	.786
Allen	8-12	.667
TOTAL	79-98	.806

Start Me Up

Notre Dame's 13-2 start matched the second-best 15-game mark in the program's 31-year history. In 2000-01, the Irish opened with 23 consecutive victories, en route to their first-ever No. 1 ranking and eventually, the program's first national championship.

The last time Notre Dame got off to a 13-2 start was the 2004-05 season, when the Irish won their first seven games (including the Preseason WNIT title) before a Dec. 2 overtime loss to 15th-ranked Michigan State.

Best 15-Game Records	
15-0.....	2000-01
◆13-2.....	five times (most recently: 2007-08)

Notre Dame (which rose as high as third in the national polls that season) then reeled off six more wins before suffering consecutive loss at Villanova (59-54) and home vs. No. 16 Connecticut (67-50). However, the Irish rebounded with a 10-game win streak, finishing the year at 27-6 and advancing to the second round of the NCAA Tournament.

Notre Dame posted a 13-2 record on three other occasions, also doing so in 1999-2000 (27-5, NCAA Sweet 16), 1998-99 (26-5, NCAA second round) and 1977-78 (13-4, program's first varsity season when playing at AIAW Division III level).

We're Going Streaking!

Notre Dame's 10-game win streak from Nov. 20-Jan. 2 was its longest since a similar 10-game run from Jan. 16-Feb. 15, 2005. The Irish now have amassed 10 double-digit win streaks in program history (eight in the **Muffet McGraw** era), led by the school-record 23-game success string to open the 2000-01 national championship season.

ND Double-Digit Winning Streaks	
23.....	2000-01
20.....	1999-00
15.....	1990-91
12.....	1989-90
11.....	1998-99
◆10.....	five times (most recently: 2007-08)

Notre Dame also won six consecutive road games earlier this season (Nov. 20-Jan. 2). That was the longest run for the Irish away from the Joyce Center since a 10-game run from Nov. 17, 2000 to Feb. 14, 2001, a streak that ended with a 54-53 loss at No. 11/14 Rutgers (one of only two defeats for the Irish on their run to the NCAA title).

No Easy Road

Notre Dame has always played a difficult schedule, using it as a means of preparation for future tests in both the BIG EAST Conference and the postseason. However, this year's slate could be one of the more rugged ones in recent memory.

With the addition of Maryland to the docket in the Preseason WNIT semifinals (75-59 loss on Nov. 16), the Irish now will face four of the top five teams in the latest Associated Press poll. Besides the Terrapins (currently No. 4), Notre Dame also has or will play No. 1 Connecticut (lost 81-64 on Jan. 27 at the Joyce Center), No. 3 Tennessee (lost 87-63 on Jan. 5 at the Joyce Center), and No. 5 Rutgers (lost 57-51 on Feb. 19 in Piscataway, N.J.). Three of the top four teams in the poll have combined to win five of the past six national championships, with Tennessee currently holding the hardware after defeating Rutgers in last year's title game.

Game #26 Recap: Rutgers

Epiphany Prince scored 18 points, **Matee Ajavon** added 15 and No. 5/4 Rutgers overcame an eight-minute scoreless drought to beat No. 14 Notre Dame 57-51 on Tuesday night in Piscataway, N.J.

Notre Dame (20-6, 8-4 BIG EAST), which is known for its potent offense that averages nearly 80 points, played stellar defense. The Irish held Rutgers without a field goal for nearly 11 minutes spanning halftime as the Scarlet Knights (21-4, 11-1) were stymied by Notre Dame's zone defense.

Kia Vaughn, who finished with 14 points, finally broke the offensive drought with a put-back 4 1/2 minutes into the second half that cut Rutgers' deficit to 28-26. That basket started a 17-5 run over the next seven minutes for the Scarlet Knights. Prince capped the spurt with a three-point play that gave Rutgers a 41-33 lead with 8:49 left. Notre Dame would get no closer than four points the rest of the game.

Senior guard **Charel Allen** scored 18 points and junior guard **Lindsay Schrader** added 10 and a game-high eight rebounds for the Irish.

It was a sloppy first half with the teams combining for 19 turnovers and missing shot after shot. After a forgettable first 12 minutes, Rutgers used a 9-0 run to turn a one-point deficit into a 22-14 lead with 6:21 left. Those were the last points the Scarlet Knights' would score in the half.

Notre Dame scored the last eight points of the half, including a jumper by Allen at the buzzer to tie the game at 22.

Prince had 11 points on 5-for-5 shooting in the first half and Ajavon added seven points. The rest of the Scarlet Knights were a combined 2-for-16 from the field.

Noting The Rutgers Game

- Four of Notre Dame's six losses this season have come at the hands of top-five opponents (also No. 1 Connecticut, No. 3 Maryland and No. 3 Tennessee), with the Rutgers defeat the closest of those four.
- It's also the 11th time in the 24-game series with RU that a game was decided by single digits, with this being the closest game since

Fall Signees

Notre Dame head coach **Muffet McGraw** announced Nov. 14 that three of the country's top high school student-athletes have chosen to continue their academic and athletic careers with the Irish, each signing a National Letter of Intent to attend Notre Dame beginning in the fall of 2008. **Natalie Novosel** (last name pronounced *KNOW-vuh-sell*), a 5-11 guard from Lexington, Ky. (Lexington Catholic High School), **Erica Solomon**, a 6-2 power forward from Oak Park, Mich. (Detroit Country Day School) and **Kellie Watson**, a 6-2 small forward from Ionia, Mich. (Ionia High School) all committed to the Irish during the early signing period.

All three student-athletes are rated among the top 35 players in the country by various national recruiting services. The four major recruiting outlets all have ranked this year's Irish class among the top 25 in the nation (peaking at eighth by *Dan Olsen Collegiate Girls Basketball Report*) with an average ranking of 15th. As a result, Notre Dame now has fielded a Top 25 recruiting class for the 12th consecutive year, a streak only two other schools (Connecticut and Tennessee) can match.

A capsule look at the three newest additions to the Notre Dame women's basketball program follows:

NATALIE NOVOSEL, 5-11, Guard (Lexington, Ky./Lexington Catholic HS)

Statistics/Records: 17.9 ppg., 8.5 rpg., 4.4 apg., 3.8 spg., .583 FG% (13th in state), .787 FT% (20th in state) last season at Lexington Catholic High School in Lexington, Ky. ... began playing on LCHS varsity as an eighth-grader ... has led team to state titles in 2005 and 2006 ... team posted 36-1 record in 2004-05 and was ranked as high as sixth in *USA Today Super 25* poll; team went 35-1 in 2005-06 and peaked at third in *USA Today Super 25* poll ... team compiled 30-4 record last season before being upset in regional title game ... posted career single-game highs of 31 points, 15 rebounds, 11 steals and nine assists during her prep tenure ... averaged 12.4 points and 6.1 rebounds per game as a sophomore ... played for Tennessee Flight Silver AAU squad (formerly coached by Matt Insell) that won a pair of titles this past summer — prestigious End of the Trail tournament in Oregon City, Ore. (Novosel hit two free throws with six seconds left to seal semifinal win), and Midwest Showdown in Mason, Ohio.

Awards/Honors: Ranked 32nd in nation by *All-Star Girls Report* ... ranked 43rd in nation/four-star player (13th among guards) by *Hoopgurlz.com* ... ranked 47th in nation by *Blue Star Basketball* ... ranked 71st in nation (11th among off-guards) by *Dan Olson Collegiate Girls Basketball Report* ... two-time *Street & Smith's* preseason honorable mention All-American ... two-time all-state selection ... preseason candidate for 2008 Kentucky Miss Basketball.

ERICA SOLOMON, 6-2, Power Forward (Oak Park, Mich./Detroit Country Day)

Statistics/Records: 15.0 ppg., 12.0 rpg., 5.0 bpg. as a sophomore at Detroit Country Day School in Beverly Hills, Mich. ... limited much of last season while recovering from knee injury (torn ACL in February 2006) ... not often seen by recruiting services because Michigan had fall basketball season prior to 2007-08.

Awards/Honors: Ranked 18th in nation (fifth among power forwards) by *Dan Olson Collegiate Girls Basketball Report* ... ranked 52nd in nation by *Blue Star Basketball* ... ranked 68th in nation by *All-Star Girls Report* ... ranked 70th in nation/four-star player (seventh among posts) by *Hoopgurlz.com* ... two-time *Street & Smith's* preseason honorable mention All-America selection ... three-time all-state selection (first team in 2006) ... three-time all-county selection ... adidas Top Ten Camp Upperclass All-Star (2007) ... helped team to Class B state title as a freshman in 2004-05 ... team has been ranked nationally in *USA Today Super 25* poll each of her three seasons to date ... preseason candidate for 2008 Michigan Miss Basketball ... played AAU ball with Motor City Suns, coached by Willie Riley.

KELLIE WATSON, 6-2, Small Forward (Ionia, Mich./Ionia HS)

Statistics/Records: 19.0 ppg., 8.0 rpg., 3.0 bpg., .486 FG% during three-year prep career at Ionia High School in Ionia, Mich. ... averaged 23.9 points, 8.5 rebounds and 3.0 blocks per game last season despite playing only 14 games due to shoulder surgery (since recovered completely) ... owns school record for career points (1,160 entering senior season) and points in a single game (41) ... led state of Michigan in three-point percentage as a freshman (.452) ... once scored 52 points in Michigan 11U AAU game ... not often seen by recruiting services because Michigan had fall basketball season prior to 2007-08 ... also a standout softball player who holds single-season school records for doubles (86) and triples (27).

Awards/Honors: Ranked 35th in nation (sixth among small forwards) by *Dan Olson Collegiate Girls Basketball Report* ... 2006 *Lansing State Journal Player of the Year* ... 2006 *Lansing State Journal Dream Team* ... three-time all-state selection ... three-time all-city choice ... three-time all-conference honoree ... preseason candidate for 2008 Michigan Miss Basketball ... also lauded for her play on the softball diamond, as two-time all-state, three-time all-city and three-time all-conference pick.





Notre Dame Student-Athletes Rank Among Nation's Best

Eighteen of 22 athletics programs at the University of Notre Dame compiled graduation rates of 100 percent, and none were below 90 percent, according to the third year of Graduation Success Rate measurements developed by the NCAA and released Oct. 3.

None of the 120 Division I-A football-playing programs in the country had a higher percentage of 100 GSR scores than did Notre Dame with its .818 figure.

NCAA figures showed that, among Notre Dame's men's sports, baseball, cross country/track, fencing, ice hockey, soccer, swimming and tennis achieved 100 percent GSR scores. Lacrosse scored 97 percent, football scored 93 percent, golf was 91 percent and basketball was 91 percent. The same seven Irish men's programs also scored 100 percent in both the 2005 and 2006 data.

All 11 Irish women's programs posted a GSR of 100 percent — basketball, cross country/track, fencing, golf, lacrosse, rowing, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis and volleyball. That's one more perfect score than a year ago for the Irish women, after soccer scored a 94 percent GSR in 2006.

Rowing, like men's lacrosse, was included for the first time last year in 2006 for Notre Dame, because the University offered grants in aid during the years covered in the survey. Beyond rowing, the other nine Irish women's programs earning 100 percent ratings in 2006 also earned 100 percent figures in 2005.

In 2005, among the 119 NCAA Division I-A football-playing institutions, Notre Dame had the highest percentage of its sports with 100 percent scores, with a .800 figure (16 of 20). The 2006 data put Notre Dame's percentage at .773 (17 of 22), to rank second behind the U.S. Naval Academy. The 2007 data put Notre Dame's percentage at .818 (18 of 22), which again ranks number one.

The GSR was created two years ago by the NCAA to more accurately reflect actual graduation rates by including transfer data in the calculation. The graduation rate methodology used by the Department of Education counts all student-athletes who transfer from or leave an institution for any reason as non-graduates from their initial school, even if they leave in good academic standing.

The 2007 national GSR for Division I-A is 77 percent, the same as a year ago (up one percent from 76 in 2005).

The 2007 GSR data is based on entering classes from 1997 to 2000. The 2006 GSR data was based on entering classes from 1996 to 1999. The 2005 first-year GSR data was based upon the entering classes from 1995 to 1998.

Academic All-Americans

Entering the 2007-08 academic year, Notre Dame ranks second in the nation with 193 Academic All-America® selections, including 10 last year alone. The Academic All-America® Program is administered by the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA), whose membership votes on the award winners, and the program is sponsored this year by *ESPN The Magazine*.

The Notre Dame women's basketball program has produced five Academic All-America® honorees in its 31-year history, with those five players winning a total of seven citations. In addition, two-time first-team Academic All-America® pick **Ruth Riley** was tapped as the 2001 Academic All-America® Women's Basketball Team Member of the Year, as well as the Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year. Riley also is one of only 10 student-athletes in Notre Dame history to earn All-American and Academic All-America® honors twice in her career.

In 2006, **Megan Duffy** was named a first-team Academic All-America® selection, becoming the second Irish player ever to attain that distinction. Duffy graduated in May 2006 with a 3.576 grade-point average (GPA) and a degree in psychology and computer applications from Notre Dame's College of Arts and Letters. She also garnered Dean's List honors in four of her final five semesters (spring 2004, fall 2004, spring 2005, fall 2005).

ND Women's Basketball Academic All-Americans

Megan Duffy	2006 (First Team)
Maggie Lally	1980, 1981 (Second Team)
Shari Matvey	1981 (Second Team)
Ruth Riley	2000, 2001* (First Team)
Mary Beth Schueth	1983 (Second Team)

* = also Academic All-America® Women's Basketball Team Member of the Year and Academic All-America® Team Member of the Year



Academics

a 51-45 Scarlet Knights' win on March 7, 2004, in the BIG EAST Championship quarterfinals at Hartford, Conn.

- The Irish held Rutgers to its second-lowest first-half point total of the season, and lowest in BIG EAST play (19 at Duke on Dec. 6).

Irish Picked Fifth In BIG EAST Poll

Notre Dame was projected to finish fifth in the BIG EAST Conference this season, according to a preseason vote of the league's 16 head coaches that was announced Oct. 25 during BIG EAST Women's Basketball Media Day at the ESPNZone in New York City. The Irish collected 165 points, with Connecticut (15 first-place votes, 225 points), Rutgers (one first-place vote, 211 points), West Virginia (186 points) and Pittsburgh (169 points) joining Notre Dame in the top five.

Senior guard **Charel Allen** was one of 11 players selected to this year's Preseason All-BIG EAST Team. Allen averaged a team-high 17.0 points and 6.2 rebounds per game last season and ranked second in the BIG EAST with 19.3 points per game in league play. She went on to earn first-team all-BIG EAST and honorable mention All-America laurels, while helping the Irish go 20-12 and reach the second round of the NCAA Tournament.

Half And Half

During the past eight seasons, Notre Dame has been nearly unbeatable when it has the lead at halftime. The Irish are 141-12 (.922) since the start of the 2000-01 campaign when they go into the dressing room with the lead, including wins in 69 of their last 75 such contests. Notre Dame has earned 17 victories in as many games after taking the lead to the locker room.

The Best Offense Is A Good Defense...

During the past 13 seasons, Notre Dame has discovered that a solid defensive effort can almost certainly guarantee a victory. In fact, since the beginning of the 1995-96 season (Notre Dame's first in the BIG EAST Conference), the Irish have a 182-12 (.938) record when they hold their opponents to less than 60 points in a game.

Notre Dame is 14-2 this year when holding opponents below 60 points, with losses at No. 16 West Virginia (56-50 on Jan. 13) and No. 5/4 Rutgers (57-51 on Feb. 19) the exceptions.

...But Sometimes You Have To Score If You Want To Win

Not resting solely on its defensive laurels, Notre Dame also seemingly has found the magic mark when it comes to outscoring its opponents. During the past 13 seasons (1995-96 to present), the Irish are 113-4 (.966) when they score at least 80 points in a game. The only blemishes on that record are a pair of overtime losses to Texas A&M (88-84) and Michigan State (87-83) in 1995, a 106-81 loss to Connecticut in 1998, and a 81-80 loss to DePaul earlier this year (Jan. 22).

Notre Dame has won 13 of 14 games this season when it reaches the 80-point mark.

Now That's A Home Court Advantage

One of the hallmarks of Notre Dame's success has been its stellar play at home. In fact, the Irish have been virtually untouchable at home in recent years, winning 160 of their last 181 games (.884) at the 11,418-seat Joyce Center, including winning streaks of 51 and 25 games in that span. Notre Dame also has a 91-15 (.858) record in BIG EAST Conference play at the Joyce Center, sporting a 31-game league winning streak at home before it ended with a 48-45 loss to Villanova in the '02 home finale.

The Irish have been particularly strong when it comes to non-conference games at home, winning 71 of their last 77 non-BIG EAST contests (.922) at the Joyce Center, dating back to the 1994-95 season. Four of the losses in that span came at the hands of Big Ten Conference opponents — Wisconsin in 1996 (81-69), Purdue in 2003 (71-54), Michigan State in 2004 (82-73, ot) and Indiana in 2006 (54-51) — with the other two defeats coming to Tennessee (62-51 in 2005; 87-63 in 2008). The Purdue loss also snapped a 33-game non-conference home winning streak which began after the UW setback.

Since its inaugural season in 1977-78, Notre Dame has played all of its games at the Joyce Center, posting a 310-82 (.791) record at the venerable facility. Three times (1999-2000, 2000-01 and 2003-04), the Irish went a perfect 15-0 at home, setting a school record for home wins in a season. For the third time in four years, and the second consecutive season, Notre Dame will equal the most regular-season home games (16) in school history. However, in 2004-05, the Irish played host to all four rounds of the Preseason WNIT before its regular 12-game home slate began. Notre Dame also played two Preseason WNIT games at home this year, in addition to its previously-scheduled 14-game Joyce Center docket.

Notre Dame On The Small Screen

Notre Dame will have a school-record 22 regular-season games televised during the upcoming 2007-08 season. Highlighting this year's television schedule are nine nationally-televised Irish women's basketball contests, including one appearance on CBS (Jan. 5 vs. Tennessee), four games on the ESPN family of networks, and another four contests on CSTV.

In addition, Notre Dame has expanded its broadcast reach globally on the Internet. All Irish home games (11 regular-season, two exhibition) that have not been selected for commercial TV coverage will air live on the Notre Dame athletics web site, *UND.com*.

This year's TV slate continues a recent trend that has seen the Irish become a regular fixture on television. Since the start of its 2000-01 NCAA championship season (and including this year's broadcasts to date), Notre Dame now has played in 109 televised games, including 60 that were broadcast nationally.

Oh Captain, My Captain

Senior guards **Charel Allen**, **Tulyah Gaines** and **Amanda Tsipis** are team captains for the 2007-08 season. Gaines is in her second year as a captain for the Irish, while Allen and



Tsipis are first-time captains. All three players received the captain's honor through a vote of their teammates prior to the season.

Joyce Center Arena Renovation On Tap

On Oct. 3, 2007, Notre Dame announced that construction on the Joyce Center arena addition and renovation will begin in September 2008. The University has selected the architects for the project, and they currently are in the process of completing final design plans.

The first phase of the project, to begin this September, involves construction of a new three-story structure at the south end of the arena. That structure will include a new two-story lobby, the Notre Dame ticket operations (approximately 4,500 square feet) and a varsity shop to sell apparel and souvenirs (approximately 3,000 square feet), in addition to a new club seating and hospitality area.

Replacement of the Joyce Center arena seating, including installation of chair-back seating throughout the arena, is expected to take place after the University's Commencement Exercises in May 2009. The project is scheduled for completion in January 2010. The arena is expected to re-open by mid-October 2009, in time for the start of the men's and women's basketball seasons and the end of the women's volleyball season.

The University announced last October that this \$26.3 million project had received a \$12.5 million leadership gift from Notre Dame alumnus and Trustee **Philip J. Purcell III**. A month later, another major gift of \$5 million from Notre Dame graduate **Vincent J. Naimoli** was announced.

The arena will be named Purcell Pavilion at the Joyce Center — and the new club/hospitality area and two outdoor patios will be named for the Naimoli family.

Irish Fans Crave A Big Mac Attack

Notre Dame has introduced a new promotion this season, offering fans a coupon for a free Big Mac from South Bend-area McDonald's restaurants if the Irish score at least 88 points in a game. The coupons are issued at the Joyce Center gates as fans leave the arena following the game.

This season's burger watch is at seven, as the Irish have hit the 88-point mark in both exhibition wins, as well as regular-season victories over Miami (Ohio), Boston College, Canisius, Valparaiso and Marquette.

It's probably also not a surprise that the Notre Dame player with the most "Big Mac baskets" this season has the same initials as that of the tasty burger — freshman guard **Brittany Mallory**, who has sent the crowd home happy (and presumably with full bellies) four times.

Friends In Need

Longtime Irish women's basketball fan and Notre Dame Office of Information Technologies employee **Patricia McAdams** continues to recuperate at the St. Joseph Regional Medical

Center in South Bend after a Jan. 13 auto accident. While returning from Notre Dame's game at West Virginia earlier in the day, Patricia was severely injured when she stopped on a highway outside Fort Wayne, Ind., to help a fellow motorist and was then struck by a car.

A loyal supporter of the Irish for many years, Patricia has assisted Notre Dame's coordinator of basketball operations **Stephanie Menio** with numerous marketing and promotional activities, and also coordinated regular bus trips for fans to see the Irish on the road.

Patricia's OIT colleagues have created a web page to update supporters on her progress: <http://oit.nd.edu/patricia>.

Notre Dame also lost a treasured friend on Jan. 22, when longtime Joyce Center clock operator **Mark Tulchinsky** passed away. Mark was a dedicated educator in the South Bend Community School Corporation, most recently serving as principal at Tarkington Traditional School. Our thoughts and prayers are with Mark, his wife, Nan (the official scorer for Notre Dame basketball), and the Tulchinsky family.

Promotional Corner

Here's a rundown of some upcoming promotions and giveaways at future Notre Dame women's basketball games this season. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the Irish athletics ticket office (second floor of the Joyce Center through Gate 1; 574-631-7356), on game day at the Gate 10 ticket windows of the Joyce Center, or via the Internet at Notre Dame's official athletics web site (UND.com). Please note — additional promotions and giveaways may be added at a later date, so consult the Notre Dame promotions web site (www.notredamepromotions.com) for the latest information:

- **Feb. 27 vs. South Florida** — Midweek Mania (buy one ticket, get one free) ... post-game autograph session courtside with selected Notre Dame players.

Next Game: South Florida

The Irish tip off "Senior Week" on Wednesday when they play host to South Florida in a 7 p.m. (ET) contest at the Joyce Center. It's the first of back-to-back games this week for Notre Dame to close out the 2007-08 home schedule and the final run at the Joyce Center for the Irish senior class.

USF (13-12, 3-9) is battling for a spot in the upcoming BIG EAST Championship, currently among a group of three teams tied for the 12th and final tournament berth. The Bulls were slated to visit Georgetown (one of the other teams in that three-way logjam) on Saturday before heading on to South Bend next week.

ND's "Big Mac Baskets"

So. Indiana	Williamson FG
Hillsdale	Mallory FT
Miami (Ohio)	Barlow FG
Boston Coll.	Mallory FG
Canisius	Mallory 3FG
Valparaiso	Mallory FT
Marquette	Allen FG

Awards & Honors

G Charel Allen

Nov. 18	Preseason WNIT All-Tournament Team
Jan. 29	Naismith Trophy Midseason Candidate List
Jan. 30	Wooden Award Midseason Candidate List
Jan. 7	BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll
Feb. 18	BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll

G Ashley Barlow

Dec. 17	BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll
Jan. 21	BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll

Irish In The Community

The Notre Dame women's basketball team has always been a leader when it comes to giving back to the community. In fact, during the 2006-07 academic year, Irish women's basketball players and coaches combined for more than 400 service hours in such diverse activities as reading to grade-school children, home construction and rehabilitation (through Habitat for Humanity and Christmas in April), motivational speaking at area Boys & Girls Clubs, basketball clinics and visits to pediatric cancer patients at local hospitals.

Even with all the focus on its strong performance on the court this season, the Notre Dame women's basketball team has taken time to give back to the northern Indiana community as well. On Dec. 20, head coach **Muffet McGraw** and the Irish held their first-ever "Dish For The Holidays" food drive. All of the Irish players and coaches manned various entrances to the Notre Dame campus that morning, collecting non-perishable food items and monetary donations that were presented to the Food Bank of Northern Indiana later in the day. In addition to eight full cartons of food (close to 4,000 pounds), the Irish also collected \$646 to help others in need around Michiana during the holidays.

Notre Dame also took part in the first-ever Women's Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA) "Think Pink" initiative to assist in raising breast cancer awareness on the court. For the Feb. 10 game vs. Pittsburgh at the Joyce Center (televised live on ESPN2), the Irish sported pink shoelaces and pink warmup t-shirts, the arena scorer's table crew wore pink polo shirts, and pink t-shirts were issued to the first 750 fans in attendance. McGraw also donated \$10 for every rebound the Irish collected in the game (42), with the \$420 total proceeds divided equally between the Kay Yow/WBCA Cancer Fund and the Susan G. Komen For The Cure foundation.

Notre Dame women's basketball players and coaches are available to speak and/or participate at community functions as their schedules permit. For more information, or to arrange for an appearance by an Irish women's basketball personality, contact coordinator of basketball operations Stephanie Menio by phone at (574) 631-3589 or by e-mail at menio.1@nd.edu.



**Notre Dame on the 2007-08 BIG EAST Conference and NCAA statistical leaderboards****Individual Statistics**

Category	BIG EAST - All Games		NCAA Division I		BIG EAST - Conference Games	
	Rank	Leader	Rank	Leader	Rank	Leader
Scoring (Top 30 BIG EAST / Top 50 NCAA)						
Charel Allen	14.3	16	23.7, Angel McCoughtry, UL	—	26.8, Amber Holt, Middle Tenn.	14.9, t-15 23.0, Angel McCoughtry, UL
Rebounding (Top 20 BIG EAST)						
Lindsay Schrader	5.9	20	10.5, Noteisha Womack, SHU	—	14.8, Courtney Paris, Oklahoma	6.1, 15 10.0, Mercedes Walker, PITT
Devereaux Peters	5.6	—	—	—	—	5.8, 19
Offensive Rebounding (Top 15 BIG EAST)						
Erica Williamson	2.27	—	4.75, Mercedes Walker, PITT	—	not kept	2.67, t-15 4.91, Mercedes Walker, PITT
Assists (Top 15 BIG EAST / Top 30 NCAA)						
Tulyah Gaines	3.81	12	7.04, Patrika Barlow, UL	—	8.8, Claire Faucher, Portland St.	— 6.42, Patrika Barlow, UL
Assist/Turnover Ratio (Top 15 BIG EAST / Top 30 NCAA)						
Tulyah Gaines	1.62	8	2.18, Ketia Swanier, UCONN	76	3.40, Kristi Cirone, Illinois State	12, 1.33 2.54, Ketia Swanier, UCONN
Steals (Top 15 BIG EAST / Top 30 NCAA)						
Charel Allen	2.04	9	4.40, Angel McCoughtry, UL	—	4.7, Kyle DeHaven, Delaware	2.33, t-4 3.75, Angel McCoughtry, UL
Ashley Barlow	1.88	t-13	—	—	—	1.75, 15
Tulyah Gaines	1.65	—	—	—	—	1.83, t-12
Devereaux Peters	1.70	—	—	—	—	1.78, 14
Blocked Shots (Top 15 BIG EAST / Top 30 NCAA)						
Devereaux Peters	1.96	4	2.00, two tied at	44	5.0, Louella Tomlinson, Saint Mary's	1.44, 7 2.00, two tied at
Erica Williamson	1.00	t-15	—	—	—	—
Field Goal Percentage (Top 15 BIG EAST / Top 30 NCAA)						
Devereaux Peters	.522	8	.610, Tina Charles, UCONN	—	.645, Carolyn Swords, BC	.517, 9 .620, Tina Charles, UCONN
Lindsay Schrader	.484	15	—	—	—	.515, 10
Free Throw Percentage (Top 15 BIG EAST / Top 30 NCAA)						
Ashley Barlow	.840	5	.869, Stacie Witman, VU	38	.923, Brianna Rooney, Quinnipiac	.848, 4 .873, Monique McLean, STJ
Charel Allen	.802	8	—	95	—	.788, 12
Tulyah Gaines	.698	—	—	—	—	.781, 13
Three-Point Field Goal Percentage (Top 15 BIG EAST / Top 30 NCAA)						
Brittany Mallory	.286	—	.471, Laura Kurz, VU	—	.505, Rachel Porath, UWGB	.389, 14 .500, Maya Moore, UCONN

BIG EAST statistics (through games of Feb. 22)

NCAA statistics out of 326 Division I teams (through games of Feb. 21)

bold = BIG EAST leader OR NCAA Top 20**Team Statistics**

Category	BIG EAST - All Games		NCAA Division I		BIG EAST - Conference Games	
	Rank	Leader	Rank	Leader	Rank	Leader
Scoring Offense	78.5	3	82.7, Connecticut	6	88.3, North Carolina	76.4, 2 81.9, Connecticut
Scoring Defense	61.2	7	49.2, Connecticut	106	49.2, Connecticut	66.4, 6 54.3, Rutgers
Scoring Margin	+17.3	2	+33.5, Connecticut	10	+33.5, Connecticut	+10.0, 3 +26.9, Connecticut
FT Percentage	.759 (445-586)	1	.759, Notre Dame	23	.824, Idaho State	.798, 1 .798, Notre Dame
FG Percentage	.460 (761-1653)	3	.498, Connecticut	16	.499, Maryland	.444, 5 .492, Connecticut
FG Pct. Defense	.394 (572-1451)	7	.310, Connecticut	132	.310, Connecticut	.420, 8 .329, Connecticut
3-Point FG Pct.	.297 (74-249)	13	.389, Villanova	—	.452, Green Bay	.323, 11 .393, Villanova
3-Point FG Pct. Def.	.357 (127-356)	14	.240, Connecticut	not kept	not kept	.388, 13 .286, Connecticut
3-Point FG Made	2.85	16	10.50, Villanova	318	10.5, Villanova	2.67, 16 9.92, Villanova
Rebounding	39.3	7	46.1, Connecticut	not kept	not kept	38.2, 8 44.8, Connecticut
Opponent Rebounding	34.8	7	32.8, Connecticut	not kept	not kept	35.0, 4 31.5, Rutgers
Rebounding Margin	+4.5	6	+13.3, Connecticut	53	13.5, Oklahoma	+3.2, 5 +11.5, Connecticut
Offensive Rebounds	15.62	7	16.80, Syracuse	not kept	not kept	14.58, 6 17.75, Louisville
Defensive Rebounds	23.65	12	29.73, Connecticut	not kept	not kept	23.58, 7 29.38, Connecticut
Blocked Shots	4.31	6	5.96, Connecticut	54	7.2, North Carolina	3.92, 7 5.50, Pittsburgh
Assists	16.15	5	21.54, Connecticut	25	21.5, Connecticut	14.58, 6 21.08, Connecticut
Steals	11.96	2	12.31, Marquette	17	14.0, Georgia Tech	11.08, 2 11.69, Marquette
Turnover Margin	+7.69	1	+7.69, Notre Dame	not kept	not kept	+4.67, 1 +4.67, Notre Dame
Turnover Average	14.38	not kept	not kept	20	11.5, Villanova	not kept
Assist/Turnover Ratio	1.12	4	1.39, Connecticut	10	1.39, Connecticut	0.92, 5 1.34, Connecticut
Personal Fouls	17.31	not kept	not kept	169	12.7, Samford	not kept

BIG EAST statistics (through games of Feb. 22)

NCAA statistics out of 326 Division I teams (through games of Feb. 21)

bold = BIG EAST leader OR NCAA Top 20



2007-08 University of Notre Dame Women's Basketball Results

Overall Record: 20-6 (Home: 11-3, Away: 9-3, Neutral: 0-0); BIG EAST Conference Record: 8-4

----- Notre Dame Highs -----											
Date	ND NR	Opp NR	Opponent	Time/Result	Streak	Record	BEC	Scorer	Rebounder	Assists	Attendance
Nov. 9	24/rv		(1) MIAMI (OHIO)	W 98-50	W1	1-0		Schrader-20	Williamson-9	Lechlitner-6	6,034
Nov. 13	23/25		(1) WESTERN KENTUCKY	W 78-59	W2	2-0		Barlow-18	Peters-8	Gaines-5	5,250
Nov. 16	23/25	3/3	(1) at Maryland	L 59-75	L1	2-1		Allen-16	Schrader-8	three with 2	5,596
Nov. 20	23/24		at Central Michigan	W 94-41	W1	3-1		Bruszewski-13	Barlow-11	two with 3	771
Nov. 24	23/24		BOSTON COLLEGE	W 88-58	W2	4-1		Schrader-16	Schrader-8	Allen-8	5,960
Nov. 27	22/23		CANISIUS	W 93-47	W3	5-1		Barlow-18	Barlow-7	Barlow-6	5,593
Dec. 2	22/23		MICHIGAN	W 77-46	W4	6-1		Allen-19	Allen-7	Allen-5	10,825
Dec. 5	16/20		at Bowling Green	W 86-84 (ot)	W5	7-1		two with 17	Schrader-12	Gaines-6	2,228
Dec. 8	16/20		at Purdue ^{BTN}	W 61-48	W6	8-1		Barlow-22	Schrader-10	Allen-6	9,533
Dec. 12	17/17		VALPARAISO	W 94-56	W7	9-1		Barlow-19	two with 5	Lechlitner-7	5,791
Dec. 21	17/17		at IUPUI	W 67-44	W8	10-1		Allen-12	two with 7	Gaines-9	703
Dec. 29	16/16		SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)	W 82-39	W9	11-1		Williamson-16	two with 8	two with 5	6,405
Jan. 2	14/14		at Richmond	W 84-59	W10	12-1		Allen-18	Schrader-10	Schrader-4	1,136
Jan. 5	14/14	3/3	TENNESSEE ^{CBS}	L 63-87	L1	12-2		Allen-17	Peters-8	three with 3	11,418 (c)
Jan. 8	14/14		• at Louisville ^{CSTV}	W 82-74	W1	13-2	1-0	Allen-26	Allen-9	two with 3	5,243
Jan. 13	14/14	16/16	• at West Virginia ^{ESPNU}	L 50-56	L1	13-3	1-1	Allen-11	Barlow-6	Gaines-3	2,542
Jan. 16	17/15		• VILLANOVA	W 69-58	W1	14-3	2-1	Barlow-16	Schrader-8	three with 3	5,523
Jan. 19	17/15		• at Georgetown ^{BETV}	W 104-86	W2	15-3	3-1	Barlow-21	Schrader-7	Lechlitner-6	1,114
Jan. 22	16/16	rv/25	• DePAUL ^{CSTV}	L 80-81	L1	15-4	3-2	Barlow-23	Peters-8	two with 4	5,503
Jan. 27	16/16	1/1	• CONNECTICUT ^{ESPN2}	L 64-81	L2	15-5	3-3	Barlow-15	Peters-12	Schrader-6	11,418 (c)
Jan. 30	20/20		• PROVIDENCE	W 85-54	W1	16-5	4-3	Schrader-15	Schrader-9	two with 4	5,287
Feb. 2	20/20		• at Cincinnati	W 73-41	W2	17-5	5-3	Allen-16	Williamson-8	Allen-5	702
Feb. 10	16/17	15/15	• PITTSBURGH ^{ESPN2}	W 81-66	W3	18-5	6-3	Gaines-13	Schrader-8	Barlow-4	8,831
Feb. 13	16/16		• MARQUETTE ^{CSTV}	W 99-76	W4	19-5	7-3	Gaines-22	two with 6	Barlow-6	5,418
Feb. 16	16/16	21/23	• at Syracuse	W 79-67	W5	20-5	8-3	Allen-22	Allen-12	Gaines-8	3,013
Feb. 19	14/14	5/4	• at Rutgers ^{CSTV}	L 51-57	L1	20-6	8-4	Allen-18	Schrader-8	Gaines-5	5,027
Feb. 24			• at DePaul ^{ESPNU}	1 p.m. CT							
Feb. 27			• SOUTH FLORIDA	7 p.m. ET							
March 1			• SETON HALL	2 p.m. ET							
March 3			• at St. John's	7 p.m. ET							

BIG EAST Championship (Hartford, Conn. — XL Center)

March 8	BIG EAST First Round ^{BETV}	TBA
March 9	BIG EAST Quarterfinals ^{ESPNU}	TBA
March 10	BIG EAST Semifinals ^{ESPNU}	6/8 p.m. ET
March 11	BIG EAST Final ^{ESPN2}	7 p.m. ET

NCAA Tournament — First & Second Rounds (Sites: Albuquerque, Baton Rouge, Bridgeport, College Park, Des Moines, Norfolk, Stanford and West Lafayette)

March 22-23	First Round ^{ESPN/ESPN2}	TBA
March 24-25	Second Round ^{ESPN/ESPN2}	TBA

NCAA Tournament — Regionals (Sites: Greensboro, New Orleans, Oklahoma City and Spokane)

March 29-30	Regional Semifinals ^{ESPN/ESPN2}	TBA
March 31-April 1	Regional Finals ^{ESPN/ESPN2}	TBA

NCAA Women's Final Four — Tampa, Fla. (St. Pete Times Forum)

April 6	National Semifinals ^{ESPN}	TBA
April 8	National Championship ^{ESPN}	TBA

• = indicates BIG EAST Conference game

(1) = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)

(c) = indicates capacity crowd

NR = national ranking at tipoff (listed as Associated Press/ESPN-USA Today)

CBS = Game televised live on CBS

ESPN/ESPN2/ESPNU = Games to be televised live on ESPN, ESPN2 or ESPNU

CSTV = Games to be televised live on College Sports Television (CSTV)

BETV = Games to be televised live as part of BIG EAST regional package (check local listings)

BTN = Game televised live on Big Ten Network

Home games listed in ALL CAPS and played at Joyce Center (capacity 11,418)

2007-08 ATTENDANCE

	Totals	Avg.	High
All Games:	136,864	5,264	11,418, twice
Home:	99,256	7,090	11,418, twice
Away:	37,608	3,134	9,533 (12/8 - PUR)
Neutral:	0		

**2007-08 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Statistics — All Games****Overall Record: 20-6 (Home: 11-3, Away: 9-3, Neutral: 0-0)**

Player	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts.	Avg.
Allen, Charel	26-26	756-29.1	148-312	.474	11-33	.333	65-81	.802	42	93	135	5.2	40-0	63	51	13	53	372	14.3
Barlow, Ashley	26-26	670-25.8	103-223	.462	25-75	.333	79-94	.840	45	69	114	4.4	67-1	52	43	1	49	310	11.9
Schrader, Lindsay	26-25	694-26.7	118-244	.484	1-2	.500	41-63	.651	53	100	153	5.9	26-0	53	41	2	40	278	10.7
Peters, Devereaux	23-2	468-20.3	82-157	.522	0-0	.000	42-56	.750	57	72	129	5.6	78-5	23	40	45	39	206	9.0
Gaines, Tulyah	26-26	657-25.3	71-164	.433	2-9	.222	37-53	.698	9	43	52	2.0	53-0	99	61	1	43	181	7.0
Mallory, Brittany	25-0	413-16.5	52-145	.359	26-91	.286	36-44	.818	17	31	48	1.9	44-0	24	26	1	30	166	6.6
Williamson, Erica	26-15	398-15.3	56-120	.467	0-0	.000	57-82	.695	59	56	115	4.4	46-0	16	23	26	9	169	6.5
Lechlitner, Melissa	26-0	571-22.0	54-151	.358	7-34	.206	29-39	.744	9	37	46	1.8	27-0	72	47	3	26	144	5.5
Bruszewski, Becca	26-0	324-12.5	45-76	.592	1-2	.500	32-43	.744	32	34	66	2.5	44-0	10	24	6	12	123	4.7
D'Amico, Melissa	23-10	213-9.3	29-53	.547	0-0	.000	18-21	.857	21	28	49	2.1	23-0	5	12	14	9	76	3.3
Tsipis, Amanda	17-0	61-3.6	3-8	.375	1-3	.333	9-10	.900	3	6	9	0.5	2-0	3	4	0	1	16	0.9
Team										59	46	105	4.0				2		
Notre Dame	26	5225	761-1653	.460	74-249	.297	445-586	.759	406	615	1021	39.3	450-6	420	374	112	311	2041	78.5
Opponents	26	5225	572-1451	.394	127-356	.357	319-464	.688	350	555	905	34.8	495-12	327	574	92	185	1590	61.2

Deadball Rebounds: Notre Dame 73, Opponents 58

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	OT	Total
Notre Dame	940	1089	12	— 2041
Opponents	761	819	10	— 1590

2007-08 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Statistics — BIG EAST Games**Overall Record: 8-4 (Home: 4-2, Away: 4-2)**

Player	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts.	Avg.
Allen, Charel	12-12	367-30.6	66-150	.440	6-12	.500	41-52	.788	19	42	61	5.1	22-0	18	33	7	28	179	14.9
Barlow, Ashley	12-12	333-27.8	42-106	.396	10-35	.286	39-46	.848	22	30	52	4.3	32-0	24	25	1	21	133	11.1
Schrader, Lindsay	12-11	334-27.8	53-103	.515	0-0	.000	23-29	.793	25	48	73	6.1	13-0	26	20	2	16	129	10.8
Peters, Devereaux	9-2	161-17.9	30-58	.517	0-0	.000	22-29	.759	18	34	52	5.8	37-4	8	15	13	16	82	9.1
Williamson, Erica	12-11	225-18.8	25-58	.431	0-0	.000	39-52	.750	32	30	62	5.2	23-0	9	12	12	7	89	7.4
Gaines, Tulyah	12-12	323-26.9	32-75	.427	0-3	.000	25-32	.781	3	20	23	1.9	28-0	44	33	1	22	89	7.4
Mallory, Brittany	12-0	182-15.2	22-50	.440	14-36	.389	19-24	.792	4	11	15	1.3	20-0	10	16	1	8	77	6.4
Bruszewski, Becca	12-0	153-12.8	20-33	.606	1-2	.500	21-24	.875	14	15	29	2.4	23-0	4	11	3	4	626	5.2
Lechlitner, Melissa	12-0	252-21.0	23-69	.333	1-11	.091	14-19	.737	6	21	27	2.3	11-0	31	23	3	9	61	5.1
D'Amico, Melissa	9-0	55-6.1	3-10	.300	0-0	.000	8-8	1.000	5	9	14	1.6	10-0	1	1	4	2	14	1.6
Tsipis, Amanda	6-0	15-2.5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	0.3	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0.3
Team										26	22	48	4.0				1		
Notre Dame	12	2400	316-712	.444	32-99	.323	253-317	.798	175	283	458	38.2	219-4	175	190	47	133	917	76.4
Opponents	12	2400	293-697	.420	59-152	.388	152-236	.644	173	247	420	35.0	249-9	163	246	51	96	797	66.4

Deadball Rebounds: Notre Dame 38, Opponents 32

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Total
Notre Dame	390	527	— 917
Opponents	381	416	— 797





2007-08 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Statistics — Home Games

Overall Record: 11-3

Player	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts.	Avg.
Barlow, Ashley	14-14	364-26.0	63-128	.492	16-45	.356	47-56	.839	26	36	62	4.4	32-0	37	22	1	26	189	13.5
Allen, Charel	14-14	378-27.0	76-158	.481	5-11	.455	29-39	.744	20	42	62	4.4	20-0	37	30	6	33	186	13.3
Schrader, Lindsay	14-14	352-25.1	70-134	.522	1-2	.500	20-31	.645	27	42	69	4.9	12-0	38	19	2	24	161	11.5
Peters, Devereaux	13-0	270-20.8	50-91	.549	0-0	.000	21-27	.778	37	45	82	6.3	44-2	18	21	26	26	121	9.3
Gaines, Tulyah	14-14	356-25.4	44-93	.473	1-4	.250	20-28	.714	5	22	27	1.9	30-0	50	26	1	22	109	7.8
Mallory, Brittany	14-0	223-15.9	28-86	.326	11-49	.224	23-28	.821	12	14	26	1.9	24-0	13	17	1	16	90	6.4
Williamson, Erica	14-8	212-15.1	28-59	.475	0-0	.000	27-38	.711	30	29	59	4.2	27-0	8	8	15	4	83	5.9
Lechlitner, Melissa	14-0	304-21.7	33-82	.402	4-16	.250	13-15	.867	5	21	26	1.9	16-0	42	31	2	15	83	5.9
D'Amico, Melissa	12-6	128-10.7	21-36	.583	0-0	.000	14-16	.875	15	19	34	2.8	13-0	4	10	7	3	56	4.7
Bruszewski, Becca	14-0	171-12.2	23-34	.676	0-0	.000	15-21	.714	18	18	36	2.6	18-0	6	15	1	7	61	4.4
Tsipis, Amanda	10-0	42-4.2	3-7	.429	1-3	.333	5-6	.833	2	5	7	0.7	2-0	1	4	0	0	12	1.2
Team									26	26	52	3.7							
Notre Dame	14	2800	439-908	.483	39-130	.300	234-305	.767	223	319	542	38.7	238-2	254	203	62	176	1151	82.2
Opponents	14	2800	307-768	.400	74-195	.379	170-235	.723	181	284	465	33.2	272-6	181	329	38	113	858	61.3

Deadball Rebounds: Notre Dame 33, Opponents 26

Score by Periods

	1st	2nd	Total
Notre Dame	552	599	1151
Opponents	399	459	858

2007-08 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Statistics — Away Games

Overall Record: 9-3 (Away: 9-3, Neutral: 0-0)

Player	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts.	Avg.
Allen, Charel	12-12	378-31.5	72-154	.468	6-22	.273	36-42	.857	22	51	73	6.1	20-0	26	21	7	20	186	15.5
Barlow, Ashley	12-12	306-25.5	40-95	.421	9-30	.300	32-38	.842	19	33	52	4.3	35-1	15	21	0	23	121	10.1
Schrader, Lindsay	12-11	342-28.5	48-110	.436	0-0	.000	21-32	.656	26	58	84	7.0	14-0	15	22	0	16	117	9.8
Peters, Devereaux	10-2	198-19.8	32-66	.485	0-0	.000	21-29	.724	20	27	47	4.7	34-3	5	19	19	13	85	8.5
Williamson, Erica	12-7	186-15.5	28-61	.459	0-0	.000	30-44	.682	29	27	56	4.7	19-0	8	15	11	5	86	7.2
Mallory, Brittany	11-0	190-17.3	24-59	.407	15-42	.357	13-16	.813	5	17	22	2.0	20-0	11	9	0	14	76	6.9
Gaines, Tulyah	12-12	301-25.1	27-71	.380	1-5	.200	17-25	.680	4	21	25	2.1	23-0	49	35	0	21	72	6.0
Bruszewski, Becca	12-0	153-12.8	22-42	.524	1-2	.500	17-22	.773	14	16	30	2.5	26-0	4	9	5	5	62	5.2
Lechlitner, Melissa	12-0	267-22.3	21-69	.304	3-18	.167	16-24	.667	4	16	20	1.7	11-0	30	16	1	11	61	5.1
D'Amico, Melissa	11-4	85-7.7	8-17	.471	0-0	.000	4-5	.800	6	9	15	1.4	10-0	1	2	7	6	20	1.8
Tsipis, Amanda	7-0	19-2.7	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	4-4	1.000	1	1	2	0.3	0-0	2	0	0	1	4	0.6
Team									33	20	53	4.4			2				
Notre Dame	12	2425	322-745	.432	35-119	.294	211-281	.751	183	296	479	39.9	212-4	166	171	50	135	890	74.2
Opponents	12	2425	265-683	.388	53-161	.329	149-229	.651	169	271	440	36.7	223-6	146	245	54	72	732	61.0

Deadball Rebounds: Notre Dame 40, Opponents 32

Score by Periods

	1st	2nd	OT	Total
Notre Dame	388	490	12	890
Opponents	362	360	10	732

**2007-08 Single Game Highs & Lows****Team Superlatives**

NOTRE DAME HIGH	NOTRE DAME LOW	CATEGORY	OPPONENT HIGH	OPPONENT LOW
104 at Georgetown (1/19/08)	50 at West Virginia (1/13/08)	Points/Game	87 by Tennessee (1/5/08)	39 by Saint Francis (Pa.) (12/29/07)
56 (2nd) at Georgetown (1/19/08)	11* (1st) at West Virginia (1/13/08)	Points/Half	46 (2nd) by Tennessee (1/5/08)	14 (2nd) by Saint Francis (Pa.) (12/29/07)
41^ vs. Miami (Ohio) (11/9/07)	13 at West Virginia (1/13/08)	Field Goals Made	33 by Tennessee (1/5/08)	12 by Michigan (12/2/07)
76 vs. Miami (Ohio) (11/9/07)	46 vs. Villanova (1/16/08)	Field Goal Attempts	78 by Pittsburgh (2/10/08)	44, twice (MR: by Michigan, 12/2/07)
.643 vs. Marquette (2/13/08)	.245 at West Virginia (1/13/08)	FG Percentage	.600 by DePaul (1/22/08)	.270 by Central Michigan (11/20/07)
6, twice (MR: at Georgetown, 1/19/08)	0, twice (MR: vs. Pittsburgh, 2/10/08)	3-Point FG Made	12 by Maryland (11/16/07)	0 by IUPUI (12/21/07)
16 at West Virginia (1/13/08)	3, twice (MR: vs. Marquette, 2/13/08)	3-Point FG Attempts	22 by Michigan (12/2/07)	8, twice (MR: by Providence, 1/30/08)
.600, twice (MR: vs. DePaul, 1/22/08)	.000, twice (MR: vs. Pittsburgh, 2/10/08)	3-Point FG Percentage	.692 by Marquette (2/13/08)	.000 by IUPUI (12/21/07)
27, twice (MR: vs. Pittsburgh, 2/10/08)	4 at Maryland (11/16/07)	Free Throws Made	23 by Bowling Green (12/5/07)	3 by Villanova (1/16/08)
37 at Georgetown (1/19/08)	8 vs. Michigan (12/2/07)	Free Throw Attempts	32 by Louisville (1/8/08)	4 by Villanova (1/16/08)
.944 vs. Villanova (1/16/08)	.444 at Maryland (11/16/07)	FT Percentage	.909 by Tennessee (1/5/08)	.364 by IUPUI (12/21/07)
52 at Central Michigan (11/20/07)	25 vs. Villanova (1/16/08)	Rebounds	56** by Pittsburgh (2/10/08)	21 by Villanova (1/16/08)
27 vs. Miami (Ohio) (11/9/07)	8 at West Virginia (1/13/08)	Assists	23 by Tennessee (1/5/08)	3 by Central Michigan (11/20/07)
23 vs. Providence (1/30/08)	7, four times (MR: vs. Connecticut, 1/27/08)	Steals	14 by Marquette (2/13/08)	0* by Maryland (11/16/07)
8, three times (MR: vs. Marquette, 2/13/08)	1, twice (MR: at Purdue, 12/8/07)	Blocked Shots	7, twice (MR: by West Virginia, 1/13/08)	0 by Valparaiso (12/12/07)
23 vs. Marquette (2/13/08)	3* at Maryland (11/16/07)	Turnovers	33 by Boston College (11/24/07)	14 by Tennessee (1/5/08)
23 at Louisville (1/8/08)	11 at Purdue (12/8/07)	Fouls	31 by Georgetown (1/19/08)	12, three times (MR: by Tennessee, 1/5/08)

* = school record // ^ = Preseason WNIT record // ** = opponent Joyce Center record

Individual Superlatives

	NOTRE DAME	OPPONENT
Points Scored	26 by Charel Allen at Louisville (1/8/08)	34 by Kieraah Marlow of Georgetown (1/19/08)
Field Goals Made	10, three times (MR: by Tulyah Gaines vs. Marquette, 2/13/08)	13 by Kieraah Marlow of Georgetown (1/19/08)
Field Goal Attempts	18 by Charel Allen vs. Western Kentucky (11/13/07)	25 by Angel McCoughtry of Louisville (1/8/08)
Highest FG Percentage (min. 5 made)	1.000 (5-5) by Lindsay Schrader vs. Villanova (1/16/08)	.857 (6-7) by Lauren Prochaska of Bowling Green (12/5/07)
3-Point Field Goals Made	3, six times (MR: by Brittany Mallory at Syracuse, 2/16/08)	7* by Angie Bjorklund of Tennessee (1/5/08)
3-Point Field Goal Attempts	7, three times (MR: by Brittany Mallory at West Virginia, 1/13/08)	9, three times (MR: by Mallorie Winn of Pittsburgh, 2/10/08)
3-Point FG Percentage (min. 2 made)	.750 (3-4), twice (MR: by Ashley Barlow vs. Valparaiso, 12/12/07)	1.000 (5-5) by Lauren Prochaska of Bowling Green (12/5/07)
Free Throws Made	9 by Tulyah Gaines vs. Pittsburgh (2/10/08)	9 by Erica Morrow of Syracuse (2/16/08)
Free Throw Attempts	12 by Erica Williamson at Syracuse (2/16/08)	9, four times (MR: by Erica Morrow of Syracuse, 2/16/08)
Free Throw Percentage (min. 3 made)	1.000 (7-7) by Ashley Barlow at Purdue (12/8/07)	1.000 (9-9) by Erica Morrow of Syracuse (2/16/08)
Rebounds	12, three times (MR: by Charel Allen at Syracuse, 2/16/08)	14, twice (MR: by Mercedes Walker of Pittsburgh, 2/10/08)
Assists	9 by Tulyah Gaines at IUPUI (12/21/07)	11 by Ketia Swanier of Connecticut (1/27/08)
Steals	7 by Devereaux Peters vs. Villanova (1/16/08)	6, twice (MR: by Ashley Powell of West Virginia, 1/13/08)
Blocked Shots	5 by Devereaux Peters vs. Miami (Ohio) (11/9/07)	6 by Danielle Campbell of Purdue (12/8/07)
Turnovers	6, three times (MR: by Melissa Lechlitrer vs. Marquette, 2/13/08)	9, twice (MR: by Mi-Khida Hankins of Providence, 1/30/08)
Minutes Played	40 by Lindsay Schrader at Bowling Green (12/5/07)	43 by Tara Breske of Bowling Green (12/5/07)

* = opponent record





2007-08 Notre Dame Game-By-Game Team Statistics

Opponent (Attendance)	Overall		3-Point		FT-A	Pct.	Rebs. Off-Def-Tot	PF-DQ	A	TO	B	S	Pts
	FG-A	Pct.	FG-A	Pct.									
(1) NOTRE DAME (6,034)	41-76	.539	5-15	.333	11-17	.647	20-29-49	16-0	27	12	8	8	98
vs. Miami (Ohio)	19-68	.279	4-20	.200	8-14	.571	24-18-42	19-0	7	23	2	8	50
(1) NOTRE DAME (5,250)	30-68	.441	4-13	.308	14-19	.737	15-25-40	20-0	12	15	4	14	78
vs. Western Kentucky	21-55	.382	3-14	.214	14-18	.778	12-25-37	20-1	12	26	2	7	59
(1) Notre Dame at MARYLAND (5,596)	27-75	.360	1-12	.083	4-9	.444	18-17-35	14-0	9	3	3	7	59
NOTRE DAME	27-57	.474	12-20	.600	9-10	.900	13-33-46	16-0	18	15	5	0	75
NOTRE DAME	38-68	.559	4-12	.333	14-19	.737	14-38-52	17-0	17	15	8	10	94
at Central Michigan (771)	17-63	.270	1-13	.077	6-11	.545	13-19-32	19-0	3	22	2	3	41
NOTRE DAME (5,960)	34-73	.466	3-13	.231	17-27	.630	22-15-37	18-0	20	13	2	21	88
vs. Boston College	19-48	.396	1-8	.125	19-22	.864	16-24-40	23-0	13	33	2	5	58
NOTRE DAME (5,593)	37-72	.514	6-15	.400	13-21	.619	21-25-46	19-0	25	16	4	16	93
vs. Canisius	15-44	.341	5-14	.357	12-19	.632	8-20-28	20-0	10	29	2	7	47
NOTRE DAME (10,825)	33-62	.532	4-12	.333	7-8	.875	9-27-36	21-0	19	11	1	13	77
vs. Michigan	12-44	.273	5-22	.227	17-23	.739	9-21-30	13-1	8	22	1	5	46
NOTRE DAME	31-68	.456	4-12	.333	20-26	.769	14-23-37	21-1	15	11	6	10	86
at Bowling Green (2,228)	26-55	.473	9-18	.500	23-26	.885	8-24-32	18-1	18	15	2	4	84
NOTRE DAME	24-55	.436	3-12	.250	10-13	.769	7-29-36	11-0	15	18	1	16	61
at Purdue (9,533)	18-59	.305	4-14	.286	8-11	.727	14-25-39	12-0	12	22	7	12	48
NOTRE DAME (5,791)	35-64	.547	3-8	.375	21-24	.875	17-19-36	15-0	22	13	7	11	94
vs. Valparaiso	19-45	.422	5-10	.500	13-16	.813	8-14-22	20-0	11	27	0	9	56
NOTRE DAME	24-66	.364	0-4	.000	19-25	.760	18-24-42	12-0	17	15	6	16	67
at IUPUI (703)	20-57	.351	0-10	.000	4-11	.364	16-27-43	19-0	11	28	6	5	44
NOTRE DAME (6,405)	36-68	.529	3-12	.250	7-12	.583	19-23-42	12-0	23	13	6	8	82
vs. Saint Francis (Pa.)	13-45	.289	3-10	.300	10-12	.833	9-15-24	12-0	8	24	2	10	39
NOTRE DAME	28-62	.452	1-5	.200	27-36	.750	21-19-40	21-0	9	13	6	18	84
at Richmond (1,136)	20-48	.417	5-11	.455	14-24	.583	12-19-31	23-0	10	28	4	4	59
Notre Dame (11,418)	27-64	.422	1-5	.200	8-13	.615	16-19-35	14-1	15	16	3	10	63
vs. TENNESSEE	33-66	.500	11-20	.550	10-11	.909	15-24-39	12-0	23	14	4	10	87
• NOTRE DAME	30-61	.492	3-10	.300	19-25	.760	15-23-38	23-1	9	20	6	9	82
at Louisville (5,243)	29-69	.420	1-13	.077	15-32	.469	25-19-44	17-1	13	19	5	6	74
• Notre Dame	13-53	.245	5-16	.313	19-24	.792	9-27-36	20-1	8	18	3	10	50
at WEST VIRGINIA (2,542)	20-55	.364	3-9	.333	13-17	.765	12-31-43	18-0	8	23	7	10	56
• NOTRE DAME (5,523)	25-46	.543	2-5	.400	17-18	.944	9-16-25	12-0	13	19	4	17	69
vs. Villanova	23-47	.489	9-16	.563	3-4	.750	9-12-21	18-0	9	24	3	9	58
• NOTRE DAME	36-59	.610	6-10	.600	26-37	.703	18-19-37	22-1	20	19	2	7	104
at Georgetown (1,114)	31-63	.492	7-14	.500	17-25	.680	18-11-29	31-3	19	20	6	7	86
• Notre Dame (5,503)	26-62	.419	3-5	.600	25-35	.714	14-18-32	15-1	12	10	5	7	80
vs. DePAUL	30-50	.600	7-13	.538	14-17	.824	4-26-30	26-2	22	19	5	5	81
• Notre Dame (11,418)	23-68	.338	3-10	.300	15-16	.938	19-22-41	18-0	15	18	3	7	64
vs. CONNECTICUT	31-64	.484	7-14	.500	12-15	.800	11-27-38	17-0	19	18	5	11	81
• NOTRE DAME (5,287)	29-67	.433	1-11	.091	26-35	.743	22-23-45	17-0	15	15	2	23	85
vs. Providence	20-49	.408	1-8	.125	13-20	.650	11-21-32	22-0	10	29	3	8	54
• NOTRE DAME	24-56	.429	2-7	.286	23-26	.885	10-34-44	20-0	17	10	4	12	73
at Cincinnati (702)	14-48	.292	5-15	.333	8-18	.444	8-23-31	18-1	7	19	1	4	41
• NOTRE DAME (8,831)	27-62	.435	0-3	.000	27-32	.844	10-32-42	20-0	16	9	5	8	81
vs. Pittsburgh	24-78	.308	4-13	.308	14-27	.519	30-26-56	24-0	12	17	5	5	66
• NOTRE DAME (5,418)	36-56	.643	1-3	.333	26-28	.929	10-26-36	21-0	20	23	8	13	99
vs. Marquette	28-65	.431	9-13	.692	11-17	.647	15-11-26	26-2	17	24	2	14	76
• NOTRE DAME	27-61	.443	3-12	.250	22-30	.733	20-25-45	16-0	16	17	3	11	79
at Syracuse (3,013)	21-58	.362	4-15	.267	21-26	.808	14-17-31	19-0	13	18	4	12	67
• Notre Dame	20-61	.328	3-7	.429	8-11	.727	19-18-37	15-0	14	12	2	9	51
at RUTGERS (5,027)	22-51	.431	2-9	.222	11-18	.611	16-23-39	13-0	14	16	5	5	57

Winners listed in ALL CAPS // Attendance listed next to home team (where applicable) // • = BIG EAST Conference game
1 = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)

**2007-08 Notre Dame Points-Rebounds-Assists**

Opponent	Gaines	Allen	Tsipis	Peters	Barlow	Mallory	Lechlitner	Schrader	Bruszewski	D'Amico	Williamson
(1) MIAMI (OHIO)	7-2-5	8-6-4	3-1-0	6-8-2	19-4-2	6-7-1	10-1-6	20-1-3	2-0-1	11-5-1	6-9-2
(1) WESTERN KENTUCKY	6-3-5	16-6-2	0-0-0	4-8-0	18-3-1	4-0-0	12-1-2	8-6-1	0-0-0	8-2-0	2-4-1
(1) at Maryland	6-2-2	16-5-1	DNP	12-6-0	2-0-0	1-1-1	4-0-1	10-8-0	4-7-2	0-0-0	4-1-2
at Central Michigan	11-1-3	6-7-2	2-1-1	4-7-2	12-11-1	8-4-1	12-3-3	10-5-1	13-4-1	10-4-1	6-2-1
BOSTON COLLEGE	6-0-3	15-1-8	0-0-0	4-2-3	13-7-3	13-1-0	2-3-1	16-8-1	10-5-0	4-4-1	5-5-0
CANISIUS	4-2-2	17-5-3	2-2-1	12-6-2	18-7-6	10-6-3	7-0-2	10-6-4	6-3-1	2-3-0	5-3-1
MICHIGAN	15-3-4	19-7-5	3-0-0	10-4-1	4-3-3	7-0-1	0-3-4	11-3-1	0-2-0	6-4-0	2-1-0
at Bowling Green	3-2-6	17-7-2	DNP	14-4-0	10-3-2	12-3-0	9-1-4	17-12-1	0-1-0	2-0-0	2-1-0
at Purdue	6-1-1	10-8-6	0-0-0	5-6-0	22-3-2	0-1-4	4-0-1	8-10-1	4-2-0	2-1-0	0-0-0
VALPARAISO	8-3-6	14-4-4	2-1-0	10-3-1	19-5-1	10-3-1	6-1-7	7-4-2	5-2-0	7-5-0	6-2-0
at IUPUI	6-7-9	12-3-3	0-0-0	11-4-0	4-6-3	9-3-0	1-1-1	10-4-1	3-1-0	2-1-0	9-7-0
SAINT FRANCIS (PA.)	6-1-5	8-5-2	2-2-0	10-8-4	12-2-1	7-3-1	6-3-4	8-3-5	3-1-0	4-2-1	16-8-0
at Richmond	4-1-1	18-6-1	0-0-1	12-3-0	16-3-0	DNP	4-1-2	7-10-4	7-2-0	4-4-0	12-6-0
TENNESSEE	4-1-3	17-4-2	DNP	10-8-0	8-5-3	2-1-1	6-1-3	7-0-2	4-7-1	0-0-0	5-4-0
• at Louisville	13-2-3	26-9-0	DNP	6-3-1	7-3-1	3-0-1	5-0-3	8-7-0	3-2-0	0-2-0	11-6-0
• at West Virginia	4-3-3	11-1-0	DNP	2-5-0	5-6-1	9-0-1	1-4-2	6-4-0	5-4-1	0-0-0	7-3-0
• VILLANOVA	2-1-3	13-3-3	DNP	15-6-1	16-3-3	3-0-1	4-2-0	12-8-2	2-0-0	DNP	2-1-0
• at Georgetown	2-2-5	14-6-1	0-0-0	7-4-2	21-2-1	15-3-1	13-3-6	12-7-2	10-0-0	0-1-0	10-5-2
• DePAUL	0-1-4	17-2-1	DNP	7-8-0	23-7-0	5-0-0	0-0-2	8-3-4	2-0-0	2-1-0	16-6-1
• CONNECTICUT	6-5-4	11-3-0	0-0-0	10-12-2	15-3-0	3-1-0	0-0-1	10-4-6	7-5-0	2-3-1	0-3-1
• PROVIDENCE	10-1-0	12-6-2	0-1-0	12-4-1	9-6-4	6-0-2	10-2-4	15-9-1	4-3-1	4-2-0	3-3-0
• at Cincinnati	11-2-3	16-6-5	2-1-0	12-5-0	11-6-2	7-2-0	2-4-4	7-4-2	0-2-0	0-1-0	5-8-1
• PITTSBURGH	13-4-3	6-6-1	DNP	11-5-1	6-4-4	5-0-0	12-4-3	12-8-1	10-6-2	DNP	6-4-1
• MARQUETTE	22-0-3	13-4-0	0-0-0	DNP	9-3-6	9-4-2	8-5-3	17-6-5	6-2-0	6-3-0	9-6-1
• at Syracuse	4-2-8	22-12-4	0-0-0	DNP	8-4-1	9-4-0	6-1-2	12-5-1	4-0-0	0-1-0	14-11-0
• at Rutgers	2-0-5	18-3-1	DNP	DNP	3-5-1	3-1-2	0-2-1	10-8-2	9-5-0	DNP	6-6-2

Home games in ALL CAPS

DNP = did not play

• = BIG EAST Conference game

1 = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)



2007-08 Miscellaneous Statistics

	ALL GAMES	vs. BIG EAST OPPONENTS
Most First Half Points Scored	50 vs. Western Kentucky (11/13)	48 at Georgetown (1/19)
Most First Half Points Allowed	45 by DePaul (1/22)	45 by DePaul (1/22)
Most Second Half Points Scored	56 at Georgetown (1/19)	56 at Georgetown (1/19)
Most Second Half Points Allowed	46 by Tennessee (1/5)	45 by Marquette (2/13)
Fewest First Half Points Scored	11 at West Virginia (1/13)	11 at West Virginia (1/13)
Fewest First Half Points Allowed	18 by Michigan (12/2)	19 by Providence (1/30)
Fewest Second Half Points Scored	27 at Maryland (11/16)	29 at Rutgers (2/19)
Fewest Second Half Points Allowed	14 by Saint Francis (Pa.) (12/29)	15 by Cincinnati (2/2)

Largest Leads

Notre Dame: 53 — 94-41 (0:00, 2nd) at Central Michigan (ND 94-41), 11/20

Opponent: 30 — 81-51 (6:35, 2nd) vs. Tennessee (UT 87-63), 1/5

Largest Deficit Overcome in a Win: 9 — 26-17 (5:13, 1st) at Cincinnati (ND 73-41), 2/2

Largest Halftime Deficit Overcome in a Win: 5 — 25-20 at Purdue (ND 61-48), 12/8

Largest Lead Surrendered in a Loss: 10, twice — 23-13 (11:53, 1st) and 25-15 (11:02, 1st) vs. DePaul (DPU 81-80), 1/22

Largest Halftime Lead Surrendered in a Loss: None

Halftime Leads: ND: 17 (ND Record — 17-0; 6-0 vs. BIG EAST) // Opponents: 6 (ND Record — 1-5; 0-3 vs. BIG EAST) // Ties: 3 (ND Record — 2-1; 2-1 vs. BIG EAST)

Rebound Advantage: ND: 17 (ND Record — 15-2; 6-2 vs. BIG EAST) // Opponents: 9 (ND Record — 5-4; 2-2 vs. BIG EAST)

Bench Scoring Advantage: ND: 26 (ND Record — 20-6; 8-4 vs. BIG EAST) // Opponents: 0 (ND Record — 0-0; 0-0 vs. BIG EAST)

Notre Dame Margin: +392 points, +15.1 ppg. (ND — 769 pts., 29.6 ppg.; Opponents — 377 pts., 14.5 ppg.)

Point Differential	1	2	6	8	11	12	13	15	16	17	18	19	23	24	25	30	31	32	38	43	46	48	53
Notre Dame Wins	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Notre Dame Losses	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Starting Lineups (C-G-G-G-G) & W-L Marks ALL GAMES vs. BIG EAST OPPONENTS

Williamson, Gaines, Allen, Barlow, Schrader	10-4	7-3
D'Amico, Gaines, Allen, Barlow, Schrader	9-1	
Peters (F), Gaines, Allen, Barlow, Schrader	1-0	1-0
Williamson, Peters (F), Gaines, Allen, Barlow	0-1	0-1

Complete Games Played: 0 // Opponents: 2

Most Minutes (Regulation Game): 38, Charel Allen at West Virginia, 1/13

Most Minutes (Overtime Game): 40-, Lindsay Schrader at Bowling Green, 12/5

Scoring

Double-Figure Games: 97 (Allen 22, Schrader 16, Barlow 15, Peters 14, Gaines 7, Lechlitner 6, Williamson 6, Mallory 5, Bruszewski 4, D'Amico 2) // Opponents: 65

20-Point Games: 7 (Barlow 3, Allen 2, Gaines 1, Schrader 1) // Opponents: 10

30-Point Games: 0 // Opponents: 1

Game-High Honors*: 15 (Allen 6, Barlow 5, Schrader 2, Bruszewski 1, Gaines 1)

Team-High Honors*: 27 (Allen 11, Barlow 8, Schrader 4, Gaines 2, Bruszewski 1, Williamson 1)

Rebounding

Double-Figure Games: 7 (Schrader 3, Allen 1, Barlow 1, Peters 1, Williamson 1) // Opponents: 10

Game-High Honors*: 18 (Schrader 5, Barlow 3, Peters 3, Williamson 2, Allen 1, D'Amico 1)

Team-High Honors*: 30 (Schrader 11, Peters 5, Williamson 5, Barlow 4, Allen 3, D'Amico 1, Gaines 1)

Assists

Double-Figure Games: 0 // Opponents: 1

Game-High Honors*: 19 (Gaines 6, Allen 5, Lechlitner 4, Barlow 2, Schrader 2)

Team-High Honors*: 37 (Gaines 13, Lechlitner 7, Barlow 6, Allen 5, Schrader 4, Bruszewski 1, Williamson 1)

Double-Doubles

Points/Rebounds: 5 (Allen 1 - SU; Barlow 1 - CMU; Peters 1 - UCONN; Schrader 1 - BG; Williamson 1 - SU) // Opponents: 6

* = totals may not add up to games played due to ties





The Last Time It Happened...

Notre Dame recorded a

30-point win was on 2/2/08 — ND 73, Cincinnati 41 (32 points)*

40-point win was on 12/29/07 — ND 82, Saint Francis (Pa.) 39 (43 points)*

50-point win was on 11/20/07 — ND 94, Central Michigan 41 (53 points)

30-point loss was on 3/17/02 — Tennessee 89, ND 50 (39 points) (*NCAA Mideast Region Second Round at Knoxville, Tenn.*)

Notre Dame shot

60% on FGs was on 2/13/08 — 64.3% (36-56) vs. Marquette (ND 99-76)*

65% on FGs was on 2/12/97 — 68.0% (34-50) vs. Boston College (ND 91-64)*

90% on FTs was on 2/13/08 — 92.9% (26-28) vs. Marquette (ND 99-76)*

Notre Dame

won 10 games in a row was from 11/20/07 thru 1/2/08 — 10 straight

won 15 games in a row was from 11/17/00 thru 2/14/01 — 23 straight

won 20 games in a row was from 11/17/00 thru 2/14/01 — 23 straight

lost 5 games in a row was from 3/21/91 thru 11/24/91 — 5 straight (across two seasons)

- lost 5 games in a row (one season) was from 2/16/82 thru 3/6/82 — 5 straight

scored 100 points was on 1/19/08 (ND 104, Georgetown 86)

- scored 100 points on the road was on 1/19/08 (ND 104, Georgetown 86)

- scored 100 points at a neutral site was on 11/24/89 vs. Liberty (ND 113-35) (*Rotary Classic at Orlando, Fla.*)

- scored 100 points & lost never

allowed 100 points was on 12/8/98 (Connecticut 106, ND 81)*

scored less than 50 points was on 1/27/07 (Connecticut 64, ND 47)

allowed less than 50 points was on 2/2/08 (ND 73, Cincinnati 41)

played an overtime game was on 12/5/07 (ND 86, Bowling Green 84 - ot)

- played a multiple-overtime game was on 11/30/97 (ND 93, UCLA 91 - 2ot)

rallied from a double-digit deficit to win was on 2/7/07 — 12 points (29-17, 2:25, 1st) vs. Louisville (ND 64-55)*

gave up a double-digit lead and lost was on 1/22/08 — 10 points (23-13, 11:53, 1st/25-15, 11:02, 1st) vs. DePaul (DPU 81-80)*

won on a "last second" shot was on 12/5/07 (ND 86, Bowling Green 84 - ot — Charel Allen jumper at 0:00.8 in overtime)

lost on a "last second" shot was on 1/12/02 (Villanova 60, ND 59 — Mimi Riley jumper at 0:00.4)

had five double-figure scorers was on 2/10/08 (ND 81, Pittsburgh 66) — Tulyah Gaines 13, Melissa Lechlitner 12, Lindsay Schrader 12, Devereaux Peters 11, Becca Bruszewski 10*

had six double-figure scorers was on 1/19/08 (ND 104, Georgetown 86) — Ashley Barlow 21, Brittany Mallory 15, Charel Allen 14, Melissa Lechlitner 13, Lindsay Schrader 12, Becca Bruszewski 10, Erica Williamson 10

had seven double-figure scorers was on 1/19/08 (ND 104, Georgetown 86) — Ashley Barlow 21, Brittany Mallory 15, Charel Allen 14, Melissa Lechlitner 13, Lindsay Schrader 12, Becca Bruszewski 10, Erica Williamson 10

had no double-figure scorers was on 2/8/04 (Seton Hall 51, ND 45)

had two double-figure rebounders was on 2/16/08 (ND 79, Syracuse 67) — Charel Allen 12, Erica Williamson 11

had two players with "double-doubles" was on 2/16/08 (ND 79, Syracuse 67) — Charel Allen (22 pts., 12 reb.) & Erica Williamson (14 pts., 11 reb.)

had three players with "double-doubles" was on 1/26/05 (ND 72, St. John's 65) — Crystal Erwin (14 pts., 10 reb.), Megan Duffy (14 pts., 10 asst.) & Jacqueline Batteast (10 pts., 10 reb.)*

had two 20-point scorers was on 12/6/06 (ND 67, Purdue 58) — Breona Gray 22, Tulyah Gaines 20*

had three 20-point scorers was on 1/7/99 (ND 111, West Virginia 90) — Danielle Green 28, Sheila McMillen 26, Ruth Riley 23*

had a "point-a-minute" scorer (min. 10 minutes) was on 11/9/07 (ND 98, Miami-Ohio 50) — Lindsay Schrader 20 pts. in 17 min.* (*Preseason WNIT First Round at Notre Dame, Ind.*)

made 10 three-point field goals was on 3/3/02 (Syracuse 84, ND 79) — 10-26 (38.5%) on threes (*BIG EAST Championship Quarterfinal at Piscataway, N.J.*)

committed 10 turnovers or less was on 2/10/08 (ND 81, Pittsburgh 66) — 9 turnovers*

committed 25 turnovers or more was on 12/30/06 (Tennessee 78, ND 54) — 29 turnovers

forced 25 turnovers or more was on 1/30/08 (ND 85, Providence 54) — 29 turnovers*

An Irish player had

25 points was on 1/8/08 — Charel Allen (26) at Louisville (ND 82-74)

30 points was on 1/16/07 — Charel Allen (31) vs. St. John's (ND 83-65)*

35 points was on 2/22/00 — Ruth Riley (36) vs. Miami (ND 83-68)*

40 points was on 1/30/99 — Ruth Riley (41) at Providence (ND 97-59) (**school record**)

15 rebounds was on 1/13/07 — Erica Williamson (18) at South Florida (USF 87-78 - ot)

20 rebounds was on 1/20/88 — Heidi Bunek (20) at DePaul (DPU 80-77)

10 assists was on 2/26/05 — Megan Duffy (10) vs. West Virginia (ND 82-57)*

5 blocks was on 11/9/07 — Devereaux Peters (5) vs. Miami (Ohio) (ND 98-50)* (*Preseason WNIT First Round at Notre Dame, Ind.*)

5 steals was on 1/30/08 — Charel Allen (6) vs. Providence (ND 85-54)*

a "double-double" was on 2/16/08 — Charel Allen (22 pts., 12 reb.) & Erica Williamson (14 pts., 11 reb.) at Syracuse (ND 79-67)

a "triple-double" was on 2/15/90 — Sara Liebscher (17 pts., 12 reb., 10 asst.) vs. Detroit (ND 99-58)* (**only triple-double in school history**)

20 pts & 10 rebs was on 2/16/08 — Charel Allen (22 pts., 12 reb.) at Syracuse (ND 79-67)

20 pts & 20 rebs was on 1/20/88 — Heidi Bunek (25 pts., 20 reb.) at DePaul (DPU 80-77)

a 4-point play was on 2/16/03 — Alicia Ratay (2:24, 1st) at Providence (ND 67-61)

a halfcourt shot was on 1/2/07 — Breona Gray (0:00, 1st) at Seton Hall (ND 64-61)

An opposing player had

25 points was on 1/19/08 — Kieraah Marlow (34), Georgetown (ND 104-86)

30 points was on 1/19/08 — Kieraah Marlow (34), Georgetown (ND 104-86)

35 points was on 1/16/95 — Angela Simpson (37), Northwestern State (La.) (NSU 103-93) (*NWIT Semifinal at Amarillo, Texas*)

10 rebounds was on 2/10/08 — Mercedes Walker (14), Pittsburgh (ND 81-66)*

15 rebounds was on 11/24/06 — Shay Murphy (17), USC (USC 69-58)

20 rebounds was on 1/8/89 — Wendy Scholtens (20), Vanderbilt (VU 86-64)

10 assists was on 1/27/08 — Ketia Swanier (11), Connecticut (UCONN 81-64)*

5 blocks was on 12/8/07 — Danielle Campbell (6), Purdue (ND 61-48)

5 steals was on 1/13/08 — Ashley Powell (10), West Virginia (WVU 56-50)

a "double-double" was on 2/10/08 — Mercedes Walker (18 pts., 14 rebs.), Pittsburgh (ND 81-66)*

a "triple-double" was on 2/7/06 — Liad Suez-Karni (14 pts., 10 reb., 10 asst.), Villanova (VU 69-65 - ot)*

* = indicates Notre Dame home game





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GAME 1 #24/rv Notre Dame 98, Miami (Ohio) 50 Preseason WNIT — First Round November 9, 2007 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Miami (Ohio) (50)									
Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp	
Weynandt	11	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2	2
Markwood	27	1-5	0-0	3-6	12	0	2	5	
Jackson	27	2-11	1-4	4-4	3	1	4	9	
Schone	36	7-19	2-9	0-0	5	2	3	16	
Hawkins	25	0-6	0-2	1-2	1	1	3	1	
Ridley	22	0-2	0-0	0-0	3	1	3	0	
Reed	21	5-12	1-3	0-1	2	1	3	11	
Dunlap	17	2-7	0-2	0-0	2	1	0	4	
Ford	14	1-3	0-0	0-1	4	0	1	2	
Team					9				
Totals	200	19-68	4-20	8-14	42	7	19	50	

Notre Dame (98)									
Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp	
Williamson	18	3-6	0-0	0-0	9	2	0	6	
Gaines	20	3-8	0-0	1-4	2	5	1	7	
Allen	20	4-10	0-0	0-1	6	4	3	8	
Barlow	29	8-14	1-5	2-2	4	2	1	19	
Schrader	17	10-12	0-0	0-0	1	3	3	20	
Tsipis	5	1-1	0-0	1-2	1	0	1	3	
Peters	15	2-3	0-0	2-2	8	2	3	6	
Mallory	28	2-9	2-7	0-0	7	1	2	6	
Lechlitner	24	4-7	2-3	0-0	1	6	0	10	
Bruszewski	9	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	2	
D'Amico	15	3-4	0-0	5-6	5	1	2	11	
Team					5				
Totals	200	41-76	5-15	11-17	49	27	16	98	

Miami (Ohio)	23	27	—	50
Notre Dame	48	50	—	98

FG Pct: Miami (Ohio) 27.9, Notre Dame 53.9. **3-PT FG Pct:** Miami (Ohio) 20.0, Notre Dame 33.3. **FT Pct:** Miami (Ohio) 57.1, Notre Dame 64.7. **Turnovers:** Miami (Ohio) 23, Notre Dame 12. **Blocked Shots:** Miami (Ohio) 2, Notre Dame 8 (Peters 5). **Steals:** Miami (Ohio) 8 (Reed 3), Notre Dame 8 (Barlow, Mallory 2). **Attendance:** 6,034.

NOTES: Notre Dame runs its record in season opens to 23-8 (.742) all-time, including 18-3 (.857) in the Muffet McGraw era, and picks up its 13th consecutive season-opening win, which coincides exactly with the program's membership in the BIG EAST Conference ... McGraw earned her 450th win at Notre Dame on Friday night (450-179, .715), while the Irish collected the 300th home victory in program history (300-79, .809 - all played at the Joyce Center) ... the Irish improve to 2-4 all-time against Miami (Ohio), earning their first win over the RedHawks since a 64-59 victory on Dec. 10, 1982, also at the Joyce Center ... the 98 points scored, 50 points allowed and 48-point margin of victory all were series bests for either team ... the 48-point spread also was the largest for Notre Dame since March 17, 2001, when the Irish defeated Alcorn State at home, 98-49 in the first round of the NCAA Tournament ... Notre Dame's 98 points represented its highest offensive output since Nov. 26, 2002, when the Irish opened the season with a 107-65 win over Cleveland State at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame also posted the most points by one team in a Preseason WNIT game since 2000, when Virginia opened with a 100-61 victory over Mount St. Mary's ... Notre Dame's 41 field goals made were a Preseason WNIT record (previous: 39 by Texas A&M vs. Lamar in 1995 and Connecticut vs. North Carolina in 2001) and the most for the Irish since that 2002 win over Cleveland State when they made 42 shots ... Notre Dame dished out 27 assists, only one off the Preseason WNIT record ... the Irish had all 11 players in uniform score against Miami (Ohio), the first time they have gotten everyone into the scorebook since Dec. 28, 2006 in a 94-55 conquest of Prairie View A&M ... Notre Dame has won 14 consecutive games against current Mid-American Conference schools and is 31-14 (.689) all-time against the MAC, including a 20-4 (.833) home record ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader posted her first career "point-a-minute" game and the first by a Notre Dame player (minimum 10 minutes) since Nov. 10, 2006, when current senior center Melissa D'Amico had 16 points in 15 minutes of a season-opening 88-66 win over Central Michigan at the Joyce Center ... Schrader also chalked up her fourth career 20-point game and first since her last meaningful contest, a career-high 29-point performance against Boston College in the first round of the 2006 NCAA Tournament ... senior center Erica Williamson earned her first career start.

GAME 2 #23/25 Notre Dame 78, Western Kentucky 59 Preseason WNIT — Quarterfinal November 13, 2007 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Western Kentucky (59)									
Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp	
Duck	26	2-5	0-0	3-3	2	1	4	7	
Kelly	21	1-7	1-1	4-4	4	2	5	7	
Rich	38	6-13	1-7	2-2	5	0	0	15	
Brown	17	2-4	0-1	0-0	0	3	2	4	
Marshall	26	1-4	1-2	2-2	10	3	2	5	
McNear	12	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	0	
Faulkner	14	1-2	0-1	1-2	3	0	0	3	
Muna	8	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	
Thomas	14	2-4	0-0	0-1	2	1	1	4	
Ballinger	24	6-14	0-2	2-4	7	1	1	14	
Team					2				
Totals	200	21-55	3-14	14-18	37	12	20	59	

Notre Dame (78)									
Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp	
Williamson	17	1-2	0-0	0-0	4	1	4	2	
Gaines	30	2-4	0-0	2-2	3	5	1	6	
Allen	33	8-18	0-3	0-2	6	2	0	16	
Barlow	25	5-8	3-4	5-6	3	1	4	18	
Schrader	23	2-11	1-1	3-4	6	1	2	8	
Tsipis	2	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	
Peters	22	2-8	0-0	0-0	8	0	4	4	
Mallory	11	2-4	0-2	0-0	0	0	3	4	
Lechlitner	26	4-7	0-2	4-5	1	2	1	12	
Bruszewski	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	
D'Amico	9	4-5	0-0	0-0	2	0	1	8	
Team					7				
Totals	200	30-68	4-13	14-19	40	12	20	78	

Western Kentucky	23	36	—	59
Notre Dame	50	28	—	78

FG Pct: Western Kentucky 38.2, Notre Dame 44.1. **3-PT FG Pct:** Western Kentucky 21.4, Notre Dame 30.8. **FT Pct:** Western Kentucky 77.8, Notre Dame 73.7. **Turnovers:** Western Kentucky 26, Notre Dame 15. **Blocked Shots:** Western Kentucky 2, Notre Dame 4 (Peters 2). **Steals:** Western Kentucky 7 (Kelly, Rich 2), Notre Dame 14 (Allen, Lechlitner 4). **Technical Foul:** WKU bench. **Attendance:** 5,250.

NOTES: Notre Dame improves to 9-1 all-time in the Preseason WNIT and advances to the semifinals of the tournament for the third time in as many appearances (also 1996 and 2004) ... the Irish now are 35-5 (.875) against first-time opponents since joining the BIG EAST Conference (1995-96) and 15-1 (.938) since the start of the 2000-01 season, with an 8-0 home record and current 10-game winning streak ... Notre Dame did not trail at any point against Western Kentucky, and with the exception of a 3-3 tie for a 22-second span in the first half against WKU (18:21 to 17:59), the Irish have been ahead from wire-to-wire in their first two games this season ... working back to the two exhibition games, Notre Dame has had four different players from three different classes lead the team in scoring this season — sophomore center Erica Williamson (Southern Indiana), senior guard Tulyah Gaines (Hillsdale), junior guard Lindsay Schrader (Miami-Ohio) and sophomore guard Ashley Barlow (Western Kentucky) ... sophomore guard Melissa Lechlitner tied her career high with four steals, matching the mark she originally set on Dec. 28, 2006 vs. Prairie View A&M ... during the past 18 regular-season games (dating back to last season), Notre Dame has not committed more than 19 turnovers in a game, including 15 or fewer in its last four outings.

GAME 3 #3 Maryland 75, #23/25 Notre Dame 59 Preseason WNIT — Semifinal November 16, 2007 Comcast Center (College Park, Md.)

Notre Dame (59)									
Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp	
Williamson	14	2-3	0-0	0-0	1	2	1	4	
Gaines	27	3-10	0-3	0-1	2	2	1	6	
Allen	26	7-15	1-5	1-1	5	1	1	16	
Barlow	12	0-1	0-1	2-2	0	0	3	2	
Schrader	33	5-13	0-0	0-3	8	0	1	10	
Peters	34	6-15	0-0	0-0	6	0	0	12	
Mallory	17	0-5	0-3	1-2	1	1	2	1	
Lechlitner	20	2-5	0-0	0-0	0	1	2	4	
Bruszewski	11	2-8	0-0	0-0	7	2	3	4	
D'Amico	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	
Team					5				
Totals	200	27-75	1-12	4-9	35	9	14	59	

Maryland (75)									
Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp	
Coleman	33	4-13	4-7	0-0	8	4	2	12	
Perry	29	1-5	0-0	1-2	8	0	4	3	
Strickland	23	3-8	2-4	0-0	5	1	1	8	
Harper	29	6-9	0-0	5-5	13	3	2	17	
Toliver	34	10-15	5-7	0-0	2	7	4	25	
Lyons	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	
Newman	28	2-3	1-1	1-1	4	3	2	6	
Mingo	15	1-4	0-1	2-2	4	0	1	4	
Team					1				
Totals	200	27-57	12-20	9-10	46	18	16	75	

Notre Dame	32	27	—	59
Maryland	38	37	—	75

FG Pct: Notre Dame 36.0, Maryland 47.4. **3-PT FG Pct:** Notre Dame 8.3, Maryland 60.0. **FT Pct:** Notre Dame 44.4, Maryland 90.0. **Turnovers:** Notre Dame 3, Maryland 15. **Blocked Shots:** Notre Dame 3 (Peters 2), Maryland 5 (Harper 3). **Steals:** Notre Dame 7 (Mallory 3), Maryland 0. **Attendance:** 5,596.

NOTES: Notre Dame suffers just its second loss in 11 Preseason WNIT games all-time; both losses have come in the tournament semifinals at the hands of the nation's third-ranked team (Tennessee in 1996; Maryland in 2007) ... the Irish also lose for just the third time in 21 regular-season tournament games, dating back to the start of the 1996-97 season (the other loss came in overtime at 20th-ranked Colorado in the 2003 WBCA Classic title game) ... Notre Dame set a school record with only three turnovers against Maryland, two of which occurred on offensive fouls; the previous school record for fewest giveaways was six on Feb. 12, 2006 at DePaul ... Maryland also became the first Irish opponent ever to go an entire game without a single steal ... the Terrapins are one of 11 other NCAA champions Notre Dame has played at some point (either before or after they won the title); Baylor (2005) remains the only national champion the Irish have never faced ... Notre Dame is 15-16 (.484) all-time in road openers — 12-9 (.571) in the Muffet McGraw era — and has lost its first road test the past two seasons ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters registered her first career double-digit scoring game ... sophomore guard Ashley Barlow had an abbreviated night, first getting saddled with a pair of fouls two seconds apart in the opening 2:16, then leaving for good when she was shaken up in a collision under the basket midway through the second half.





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GAME 4 #23/24 Notre Dame 94, Central Michigan 41 November 20, 2007 Rose Arena (Mount Pleasant, Mich.)

Notre Dame (94) Player min fg-a 3fg-a ft-a reb ast pf tp ... Totals 200 38-68 4-12 14-19 52 17 17 94

Central Michigan (41) Player min fg-a 3fg-a ft-a reb ast pf tp ... Totals 200 17-63 1-13 6-11 32 3 19 41

Notre Dame 48 46 - 94 Central Michigan 19 22 - 41

FG Pct: Notre Dame 55.9, Central Michigan 27.0. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 33.3, Central Michigan 7.7. FT Pct: Notre Dame 73.7, Central Michigan 54.5. Turnovers: Notre Dame 15, Central Michigan 22. Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 8 (Peters 3), Central Michigan 2. Steals: Notre Dame 10 (Schrader 3), Central Michigan 3. Attendance: 771.

NOTES: The 53-point win was the largest for Notre Dame since March 4, 2001, when the Irish defeated Georgetown, 89-33 in a BIG EAST Conference Championship quarterfinal at Storrs, Conn. ... the winning margin also is the second-largest ever recorded by a Notre Dame squad on an opponent's floor ... largest of the 21-year Muffet McGraw era ... and exceeded only by an 84-27 win at Valparaiso on Jan. 21, 1982 ... the Irish posted their highest point total in a true road game since Jan. 30, 1998, when they posted a 97-59 win at Providence ... Notre Dame had six double-figure scorers in a game for the first time since Nov. 12, 2004, when the Irish also had six double-digit producers against Illinois State in the first round of the Preseason WNIT at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame shot a blistering .559 from the field, its best field goal percentage since Jan. 4, 2006, when the Irish shot an even 56 percent in a 66-63 loss at St. John's ... Notre Dame held an opposing team without a single double-digit scorer for the first time since Jan. 2, 2005, when the Irish defeated Seton Hall, 54-33 at the Joyce Center (SHU's leading scorer that night was Heta Korpivaara with seven points) ... Notre Dame allowed only 41 points, its best defensive effort since March 1, 2005 (a 41-35 win at Seton Hall) ... CMU's 19 first-half points matched last year's season-low by a Notre Dame opponent, established by Prairie View A&M on Dec. 28, 2006 at the Joyce Center ... the Irish picked up their 15th consecutive win over a Mid-American Conference opponent, a streak that dates back to 1995 ... Notre Dame continued an impressive run of balanced production, as freshman forward Becca Bruszewski became the sixth different player (counting both exhibitions) to lead the team in scoring this season; what's more, sophomore guard Ashley Barlow became the fifth different Irish player to lead the squad in rebounding (only freshman forward Devereaux Peters has had multiple team-high rebounding nights vs. Hillsdale and Western Kentucky) ... Barlow's 11 rebounds were a career high, one more than her previous best that she'd set twice before (most recently vs. California on March 18, 2007 in the first round of the NCAA Tournament) ... Barlow's double-double was the second of her career, following a 19-point, 10-rebound effort in an overtime win vs. Bowling Green on Nov. 13, 2006 at the Joyce Center ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines knocked down her first career three-pointer at Central Michigan ... in each of Notre Dame's three wins this season, the Irish have not trailed for a single second, and have been tied for a total of 22 seconds after the first basket has been scored (3-3 vs. WKU on Nov. 13).

GAME 5 #23/24 Notre Dame 88, Boston College 58 November 24, 2007 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Boston College (58) Player min fg-a 3fg-a ft-a reb ast pf tp ... Totals 200 19-48 1-8 19-22 40 13 23 58

Notre Dame (88) Player min fg-a 3fg-a ft-a reb ast pf tp ... Totals 200 34-73 3-13 17-27 37 20 18 88

Boston College 30 28 - 58 Notre Dame 46 42 - 88

FG Pct: Boston College 39.6, Notre Dame 46.6. 3-PT FG Pct: Boston College 12.5, Notre Dame 23.1. FT Pct: Boston College 86.4, Notre Dame 63.0. Turnovers: Boston College 33, Notre Dame 13. Blocked Shots: Boston College 2, Notre Dame 2. Steals: Boston College 5 (Brown 2), Notre Dame 21 (Allen 5). Attendance: 5,960.

NOTES: Notre Dame posts its largest win in the 16-game series with Boston College, topping an 80-51 victory on Jan. 6, 1996 ... the Irish improve to 11-5 all-time against the Eagles, including an 8-0 record at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame has yet to trail in any of its four wins this season, three of which have come by 30+ points (and ND had a 32-point lead midway through the second half of its 78-59 win over Western Kentucky on Nov. 13) ... the Irish now are 19-1 (.950) at home against current ACC members in the Muffet McGraw era (1987-present) ... Notre Dame had five double-figure scorers for the second consecutive game ... the Irish forced a season-high 33 turnovers, their best effort since Feb. 25, 2004, when they caused 37 turnovers in a 93-58 home win over #21/19 Miami (Fla.) ... Notre Dame had a season-high 21 steals, the most thefts for the Irish in a game since Dec. 13, 1997, when they had 22 steals in a 73-50 win over South Florida at the Joyce Center (school record is 29, set twice and most recently on Jan. 31, 1992 at Saint Louis) ... Notre Dame has not committed more than 15 turnovers in a game this season and has had a positive assist-to-turnover ratio in four of five games (only blemish was Nov. 13 vs. WKU) ... since Maryland made 12-of-20 three-pointers in Notre Dame's only loss on Nov. 16, the Irish have held their last two opponents (Central Michigan and Boston College) to a combined 2-of-21 (.095) from beyond the arc ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader became the first Irish player this season to lead the team in scoring more than once ... Notre Dame had seen four different players lead in scoring in its first four games ... senior guard Charel Allen moved into 19th place on the Irish all-time scoring list with 1,114 points, passing Danielle Green (1,106 from 1995-2000), who happened to be in attendance at the BC game ... Allen also recorded a career-high eight assists, two more than her previous best that she set twice (most recently at Villanova on Feb. 13, 2007) ... in addition, Allen tied her career high with five steals, a mark she's set three times previously (most recently at Marquette on Jan. 23, 2007) ... freshman guard Brittany Mallory scored a season-high 13 points, becoming the ninth different Notre Dame player to score in double digits this season.

GAME 6 #22/23 Notre Dame 93, Canisius 47 November 27, 2007 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Canisius (47) Player min fg-a 3fg-a ft-a reb ast pf tp ... Totals 200 15-44 5-14 12-19 28 10 20 47

Notre Dame (93) Player min fg-a 3fg-a ft-a reb ast pf tp ... Totals 200 37-72 6-15 13-21 46 25 19 93

Canisius 22 25 - 47 Notre Dame 49 44 - 93

FG Pct: Canisius 34.1, Notre Dame 51.4. 3-PT FG Pct: Canisius 35.7, Notre Dame 40.0. FT Pct: Canisius 63.2, Notre Dame 61.9. Turnovers: Canisius 29, Notre Dame 16. Blocked Shots: Canisius 2, Notre Dame 4 (Peters 3). Steals: Canisius 7 (Cavo, Lucas 2), Notre Dame 16 (Barlow 4). Attendance: 5,593.

NOTES: Notre Dame has won three consecutive games by at least 30 points for the first time since Jan. 20-30, 1999, when the Irish strung together four such victories against Seton Hall (87-47), St. John's (99-60), Syracuse (94-61) and Providence (97-59) ... Notre Dame also posted its third consecutive game with at least 88 points, the first time that's happened since the last three games of that aforementioned series from Jan. 23-30, 1999 ... the Irish had five double-figure scorers for the third consecutive game, the first time they've done that since at least the 1989-90 season (further research pending) ... for the third time in six games this season, all 11 Notre Dame players on the roster scored points (also vs. Miami-Ohio and Central Michigan) ... the Irish forced at least 25 turnovers for the third time this season (also Western Kentucky and Boston College) ... Notre Dame registered double-digit steals for the third consecutive game and fourth time this season ... in the past three games, the Irish are averaging 15.7 steals per game ... Notre Dame knocked down a season-high six three-pointers on a season-best .400 three-point percentage ... the Irish shot better than 50 percent for the third time this season (also Miami-Ohio and Central Michigan) ... Notre Dame has limited its last three opponents to an average of 48.7 points per game and a .200 three-point percentage (7-of-35) ... the Irish now are 22-0 all-time at home (41-3 overall) against New York schools ... Notre Dame has won 16 of its last 17 games (11 in a row) vs. first-time opponents, including a perfect 9-0 record at home in that time (2000-01 to present) ... senior guard Charel Allen scored a season-high 17 points ... sophomore guard Ashley Barlow dished out a career-high six assists, topping her old mark of four dimes, set on four occasions (most recently vs. California in the first round of the NCAA Tournament on March 18, 2007) ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader tied her career high with four assists, the fifth time she's had that total (most recently at Cincinnati on Feb. 25, 2006) ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters tied her season high with 12 points and blocked at least three shots for the third time this year ... freshman guard Brittany Mallory scored in double figures for the second consecutive game and delivered a season-high three assists.





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GAME 7

#22/23 Notre Dame 77, Michigan 46
December 2, 2007
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

GAME 8

#16/20 Notre Dame 86, Bowling Green 84 (OT)
December 5, 2007
Anderson Arena (Bowling Green, Ohio)

GAME 9

#16/20 Notre Dame 61, Purdue 48
December 8, 2007
Mackey Arena (West Lafayette, Ind.)

Michigan (46)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Walker	31	0-6	0-2	5-6	5	0	0	5
Phillips	16	3-6	0-1	3-4	8	3	5	9
Clement	40	1-6	1-4	2-2	2	2	2	5
Minnfield	36	2-5	2-2	3-4	6	3	2	9
Cooper	39	4-10	2-7	1-2	8	0	2	11
Skrba	10	0-1	0-0	3-4	1	0	2	3
Benson	24	2-10	0-6	0-0	0	0	0	4
Queen	4	0-0	0-0	0-1	0	0	0	0
Team					0			
Totals	200	12-44	5-22	17-23	30	8	13	46

Notre Dame (77)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
D'Amico	19	3-6	0-0	0-0	4	0	1	6
Gaines	21	6-7	1-1	2-2	3	4	2	15
Allen	28	8-11	1-1	2-2	7	5	1	19
Barlow	27	1-5	0-2	2-2	3	3	4	4
Schrader	25	5-11	0-0	1-2	3	1	0	11
Tsipis	4	1-1	1-1	0-0	0	0	1	3
Peters	15	5-6	0-0	0-0	4	1	4	10
Mallory	19	3-10	1-6	0-0	0	1	4	7
Lechlitner	21	0-2	0-1	0-0	3	4	1	0
Bruszewski	11	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	0	1	0
Williamson	10	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	2	2
Team					6			
Totals	200	33-62	4-12	7-8	36	19	21	77

Michigan	18	28	—	46
Notre Dame	33	44	—	77

FG Pct: Michigan 27.3, Notre Dame 53.2. **3-PT FG Pct:** Michigan 22.7, Notre Dame 33.3. **FT Pct:** Michigan 73.9, Notre Dame 87.5. **Turnovers:** Michigan 22, Notre Dame 11. **Blocked Shots:** Michigan 1, Notre Dame 1. **Steals:** Michigan 5 (Cooper 4), Notre Dame 13 (Gaines, Peters 3). **Attendance:** 10,825.

NOTES: Notre Dame posted its fourth consecutive 30-point win, matching its string from Jan. 20-30, 1999 ... the Irish have allowed more than 60 points in a game just once this season, and have held three of their last four opponents (and four of seven this year) to 50 points or less ... Notre Dame just missed having five double-digit scorers for the fourth consecutive game; however, the Irish have had at least three score in double figures in all seven contests and at least four do so on four occasions ... Notre Dame registered double-digit steals for the fourth consecutive game and fifth time this year ... the Irish have been shooting lights out in their last four games, topping 50 percent in three of those outings and posting a combined .516 (142-of-275) from the floor ... the Irish also logged a positive assist-to-turnover ratio for the sixth time in seven games this year and raised their season A/T/O ratio to 1.52 (129 assists, 85 turnovers) ... Notre Dame matches its longest series winning streak against Michigan (three) and has taken five of the past six against the Wolverines, opening up a 9-6 series lead on UM ... the 31-point margin just missed being the largest for the Irish in the series, topped only by an 88-54 victory on March 19, 2001 in the second round of the NCAA Tournament at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame also picks up its eighth win in the past 12 games against the Big Ten Conference ... the Irish held Michigan to an opponent season-low 18 points in a half (previous low was 19 by Central Michigan in the first half on Nov. 20) ... in its six victories this season, Notre Dame has not trailed by more than three points at any time, with the early 5-2 deficit vs. Michigan (18:10, 1st half) representing the furthest the Irish have trailed in a win ... senior guards Charel Allen and Tulyah Gaines registered season-high point totals (19 for Allen, 15 for Gaines) ... Allen is shooting 15-for-21 (.714) from the floor in the past two games ... Allen also moved into a tie for 18th place on the Irish career scoring list with 1,150 points, pulling even with former teammate Courtney LaVere (2002-06) ... Gaines is connecting at a .727 clip (16-of-22) from the field in her last four games, and knocked down her second career three-pointer vs. Michigan ... senior walk-on guard Amanda Tsipis canned her first career triple against the Wolverines and tied her career high with three points ... the Joyce Center crowd of 10,825 was the fourth-largest in program history, as well as the fourth of 10,000+ fans in school annals.

Notre Dame (86)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
D'Amico	6	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	2
Gaines	20	1-4	0-0	1-2	2	6	4	3
Allen	38	6-13	1-2	4-4	7	2	3	17
Barlow	25	4-9	0-1	2-3	3	2	5	10
Schrader	40-	7-13	0-0	3-4	12	1	1	17
Peters	31	6-11	0-0	2-3	4	0	4	14
Mallory	23	3-7	2-5	4-4	3	0	1	12
Lechlitner	30	2-8	1-4	4-6	1	4	1	9
Bruszewski	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0
Williamson	6	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2
Team					3			
Totals	225	31-68	4-12	20-26	37	15	21	86

Bowling Green (84)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Murdaugh	29	5-10	0-0	4-4	5	1	4	14
Breske	43	3-9	0-0	4-4	7	2	1	10
Prochaska	24	6-7	5-5	1-1	6	2	5	18
Goldsberry	34	1-4	0-1	4-4	3	4	3	6
Achter	41	6-11	1-2	7-9	4	7	3	20
Pontius	12	2-4	2-3	3-4	1	1	0	9
Taylor	10	1-3	0-2	0-0	0	1	0	2
Albert	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Uhl	4	0-1	0-1	0-0	2	0	1	0
Clapper	14	2-4	1-3	0-0	2	0	1	5
Bugher	8	0-2	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	0
Team					1			
Totals	225	26-55	9-18	23-26	32	18	18	84

Notre Dame	39	35	12	—	86
Bowling Green	37	37	10	—	84

FG Pct: Notre Dame 45.6, Bowling Green 47.3. **3-PT FG Pct:** Notre Dame 33.3, Bowling Green 50.0. **FT Pct:** Notre Dame 76.9, Bowling Green 88.5. **Turnovers:** Notre Dame 11, Bowling Green 15. **Blocked Shots:** Notre Dame 6 (Peters 4), Bowling Green 2 (Breske 2). **Steals:** Notre Dame 10 (Peters 3), Bowling Green 4 (Achter 2). **Technical Fouls:** Allen (ND), BG bench. **Attendance:** 2,228.

NOTES: Notre Dame and Bowling Green go to overtime for the second consecutive year, following last season's 85-81 Irish win at the Joyce Center (also the last ND win in OT) ... Notre Dame now has had at least one overtime game in each of the past five seasons (2003-04 to present) ... the Irish move back above the .500 mark in overtime games during their 31-year history, improving to 15-14 (.517) when playing bonus basketball; Notre Dame also is now 6-6 all-time in true road OT games and wins its first overtime game away from the Joyce Center since Feb. 25, 2006 (ironically also in the state of Ohio — 75-66 at Cincinnati) ... Bowling Green becomes the seventh Notre Dame opponent to play multiple overtime games against the Irish and just the second that Notre Dame has defeated in OT more than once ... senior guard Charel Allen's jumper with 00.8 seconds left was the first game-winning last-second shot for Notre Dame since Jan. 10, 2006, when Megan Duffy converted an off-handed layup at the horn in overtime to defeat Marquette, 67-65 at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame now is 4-0 all-time against Bowling Green and has scored at least 85 points in each game against the Falcons ... the Irish also snapped Bowling Green's 13-game home non-conference winning streak, which dated back to the 2003-04 season ... the Irish pick up their 16th consecutive win against a current Mid-American Conference school, dating back to March 10, 1995 when Notre Dame dropped an 87-64 decision at Northern Illinois in the semifinals of the Midwestern Collegiate Conference Tournament ... Notre Dame handed head coach Muffet McGraw a nice birthday present, improving to 4-1 on Dec. 5 since McGraw arrived in South Bend 21 seasons ago ... the Irish had five double-figure scorers for the fourth time in the past five games ... Allen moved into sole possession of 18th place on the Notre Dame career scoring list with 1,167 points, breaking a tie with former teammate Courtney LaVere (1,150 from 2002-06) ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader notched her third career double-double and first since Dec. 17, 2005, when she had 10 points and 10 rebounds against Arkansas State in the opening round of the Duel in the Desert at Las Vegas ... freshman forward Devereaux Puelers tossed in a season-high 14 points, cracking double figures for the third consecutive game, and she blocked four shots (her fourth game this year with three or more rejections) ... freshman guard Brittany Mallory had 10 of her 12 points in the first half and scored in double figures for the third time in four games ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines dished out a season-high six assists without a single turnover despite dodging foul trouble much of the night.

Notre Dame (61)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
D'Amico	13	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2
Gaines	28	3-7	0-0	0-1	1	1	1	6
Allen	32	5-13	0-3	0-0	8	6	2	10
Barlow	34	6-11	3-6	7-7	3	2	2	22
Schrader	29	3-8	0-0	2-2	10	1	0	8
Tsipis	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Peters	15	2-5	0-0	1-1	6	0	3	5
Mallory	11	0-3	0-3	0-0	1	4	0	0
Lechlitner	17	2-4	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	4
Bruszewski	16	2-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	4
Williamson	4	0-0	0-0	0-2	0	0	0	0
Team					4			
Totals	200	24-55	3-12	10-13	36	15	11	61

Purdue (48)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Bogdanova	30	3-8	1-4	3-4	3	2	1	10
Freeman	40	1-9	1-3	2-4	11	1	2	5
France	33	5-9	1-2	0-0	2	1	2	11
Campbell	36	5-13	0-0	3-3	7	3	2	13
Malone	39	2-10	1-4	0-0	3	4	3	5
Mioton	4	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	2	0
Clark	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Diidine	3	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Woods	14	2-7	0-1	0-0	4	1	0	4
Team					7			
Totals	200	18-59	4-14	8-11	39	12	12	48

Notre Dame	20	41	—	61
Purdue	25	23	—	48

FG Pct: Notre Dame 43.6, Purdue 30.5. **3-PT FG Pct:** Notre Dame 25.0, Purdue 28.6. **FT Pct:** Notre Dame 76.9, Purdue 72.7. **Turnovers:** Notre Dame 18, Purdue 22. **Blocked Shots:** Notre Dame 1, Purdue 7 (Campbell 6). **Steals:** Notre Dame 16 (Barlow 5), Purdue 12 (Campbell, Freeman, Malone 3). **Attendance:** 9,533.

NOTES: Notre Dame picks up its first win in 10 career visits to Purdue's Mackey Arena; Illinois' Assembly Hall and LSU's Pete Maravich Assembly Center are the only current arenas where the Irish have never won (minimum of two games played) ... the Irish stretch their winning streak to six games, matching their longest success runs in the past two seasons (six wins to open the 2005-06 season; six wins from Feb. 4-21, 2007) ... Notre Dame posts back-to-back series wins over Purdue for the second time in the 21-game rivalry, duplicating the feat it originally pulled off during the 2000-01 national championship season (regular season and NCAA title game wins) ... for the second consecutive meeting, the Irish held the Boilermakers to their lowest offensive output in the series, trumping last year's 67-58 win with this season's 61-48 conquest ... Notre Dame earns its ninth win in the past 13 games against Big Ten Conference schools and sweeps a pair from that league this season (also defeated Michigan, 77-46 on Dec. 2 at the Joyce Center) ... the Irish now have held seven of their nine opponents to fewer than 60 points (five to 50 or less) ... Notre Dame now has won nine of its last 12 games against in-state opponents ... for the second time all season (first since WKU on Nov. 13), Notre Dame had a negative assist/turnover ratio with 15 assists and a season-high 18 turnovers ... the Irish trailed at halftime for only the second time this year (also 38-32 at #3 Maryland on Nov. 16) ... Notre Dame was held to a season-low 20 points in the first half ... the Irish registered double-digit steals for the sixth consecutive game and seventh time this year ... Notre Dame played the 900th game in program history, improving to 621-279 (.690) in less than 31 seasons ... sophomore guard Ashley Barlow scored a career-high 22 points, one more than her previous best that she set on two occasions (most recently at DePaul on Feb. 26, 2007) ... Barlow's 22 points also were the most by an Irish player this season ... in addition, Barlow's five steals were one shy of her career high, set against Western Michigan on Nov. 19, 2006 ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader posted her second consecutive double-digit rebounding night after a 12-board effort three days earlier at Bowling Green ... freshman guard Brittany Mallory dished out a season-high four assists, one more than her previous best against Canisius on Nov. 27.





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GAME 10#17 Notre Dame 94, Valparaiso 56
December 12, 2007
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Valparaiso (56)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Litka	27	6-9	3-5	2-2	5	0	2	17
Ott	25	2-3	1-2	1-1	0	0	3	6
Ernig	19	2-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	2	4
Kulaga	26	3-9	0-1	3-4	3	7	0	9
Hochstetler, La.	15	1-3	0-0	1-1	1	0	4	3
Helenius	5	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2
Ray	18	1-4	1-1	4-6	0	1	3	7
Hochstetler, Le.	14	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Thomas	5	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Peller	13	1-2	0-0	2-2	2	1	0	4
Farris	20	1-4	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	2
Varner	13	1-4	0-1	0-0	4	1	3	2
Team					5			
Totals	200	19-45	5-10	13-16	22	11	20	56

Notre Dame (94)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
D'Amico	14	3-4	0-0	1-2	5	0	0	7
Gaines	20	3-7	0-0	2-2	3	6	1	8
Allen	23	7-11	0-0	0-0	4	4	0	14
Barlow	22	8-12	3-4	0-0	5	1	1	19
Schrader	19	2-7	0-0	3-4	4	2	1	7
Tsipis	7	0-2	0-1	2-2	1	0	0	2
Peters	22	4-5	0-0	2-2	3	1	3	10
Mallory	24	2-6	0-3	6-6	3	1	2	10
Lechlitner	26	2-5	0-0	2-2	1	7	2	6
Bruszewski	13	2-2	0-0	1-2	2	0	4	5
Williamson	10	2-3	0-0	2-2	2	0	1	6
Team					3			
Totals	200	35-64	3-8	21-24	36	22	15	94

Valparaiso	22	34	—	56
Notre Dame	47	47	—	94

FG Pct: Valparaiso 42.2, Notre Dame 54.7. **3-PT FG Pct:** Valparaiso 50.0, Notre Dame 37.5. **FT Pct:** Valparaiso 81.3, Notre Dame 87.5. **Turnovers:** Valparaiso 27, Notre Dame 13. **Blocked Shots:** Valparaiso 0, Notre Dame 7 (Peters 3). **Steals:** Valparaiso 9 (Peller 2), Notre Dame 11 (Mallory 4). **Attendance:** 5,791.

NOTES: The Irish are off to a 9-1 start (or better) for the third time in four seasons and the fifth time in school history; the only time Notre Dame began a season better than the current one was 2000-01, when the Irish opened with 23 consecutive victories ... Notre Dame posts its sixth 30-point win of the season (all at home) and tops the 90-point mark for the fourth time this year ... Notre Dame's current seven-game winning streak is its longest since a 10-game success string from Jan. 16-Feb. 15, 2005 ... in its six home wins this year, Notre Dame has not trailed by more than three points at any juncture (5-2 vs. Michigan with 18:10 left in the first half on Dec. 2) ... besides improving to 21-0 all-time against Valparaiso, the Irish scored the most points against the Crusaders in series history (previous: 93-60 on Dec. 19, 1987 at the Joyce Center) and posted their largest margin of victory over Valparaiso since Dec. 17, 1995 (90-44, also at home) ... Notre Dame moves to 101-14 (.878) all-time against the current Horizon League alignment, including a 51-5 (.911) record at the Joyce Center ... the Irish have won five in a row against in-state opponents since a 54-51 home loss to Indiana on Dec. 3, 2006 ... Notre Dame had at least four double-digit scorers for the seventh time this year (7-0 record) ... the Irish saw all 11 players score for the fourth time this season ... Notre Dame shot at least 50 percent from the field for the fifth time in 10 games this year ... the Irish forced at least 25 turnovers for the fourth time this year ... Valparaiso's 22 rebounds are the fewest by a Notre Dame opponent since Jan. 4, 2006, when St. John's had only 21 boards in a 66-63 upset win over the Irish in Queens, N.Y. ... coupling her second half at Purdue with the first half vs. Valparaiso, sophomore guard Ashley Barlow scored 34 points on 11-of-15 (.733) shooting with a .750 three-point percentage (6-of-8) ... senior guard Charel Allen rallied from an 0-for-4 shooting start by making her final seven shots of the night ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters not only tallied her fifth double-figure scoring game of the year (fourth in five games), but also blocked at least three shots for the fifth time this season ... freshman guard Brittany Mallory registered her fourth double-digit scoring night of the season and added a season-high four steals for good measure (previous: three steals on three occasions, most recently at Purdue on Dec. 8).

GAME 11#17 Notre Dame 66, IUPUI 47
December 21, 2007
IUPUI Gymnasium (Indianapolis, Ind.)

Notre Dame (67)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
D'Amico	12	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	2
Gaines	28	2-7	0-0	2-3	7	9	1	6
Allen	26	4-7	0-1	4-4	3	3	1	12
Barlow	30	2-5	0-2	0-0	6	3	3	4
Schrader	23	4-14	0-0	2-2	4	1	1	10
Tsipis	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Peters	24	4-8	0-0	3-4	4	0	2	11
Mallory	20	4-9	0-1	1-1	3	0	1	9
Lechlitner	18	0-5	0-0	1-2	1	1	0	1
Bruszewski	7	0-1	0-0	3-4	1	0	1	3
Williamson	9	3-9	0-0	3-5	7	0	1	9
Team					5			
Totals	200	24-66	0-4	19-25	42	17	12	67

IUPUI (44)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Cann	39	7-15	0-0	1-5	14	5	4	15
Whitted	20	5-11	0-0	0-0	7	0	4	10
Cook	14	0-3	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	0
Conner	18	0-2	0-1	0-0	1	3	2	0
Cunningham	25	0-4	0-1	0-2	5	0	1	0
Bennett	3	1-2	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	2
Tate	26	2-5	0-1	0-0	3	0	1	4
Ransom	8	0-3	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	1
James	28	3-7	0-3	2-2	5	2	3	8
Stackhouse	19	2-5	0-1	0-0	1	0	3	4
Team					6			
Totals	200	20-57	0-10	4-11	43	11	19	44

Notre Dame	34	33	—	67
IUPUI	27	17	—	44

FG Pct: Notre Dame 36.4, IUPUI 35.1. **3-PT FG Pct:** Notre Dame 0.0, IUPUI 0.0. **FT Pct:** Notre Dame 76.0, IUPUI 36.4. **Turnovers:** Notre Dame 15, IUPUI 28. **Blocked Shots:** Notre Dame 6 (Peters 4), IUPUI 6 (Whitted 3). **Steals:** Notre Dame 16 (Allen 5), IUPUI 5 (Cunningham 3). **Attendance:** 703.

NOTES: Notre Dame is off to a 10-1 start for the third time in school history, matching its 11-game record in 2004-05 and one game back of its 11-0 debut in the 2000-01 national championship season ... the Irish reach the 10-win mark faster than any team in school history except the '04-05 club, which got its 10th victory two days earlier on Dec. 19 (the '00-01 squad also earned win #10 on Dec. 21) ... Notre Dame held an opponent to 50 points or fewer for the sixth time in 11 games this year ... the Irish limited IUPUI to an opponent-season-low 17 points in the second half, the fewest points by an Irish opponent in any half since Feb. 4, 2007, when West Virginia only managed 17 first-half points in a 77-67 ND win at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame now has won 20 consecutive games coming off its final exam break, and wins its 12th consecutive contest going into the Christmas holiday ... for the fifth time this season (and second consecutive game), the Irish forced at least 25 opponent turnovers ... Notre Dame has registered double-digit steals in each game of its current win streak ... the Irish bench has outscored the opposition's reserves in every game this season, averaging nearly 33 points per night ... neither team made a three-point basket, the first time Notre Dame has played in such a game since Dec. 19, 1992 in a 55-48 Irish win at Loyola (Md.) ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines tied her career high with nine assists, matching the mark she set twice before (most recently at home against Syracuse on Jan. 20, 2007) ... senior guard Charel Allen tied her career high with five steals, a mark she's reached four times previously, including Nov. 24 vs. Boston College at the Joyce Center ... Allen also moved into 16th place on the Notre Dame career scoring list with 1,203 points, passing both Krissi Davis (1,194 points from 1987-91) and Heidi Bunek (1,985-89) with her team-high 12 points at IUPUI; next up for Allen is Letitia Bowen, who scored 1,219 points from 1991-95 ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters scored in double figures for the fifth time in six games and also recorded at least three blocks for the sixth time this season ... sophomore center Erica Williamson scored a season-high nine points.

GAME 12#16 Notre Dame 82, Saint Francis (Pa.) 39
December 29, 2007
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Saint Francis (Pa.) (39)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Bollinger	32	1-5	0-0	3-4	7	0	2	5
Killian	20	0-3	0-0	0-0	5	1	1	0
Scott	38	2-8	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	4
Leach	31	3-6	1-2	0-0	1	3	1	7
Hodges	37	5-14	2-5	6-6	1	2	1	18
Daly	9	0-3	0-3	0-0	0	0	0	2
Donahoe	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Smith	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0
Robinson	26	2-6	0-0	1-2	5	0	4	5
Team					1			
Totals	200	13-45	3-10	10-12	24	8	12	39

Notre Dame (82)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
D'Amico	10	2-2	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	4
Gaines	23	3-6	0-1	0-0	1	5	0	6
Allen	22	4-8	0-0	0-0	5	2	0	8
Barlow	14	5-7	2-3	0-0	2	1	3	12
Schrader	22	4-8	0-0	0-0	3	5	1	8
Tsipis	7	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	2
Peters	25	5-7	0-0	0-2	8	4	1	10
Mallory	18	2-9	1-7	2-2	3	1	2	7
Lechlitner	27	3-9	0-1	0-0	3	4	3	6
Bruszewski	12	1-1	0-0	1-2	1	0	0	3
Williamson	20	6-9	0-0	4-6	8	0	2	16
Team					4			
Totals	200	36-68	3-12	7-12	42	23	12	82

Saint Francis (Pa.)	25	14	—	39
Notre Dame	42	40	—	82

FG Pct: Saint Francis (Pa.) 28.9, Notre Dame 52.9. **3-PT FG Pct:** Saint Francis (Pa.) 30.0, Notre Dame 25.0. **FT Pct:** Saint Francis (Pa.) 83.3, Notre Dame 58.3. **Turnovers:** Saint Francis (Pa.) 24, Notre Dame 13. **Blocked Shots:** Saint Francis (Pa.) 2 (Killian 2), Notre Dame 6 (Williamson 3). **Steals:** Saint Francis (Pa.) 10 (Hodges 6), Notre Dame 8 (Allen, Schrader, Mallory 2). **Attendance:** 6,405.

NOTES: Notre Dame and Saint Francis were playing one another for the first time ever; the Irish are 17-1 (.944) against first-time opponents since the start of the 2000-01 season (10-0 at home), including an active 12-game winning streak against new foes ... Notre Dame finished the month of December with a perfect 6-0 record, its first unblemished mark for an entire month since November 2005 (5-0) ... seven of the 11 Irish wins this year have come by 30+ points; that ties for the second-most 30-point wins in a single season by Notre Dame, matching the total of the 1998-99 squad (the school record for 30-point wins is 10, set by the 2000-01 club) ... the Irish have held 10 of their 12 opponents to fewer than 60 points, including seven to 50 points or fewer ... Saint Francis scored only 14 second-half points, the fewest allowed by the Irish in a single half since Jan. 2, 2005, when Seton Hall also scored 14 points in the first half of a 54-33 Irish win at the Joyce Center ... the Red Flash scored only 39 points on the day, the fewest allowed by Notre Dame since March 1, 2005, when the Irish took a 41-35 win at Seton Hall ... Notre Dame has not trailed by more than three points at any time during its seven home wins this season (5-2 vs. Michigan with 18:10 left in first half on Dec. 2) ... the Irish shot at least 50 percent from the field for the sixth time this year ... Notre Dame forced at least 20 opponent turnovers for the 10th time this year, with only (then) third-ranked Maryland and Bowling Green (15 apiece) avoiding the turnover bug against the Irish ... Notre Dame had at least three double-digit scorers for the 11th time in 12 games (one exception came Dec. 8 at Purdue when the Irish had two in double figures) ... all 11 Irish players found the scoring column for the fifth time this season ... sophomore center Erica Williamson had a career-high 16 points, one more than her total almost exactly one year earlier vs. Prairie View A&M (Dec. 28, 2006 at the Joyce Center) ... Williamson added a season-high three blocks and was one rebound shy of her season-best in that category (nine vs. Miami-Ohio on Nov. 9) ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters matched her season high with eight rebounds, a mark she set in each of the first two games of her career (vs. Miami-Ohio and Western Kentucky); Peters also dished out a season-high four assists, one more than her total vs. Boston College on Nov. 24 ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader handed out a career-high five assists after logging four assists in a game on five prior occasions (most recently on Nov. 27 vs. Canisius) ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines recorded at least five assists for the third consecutive game and has a 4.0 assist/turnover ratio in that time (20 assists, five turnovers).





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GAME 13

#14 Notre Dame 84, Richmond 59
January 2, 2008
Robins Center (Richmond, Va.)

Notre Dame (84)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
D'Amico	11	2-6	0-0	0-0	4	0	3	4
Gaines	28	1-7	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	4
Allen	31	8-15	0-1	2-2	6	1	1	18
Barlow	27	5-9	0-2	6-8	3	0	2	16
Schrader	28	3-7	0-0	1-2	10	4	2	7
Tsipis	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0
Peters	21	2-3	0-0	8-10	3	0	4	12
Lechlitner	23	1-3	1-2	1-2	1	2	1	4
Bruszewski	11	2-4	0-0	3-4	2	0	2	7
Williamson	17	4-8	0-0	4-6	6	0	4	12
Team					4			
Totals	200	28-62	1-5	27-36	40	9	21	84

Richmond (59)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Holzer	21	1-5	0-0	3-4	8	2	1	5
Campion	34	5-11	0-0	5-6	6	2	2	15
Powell	33	2-3	0-1	2-2	1	3	3	6
Shells	28	3-10	2-5	1-2	2	3	3	9
McKnight	31	6-10	2-2	1-1	3	0	3	15
Thomas	6	0-0	0-0	0-2	1	0	0	0
Bell	20	2-3	1-2	0-0	1	0	4	5
Zygaita	5	0-2	0-0	0-2	0	0	1	0
Flynn	8	1-1	0-0	1-3	3	0	3	3
Goring	14	0-3	0-1	1-2	4	0	3	1
Team					2			
Totals	200	20-48	5-11	14-24	31	10	23	59

Notre Dame	40	44	—	84
Richmond	30	29	—	59

FG Pct: Notre Dame 45.2, Richmond 41.7. **3-PT FG Pct:** Notre Dame 20.0, Richmond 45.5. **FT Pct:** Notre Dame 75.0, Richmond 58.3. **Turnovers:** Notre Dame 13, Richmond 28. **Blocked Shots:** Notre Dame 6 (D'Amico, Williamson 2), Richmond 4 (Flynn 2). **Steals:** Notre Dame 18 (Barlow 6), Richmond 4. **Attendance:** 1,136.

NOTES: Notre Dame improves to 3-0 all-time against Richmond, chalking up its largest margin of victory in the abbreviated series ... the Irish also earn their 11th consecutive win against the current Atlantic 10 Conference alignment ... with its current 10-game winning streak, Notre Dame now has strung together the 10th double-digit win streak in school history and first since a similar 10-game run from Jan. 16-Feb. 15, 2005 ... the Irish also won their fifth consecutive road game, which ironically also occurred during the aforementioned 2005 winning streak (Jan. 19-Feb. 15) ... Notre Dame's 12-1 start ties for the second-best 13-game debut in school history, equalling the 2004-05 club and trailing only the 2000-01 squad (13-0) ... the Irish now have held 11 of 13 opponents to fewer than 60 points ... the Richmond game marked just the third time all season Notre Dame did not have a positive assist-to-turnover ratio (nine assists and 13 turnovers) ... Notre Dame forced at least 20 opponent turnovers for the 11th time this season, coming up with at least 25 takeaways for the sixth time (third in four games) ... the 18 steals were the second-most for the Irish this season, behind the 21-steal effort vs. Boston College on Nov. 24 ... Notre Dame went 27-of-36 at the foul line, its highest totals from the stripe since Feb. 17, 2007 at Providence (28-of-36) ... the Irish had 21 offensive rebounds at Richmond, tying their second-best mark of the year (vs. Canisius on Nov. 27) and trailing only their 22 offensive boards vs. Boston College on Nov. 24 ... Notre Dame fielded at least three double-digit scorers for the 12th time in 13 games this season, with eight of those game featuring at least four in double figures (as was the case at Richmond) ... senior guard Charel Allen moved into 15th place on the Notre Dame career scoring list with 1,229 points, passing Letitia Bowen (1,219 from 1991-95); next up in Mary Beth Schueth with 1,233 points from 1981-85 ... sophomore guard Ashley Barlow tied her career high with six steals, matching her total from a Nov. 19, 2006 win over Western Michigan at the Joyce Center ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader notched her third double-digit rebounding night of the season and sixth of her career ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines tied her career high with five steals, a mark she originally set on Dec. 16, 2006 against IUPUI at the Joyce Center ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters scored in double figures for the seventh time in eight games and also tallied a season-high three steals for the fifth time this year (most recently at Bowling Green on Dec. 5) ... sophomore center Erica Williamson scored in double figures for the second consecutive game and eighth time in her career ... freshman guard Brittany Mallory was a late scratch from the Richmond game after experiencing flu-like symptoms.

GAME 14

#3 Tennessee 87, #14 Notre Dame 63
January 5, 2008
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Tennessee (87)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Parker	31	9-14	0-0	2-3	8	4	1	20
Anosike	20	5-10	0-0	3-3	9	2	3	13
Bobbitt	30	2-6	2-4	0-0	1	6	1	6
Bjorklund	26	7-11	7-9	0-0	3	1	2	21
Hornbuckle	30	4-6	2-2	0-0	3	4	1	10
Smallbone	14	0-2	0-2	2-2	2	2	1	2
Baugh	12	1-5	0-0	0-0	2	1	1	2
Auguste	19	4-7	0-1	1-1	7	2	1	9
Fuller	18	1-5	0-2	2-2	3	1	1	4
Team					1			
Totals	200	33-66	11-20	10-11	39	23	12	87

Notre Dame (63)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
D'Amico	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Gaines	20	2-7	0-0	0-0	1	3	3	4
Allen	32	7-13	1-1	2-3	4	2	3	17
Barlow	26	3-9	0-2	2-5	5	3	0	8
Schrader	25	3-7	0-0	1-1	0	2	0	7
Peters	24	5-10	0-0	0-0	8	0	5	10
Mallory	8	1-5	0-1	0-0	1	1	0	2
Lechlitner	23	3-7	0-1	0-0	1	3	0	6
Bruszewski	24	2-3	0-0	0-0	7	1	1	4
Williamson	14	1-3	0-0	3-4	4	0	2	5
Team					4			
Totals	200	27-64	1-5	8-13	35	15	14	63

Tennessee	41	46	—	87
Notre Dame	22	41	—	63

FG Pct: Tennessee 50.0, Notre Dame 42.2. **3-PT FG Pct:** Tennessee 55.0, Notre Dame 20.0. **FT Pct:** Tennessee 90.9, Notre Dame 61.5. **Turnovers:** Tennessee 14, Notre Dame 16. **Blocked Shots:** Tennessee 4 (Parker 2), Notre Dame 3. **Steals:** Tennessee 10 (Parker, Bobbitt 3), Notre Dame 10 (Gaines 3). **Attendance:** 11,418 (capacity).

NOTES: Notre Dame falls to 0-19 all-time against Tennessee, the only opponent the Irish have played a minimum of six times and never defeated ... both of Notre Dame's losses this season have come to the third-ranked team in the country (also 75-59 at Maryland on Nov. 16) ... Notre Dame allowed a season-high 87 points, three more than Bowling Green scored in an 86-84 Irish overtime win on Dec. 5 ... for only the second time all season, Notre Dame failed to place three players in double figures, after also doing so at Purdue on Dec. 8 ... Notre Dame's bench continues to be one of its strengths, as the Irish reserves outscored their Tennessee counterparts, 27-17; Notre Dame has held a bench scoring edge in all 14 games this season, with the Irish second unit averaging 33 points per game and outscoring the opposition's bench by more than 19 points per game ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters scored in double figures for the eighth time in nine games and tied her season high with eight rebounds, a mark she'd hit three times before (most recently on Dec. 29 vs. Saint Francis-Pa.) ... freshman forward Becca Bruszewski tied her season high with seven rebounds, having also grabbed seven boards at Maryland on Nov. 16 ... senior guard Charel Allen moved into 14th place on the Notre Dame all-time scoring list with 1,246 points, passing Mary Beth Schueth, who scored 1,233 points from 1981-85; next up for Allen is former teammate Megan Duffy, who collected 1,290 points from 2002-06 ... Notre Dame wore its alternate home uniforms (white with green trim) for the first time this season and fourth time since their inception last year; the Irish are 2-2 when wearing the alternate uniforms, with all four games coming against ranked opponents (wins vs. No. 10/9 Purdue and No. 17/16 Louisville, loss vs. No. 21/22 Rutgers last year) ... the Tennessee game was sold out, marking the fourth Joyce Center capacity crowd of 11,418 fans for a women's basketball game in school history and first since Dec. 31, 2005 (62-51 loss to UT) ... in addition, the Irish attracted their second crowd of 10,000-plus fans this season, the second time in the past eight seasons Notre Dame has had multiple five-digit home attendances in one year (two sellouts in 2000-01); for the season, Notre Dame is averaging 7,160 fans per game.

GAME 15

#14 Notre Dame 82, Louisville 74
January 8, 2008
Freedom Hall (Louisville, Ky.)

Notre Dame (82)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Peters	15	2-3	0-0	2-2	3	1	5	6
Gaines	22	5-8	0-1	3-4	2	3	3	13
Allen	33	10-16	1-2	5-7	9	0	2	26
Barlow, A.	28	3-8	0-2	1-1	3	1	2	7
Schrader	28	4-8	0-0	0-1	7	0	0	8
Mallory	16	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	1	1	3
Lechlitner	25	2-7	0-1	1-2	0	3	2	5
Bruszewski	8	1-3	1-1	0-0	2	0	4	3
D'Amico	6	0-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0
Williamson	19	2-3	0-0	7-8	6	0	4	11
Team					4			
Totals	200	30-61	3-10	19-25	38	9	23	82

Louisville (74)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Bingham	38	9-18	0-0	4-8	8	4	2	22
McCoughtry	38	8-25	0-7	5-8	13	1	2	21
Wright	20	4-7	0-1	4-7	5	0	2	12
Barlow, P.	34	1-5	0-0	1-2	3	5	5	3
Radde	14	2-4	1-2	0-2	3	1	0	5
Evans	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
Simmons	12	1-2	0-1	0-0	3	1	2	2
Terry	4	0-0	0-0	1-3	0	1	0	1
Hines	18	2-4	0-0	0-2	5	0	0	4
Byrd	20	2-4	0-2	0-0	2	0	2	4
Team					2			
Totals	200	29-69	1-13	15-32	44	13	17	74

Notre Dame	38	44	—	82
Louisville	38	36	—	74

FG Pct: Notre Dame 49.2, Louisville 42.0. **3-PT FG Pct:** Notre Dame 30.0, Louisville 7.7. **FT Pct:** Notre Dame 76.0, Louisville 46.9. **Turnovers:** Notre Dame 20, Louisville 19. **Blocked Shots:** Notre Dame 6 (Peters, D'Amico 2), Louisville 5 (Wright 2). **Steals:** Notre Dame 9 (Gaines, Allen 2), Louisville 6 (Bingham, McCoughtry 3). **Technical Foul:** UL bench. **Attendance:** 5,243.

NOTES: Notre Dame wins its sixth consecutive road game, its longest winning streak away from home since a 10-game run from Nov. 17, 2000 to Feb. 14, 2001 ... the Irish even the series with Louisville at 3-3, posting their highest point total ever against the Cardinals and winning at Freedom Hall for the first time since Feb. 21, 1994 (a 69-54 decision) ... Notre Dame's 13-2 record through 15 games matches its second-best start in program history, trailing only the 15-0 debut in 2000-01; the Irish have been 13-2 on four other occasions (1977-78, 1998-99, 1999-2000 and most recently in 2004-05) ... Notre Dame scores at least 80 points for the ninth time this season, going 9-0 in such games and 109-3 (.973) since joining the BIG EAST Conference in 1995-96 ... the Irish improve to 9-4 in BIG EAST openers, including a 4-3 mark when opening on the road ... Notre Dame fielded at least three double-digit scorers for the 13th time in 15 games ... the Irish shot at least 45 percent from the field for the 10th time this season (10-0 record) ... Notre Dame's bench still has outscored its opponent's reserve unit in every game this season ... the Irish had a streak of 30 consecutive games with 18 or fewer turnovers snapped at Louisville, committing 20 giveaways; it's the highest turnover total for Notre Dame since it had 22 in an overtime loss at South Florida on Jan. 13, 2007 (almost exactly one year earlier) ... senior guard Charel Allen set new season highs for points and rebounds in a game, while logging her 12th career 20-point game (first since a 21-point outing against No. 2 North Carolina on March 20, 2007 in the second round of the NCAA Tournament) ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines scored in double figures for the third time this season and first since a season-high 15 points against Michigan on Dec. 2 ... sophomore center Erica Williamson cracked double digits for the third time in four games ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters earned her first career start at Louisville ... freshman forward Becca Bruszewski canned her first career three-pointer against the Cardinals ... head coach Muffet McGraw collects her 550th career victory, improving to 550-222 (.712) in 26 seasons of coaching, with a 462-181 (.719) record at Notre Dame.





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GAME 16

#16 West Virginia 56, #14 Notre Dame 50
January 13, 2008
WVU Coliseum (Morgantown, W.Va.)

Notre Dame (50)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Peters, Williamson, Gaines, Allen, Barlow, Mallory, Lechlitner, Schrader, Bruszewski, D'Amico, Team, and Totals.

West Virginia (56)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Cole, Sanni, Owens, Powell, Bulger, Repella, Smith, Davis, Goodley, Joye, Small, Team, and Totals.

Notre Dame 11 39 - 50
West Virginia 31 25 - 56

FG Pct: Notre Dame 24.5, West Virginia 36.4. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 31.3, West Virginia 33.3. FT Pct: Notre Dame 79.2, West Virginia 76.5. Turnovers: Notre Dame 18, West Virginia 23. Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 3 (Williamson 2), West Virginia 7 (Bulger 4). Steals: Notre Dame 10 (Peters, Barlow 3), West Virginia 10 (Powell 6). Attendance: 2,542.

NOTES: All three of Notre Dame's losses have come at the hands of Top 25 opponents, including two on the road (at #3 Maryland, vs. #3 Tennessee, at #16 West Virginia) ... the Irish also saw their six-game road winning streak snapped, losing away from the Joyce Center for only the second time in eight games this season ... for the second time in three seasons, Notre Dame nearly pulled off the biggest comeback in school history (after trailing WVU by 22 points with 16:29 left), challenging the mark of 16 points, set against Connecticut on March 30, 2001 in the NCAA Final Four at St. Louis; on Feb. 7, 2006, Notre Dame erased a 21-point deficit vs. Villanova, forcing overtime at the Joyce Center before losing, 69-65 ... the Irish were held to their lowest point total and field goal percentage since Jan. 27, 2007, when they shot 24.2 percent from the field (16-of-66) in a 64-47 loss at #7/5 Connecticut ... Notre Dame had an 18-game winning streak snapped when holding opponents to fewer than 60 points (first loss since Dec. 3, 2006, a 54-51 setback at home to Indiana) ... for the first time all season, the Irish had just one double-figure scorer (they had at least three in 13 of the previous 15 games) ... Notre Dame's 11 first-half points were one fewer than the old program record of 12, set in the opening half against #17 Virginia on Feb. 22, 1981 (a 68-40 Cavalier win on a neutral court in Chicago) ... West Virginia earns its second series in 17 games vs. the Irish, with both victories coming in Morgantown (also a 64-51 win on Jan. 17, 2004) ... both teams recorded their lowest point totals in the series ... it was the closest game between the Irish and Mountaineers since a 69-64 Notre Dame win on Feb. 1, 2003 at the Joyce Center (the closest game in the series) ... Notre Dame held WVU within a 10-point scoring window of 54-64 points for the 11th time in their last 12 meetings (only last year's 77-67 Irish win fell outside that window) ... Notre Dame forced at least 20 turnovers and collected at least 10 steals for the 12th time this season ... the Irish bench continues to have the upper hand on its opponents in every game this season, outscoring the WVU reserves, 21-7 ... freshman guard Brittany Mallory canned a season-high three three-pointers after hitting a pair of treys in five different games earlier this year (most recently on Dec. 5 at Bowling Green) ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters matched her season-high steal total for the sixth time this year, collecting three thefts at WVU (she most recently had three steals on Jan. 2 at Richmond) ... sophomore center Erica Williamson returned to the lineup after starting the first four games of the season (her first career starts).

GAME 17

#17/15 Notre Dame 69, Villanova 58
January 16, 2008
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Villanova (58)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Kurz, Witman, Karcic, Getty, Grant, Weiss, O'Connor, Dougherty, Swiezynski, Elliott, Team, and Totals.

Notre Dame (69)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Williamson, Gaines, Allen, Barlow, Schrader, Peters, Mallory, Lechlitner, Bruszewski, Team, and Totals.

Villanova 32 26 - 58
Notre Dame 35 34 - 69

FG Pct: Villanova 48.9, Notre Dame 54.3. 3-PT FG Pct: Villanova 56.3, Notre Dame 40.0. FT Pct: Villanova 75.0, Notre Dame 94.4. Turnovers: Villanova 24, Notre Dame 19. Blocked Shots: Villanova 3 (Karcic 2), Notre Dame 4 (Peters 3). Steals: Villanova 9 (Karcic 3), Notre Dame 17 (Peters 7). Attendance: 5,523.

NOTES: Notre Dame improves to 15-8 all-time against Villanova and wins back-to-back series games vs. the Wildcats for the first time since a series-long six-game winning streak from 1998-2000 ... the Irish have scored 65+ points in their last three games against Villanova after failing to do so in the previous seven contests ... Notre Dame has forced a combined total of 44 Villanova turnovers in its last two games against the Wildcats; VU came into this year's game leading the nation in fewest turnovers (11.2 per game) ... in fact, Villanova's 24 turnovers were its highest giveaway mark since Dec. 1, 2001, when the Wildcats had 26 turnovers in a 43-35 loss at Big 5 rival Temple ... Notre Dame had at least four double-figure scorers for the ninth time in 17 games this season, improving to 9-0 in those contests ... the Irish shot a season-best .944 (17-of-18) from the foul line, just missing the school record for free throw accuracy (18-of-18 at Valparaiso on Nov. 30, 2004) ... Notre Dame bounced back extremely well from a season-low .245 field goal percentage at #16 West Virginia, with its .543 percentage against Villanova marking the seventh time this season the Irish have shot better than 50 percent from the floor (first since a .529 mark on Dec. 29 vs. Saint Francis-Pa.) ... Notre Dame collected just 25 rebounds, its lowest total since March 5, 2006, when it had 23 rebounds in a BIG EAST Championship quarterfinal loss to #7 Connecticut ... Villanova's 21 rebounds are the fewest for a Notre Dame opponent since Jan. 4, 2006, when St. John's also had 21 boards in a 66-63 upset win over the visiting Irish ... Notre Dame notched at least 15 steals for the seventh time this season and first since collecting 18 thefts at Richmond on Jan. 2 ... the Irish now have held 13 of their 17 opponents to fewer than 60 points, going 12-1 in those contests ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters scored a season-high 15 points, one more than her total in the overtime win at Bowling Green on Dec. 5 ... Peters also tallied a season-high seven steals, the most for an Irish player since Jan. 30, 2005, when Megan Duffy also had seven thefts in a 65-59 win at #9/10 Connecticut ... in addition, Peters' seven steals tie for the fifth-most by an Irish player in Joyce Center history, a mark most recently attained by Duffy, who had seven steals against Colorado State on Nov. 22, 2004 ... senior guard Charel Allen moved into 13th place on the Notre Dame career scoring list with 1,296 points, passing former teammate Duffy, who had 1,290 points from 2002-06 ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader had a perfect shooting night (5-5 FG, 2-2 FT) en route to her highest scoring night since a 17-point, 12-rebound effort on Dec. 5 at Bowling Green; yet it wasn't Schrader's best career shooting performance, as she went 6-of-6 from the field on Dec. 4, 2005 at Wisconsin.

GAME 18

#17/15 Notre Dame 104, Georgetown 86
January 19, 2008
McDonough Arena (Washington, D.C.)

Notre Dame (104)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Williamson, Gaines, Allen, Barlow, Schrader, Tsipis, Peters, Mallory, Lechlitner, Bruszewski, D'Amico, Team, and Totals.

Georgetown (86)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Butler, Marlow, Diop, Pollack, Fuller, Heidloff, Cox, McNutt, Kirkland, Hatton, Team, and Totals.

Notre Dame 48 56 - 104
Georgetown 42 44 - 86

FG Pct: Notre Dame 61.0, Georgetown 49.2. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 60.0, Georgetown 50.0. FT Pct: Notre Dame 70.3, Georgetown 68.0. Turnovers: Notre Dame 19, Georgetown 20. Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 2 (Allen 2), Georgetown 6 (Hatton 3). Steals: Notre Dame 7 (Allen, Lechlitner 2), Georgetown 7 (Marlow 2). Attendance: 1,114.

NOTES: Notre Dame scores more than 100 points on an opponent's floor for the first time in school history ... it's also just the second time the Irish have ever scored 100 points away from home (113-35 win vs. Liberty on Nov. 24, 1989, at UCF Rotary Classic in Orlando) ... the Irish point total ties for the seventh-highest single-game mark in school history (the aforementioned 113 points vs. Liberty is the school record) and it's the 10th triple-digit game in the Notre Dame record books (first since a 107-65 win over Cleveland State on Nov. 26, 2002, at the Joyce Center) ... the Irish set a McDonough Arena record for points by a visiting team, breaking the old mark held by Connecticut on Jan. 5, 1995 in a 103-64 Huskies win ... the 190 combined points are the most in a Notre Dame game since the Irish downed West Virginia, 111-90 on Jan. 7, 1999, at the Joyce Center (setting a school record for combined points with 201) ... Notre Dame improves to 22-2 all-time against Georgetown (9-1 at McDonough Arena) and has won five in a row in the series, while also notching its highest point total in the 24-game series ... Georgetown becomes the third different BIG EAST school that Notre Dame has scored 100 points against during conference play, joining Providence and West Virginia in that category ... the Irish scored 56 second-half points at Georgetown, their highest output in a single half since scoring a school-record 61 points in the first half of the aforementioned 2002 rout over Cleveland State ... Notre Dame puts seven players in double figures for the first time since Feb. 6, 1997 in a 90-73 win vs. Syracuse ... the Irish shoot 61 percent from the floor vs. Georgetown, their best shooting night since Feb. 27, 2001, when they connected at a .635 clip in an 82-63 win at Pittsburgh ... Notre Dame shoots a season-best .600 from the three-point line and ties its season high with six three-pointers ... sophomore guard Ashley Barlow posted her second 20-point game of the season, coming one point shy of her career best, which she set on Dec. 8 at Purdue ... freshman guard Brittany Mallory scored a season-high 15 points, two more than her total vs. Boston College on Nov. 24 ... sophomore guard Melissa Lechlitner scored a season-high 13 points, returning to double figures for the first time since she had 12 points at Central Michigan on Nov. 20 ... Lechlitner also dished out six assists, one short of her season best, set on Dec. 12 against Valparaiso ... freshman forward Becca Bruszewski collected her third double-digit scoring night of the year, and first since Nov. 24 vs. Boston College (10 points).





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GAME 19

#rv/25 DePaul 81, #16 Notre Dame 80
January 22, 2008
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

DePaul (81)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Williams	31	6-10	0-0	2-4	4	1	3	14
Smith	15	2-2	1-1	0-0	6	1	5	5
Quigley, A.	34	4-9	1-2	7-7	2	7	3	16
Mitidiero	27	4-8	3-6	1-2	0	5	2	12
Naughton	36	7-11	2-3	4-4	8	0	0	20
Pikes	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	2	1	0
Cattell	6	1-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	4	2
Threatt	8	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	4
Johnson	10	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	3	2
Medley	5	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2
Chester	21	2-3	0-0	0-0	3	2	5	4
Team					4			
Totals	200	30-50	7-13	14-17	30	22	26	81

Notre Dame (80)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Williamson	26	5-10	0-0	6-9	6	1	1	16
Gaines	31	0-5	0-1	0-2	1	4	3	0
Allen	34	5-14	1-1	6-8	2	1	1	17
Barlow	29	8-12	2-3	5-6	7	0	3	23
Schrader	31	3-7	0-0	2-2	3	4	0	8
Peters	19	3-7	0-0	1-3	8	0	5	7
Mallory	8	1-2	0-0	3-3	0	0	1	5
Lechlitner	16	0-3	0-0	0-0	0	2	1	0
Bruszewski	3	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	2
D'Amico	3	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2
Team					4			
Totals	200	26-62	3-5	25-35	32	12	15	80

DePaul	45	36	-	81
Notre Dame	43	37	-	80

FG Pct: DePaul 60.0, Notre Dame 41.9. **3-PT FG Pct:** DePaul 53.8, Notre Dame 60.0. **FT Pct:** DePaul 82.4, Notre Dame 71.4. **Turnovers:** DePaul 19, Notre Dame 10. **Blocked Shots:** DePaul 5 (Chester 2), Notre Dame 5 (Peters 3). **Steals:** DePaul 5 (Medley 2), Notre Dame 7 (Peters 2). **Attendance:** 5,503.

NOTES: All four Notre Dame losses this season have come to teams ranked in one or both of the major national polls (also #3 Maryland, #3 Tennessee and #16 West Virginia) ... DePaul wins its third consecutive game in the series, the first time either side has done that since Jan. 27, 1990, when the Blue Demons won the last of a series-long five in a row vs. Notre Dame ... for the first time in nine regular-season games, the road team claims a series win, with DePaul the last to do on Feb. 11, 1992, a 62-49 victory at the Joyce Center ... in each of the past 10 series games, the winning side has scored at least 75 points, with both teams topping 70 points in the past four outings (and five of six) ... four of the past six games in the series have been decided by eight points or less, including three by five points or fewer ... for just the fourth time in 114 games since joining the BIG EAST Conference in 1995-96, Notre Dame loses when scoring at least 80 points (last occurred on Dec. 8, 1998 in a 106-81 loss to #1 Connecticut at the Joyce Center) ... Notre Dame scores at least 80 points for the 11th time this season ... DePaul's 10-point comeback is the largest by an Irish opponent since March 21, 2005, when #RV/24 Arizona State came back from 13 points down to defeat #11/13 Notre Dame, 70-61 in the second round of the NCAA Tournament at Fresno, Calif. ... the Irish lose for the first time in 12 games this season when outrebounding their opponent ... Notre Dame's 10 turnovers were its second-lowest total of the season (school-record three at Maryland on Nov. 16) ... DePaul's .600 field goal percentage is the highest by an Irish opponent since Jan. 7, 1994, when No. 1 Tennessee shot an opponent record .673 (37-55) from the floor in a 105-70 win at the Joyce Center ... sophomore guard Ashley Barlow scored a career-high 23 points, one more than her total at Purdue on Dec. 8 ... sophomore center Erica Williamson tied her career high with 16 points, matching the output she had against Saint Francis (Pa.) on Dec. 29 ... senior guard Charel Allen moved into 12th place on the Notre Dame career scoring list with 1,327 points, passing Margaret Nowlin (1,312 points from 1988-92).

GAME 20

#1 Connecticut 81, #16 Notre Dame 64
January 27, 2008
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Connecticut (81)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Moore	31	5-8	4-4	1-1	3	1	3	15
Hunter	14	5-8	0-0	1-2	4	0	1	11
Charles	34	9-16	0-0	4-4	8	1	2	22
Montgomery	26	5-7	2-3	0-0	3	1	3	12
Dixon	22	2-6	0-2	0-0	4	5	0	4
Williams	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	2	0
Swanier	32	2-8	1-5	2-2	5	11	2	7
Fernandes	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Gardler	2	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	2
Houston	20	3-6	0-0	0-0	8	0	2	6
McLaren	14	0-4	0-0	2-4	2	0	1	2
Kerns	2	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
Team					1			
Totals	200	31-64	7-14	12-15	38	19	17	81

Notre Dame (64)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Williamson	17	0-1	0-0	0-0	3	1	3	0
Gaines	35	3-8	0-0	0-0	5	4	2	6
Allen	29	5-14	1-1	0-0	3	0	4	11
Barlow	29	5-15	1-6	4-4	3	0	2	15
Schrader	29	4-12	0-0	2-3	4	6	0	10
Tsipis	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Peters	19	3-9	0-0	4-4	12	2	4	10
Mallory	12	1-4	1-3	0-0	1	0	1	3
Lechlitner	9	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0
Bruszewski	10	1-1	0-0	5-5	5	0	1	7
D'Amico	10	1-2	0-0	0-0	3	1	0	2
Team					2			
Totals	200	23-68	3-10	15-16	41	15	18	64

Connecticut	43	38	-	81
Notre Dame	27	37	-	64

FG Pct: Connecticut 48.4, Notre Dame 33.8. **3-PT FG Pct:** Connecticut 50.0, Notre Dame 30.0. **FT Pct:** Connecticut 80.0, Notre Dame 93.8. **Turnovers:** Connecticut 18, Notre Dame 18. **Blocked Shots:** Connecticut 5 (Houston 3), Notre Dame 3. **Steals:** Connecticut 11 (Swanier 4), Notre Dame 7 (Allen, Barlow 2). **Attendance:** 11,418 (capacity).

NOTES: Notre Dame loses back-to-back games for the first time all season ... all five Irish losses have come to teams that were ranked in one or both major national polls at tipoff, including three at the hands of top-five opponents (#3 Maryland, #3 Tennessee, #1 Connecticut) ... Notre Dame becomes the first team this season to outrebound Connecticut, with no prior Huskies opponent getting closer than a minus-5 rebound margin (Virginia on Dec. 5; #3 North Carolina on Jan. 21); UConn came into the game ranked first in the nation in rebounding margin (+16.9 rpg) ... Notre Dame drops to 1-5 all-time at home against top-ranked opponents, with the Connecticut game the first for the Irish against a No. 1 team since Dec. 31, 2005 (62-51 loss to Tennessee) ... Connecticut wins its fifth consecutive game over the Irish and improves to 21-4 all-time against Notre Dame (winning by the exact same margin as the teams' last meeting exactly one year earlier) ... Notre Dame had at least four double-figure scorers for the 11th time this season, falling to 10-1 in those contests ... the Irish bench has outscored its opponents in all 20 games this season and is averaging 30.6 points per night ... Notre Dame now has committed fewer than 20 turnovers in 35 of its last 36 games (exception: 20 giveaways on Jan. 8 at Louisville) ... the Irish just missed their best free throw performance of the season, trailing only a .944 outing (17-of-18) vs. Villanova on Jan. 16 ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters collected her first career double-double with 10 points and a season-high 12 rebounds, matching the most by any Irish player this season (12 boards by junior guard Lindsay Schrader at Bowling Green on Dec. 5) ... Schrader dished out a career-high six assists, one more than she had against Saint Francis (Pa.) on Dec. 29 ... the capacity crowd of 11,418 at the Joyce Center marked the fifth sellout in school history and second this season (Jan. 5 vs. Tennessee); this year joins the 2000-01 campaign as the only ones to feature more than one sellout in a season ... the capacity crowd also represented the first time the Irish have had three games with 10,000+ fans in one season (also 10,825 vs. Michigan on Dec. 2).

GAME 21

#20 Notre Dame 85, Providence 54
January 30, 2008
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Providence (54)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Darrian	25	3-6	0-1	4-6	8	0	3	10
Hankins	34	7-14	0-0	1-3	5	1	1	15
Clark	25	3-4	0-0	1-3	6	0	3	7
Dorsey	22	1-5	0-2	0-0	0	2	4	2
Holmes	39	2-12	0-3	0-0	5	6	2	4
Hull	26	2-5	1-2	3-4	2	1	3	8
Lorenc	8	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	3	0
Cournoyer	21	2-3	0-0	4-4	2	0	3	8
Team					4			
Totals	200	20-49	1-8	13-20	32	10	22	54

Notre Dame (85)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Williamson	14	1-4	0-0	1-2	3	0	3	3
Gaines	23	4-6	0-1	2-2	1	0	2	10
Allen	25	3-9	0-0	6-8	6	2	0	12
Barlow	25	2-9	0-4	5-6	6	4	2	9
Schrader	17	7-9	0-0	1-2	9	1	2	15
Tsipis	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Peters	23	5-6	0-0	2-2	4	1	3	12
Mallory	15	1-6	0-3	4-6	0	2	2	6
Lechlitner	26	3-12	1-3	3-4	2	4	0	10
Bruszewski	17	2-4	0-0	0-1	3	1	0	4
D'Amico	11	1-2	0-0	2-2	2	0	3	4
Team					8			
Totals	200	29-67	1-11	26-35	45	15	17	85

Providence	19	35	-	54
Notre Dame	36	49	-	85

FG Pct: Providence 40.8, Notre Dame 43.3. **3-PT FG Pct:** Providence 12.5, Notre Dame 9.1. **FT Pct:** Providence 65.0, Notre Dame 74.3. **Turnovers:** Providence 29, Notre Dame 15. **Blocked Shots:** Providence 3 (Lorenc 2), Notre Dame 2. **Steals:** Providence 8 (Hankins 3), Notre Dame 23 (Allen 6). **Attendance:** 5,287.

NOTES: With the victory, Notre Dame assures itself of finishing with a winning record for the 16th consecutive season, 20th time in the 21-year Muffet McGraw era, and 27th time in the 31-year history of the program ... Notre Dame improves to 16-0 all-time against Providence (8-0 at home), with the Friars remaining the lone current BIG EAST Conference team the Irish have never lost to (minimum of five games played) ... the 85 points are the most for Notre Dame in the series since Feb. 1, 2000 (a 90-60 win in Providence) ... the 31-point margin is the largest in the series since Jan. 30, 1999 (a 97-59 Irish victory, also in Providence) ... Notre Dame picks up its eighth 30-point win of the season, two shy of the school record set in 2000-01 ... the Irish also register their 12th 80-point game of the season ... Notre Dame collects a season-high 23 steals, its highest total since Jan. 28, 1995, when the Irish nabbed 23 steals in a 98-50 win over Wisconsin-Milwaukee at the Joyce Center (during Notre Dame's final season in the old Midwestern Collegiate Conference, now the Horizon League) ... the 23 steals also are one short of the BIG EAST record held by three teams, most recently by Georgetown against Notre Dame on Jan. 29, 2000 at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame forced 29 turnovers, matching its second-best defensive effort of the season (33 by Boston College on Nov. 24; also 29 by Canisius on Nov. 27) ... the Irish caused at least 20 turnovers for the 15th time in 21 games this season and record at least 15 steals for the eighth time ... the 20-2 first-half run is Notre Dame's second-best this season in the opening 20 minutes; the Irish went on a 20-0 run late in the first half at Central Michigan on Nov. 20 ... Notre Dame held Providence to 19 first-half points, one short of the Irish opponent season-low for the opening period, held by Michigan (Dec. 2) ... Notre Dame had five double-figure scorers for the sixth time this season (6-0 record) ... the Irish bench now has outscored its counterparts in all 21 games this season (36-16 vs. Providence) ... senior guard Charel Allen had a career-high six steals, one more than her previous best that had been set five times before (most recently on Dec. 21 at IUPUI) ... Allen also notched her 70th career double-figure scoring game, tying Shari Matvey (1979-83) and Sheila McMillen (1995-99) for ninth place in school history ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader scored in double digits for the fourth time in five games and 12th time this season, just missing her fourth career double-double and second this year (17 points and 12 rebounds on Dec. 5 at Bowling Green).





2007-08 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Box Scores

GAME 22

#20 Notre Dame 73, Cincinnati 41
February 2, 2008
Fifth Third Arena (Cincinnati, Ohio)

Notre Dame (73)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Williamson, Gaines, Allen, Barlow, Schrader, Tsipis, Peters, Mallory, Lechlitner, Bruszewski, D'Amico, Team, and Totals.

Cincinnati (41)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Stephens, Graboski, Roudebush, Jacobs, Stevens, Benson, Brogan, Ogide, Morgan, Team, and Totals.

Summary table for Game 22: Notre Dame 26 47 - 73, Cincinnati 26 15 - 41

FG Pct: Notre Dame 42.9, Cincinnati 29.2. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 28.6, Cincinnati 33.3. FT Pct: Notre Dame 88.5, Cincinnati 44.4. Turnovers: Notre Dame 10, Cincinnati 19. Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 4 (Allen 2), Cincinnati 1. Steals: Notre Dame 12 (Allen 4), Cincinnati 4 (Jacobs 2). Technical Fouls: UC bench. Attendance: 702.

NOTES: Notre Dame collects its ninth 30-point win of the season, one short of the school record set during the 2000-01 national championship season ... the Irish hold an opponent to less than 60 points for the 15th time this season (14-1 record), and held the opposition to 50 points or fewer for the eighth time (8-0 record) ... UC's 41 points were the fewest allowed by Notre Dame in BIG EAST play since March 1, 2005, when the Irish took a 41-35 win at Seton Hall ... the 32-point winning margin is the largest for Notre Dame over a BIG EAST opponent since Feb. 25, 2004, when the Irish downed #21/19 Miami (Fla.), 93-58 at the Joyce Center ... it's also the largest winning margin for Notre Dame in a BIG EAST road game since Jan. 9, 2001, when the Irish took an 84-49 victory at St. John's ... the 21-0 run by the Irish was their longest stretch of unanswered points since Dec. 13, 2003, when they opened the game on a 26-0 run vs. Dayton en route to a 78-41 win at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame's nine-point rally was its largest of the season, topping three eight-point comebacks (twice at Bowling Green and once at Purdue) ... Notre Dame's bench has outscored all 22 opponents' reserve units this season; in fact, the Irish bench actually outscored the entire Cincinnati team in the second half, 16-15 ... Notre Dame moves to 4-0 all-time against Cincinnati, posting the largest winning margin in the series (none of the previous three games were decided by more than 11 points) ... the Irish improve to 15-2 all-time in the city of Cincinnati, and haven't lost in the Queen City since March 28, 1997, when #10/11 Tennessee defeated #15/14 Notre Dame, 80-66 in the NCAA Women's Final Four at Riverfront Coliseum ... the Irish had only 10 turnovers, tying their second-lowest giveaway total of the season (three at #3 Maryland on Nov. 16; 10 vs. #rv/25 DePaul on Jan. 22) ... Notre Dame had at least four double-figure scorers for the 13th time this season (12-1 record) ... Notre Dame has shot 70 percent or better from the free throw line in all eight BIG EAST games this season, including five games at 75 percent or better from the charity stripe ... senior guard Charel Allen posted her 71st career double-figure scoring game, breaking a tie for ninth place in school history with Shari Matvey (1979-83) and Sheila McMillen (1995-99) ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines continued her career-long habit of bedeviling Cincinnati; in three career outings, she is averaging 17.0 points, 5.3 rebounds and 4.0 assists with a .556 field goal percentage (15-of-27) and .880 free throw percentage (22-of-25) against the Bearcats ... head coach Muffet McGraw coached her 650th game at Notre Dame, moving to 466-184 (.717) in 21 seasons under the Golden Dome.

GAME 23

#16/17 Notre Dame 81, #15 Pittsburgh 66
February 10, 2008
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Pittsburgh (66)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Cole, Walker, Winn, Zellous, Stewart, Sallard, Harrison, Lim, Braxton, Scott, Tafen, Team, and Totals.

Notre Dame (81)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Williamson, Gaines, Allen, Barlow, Schrader, Peters, Mallory, Lechlitner, Bruszewski, Team, and Totals.

Summary table for Game 23: Pittsburgh 25 41 - 66, Notre Dame 29 52 - 81

FG Pct: Pittsburgh 30.8, Notre Dame 43.5. 3-PT FG Pct: Pittsburgh 30.8, Notre Dame 0.0. FT Pct: Pittsburgh 51.9, Notre Dame 84.4. Turnovers: Pittsburgh 17, Notre Dame 9. Blocked Shots: Pittsburgh 5 (Walker 3), Notre Dame 5. Steals: Pittsburgh 5, Notre Dame 8 (Schrader 3). Technical Fouls: Walker (PITT), Zellous (PITT), Gaines (ND). Attendance: 8,831.

NOTES: Notre Dame wins for the first time in five tries this season against AP Top 25 opponents ... the Irish improve to 17-1 all-time against Pittsburgh, including an 8-0 record at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame posts its highest point total in the series since Feb. 27, 2001, when the Irish won at Pitt, 82-63 to clinch a share of their first-ever BIG EAST regular-season title ... in each of their 17 wins over the Panthers, the Irish have scored at least 65 points each time ... Notre Dame scores at least 80 points for the 13th time this season (12-1 record) ... the Irish have five double-digit scorers for the seventh time this season (7-0 record) ... Notre Dame moves to 73-19 (.793) in the month of February since joining the BIG EAST in 1995-96, including a 42-4 (.913) home record in February during that 13-season span ... the Irish bench has now outscored its opponents' reserves in all 23 games this season, posting a 38-5 spread against Pitt ... Notre Dame's nine turnovers are its second-lowest total of the season, topped only by a school-record three giveaways at No. 3 Maryland on Nov. 16 ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines becomes the sixth different player to lead the Irish in scoring this season, with those six players representing all five floor positions (point guard through center) ... Gaines now has scored in double figures in each of her last three games ... freshman forward Becca Bruszewski logged her fourth double-digit scoring day of the season and first since the Georgetown game on Jan. 19 ... sophomore guard Melissa Lechlitner tossed in 12 points, one off her season-high set in that same Georgetown contest ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader collected her 13th double-figure scoring game of the year and tied her career high with three steals (done four times before, most recently at IUPUI on Dec. 21, 2007) ... freshman forward Devereaux Peters scored in double digits for the fourth consecutive game with 11 points in 13 minutes before departing with a knee injury at the 13:44 mark of the second half ... as part of the first-ever WBCA "Think Pink" initiative to promote breast cancer awareness nationwide, Notre Dame head coach Muffet McGraw agreed to donate \$10 for every Irish rebound against Pitt, with her \$420 total donation to be divided evenly between the Kay Yow/Women's Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA) Cancer Fund and the Susan G. Komen For The Cure foundation ... the crowd of 8,831 is the 12th-largest in school history and the 19th audience of 8,000 fans or more in school history (fourth this season).

GAME 24

#16 Notre Dame 99, Marquette 76
February 13, 2008
Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Marquette (76)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Kovalenko, Fiedorowicz, Robinson, Harris, Ellis, Collins, Weibel, Lam, Mellen, McMorris, Thrower, Team, and Totals.

Notre Dame (99)

Table with columns: Player, min, fg-a, 3fg-a, ft-a, reb, ast, pf, tp. Rows include Williamson, Gaines, Allen, Barlow, Schrader, Tsipis, Mallory, Lechlitner, Bruszewski, D'Amico, Team, and Totals.

Summary table for Game 24: Marquette 31 45 - 76, Notre Dame 45 54 - 99

FG Pct: Marquette 43.1, Notre Dame 64.3. 3-PT FG Pct: Marquette 69.2, Notre Dame 33.3. FT Pct: Marquette 64.7, Notre Dame 92.9. Turnovers: Marquette 24, Notre Dame 23. Blocked Shots: Marquette 2, Notre Dame 8 (Williamson 3). Steals: Marquette 14 (Robinson 3), Notre Dame 13 (Schrader 4). Attendance: 5,418.

NOTES: Notre Dame tops the 90-point mark for the sixth time this season, one shy of the school record set in both 1996-97 and 1998-99 ... Notre Dame season-high .643 field goal percentage (36-of-56) was its best for a single game since Feb. 12, 1997, when the Irish shot .680 (34-of-50) in a 91-64 win over Boston College at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame matched its season high with eight blocked shots (achieved twice before, most recently on Nov. 20 at Central Michigan) ... the Irish were charged with a season-high 23 turnovers, only the second time in the past 40 games they have had 20-or-more giveaways in a game (20 at Louisville on Jan. 8) ... Notre Dame shot at least 84 percent from the foul line for the third consecutive game and fourth time in the past five outings ... the Irish move to 28-5 all-time against Marquette, including a 17-1 record at the Joyce Center (and an active streak of 16 consecutive wins since that lone home loss on Feb. 2, 1980) ... the previous five games in the series had been decided by a total of 29 points ... Notre Dame's 99 points were the most it has scored against Marquette since Dec. 21, 1990 (a series-high 109-56 win at the Joyce Center) ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines scored a season-high 22 points, topping her old high-water mark of 15 vs. Michigan on Dec. 2 ... Gaines, who made a career-high 10 field goals (previous: 8 on three occasions, last vs. Cincinnati on Jan. 10, 2007), has scored in double figures in four consecutive games, the longest such streak of her career ... senior guard Charel Allen moved into 11th place on the Notre Dame career scoring list with 1,385 points, passing Shari Matvey (1,373 from 1979-83); Allen needs 45 points to catch current Irish assistant coach Niele Ivey (1,430 points from 1996-01) for 10th place in school history ... junior guard Lindsay Schrader collected a career-high four steals, one more than her previous best set on five occasions (most recently on Feb. 10 vs. Pittsburgh) ... sophomore guard Ashley Barlow tied her career high with six assists, a mark she originally set earlier this season (Nov. 27 against Canisius) ... sophomore center Erica Williamson matched her season high with three blocks, having also logged three rejections on Dec. 29 against Saint Francis (Pa.) ... senior center Melissa D'Amico tied her career high with six made free throws, having also done that on Nov. 10, 2006 against Central Michigan ... sophomore guard Melissa Lechlitner had a season-high five rebounds (four on three occasions, including the two prior games) and career-best two blocks (one at Villanova exactly one year earlier on Feb. 13, 2007).





2007-08 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Box Scores

GAME 25

#16 Notre Dame 79, #21/23 Syracuse 67
February 16, 2008
Carrier Dome (Syracuse, N.Y.)

GAME 26

#5/4 Rutgers 57, #14 Notre Dame 51
February 19, 2008
Louis Brown Ath. Ctr. (Piscataway, N.J.)

Notre Dame (79)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Williamson	27	3-6	0-0	8-12	11	0	3	14
Gaines	32	1-3	0-0	2-2	2	8	1	4
Allen	34	8-14	0-0	6-8	12	4	2	22
Barlow	27	4-12	0-4	0-2	4	1	4	8
Schrader	30	4-10	0-0	4-4	5	1	0	12
Tsipis	0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Mallory	14	3-6	3-6	0-0	4	0	2	9
Lechlitner	22	2-7	0-2	2-2	1	2	0	6
Bruszewski	9	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	4	4
D'Amico	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Team					5			
Totals	200	27-61	3-12	22-30	45	16	16	79

Syracuse (67)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Jones	30	1-12	0-2	2-3	8	2	3	4
Michael	28	4-6	1-1	5-6	6	2	4	14
Sipaviciute	20	5-9	0-0	2-4	3	0	1	12
Harris	27	1-5	1-4	0-0	0	6	3	3
Morrow	38	4-12	2-8	9-9	5	2	3	19
Gobuty	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Johnson	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0
Murray	17	1-4	0-0	3-4	0	0	2	5
Goodwin	23	5-8	0-0	0-0	5	0	3	10
Harbut	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Team					3			
Totals	200	21-58	4-15	21-26	31	13	19	67

Notre Dame 30 49 -- 79
Syracuse 27 40 -- 67

FG Pct: Notre Dame 44.3, Syracuse 36.2. **3-PT FG Pct:** Notre Dame 25.0, Syracuse 26.7. **FT Pct:** Notre Dame 73.3, Syracuse 80.8. **Turnovers:** Notre Dame 17, Syracuse 18. **Blocked Shots:** Notre Dame 3 (Williamson 2), Syracuse 4 (Sipaviciute, Murray 2). **Steals:** Notre Dame 11 (Williamson 3), Syracuse 12 (Jones 4). **Attendance:** 3,013.

NOTES: Notre Dame records its 14th 20-win season in the past 15 years and its 18th 20-win season in the 21-year Muffet McGraw era ... the Irish earn their second victory over a ranked opponent in a six-day span, following an 81-66 win over 15th-ranked Pittsburgh on Feb. 10 at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame posts its first road win over a ranked opponent since Feb. 15, 2005, when it claimed a 54-47 victory at No. 25/22 Boston College; Syracuse is the highest-ranked team the Irish have defeated on the road since Jan. 30, 2005, when they downed No. 9/10 Connecticut, 65-59 ... the Irish move to 21-2 all-time against Syracuse, winning their eighth consecutive game in the series, and improve to 10-1 all-time at SU ... Notre Dame had two players record double-doubles in the same game for the first time since Jan. 26, 2005 vs. St. John's, when three players (Crystal Erwin, Megan Duffy and Jacqueline Batteast) all logged double-doubles in a 72-65 Irish win at the Joyce Center ... the double-doubles for senior guard Charel Allen and sophomore center Erica Williamson were their first of the season (fourth of Allen's career, second in Williamson's tenure); Notre Dame now has had five different players notch a double-double this season ... Allen becomes the first Irish player with 20 points and 10 rebounds in a game since she herself did so on Feb. 11, 2007 vs. DePaul (25 points, career-high 13 rebounds) in a 78-70 Notre Dame win at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame converted 11-of-14 free throws (.786) in the final 1:20, with five different players making foul shots down the stretch ... Syracuse came into the game ranked second in the BIG EAST in rebounding margin (+9.5 rpg.), but the Irish won the battle of the boards by a 45-31 count ... playing before a vocal crowd of more than 100 family and friends from her old hometown of Rochester, N.Y. (about 90 minutes west of Syracuse), Williamson not only collected a double-double, but also registered a career-high three steals, one more than her old mark that she set on four occasions (most recently on Feb. 13 vs. Marquette) ... freshman guard Brittany Mallory tied her career-high with three three-point field goals, matching her output on Jan. 13 at No. 16 West Virginia ... senior guard Tulyah Gaines' eight assists were one off her season high (career-best-tying nine at IUPUI on Dec. 21).

Notre Dame (51)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Williamson	26	3-12	0-0	0-0	6	2	2	6
Gaines	19	0-6	0-0	2-4	0	5	1	2
Allen	34	7-14	1-2	3-4	3	1	3	18
Barlow	32	1-6	1-1	0-0	5	1	4	3
Schrader	31	4-7	0-0	2-2	8	2	3	10
Mallory	14	1-5	1-4	0-0	1	2	0	3
Lechlitner	23	0-5	0-0	0-0	2	1	2	0
Bruszewski	21	4-6	0-0	1-1	5	0	0	9
Team					7			
Totals	200	20-61	3-7	8-11	37	14	15	51

Rutgers (57)

Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
Carson	37	1-8	0-1	0-0	5	1	2	2
McCurdy	10	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Vaughn	25	6-8	0-0	2-5	7	0	2	14
Prince	36	6-8	1-1	5-5	5	5	3	18
Ajavon	37	5-11	1-3	4-6	4	7	4	15
Adams	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Zurich	23	0-3	0-2	0-0	3	0	1	0
Ray	9	1-3	0-2	0-0	2	0	0	2
Junaid	22	3-8	0-0	0-2	5	1	1	6
Team					7			
Totals	200	22-51	2-9	11-18	39	14	13	57

Notre Dame 22 29 -- 51
Rutgers 22 35 -- 57

FG Pct: Notre Dame 32.8, Rutgers 43.1. **3-PT FG Pct:** Notre Dame 42.9, Rutgers 22.2. **FT Pct:** Notre Dame 72.7, Rutgers 61.1. **Turnovers:** Notre Dame 12, Rutgers 16. **Blocked Shots:** Notre Dame 2, Rutgers 5 (Vaughn 3). **Steals:** Notre Dame 9 (Allen 3), Rutgers 5 (Ajavon 3). **Attendance:** 5,027.

NOTES: Four of Notre Dame's six losses this season have come at the hands of top-five opponents (also No. 1 Connecticut, No. 3 Maryland and No. 3 Tennessee), with the Rutgers defeat the closest of those four ... it's also the 11th time in the 24-game series with RU that a game was decided by single digits, with this being the closest game since a 51-45 Scarlet Knights' win on March 7, 2004, in the BIG EAST Championship quarterfinals at Hartford, Conn. ... Notre Dame posted a positive assist/turnover ratio for the 15th time this season ... the Irish held Rutgers to its second-lowest first-half point total of the season, and lowest in BIG EAST play (19 at Duke on Dec. 6) ... Notre Dame's bench maintained its streak of outscoring the opposition's reserves in every game this season, a run now at 26 games after shading the RU bench, 12-8 ... for just the fourth time all season, Notre Dame had fewer than three double-digit scorers (also at Purdue, vs. No. 3 Tennessee and at No. 16 West Virginia) ... senior guard Charel Allen has moved within five points of 10th place on the Notre Dame career scoring list with 1,425 points, closing in on current Irish assistant coach Niele Ivey (1,430 from 1996-01) ... Allen also is just four steals away from becoming the first player in school history to log 1,000 points, 500 rebounds, 200 assists and 200 steals in her career.



#1 Tulyah Gaines

Guard • 5-7 • Sr.-3V • North Las Vegas, Nev. (Cheyenne HS)

Honors/Awards

- ◆ Team tri-captain

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Has started past 68 games for Irish (including all 26 this year) ... averaging 7.0 points and 3.81 assists per game with 1.62 assist/turnover ratio ... ranks eighth in BIG EAST in assist/turnover ratio and 12th in assists ... in conference games, is tied for 12th in steals (1.83 spg), ranks 12th in assist/turnover ratio (1.33) and 13th in free throw percentage (.781).
- ◆ Logged seven points and five assists in season opener vs. Miami (Ohio).
- ◆ Registered six points and five assists (no turnovers) in win over Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Scored six points and had two assists (no turnovers) at No. 3 Maryland.
- ◆ Tossed in 11 points (including first career three-pointer) and game-high three assists at Central Michigan.
- ◆ Credited with six points and three assists (no turnovers) vs. Boston College.
- ◆ Collected 15 points (6-7 FG), four assists and three steals vs. Michigan.
- ◆ Had six assists (no turnovers) at Bowling Green; also made only basket 25 seconds into overtime, putting Irish in front and team never trailed again.
- ◆ Delivered eight points and six assists in victory over Valparaiso.
- ◆ Turned in balanced effort with six points, season-high seven rebounds and career-high-tying nine assists (two turnovers) at IUPUI.
- ◆ Chalked up six points and five assists (one turnover) in win over Saint Francis (Pa.).
- ◆ Matched career high with five steals in victory at Richmond.
- ◆ Had three more steals against No. 3 Tennessee.
- ◆ Bounced back from early foul trouble at Louisville, scoring 13 points (nine in second half), including 3-of-4 free throws in final 31 seconds to seal victory.
- ◆ Added three assists and three steals in season-high 33 minutes against Villanova.
- ◆ Dished out five assists in 15 minutes at Georgetown.
- ◆ Collected six points, five rebounds and four assists against No. 1 Connecticut.
- ◆ Had solid night vs. Providence with 10 points (4-6 FG) and four steals.
- ◆ Notched 11 points (4-6 FG) at Cincinnati.
- ◆ Put up team-high 13 points in win over No. 15 Pittsburgh, including 9-of-10 free throws in final 1:40.
- ◆ Stretched double-figure scoring streak to career-long four games with season-high 22 points (career-best 10-15 FG) against Marquette.
- ◆ Had eight assists and four points in win at No. 21/23 Syracuse.
- ◆ Delivered team-high five assists at No. 5/4 Rutgers.

Gaines In The Notre Dame Career Record Book

- ◆ Appeared in 100th collegiate game on Dec. 12 vs. Valparaiso.



Career Highs

Points

Career.....27 vs. Cincinnati (1/10/07)

Rebounds

Career..... 11 at Cincinnati (2/25/06)

Assists

Career.....9, three times (MR: at IUPUI, 12/21/07)

Field Goals

Career..... 10 vs. Marquette (2/13/08)

Field Goal Attempts

Career.... 15, twice (MR: vs. Marquette, 2/13/08)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career.... 1, twice (MR: vs. Michigan, 12/2/07)

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career..... 3 at Maryland (11/16/07)

Free Throws

Career..... 11 vs. Cincinnati (1/10/07)

Free Throw Attempts

Career.... 12, twice (MR: vs. Cincinnati, 1/10/07)

Steals

Career.... 5, twice (MR: at Richmond, 1/2/08)

Blocked Shots

Career.....2 at DePaul (2/26/07)

Minutes Played

Career..... 40 at Tennessee (12/30/06)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 1/0
 Double-figure scoring games 25/7
 20-point games 4/1
 Double-figure assist games..... 0/0
 5-assist games 25/9
 5-steal games..... 2/1
(noted in season/career format)

Gaines' Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2004-05	29-0	398-13.7	21-63	.333	0-0	.000	27-42	.643	17	40	57	2.0	39-0	31	56	1	24	69	2.4
2005-06	29-20	618-21.3	42-108	.389	0-0	.000	59-88	.670	29	65	94	3.2	59-0	50	65	2	28	143	4.9
2006-07	32-32	972-30.4	103-237	.435	0-8	.000	101-124	.815	21	60	81	2.5	93-3	125	113	4	66	307	9.6
2007-08	26-26	657-25.3	71-164	.433	2-9	.222	37-53	.698	9	43	52	2.0	53-0	99	61	1	43	181	7.0
TOTALS	116-78	2645-22.8	237-572	.414	2-17	.118	224-307	.730	76	208	284	2.4	244-3	305	295	8	161	700	6.0

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Tulyah Gaines

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-3FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ^{1^}	20	3-8	0-0	1-4	0	2	2	1	5	2	0	0	7
N13	Western Kentucky ^{1^}	30	2-4	0-0	2-2	0	3	3	1	5	0	0	2	6
N16	@ #3 Maryland ^{1^}	27	3-10	0-3	0-1	1	1	2	1	2	0	0	1	6
N20	@ Central Michigan [^]	26	5-8	1-1	0-0	0	1	1	1	3	4	0	0	11
N24	Boston College [^]	24	3-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	2	6
N27	Canisius [^]	19	2-2	0-0	0-2	1	1	2	4	2	3	0	0	4
D2	Michigan [^]	21	6-7	1-1	2-2	0	3	3	2	4	1	0	3	15
D5	@ Bowling Green [^]	20	1-4	0-0	1-2	1	1	2	4	6	0	0	1	3
D8	@ Purdue [^]	28	3-7	0-0	0-1	0	1	1	1	1	5	0	1	6
D12	Valparaiso [^]	20	3-7	0-0	2-2	2	1	3	1	6	2	0	0	8
D21	@ IUPUI [^]	28	2-7	0-0	2-3	1	6	7	1	9	2	0	2	6
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.) [^]	23	3-6	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	5	1	0	1	6
J2	@ Richmond [^]	28	1-7	0-0	2-2	0	1	1	2	1	5	0	5	4
J5	#3 Tennessee [^]	20	2-7	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	3	3	3	0	3	4
J8	• @ Louisville [^]	22	5-8	0-1	3-4	0	2	2	3	3	4	0	2	13
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia [^]	30	2-5	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	3	3	4	0	2	4
J16	• Villanova [^]	33	1-5	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	3	2	0	3	2
J19	• @ Georgetown [^]	15	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	2	2	3	5	3	0	1	2
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul [^]	31	0-5	0-1	0-2	0	1	1	3	4	1	0	1	0
J27	• #1 Connecticut [^]	35	3-8	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	2	4	5	0	1	6
J30	• Providence [^]	23	4-6	0-1	2-2	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	4	10
F2	• @ Cincinnati [^]	26	4-6	0-0	3-4	1	1	2	2	3	2	0	2	11
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh [^]	30	2-8	0-0	9-10	1	3	4	4	3	2	1	1	13
F13	• Marquette [^]	27	10-15	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	2	3	3	0	1	22
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse [^]	32	1-3	0-0	2-2	0	2	2	1	8	4	0	2	4
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers [^]	19	0-6	0-0	2-4	0	0	0	1	5	2	0	2	2
F24	• @ DePaul													

• = indicates BIG EAST Conference game // ^ = indicates game started
1 = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)

Gaines in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2004-05	16-0	221-13.8	11-33	.333	0-0	.000	11-19	.579	10	25	35	2.2	21-0	17	24	1	13	33	2.1
2005-06	16-14	380-23.8	23-61	.377	0-0	.000	34-50	.680	18	38	56	3.5	37-0	35	39	1	17	80	5.0
2006-07	16-16	487-30.4	48-118	.407	0-0	.000	55-65	.846	13	32	45	2.8	41-2	70	47	3	37	151	9.4
2007-08	12-12	323-26.9	32-75	.427	0-3	.000	25-32	.781	3	20	23	1.9	28-0	44	33	1	22	89	7.4
TOTALS	60-42	1411-23.5	114-287	.397	0-3	.000	125-166	.753	44	115	159	2.7	127-2	166	143	6	89	353	5.9

#2 Charel Allen

Guard • 5-11 • Sr.-3V • Monessen, Pa. (Monessen HS)

Honors/Awards

- ◆ Team tri-captain
- ◆ Preseason WNIT All-Tournament Team
- ◆ BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll (Jan. 7, Feb. 18)
- ◆ Naismith Trophy/Wooden Award midseason candidate lists
- ◆ WBCA/State Farm Wade Trophy preseason watch list
- ◆ Preseason All-America (*The Sporting News* - second team; CSTV.com - honorable mention)
- ◆ Preseason All-BIG EAST Conference

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Started all 26 games, averaging team-high 14.3 points and 2.04 steals per game ... ranks 16th in BIG EAST in scoring, eighth in free throw percentage (.802) and ninth in steals ... during conference games, tied for 15th in BIG EAST in scoring (14.9 ppg), tied for fourth in steals (2.33 spg) and ranks 12th in free throw percentage (.788).
- ◆ Collected 16 points, six rebounds and four steals vs. WKU.
- ◆ Scored team-high 16 points and grabbed five rebounds at No. 3 Maryland.
- ◆ Logged 15 points, career-high eight assists and five steals against Boston College.
- ◆ Efficient outing vs. Canisius with 17 points (7-10 FG, 1-1 3FG), five rebounds and three steals in only 21 minutes.
- ◆ Set the tone vs. Michigan with 19 points (8-11 FG), team-high seven rebounds and game-best five assists (no turnovers).
- ◆ Scored team-high 17 points at Bowling Green, including seven of team's 12 points in overtime, capped by game-winning foul line jumper with 00.8 seconds left.
- ◆ Collected 10 points, eight rebounds and game-high six assists (one turnover) in program's first-ever victory at Purdue.
- ◆ Had 14 points (7-11 FG) and four assists vs. Valparaiso, making final seven shots.
- ◆ Poured in game-high 18 points (8-15 FG) and grabbed six rebounds at Richmond.
- ◆ Registered team-high 17 points (7-13 FG) against No. 3 Tennessee.
- ◆ Posted season-high 26 points (10-16 FG) and nine rebounds at Louisville.
- ◆ Dropped in 13 points and added three assists in win over Villanova.
- ◆ Contributed 14 points and six rebounds at Georgetown.
- ◆ Collected 17 points against No. 25 DePaul.
- ◆ Notched 12 points, six rebounds and career-high six steals against Providence.
- ◆ Balanced effort at Cincinnati with game highs of 16 points, five assists and four steals, along with six rebounds.
- ◆ Dodged foul trouble vs. Marquette, scoring 13 points (6-9 FG) in 19 minutes.
- ◆ Picked up first double-double of season (fourth of career) with game highs of 22 points (8-14 FG) and 12 rebounds in victory at No. 21/23 Syracuse.
- ◆ Rang up game-high 18 points (7-14 FG) and three steals at No. 5/4 Rutgers.
- ◆ **Averaged 17.7 points with .568 field goal percentage (21-37 FG) in past three games ... averaging 3.0 steals in past six outings.**

Allen In The Notre Dame Career Record Book

- ◆ 11th in scoring (1,425 points; next up is Niele Ivey (1,430 from '96-01)).
- ◆ 6th in field goals attempted (1,287; next up is Karen Robinson (1,304 from '87-91)).
- ◆ 8th in free throw percentage (.794; next up is Karen Robinson (.797 from '87-91)).
- ◆ 9th in double-figure scoring games (74; next up is Niele Ivey (76 from '96-01)).
- ◆ 9th in minutes played (3,369; next up is Karen Robinson (3,555 from '87-91)).
- ◆ Dished out 200th assist at Louisville (Jan. 8), becoming seventh player in school history with 1,000 points, 500 rebounds and 200 assists in career ... **four steals shy of becoming first player in school history to reach aforementioned marks plus 200 steals.**

Allen's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2004-05	33-0	794-24.1	87-199	.437	7-16	.438	72-85	.847	48	89	137	4.2	63-1	47	60	11	39	253	7.7
2005-06	30-1	737-24.6	104-285	.365	15-57	.263	32-53	.604	39	91	130	4.3	45-0	39	41	16	41	255	8.5
2006-07	32-32	1082-33.8	213-491	.434	26-85	.306	93-111	.838	63	134	197	6.2	67-1	69	77	18	63	545	17.0
2007-08	26-26	756-29.1	148-312	.474	11-33	.333	65-81	.802	42	93	135	5.2	40-0	63	51	13	53	372	14.3
TOTALS	121-59	3369-27.8	552-1287	.429	59-191	.309	262-330	.794	192	407	599	5.0	215-2	218	229	58	196	1425	11.8



Career Highs

Points

Career.....31 vs. St. John's (1/16/07)

Rebounds

Career.....13 vs. DePaul (2/11/07)

Assists

Career....8 vs. Boston College (11/24/07)

Field Goals

Career.....14 vs. St. John's (1/16/07)

Field Goal Attempts

Career.....20, five times (MR: at Villanova, 2/13/07)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career....4 vs. North Carolina (3/20/07)

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career....7, three times (MR: vs. Rutgers, 2/24/07)

Free Throws

Career.....9 vs. West Virginia (2/4/07)

Free Throw Attempts

Career.....10 vs. West Virginia (2/4/07)

Steals

Career.....6 vs. Providence (1/30/08)

Blocked Shots

Career.....3 vs. South Florida (3/4/06)

Minutes Played

Career....40 vs. Bowling Green (11/13/06)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 4/1
 Double-figure scoring games..... 74/22
 20-point games..... 13*/2
 Double-figure rebound games..... 4/1
 5-assist games..... 8/4
 5-steal games..... 6/3

(noted in season/career format)

* - includes one 30-point game

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Charel Allen

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ^{1^}	20	4-10	0-0	0-1	3	3	6	3	4	2	0	1	8
N13	Western Kentucky ^{1^}	33	8-18	0-3	0-2	1	5	6	0	2	4	1	4	16
N16	@ #3 Maryland ^{1^}	26	7-15	1-5	1-1	2	3	5	1	1	0	0	0	16
N20	@ Central Michigan [^]	28	2-6	0-1	2-2	2	5	7	2	2	0	0	0	6
N24	Boston College [^]	29	5-12	0-2	5-6	0	1	1	1	8	2	0	5	15
N27	Canisius [^]	21	7-10	1-1	2-2	2	3	5	0	3	1	0	3	17
D2	Michigan [^]	28	8-11	1-1	2-2	2	5	7	1	5	0	0	1	19
D5	@ Bowling Green [^]	38	6-13	1-2	4-4	1	6	7	3	2	5	2	1	17
D8	@ Purdue [^]	32	5-13	0-3	0-0	1	7	8	2	6	1	0	0	10
D12	Valparaiso [^]	23	7-11	0-0	0-0	0	4	4	0	4	0	1	1	14
D21	@ IUPUI [^]	26	4-7	0-1	4-4	2	1	3	1	3	1	0	5	12
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.) [^]	22	4-8	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	0	2	0	1	2	8
J2	@ Richmond [^]	31	8-15	0-1	2-2	4	2	6	1	1	0	0	0	18
J5	#3 Tennessee [^]	32	7-13	1-1	2-3	2	2	4	3	2	2	1	2	17
J8	• @ Louisville [^]	33	10-16	1-2	5-7	1	8	9	2	0	5	1	2	26
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia [^]	38	3-14	1-4	4-4	0	1	1	1	0	4	0	1	11
J16	• Villanova [^]	37	4-9	0-0	5-6	1	2	3	0	3	4	0	2	13
J19	• @ Georgetown [^]	28	4-10	1-1	5-6	5	1	6	1	1	3	2	2	14
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul [^]	34	5-14	1-1	6-8	2	0	2	1	1	6	0	1	17
J27	• #1 Connecticut [^]	29	5-14	1-1	0-0	1	2	3	4	0	4	0	2	11
J30	• Providence [^]	25	3-9	0-0	6-8	3	3	6	0	2	2	1	6	12
F2	• @ Cincinnati [^]	30	8-17	0-0	0-0	0	6	6	1	5	0	2	4	16
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh [^]	26	3-10	0-1	0-0	1	5	6	4	1	0	1	1	6
F13	• Marquette [^]	19	6-9	0-0	1-1	1	3	4	3	0	3	0	2	13
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse [^]	34	8-14	0-0	6-8	4	8	12	2	4	1	0	2	22
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers [^]	34	7-14	1-2	3-4	0	3	3	3	1	1	0	3	18
F24	• @ DePaul													

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Allen in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2004-05	16-0	403-25.2	50-97	.515	4-7	.571	32-38	.842	26	51	77	4.8	24-0	22	31	2	18	136	8.5
2005-06	16-1	412-25.8	66-179	.369	10-36	.278	10-22	.455	24	42	66	4.1	21-0	19	21	11	25	152	9.5
2006-07	16-16	538-33.6	120-270	.444	12-37	.324	56-65	.862	41	71	112	7.0	33-1	39	36	11	28	308	19.3
2007-08	12-12	367-30.6	66-150	.440	6-12	.500	41-52	.788	19	42	61	5.1	22-0	18	33	7	28	179	14.9
TOTALS	60-29	1720-28.7	302-696	.434	32-92	.348	139-177	.785	110	206	316	5.3	100-1	98	121	31	99	775	12.9

#11 Amanda Tsipis

Guard • 5-9 • Sr.-3V • Perry, Ohio (Perry HS)

Honors/Awards

- ◆ Team tri-captain
- ◆ Dean's List (Fall 2007 — 3.846 semester GPA in finance & psychology)

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Has appeared in career-high 17 games, averaging career bests of 0.9 points and 0.5 rebounds per game.
- ◆ Played five minutes in season opener vs. Miami (Ohio), scoring career-high three points and grabbing a rebound.
- ◆ Did not score (0-1 3FG) in two minutes against Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Tallied two points (2-2 FT), one rebound, one assist and one steal in season-high six minutes at Central Michigan.
- ◆ Played three minutes vs. Boston College.
- ◆ Knocked down pair of free throws vs. Canisius, while also tying career high with two rebounds and dishing out one assist in five minutes.
- ◆ Matched career high with three points vs. Michigan, connecting on first career triple.
- ◆ Appeared in final minute of win at Purdue.
- ◆ Scored two points (2-2 FT) and snared a rebound in a career-high-tying seven minutes against Valparaiso.
- ◆ Played three minutes in victory at IUPUI.
- ◆ Notched two points in career-high-tying seven minutes against Saint Francis (Pa.).
- ◆ Delivered an assist in three minutes at Richmond.
- ◆ Made first BIG EAST appearance of season in final two minutes at Georgetown.
- ◆ Came on in final minute against No. 1 Connecticut.
- ◆ Played four minutes against Providence, collecting one rebound.
- ◆ Scored two points (2-2 FT) and grabbed an offensive rebound in four minutes of victory at Cincinnati.
- ◆ Played four minutes in win over Marquette.
- ◆ Appeared in closing seconds of victory at No. 21/23 Syracuse.



Career Highs

Points

Career....3, twice (MR: vs. Michigan, 12/2/07)

Rebounds

Career....2, three times (MR: vs. St. Francis, 12/29/07)

Assists

Career.....1, four times (MR: at Richmond, 1/2/08)

Field Goals

Career....1, six times (MR: vs. St. Francis, 12/29/07)

Field Goal Attempts

Career....2, three times (MR: vs. St. Francis, 12/29/07)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career.....1 vs. Michigan (12/2/07)

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career.....2 vs. St. John's (1/16/07)

Free Throws

Career....2, six times (MR: at Cincinnati, 2/2/08)

Free Throw Attempts

Career....2, seven times (MR: at Cincinnati, 2/2/08)

Steals

Career.....2 vs. W. Michigan (11/19/06)

Blocked Shots

Career.....None

Minutes Played

Career....7, three times (MR: vs. St. Francis, 12/29/07)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 0/0
 Double-figure scoring games..... 0/0
 20-point games..... 0/0
 Double-figure assist games..... 0/0
 5-assist games..... 0/0
 5-steal games..... 0/0
(noted in season/career format)

Tsipis' Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2004-05	12-0	32-2.7	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	0	1	0.1	1-0	1	2	0	0	6	0.5
2005-06	7-0	14-2.0	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
2006-07	16-0	28-1.8	1-4	.250	0-3	.000	2-2	1.000	2	0	2	0.1	2-0	0	1	0	2	4	0.3
2007-08	17-0	61-3.6	3-8	.375	1-3	.333	9-10	.900	3	6	9	0.5	2-0	3	4	0	1	16	0.9
TOTALS	52-0	135-2.6	6-18	.333	1-7	.143	13-14	.929	6	6	12	0.2	6-0	4	7	0	3	26	0.5

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Amanda Tsipis

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-3FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ¹	5	1-1	0-0	1-2	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3
N13	Western Kentucky ¹	2	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
N16	@ #3 Maryland ¹	Did not play												
N20	@ Central Michigan	6	0-1	0-0	2-2	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	2
N24	Boston College	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N27	Canisius	5	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	2	2	0	1	1	0	0	2
D2	Michigan	4	1-1	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
D5	@ Bowling Green	Did not play												
D8	@ Purdue	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D12	Valparaiso	7	0-2	0-1	2-2	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	2
D21	@ IUPUI	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.)	7	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
J2	@ Richmond	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
J5	#3 Tennessee	Did not play												
J8	• @ Louisville	Did not play												
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia	Did not play												
J16	• Villanova	Did not play												
J19	• @ Georgetown	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul	Did not play												
J27	• #1 Connecticut	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J30	• Providence	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
F2	• @ Cincinnati	4	0-0	0-0	2-2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh	Did not play												
F13	• Marquette	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse	0+	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers	Did not play												
F24	• @ DePaul													

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Tsipis in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2004-05	4-0	11-2.8	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0.3	1-0	0	2	0	0	2	0.5
2005-06	3-0	4-1.3	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
2006-07	10-0	11-1.1	0-3	.000	0-3	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	0.0	1-0	0	1	0	0	2	0.2
2007-08	6-0	15-2.5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	1	2	0.3	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0.3
TOTALS	23-0	41-1.8	1-6	.167	0-3	.000	4-4	1.000	2	1	3	0.1	3-0	0	3	0	0	6	0.3

#14 Devereaux Peters

Forward • 6-2 • Fr.-HS • Chicago, Ill. (Fenwick HS)

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ **Out for season (torn ACL in left knee on Feb. 10 vs. Pittsburgh)**
- ◆ Saw action in all 23 games (two starts), averaging 9.0 points and 5.6 rebounds per game with team-leading 1.96 blocks per game, and .522 field goal percentage ... ranks fourth in BIG EAST in blocked shots (44th in NCAA) and eighth in field goal percentage ... during conference play, ranks seventh in blocked shots (1.44 bpg), ninth in field goal percentage (.517), 14th in steals (1.78 spg) and 19th in rebounding (5.8 rpg).
- ◆ Made college debut vs. Miami (Ohio), coming off the bench to register six points, eight rebounds and game-high five blocks in 15 minutes.
- ◆ Had four points, team-high eight rebounds and three steals against Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Turned in strong performance off the bench at No. 3 Maryland, collecting 12 points (first career double-figure scoring game), six rebounds and two blocks in 34 minutes.
- ◆ Carded four points, seven rebounds and three blocks at Central Michigan.
- ◆ Registered four points, three assists and three steals against Boston College.
- ◆ Returned to double figures with 12 points (5-10 FG) against Canisius, while also chipping in six rebounds and three blocks in team-high 27 minutes.
- ◆ Notched 10 points (5-6 FG), four rebounds and three steals in victory over Michigan.
- ◆ Tossed in 14 points (6-11 FG), as well as three more steals and four blocks in 31 minutes of overtime win at Bowling Green.
- ◆ Had five points (including first-half three-point play) and six rebounds at Purdue.
- ◆ Tallied 10 points (4-5 FG), three blocks and two steals in win over Valparaiso.
- ◆ Collected 11 points and four blocks at IUPUI.
- ◆ Registered 10 points (5-7 FG), eight rebounds and season-best four assists in win over Saint Francis (Pa.).
- ◆ Scored 12 points, including season-high 8-10 FT, at Richmond and added three steals.
- ◆ Came off bench to tally 10 points (5-10 FG) and eight rebounds vs. No. 3 Tennessee.
- ◆ Made first start at Louisville, scoring six points in 15 minutes.
- ◆ Notched two points, five rebounds and three steals at No. 16 West Virginia.
- ◆ Had season-high 15 points (5-8 FG, 5-5 FT), six rebounds and season-best seven steals vs. Villanova; most steals by ND player since 1/30/05 (Megan Duffy at Connecticut).
- ◆ Scored seven points and grabbed four rebounds at Georgetown.
- ◆ Against No. rv/25 DePaul, snared eight rebounds while adding seven points and three blocks.
- ◆ Posted first career double-double with 10 points and season-high 12 rebounds in 19 minutes against No. 1 Connecticut.
- ◆ Efficient against Providence with 12 points (5-6 FG, 2-2 FT) and four rebounds.
- ◆ Made most of 15 minutes at Cincinnati, tallying 12 points (5-8 FG) and five rebounds.
- ◆ Scored 11 points and grabbed five rebounds in 13 minutes vs. No. 15 Pittsburgh before suffering left knee injury at 13:44 mark of second half.
- ◆ **Sports a 77-inch (6-foot-5) wingspan.**

Peters In The Notre Dame Record Book

- ◆ 3rd among freshmen in total blocks (45)
- ◆ 3rd among freshmen in blocks per game (1.96)



Career Highs

Points

Career..... 15 vs. Villanova (1/16/08)

Rebounds

Career..... 12 vs. Connecticut (1/27/08)

Assists

Career.....4 vs. Saint Francis (12/29/07)

Field Goals

Career.....6, twice (MR: at BG, 12/5/07)

Field Goal Attempts

Career..... 15 at Maryland (11/16/07)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career.....None

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career.....None

Free Throws

Career.....8 at Richmond (1/2/08)

Free Throw Attempts

Career.....10 at Richmond (1/2/08)

Steals

Career..... 7 vs. Villanova (1/16/08)

Blocked Shots

Career..... 5 vs. Miami (Ohio) (11/9/07)

Minutes Played

Career..... 34 at Maryland (11/16/07)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 1/1
 Double-figure scoring games..... 14/14
 20-point games..... 0/0
 Double-figure rebound games..... 1/1
 5-block games..... 1/1
 5-steal games..... 1/1
(noted in season/career format)

Peters' Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2007-08	23-2	468-20.3	82-157	.522	0-0	.000	42-56	.750	57	72	129	5.6	78-5	23	40	45	39	206	9.0
TOTALS	23-2	468-20.3	82-157	.522	0-0	.000	42-56	.750	57	72	129	5.6	78-5	23	40	45	39	206	9.0

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Devereaux Peters

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ¹	15	2-3	0-0	2-2	2	6	8	3	2	1	5	1	6
N13	Western Kentucky ¹	22	2-8	0-0	0-0	4	4	8	4	0	2	2	3	4
N16	@ #3 Maryland ¹	34	6-15	0-0	0-0	4	2	6	0	0	1	2	1	12
N20	@ Central Michigan	14	2-4	0-0	0-0	2	5	7	2	2	3	3	0	4
N24	Boston College	18	2-4	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	3	3	1	1	3	4
N27	Canisius	27	5-10	0-0	2-3	5	1	6	3	2	2	3	1	12
D2	Michigan	15	5-6	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	4	1	2	1	3	10
D5	@ Bowling Green	31	6-11	0-0	2-3	2	2	4	4	0	2	4	3	14
D8	@ Purdue	15	2-5	0-0	1-1	2	4	6	3	0	1	1	1	5
D12	Valparaiso	22	4-5	0-0	2-2	2	1	3	3	1	2	3	2	10
D21	@ IUPUI	24	4-8	0-0	3-4	3	1	4	2	0	3	4	0	11
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.)	25	5-7	0-0	0-2	5	3	8	1	4	2	1	0	10
J2	@ Richmond	21	2-3	0-0	8-10	2	1	3	4	0	1	1	3	12
J5	#3 Tennessee	24	5-10	0-0	0-0	4	4	8	5	0	2	1	2	10
J8	• @ Louisville [^]	15	2-3	0-0	2-2	1	2	3	5	1	2	2	1	6
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia [^]	14	0-1	0-0	2-2	1	4	5	5	0	2	1	3	2
J16	• Villanova	28	5-8	0-0	5-5	0	6	6	4	1	3	3	7	15
J19	• @ Georgetown	15	3-8	0-0	1-5	2	2	4	5	2	3	0	0	7
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul	19	3-7	0-0	1-3	2	6	8	5	0	0	3	2	7
J27	• #1 Connecticut	19	3-9	0-0	4-4	7	5	12	4	2	1	1	0	10
J30	• Providence	23	5-6	0-0	2-2	3	1	4	3	1	1	1	1	12
F2	• @ Cincinnati	15	5-8	0-0	2-2	1	4	5	4	0	1	1	1	12
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh	13	4-8	0-0	3-4	1	4	5	2	1	2	1	1	11
F13	• Marquette	Did not play (injured)												
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse	Did not play (injured)												
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers	Did not play (injured)												
F24	• @ DePaul													

• = indicates BIG EAST Conference game // ^ = indicates game started
 1 = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)

Peters in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2007-08	9-2	161-17.9	30-58	.517	0-0	.000	22-29	.759	18	34	52	5.8	37-4	8	15	13	16	82	9.1
TOTALS	9-2	161-17.9	30-58	.517	0-0	.000	22-29	.759	18	34	52	5.8	37-4	8	15	13	16	82	9.1

#20 Ashley Barlow

Guard • 5-9 • So.-1V • Indianapolis, Ind. (Pike HS)

Honors/Awards

- ◆ BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll (Dec. 17, Jan. 21)

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Started all 26 games, averaging 11.9 points per game and 1.88 steals per game, along with team-high .333 three-point percentage ... ranks fifth in BIG EAST in free throw percentage (.840; 38th in NCAA), and is tied for 13th in steals ... during conference play, ranks fourth in free throw percentage (.848) and 15th in steals (1.75 spg).
- ◆ Looked strong in season opener vs. Miami (Ohio), scoring 19 points (8-14 FG).
- ◆ Paced Irish with game-high 18 points (5-8 FG, 3-4 3FG) against Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Played just 12 minutes at No. 3 Maryland due to first-half foul trouble and being shaken up during collision under basket in second half.
- ◆ Bounced back well at Central Michigan, posting second career double-double with 12 points (5-9 FG) and career-high 11 rebounds in 18 minutes.
- ◆ Chalked up 13 points, seven rebounds and four steals in win over Boston College.
- ◆ Had well-balanced effort against Canisius with game highs of 18 points, seven rebounds, career-best six assists and four steals.
- ◆ Scored 10 points before fouling out late in regulation of OT win at Bowling Green.
- ◆ Erupted for (then) career-high 22 points (6-11 FG, 3-6 3FG, 7-7 FT), including 19 in the second half of program's first-ever win at Purdue; sparked 17-5 second-half run with 11 points, including trio of three-pointers (two in 32-second span, second of which put Irish ahead to stay with 12:08 left).
- ◆ Collected game-high 19 points (8-12 FG, 3-4 3FG) in just 22 minutes vs. Valparaiso, scoring 15 points (6-8 FG, 3-4 3FG) in the first half.
- ◆ Scored 12 points (5-7 FG, 2-3 3FG) in only 14 minutes against Saint Francis (Pa.).
- ◆ Contributed 16 points, including 12 in a pair of key first-half runs, and tied career high with six steals in victory at Richmond.
- ◆ Led Irish with team-high 16 points (5-8 FG, 5-5 FT) against Villanova, while also adding four steals and three assists.
- ◆ Dropped in team-high 21 points (7-9 FG, 3-5 3FG, 4-4 FT) at Georgetown.
- ◆ Rang up career-high (and game-best) 23 points (8-12 FG, 2-3 3FG) and seven rebounds against No. 1/25 DePaul.
- ◆ Led team in scoring for fourth consecutive game with 15 points (13 in second half) against No. 1 Connecticut.
- ◆ Tallied 11 points and six rebounds in win at Cincinnati.
- ◆ Tied career high with six assists and added nine points in win over Marquette.

Barlow In The Notre Dame Career Record Book

- ◆ 3rd in free throw percentage (.833; next up is Megan Duffy (.859 from '02-06)).
- ◆ 5th in steals per game (1.93; next up is Michelle Marciniak (2.03 from '91-92)).
- ◆ Scored 500th career point on Jan. 5 against No. 3 Tennessee.

Barlow's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2006-07	32-3	810-25.3	110-254	.433	19-58	.328	90-109	.826	79	94	173	5.4	80-3	61	70	3	63	329	10.3
2007-08	26-26	670-25.8	103-223	.462	25-75	.333	79-94	.840	45	69	114	4.4	67-1	52	43	1	49	310	11.9
TOTALS	58-29	1480-25.5	213-477	.447	44-133	.331	169-203	.833	124	163	287	4.9	147-4	113	113	4	112	639	11.0



Career Highs

Points

Career.....23 vs. DePaul (1/22/08)

Rebounds

Career....11 at Central Michigan (11/20/07)

Assists

Career....6, twice (MR: vs. Marquette, 2/13/08)

Field Goals

Career....8, three times (MR: vs. DePaul, 1/22/08)

Field Goal Attempts

Career.....17 vs. Louisville (2/7/07)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career....3, seven times (MR: at Georgetown, 1/19/08)

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career....6, twice (MR: vs. Connecticut, 1/27/08)

Free Throws

Career....13 vs. Prairie View (12/28/06)

Free Throw Attempts

Career....13 vs. Prairie View (12/28/06)

Steals

Career....6, twice (MR: at Richmond, 1/2/08)

Blocked Shots

Career.....1, four times (MR: vs. Pittsburgh, 2/10/08)

Minutes Played

Career.....38 at Villanova (2/13/07)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles.....2/1
 Double-figure scoring games.....30/15
 20-point games5/3
 Double-figure rebound games.....3/1
 5-assist games2/2
 5-steal games.....5/2
(noted in season/career format)

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Ashley Barlow

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ^{1^}	29	8-14	1-5	2-2	1	3	4	1	2	1	0	2	19
N13	Western Kentucky ^{1^}	25	5-8	3-4	5-6	1	2	3	4	1	0	0	0	18
N16	@ #3 Maryland ^{1^}	12	0-1	0-1	2-2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2
N20	@ Central Michigan [^]	18	5-9	0-1	2-3	3	8	11	3	1	1	0	1	12
N24	Boston College [^]	24	4-9	1-3	4-4	4	3	7	2	3	1	0	4	13
N27	Canisius [^]	24	5-9	2-4	6-6	4	3	7	2	6	2	0	4	18
D2	Michigan [^]	27	1-5	0-2	2-2	0	3	3	4	3	1	0	1	4
D5	@ Bowling Green [^]	25	4-9	0-1	2-3	2	1	3	5	2	1	0	1	10
D8	@ Purdue [^]	34	6-11	3-6	7-7	0	3	3	2	2	1	0	5	22
D12	Valparaiso [^]	22	8-12	3-4	0-0	2	3	5	1	1	1	0	2	19
D21	@ IUPUI [^]	30	2-5	0-2	0-0	1	5	6	3	3	1	0	1	4
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.) [^]	14	5-7	2-3	0-0	1	1	2	3	1	2	0	0	12
J2	@ Richmond [^]	27	5-9	0-2	6-8	2	1	3	2	0	2	0	6	16
J5	#3 Tennessee [^]	26	3-9	0-2	2-5	2	3	5	0	3	4	0	0	8
J8	• @ Louisville [^]	28	3-8	0-2	1-1	1	2	3	2	1	1	0	1	7
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia [^]	21	1-7	1-2	2-2	1	5	6	2	1	4	0	3	5
J16	• Villanova [^]	32	5-8	1-3	5-5	1	2	3	1	3	4	0	4	16
J19	• @ Georgetown [^]	28	7-9	3-5	4-4	0	2	2	4	1	4	0	0	21
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul [^]	29	8-12	2-3	5-6	3	4	7	3	0	2	0	1	23
J27	• #1 Connecticut [^]	29	5-15	1-6	4-4	0	3	3	2	0	1	0	2	15
J30	• Providence [^]	25	2-9	0-4	5-6	3	3	6	2	4	0	0	4	9
F2	• @ Cincinnati [^]	24	2-9	1-3	6-6	3	3	6	1	2	1	0	2	11
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh [^]	28	1-4	0-1	4-6	2	2	4	4	4	2	1	0	6
F13	• Marquette [^]	30	3-7	0-1	3-4	2	1	3	3	6	1	0	2	9
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse [^]	27	4-12	0-4	0-2	4	0	4	4	1	3	0	1	8
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers [^]	32	1-6	1-1	0-0	2	3	5	4	1	2	0	1	3
F24	• @ DePaul													

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1 = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)

Barlow in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2006-07	16-2	408-25.5	62-137	.453	13-34	.382	35-49	.714	34	44	78	4.9	44-2	29	36	1	26	172	10.8
2007-08	12-12	333-27.8	42-106	.396	10-35	.286	39-46	.848	22	30	52	4.3	32-0	24	25	1	21	133	11.1
TOTALS	28-14	741-26.5	104-243	.428	23-69	.333	74-95	.779	56	74	130	4.6	76-2	53	61	2	47	305	10.9

#22 Brittany Mallory

Guard • 5-10 • Fr.-HS • Baltimore, Md. (McDonogh School)

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Has played in 25 games, averaging 6.6 points and 1.9 rebounds per game; also leads team with 26 three-point field goals ... during conference play, ranks 14th in BIG EAST with .389 three-point percentage.
- ◆ Made college debut in season opener vs. Miami (Ohio), picking up six points, seven rebounds and two steals in 28 minutes.
- ◆ Scored four points in 11 minutes against Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Had three steals in homecoming game at No. 3 Maryland.
- ◆ Tallied eight points at Central Michigan, including pair of three-pointers 36 seconds apart that sparked backbreaking 20-0 Irish run late in first half.
- ◆ Posted first career double-figure scoring game with 13 points and three steals in 14 minutes against Boston College.
- ◆ Scored in double digits for second consecutive outing with 10 points, six rebounds and three assists in win over Canisius.
- ◆ Notched seven points against Michigan.
- ◆ Came off bench to toss in 12 points at Bowling Green, including 10 in less than five minutes during an 18-6 Irish run late in the first half.
- ◆ Tallied season-high four assists and three steals at Purdue.
- ◆ Scored 10 points (season-high 6-6 FT) and swiped season-best four steals in victory over Valparaiso.
- ◆ Collected nine points and three steals at IUPUI.
- ◆ Dropped in seven points with three rebounds and two steals vs. Saint Francis (Pa.).
- ◆ Did not play at Richmond after experiencing flu-like symptoms.
- ◆ Returned to action vs. No. 3 Tennessee with two points in eight minutes.
- ◆ Made BIG EAST debut at Louisville, scoring three points (1-3 3FG) in 16 minutes.
- ◆ Had key role in second-half comeback at No. 16 West Virginia, scoring all nine of her points on season-high three three-pointers (seven attempts), including two treys in final five minutes as Irish rallied from 22 points back to within one point twice down stretch.
- ◆ Playing at Georgetown in front of nearly 80 family and friends from nearby Baltimore, scored season-high 15 points (5-6 FG, 2-3 3FG) in 23 minutes.
- ◆ Scored five points in eight minutes against No. 14 DePaul, including two crucial free throws with seven seconds left to pull Irish within one; also forced turnover moments later that gave Irish a look at game-winning shot.
- ◆ Had three points against No. 1 Connecticut; also provided solid defense on Huskies forward Maya Moore, helping to hold her scoreless after opening five minutes.
- ◆ Tallied six points with two assists and two steals vs. Providence.
- ◆ Collected seven points (1-2 3FG, 4-4 FT) in 18 minutes at Cincinnati.
- ◆ Scored five points in nine minutes during win over No. 15 Pittsburgh.
- ◆ Chalked up nine points (2-3 FG, 4-4 FT) and four rebounds in victory over Marquette.
- ◆ Added nine points (3-6 3FG, all in first half) and four rebounds at No. 21/23 Syracuse.



Career Highs

Points

Career..... 15 at Georgetown (1/19/08)

Rebounds

Career..... 7 vs. Miami (Ohio) (11/9/07)

Assists

Career.....4 at Purdue (12/8/07)

Field Goals

Career..... 5 at Georgetown (1/19/08)

Field Goal Attempts

Career..... 12 vs. Canisius (11/27/07)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career.... 3, twice (MR: at Syracuse, 2/16/08)

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career....7, three times (MR: at West Virginia, 1/13/08)

Free Throws

Career.....6 vs. Valparaiso (12/12/07)

Free Throw Attempts

Career....6, twice (MR: vs. Providence, 1/30/08)

Steals

Career.....4 vs. Valparaiso (12/12/07)

Blocked Shots

Career..... 1 vs. Connecticut (1/27/08)

Minutes Played

Career.... 28 vs. Miami (Ohio) (11/9/07)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 0/0
 Double-figure scoring games 5/5
 20-point games 0/0
 Double-figure rebound games..... 0/0
 5-assist games 0/0
 5-steal games..... 0/0
(noted in season/career format)

Mallory's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2007-08	25-0	413-16.5	52-145	.359	26-91	.286	36-44	.818	17	31	48	1.9	44-0	24	26	1	30	166	6.6
TOTALS	25-0	413-16.5	52-145	.359	26-91	.286	36-44	.818	17	31	48	1.9	44-0	24	26	1	30	166	6.6

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Brittany Mallory

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ¹	28	2-9	2-7	0-0	3	4	7	2	1	2	0	2	6
N13	Western Kentucky ¹	11	2-4	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	4
N16	@ #3 Maryland ¹	17	0-5	0-3	1-2	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	3	1
N20	@ Central Michigan	16	3-6	2-5	0-0	0	4	4	4	1	2	0	1	8
N24	Boston College	14	4-10	2-6	3-4	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	3	13
N27	Canisius	22	4-12	2-6	0-1	3	3	6	2	3	0	0	1	10
D2	Michigan	19	3-10	1-6	0-0	0	0	0	4	1	3	0	0	7
D5	@ Bowling Green	23	3-7	2-5	4-4	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	12
D8	@ Purdue	11	0-3	0-3	0-0	0	1	1	0	4	1	0	3	0
D12	Valparaiso	24	2-6	0-3	6-6	3	0	3	2	1	1	0	4	10
D21	@ IUPUI	20	4-9	0-1	1-1	0	3	3	1	0	0	0	3	9
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.)	18	2-9	1-7	2-2	1	2	3	2	1	0	0	2	7
J2	@ Richmond	Did not play (illness)												
J5	#3 Tennessee	8	1-5	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
J8	• @ Louisville	16	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	3
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia	18	3-7	3-7	0-0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	1	9
J16	• Villanova	12	1-3	1-2	0-0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	3
J19	• @ Georgetown	23	5-6	2-3	3-5	1	2	3	1	1	0	0	1	15
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul	8	1-2	0-0	3-3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5
J27	• #1 Connecticut	12	1-4	1-3	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	2	1	0	3
J30	• Providence	15	1-6	0-3	4-6	0	0	0	2	2	2	0	2	6
F2	• @ Cincinnati	18	1-2	1-2	4-4	0	2	2	4	0	1	0	1	7
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh	9	2-3	0-1	1-2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5
F13	• Marquette	23	2-3	1-2	4-4	1	3	4	2	2	4	0	1	9
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse	14	3-6	3-6	0-0	1	3	4	2	0	3	0	0	9
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers	14	1-5	1-4	0-0	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	3
F24	• @ DePaul													

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Mallory in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2007-08	12-0	182-15.2	22-50	.440	14-36	.389	19-24	.792	4	11	15	1.3	20-0	10	16	1	8	77	6.4
TOTALS	12-0	182-15.2	22-50	.440	14-36	.389	19-24	.792	4	11	15	1.3	20-0	10	16	1	8	77	6.4

#23 Melissa Lechlitner

Guard • 5-7 • So.-1V • Mishawaka, Ind. (South Bend St. Joseph's HS)

Honors/Awards

- ◆ Preseason All-America (CSTV.com - honorable mention)

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Has played in all 26 games, averaging 5.5 points and 2.77 assists per game with 1.53 assist/turnover ratio.
- ◆ Registered 10 points (4-7 FG, 2-3 3FG) and game-high six assists in season opener against Miami (Ohio).
- ◆ Chalked up 12 points (4-7 FG, 4-5 FT) and career-high-tying four steals in victory over Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Reached double figures for third time with 12 points (4-8 FG, 3-3 FT) and game-high three assists at Central Michigan.
- ◆ Collected seven points (3-6 FG) and two assists against Canisius.
- ◆ Had four assists with only one turnover in 21 minutes vs. Michigan.
- ◆ Played major role off bench in overtime win at Bowling Green, scoring nine points and dishing out four assists (one turnover) in season-high 30 minutes; also converted 3-of-4 free throws in extra period to help Irish earn victory.
- ◆ Had four points and two steals in program's first-ever win at Purdue.
- ◆ Delivered season-high seven assists (one turnover) along with six points in win over Valparaiso.
- ◆ Picked up six points, four assists and three rebounds vs. Saint Francis (Pa.).
- ◆ Had four points and two assists (no turnovers) in win at Richmond.
- ◆ Tallied six points and three assists against No. 3 Tennessee.
- ◆ Scored five points and handed out three assists at Louisville.
- ◆ Contributed four points and two rebounds against Villanova.
- ◆ Rang up season-high 13 points (5-6 FG) and six assists (one turnover) at Georgetown.
- ◆ Collected 10 points and four assists in win over Providence.
- ◆ Notched two points, four rebounds and four assists in victory at Cincinnati.
- ◆ Had 12 points (5-7 FG), four rebounds and three assists in win over No. 15 Pittsburgh.
- ◆ Picked up eight points (3-5 FG), five rebounds and career-high two blocks in victory over Marquette.
- ◆ Scored all six of her points at No. 21/23 Syracuse in the final three minutes, including back-to-back jumpers 35 seconds apart to spark game-winning 15-3 run for Irish.



Career Highs

Points

Career.....18 vs. Syracuse (1/20/07)

Rebounds

Career.....6 vs. Syracuse (1/20/07)

Assists

Career.....9 vs. St. John's (1/16/07)

Field Goals

Career.....7 vs. Syracuse (1/20/07)

Field Goal Attempts

Career.....14 at South Florida (1/13/07)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career....3, twice (MR: vs. Syracuse, 1/20/07)

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career.....7 vs. St. John's (1/16/07)

Free Throws

Career.....8 at Providence (2/17/07)

Free Throw Attempts

Career.....9 at Providence (2/17/07)

Steals

Career....4, twice (MR: vs. WKU, 11/13/07)

Blocked Shots

Career.....2 vs. Marquette (2/13/08)

Minutes Played

Career.....36 at South Florida (1/13/07)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 0/0
 Double-figure scoring games..... 14/6
 20-point games..... 0/0
 Double-figure assist games..... 0/0
 5-assist games..... 8/3
 5-steal games..... 0/0
(noted in season/career format)

Lechlitner's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2006-07	31-0	744-24.0	68-198	.343	12-61	.197	47-62	.758	14	49	63	2.0	41-1	83	61	1	40	195	6.3
2007-08	26-0	571-22.0	54-151	.358	7-34	.206	29-39	.744	9	37	46	1.8	27-0	72	47	3	26	144	5.5
TOTALS	57-0	1315-23.1	122-349	.350	19-95	.200	76-101	.752	23	86	109	1.9	68-1	155	108	4	66	339	5.9

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Melissa Lechlitner

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N9	Miami (Ohio) ¹	24	4-7	2-3	0-0	0	1	1	0	6	2	0	0	10
N13	Western Kentucky ¹	26	4-7	0-2	4-5	0	1	1	1	2	3	0	4	12
N16	@ #3 Maryland ¹	20	2-5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	4
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N24	Boston College	22	1-6	0-2	0-0	3	0	3	0	1	2	0	2	2
N27	Canisius	19	3-6	1-3	0-0	0	0	0	2	2	3	0	1	7
D2	Michigan	21	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	3	3	1	4	1	0	2	0
D5	@ Bowling Green	30	2-8	1-4	4-6	0	1	1	1	4	1	0	1	9
D8	@ Purdue	17	2-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	4
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D21	@ IUPUI	18	0-5	0-0	1-2	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	1	1
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.)	27	3-9	0-1	0-0	0	3	3	3	4	3	0	1	6
J2	@ Richmond	23	1-3	1-2	1-2	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	4
J5	#3 Tennessee	23	3-7	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	3	2	0	1	6
J8	• @ Louisville	25	2-7	0-1	1-2	0	0	0	2	3	3	0	1	5
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia	18	0-5	0-2	1-2	1	3	4	0	2	0	0	0	1
J16	• Villanova	14	2-4	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	2	0	1	0	1	4
J19	• @ Georgetown	27	5-6	0-1	3-5	2	1	3	0	6	1	0	2	13
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul	16	0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
J27	• #1 Connecticut	9	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0
J30	• Providence	26	3-12	1-3	3-4	1	1	2	0	4	4	0	2	10
F2	• @ Cincinnati	21	1-6	0-2	0-0	1	3	4	0	4	2	0	0	2
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh	23	5-7	0-0	2-2	0	4	4	1	3	1	0	0	12
F13	• Marquette	28	3-5	0-0	2-2	0	5	5	2	3	6	2	1	8
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse	22	2-7	0-2	2-2	0	1	1	0	2	1	1	1	6
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers	23	0-5	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	2	1	2	0	1	0
F24	• @ DePaul													

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1 = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)

Lechlitner in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2006-07	15-0	389-25.9	46-114	.404	5-33	.152	22-30	.733	9	22	31	2.1	15-0	48	31	1	18	119	7.9
2007-08	12-0	252-21.0	23-69	.333	1-11	.091	14-19	.737	6	21	27	2.3	11-0	31	23	3	9	61	5.1
TOTALS	27-0	641-23.7	69-183	.377	6-44	.136	36-49	.735	15	43	58	2.1	26-0	79	54	4	27	180	6.7

#24 Lindsay Schrader

Guard • 6-0 • Jr.-1V • Bartlett, Ill. (Bartlett HS)

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Returning from season-long layoff (torn ACL), has appeared in all 26 games (25 starts), averaging 10.7 points (third on team) and team-high 5.9 rebounds with .484 field goal percentage ... ranks 15th in BIG EAST in field goal percentage and 20th in rebounding ... during conference play, ranks 10th in BIG EAST in field goal percentage (.515) and 15th in rebounding (6.1 rpg).
- ◆ Erupted in first meaningful game since March 19, 2006 (nearly 20 months), making her first six shots from the field and scoring game-high 20 points (10-12 FG) in only 17 minutes vs. Miami (Ohio) — her first career “point-a-minute” game.
- ◆ Scored eight points and grabbed six rebounds against Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Collected 10 points and team-high eight rebounds at No. 3 Maryland.
- ◆ Picked up 10 points and game-high three steals at Central Michigan.
- ◆ Registered team highs of 16 points (7-12 FG) and eight rebounds vs. Boston College.
- ◆ Tallied 10 points, six rebounds and four assists in win vs. Canisius.
- ◆ Notched 11 points and two steals against Michigan.
- ◆ Earned first double-double since Dec. 17, 2005 with team-high 17 points and game-high 12 rebounds at Bowling Green; also canned three consecutive baskets in 80-second span down stretch in regulation to seemingly clinch victory for Irish.
- ◆ Had eight points and team-high 10 rebounds in program’s first-ever win at Purdue.
- ◆ Collected 10 points and three steals at IUPUI.
- ◆ Registered eight points and five assists vs. Saint Francis (Pa.).
- ◆ Pulled down game-high 10 rebounds in victory at Richmond, while adding seven points and four assists.
- ◆ Tallied eight points and seven rebounds in BIG EAST opener at Louisville.
- ◆ Had perfect shooting night vs. Villanova (5-5 FG, 2-2 FT), finishing with 12 points and game-high eight rebounds; second perfect shooting game of career (min. 5 attempts) following 6-for-6 effort at Wisconsin on Dec. 4, 2005.
- ◆ Looked sharp at Georgetown with 12 points (6-11 FG) and seven rebounds.
- ◆ Notched 10 points and career-high six assists vs. No. 1 Connecticut.
- ◆ Finished with game highs of 15 points (7-9 FG) and nine rebounds against Providence.
- ◆ Tallied 12 points, team-high eight rebounds and three steals vs. No. 15 Pittsburgh.
- ◆ Turned in well-balanced effort vs. Marquette with 17 points (7-9 FG), six rebounds, five assists, career-high four steals and two blocks in 26 minutes.
- ◆ Collected 12 points and five rebounds in win at No. 21/23 Syracuse.
- ◆ Piled up 10 points and game-high eight rebounds at No. 5/4 Rutgers.
- ◆ **Especially active on defense, averaging 2.5 steals in past four games.**

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- ◆ Scored 500th career point on Jan. 19 at Georgetown.



Career Highs

Points

Career.... 29 vs. Boston College (3/19/06)

Rebounds

Career..... 14 vs. Michigan (11/18/05)

Assists

Career..... 6 vs. Connecticut (1/27/08)

Field Goals

Career.... 12 vs. Boston College (3/19/06)

Field Goal Attempts

Career.... 23 vs. Boston College (3/19/06)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career.... 1, five times (MR: vs. WKU, 11/13/07)

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career..... 2 at Rutgers (1/24/06)

Free Throws

Career.... 6, twice (MR: vs. USF, 3/4/06)

Free Throw Attempts

Career..... 10 at Syracuse (1/31/06)

Steals

Career..... 4 vs. Marquette (2/13/08)

Blocked Shots

Career..... 3 vs. Connecticut (3/5/06)

Minutes Played

Career.... 40, twice (MR: at BG, 12/5/07)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 3/1
 Double-figure scoring games..... 30/16
 20-point games 4/1
 Double-figure rebound games..... 6/3
 5-assist games 3/3
 5-steal games..... 0/0
(noted in season/career format)

Schrader's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2005-06	30-27	858-28.6	127-287	.443	4-7	.571	58-111	.523	36	126	162	5.4	55-1	52	57	11	33	316	10.5
2006-07	Did not play (injured)																		
2007-08	26-25	694-26.7	118-244	.484	1-2	.500	41-63	.651	53	100	153	5.9	26-0	53	41	2	40	278	10.7
TOTALS	56-52	1552-27.7	245-531	.461	5-9	.556	99-174	.569	89	226	315	5.6	81-1	105	98	13	73	594	10.6

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Lindsay Schrader

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ^{1^}	17	10-12	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	3	3	1	0	1	20
N13	Western Kentucky ^{1^}	23	2-11	1-1	3-4	2	4	6	2	1	2	0	1	8
N16	@ #3 Maryland ^{1^}	33	5-13	0-0	0-3	3	5	8	1	0	0	0	1	10
N20	@ Central Michigan [^]	24	5-8	0-0	0-2	1	4	5	0	1	0	0	3	10
N24	Boston College [^]	28	7-12	0-0	2-6	2	6	8	1	1	4	0	2	16
N27	Canisius [^]	24	5-10	0-1	0-2	3	3	6	0	4	0	0	2	10
D2	Michigan [^]	25	5-11	0-0	1-2	0	3	3	0	1	1	0	2	11
D5	@ Bowling Green [^]	40-	7-13	0-0	3-4	4	8	12	1	1	1	0	2	17
D8	@ Purdue [^]	29	3-8	0-0	2-2	2	8	10	0	1	6	0	1	8
D12	Valparaiso [^]	19	2-7	0-0	3-4	2	2	4	1	2	1	0	2	7
D21	@ IUPUI [^]	23	4-14	0-0	2-2	2	2	4	1	1	1	0	3	10
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.) [^]	22	4-8	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	1	5	2	0	2	8
J2	@ Richmond [^]	28	3-7	0-0	1-2	4	6	10	2	4	1	0	0	7
J5	#3 Tennessee [^]	25	3-7	0-0	1-1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	7
J8	• @ Louisville [^]	28	4-8	0-0	0-1	4	3	7	0	0	3	0	1	8
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia	22	1-5	0-0	4-6	1	3	4	2	0	0	0	0	6
J16	• Villanova [^]	31	5-5	0-0	2-2	5	3	8	0	2	2	0	0	12
J19	• @ Georgetown [^]	29	6-11	0-0	0-0	2	5	7	3	2	3	0	1	12
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul [^]	31	3-7	0-0	2-2	2	1	3	0	4	0	0	1	8
J27	• #1 Connecticut [^]	29	4-12	0-0	2-3	2	2	4	0	6	1	0	1	10
J30	• Providence [^]	17	7-9	0-0	1-2	3	6	9	2	1	2	0	1	15
F2	• @ Cincinnati [^]	25	2-6	0-0	3-4	0	4	4	1	2	1	0	1	7
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh [^]	35	6-14	0-0	0-0	2	6	8	0	1	0	0	3	12
F13	• Marquette [^]	26	7-9	0-0	3-3	1	5	6	2	5	2	2	4	17
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse [^]	30	4-10	0-0	4-4	2	3	5	0	1	3	0	1	12
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers [^]	31	4-7	0-0	2-2	1	7	8	3	2	3	0	2	10
F24	• @ DePaul													

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1 = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)

Schrader in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2005-06	16-13	442-27.6	63-151	.417	2-5	.400	34-60	.567	19	64	83	5.2	25-0	28	27	5	16	162	10.1
2006-07			Did not play (injured)																
2007-08	12-11	334-27.8	53-103	.515	0-0	.000	23-29	.793	25	48	73	6.1	13-0	26	20	2	16	129	10.8
TOTALS	28-24	776-27.7	116-254	.457	2-5	.400	57-89	.640	44	112	156	5.6	38-0	54	47	7	32	291	10.4

#32 Becca Bruszewski

Forward • 6-1 • Fr.-HS • Valparaiso, Ind. (Wheeler HS)

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Has appeared in all 26 games, averaging 4.7 points and 2.5 rebounds per game with team-high .592 field goal percentage (.606 in BIG EAST play).
- ◆ Made college debut in season opener vs. Miami (Ohio), scoring a late bucket and adding one assist.
- ◆ Did not score in two minutes against Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Provided solid effort off the bench at No. 3 Maryland with four points, seven rebounds and two assists in 11 minutes.
- ◆ Had best scoring day of young career at Central Michigan, dropping in game-high 13 points (6-9 FG) and grabbing four rebounds, all in second half.
- ◆ Reached double digits for second consecutive game with 10 points (4-5 FG) and five rebounds in 11 minutes vs. Boston College.
- ◆ Collected six points (3-5 FG) and season-high three steals against Canisius.
- ◆ Made both of her shots (four points) and snared two rebounds at Purdue.
- ◆ Scored five points (2-2 FG) and grabbed two rebounds in win over Valparaiso.
- ◆ Tallied three points (3-4 FT) in victory at IUPUI.
- ◆ Scored three points in 12 minutes vs. Saint Francis (Pa.).
- ◆ Tossed in seven points with two steals in 11 minutes at Richmond.
- ◆ Battled well against No. 3 Tennessee, notching four points and season-high-tying seven rebounds in season-best 24 minutes.
- ◆ Knocked down first career three-pointer in win at Louisville.
- ◆ Registered five points (season-high 5-6 FT) and four rebounds at No. 16 West Virginia.
- ◆ Made most of her nine minutes at Georgetown, scoring 10 points (3-3 FG, 4-5 FT); second time this season she's narrowly missed a "point-a-minute" game (minimum of 10 minutes played to qualify).
- ◆ Chalked up seven points (5-5 FT) and five rebounds against No. 1 Connecticut.
- ◆ Collected four points and three rebounds in win over Providence.
- ◆ Turned in solid outing against No. 15 Pittsburgh with 10 points (4-5 FG), six rebounds and season-high-tying two assists in 20 minutes.
- ◆ Notched six points (2-3 FG) and two rebounds in win over Marquette.
- ◆ Carded four points (2-3 FG) in victory at No. 21/23 Syracuse.
- ◆ Had another strong performance vs. a ranked opponent with nine points (4-6 FG) and five rebounds in 21 minutes at No. 5/4 Rutgers.



Career Highs

Points

Career....13 at Central Michigan (11/20/07)

Rebounds

Career....7, twice (MR: vs. Tennessee, 1/5/08)

Assists

Career....2, twice (MR: vs. Pittsburgh, 2/10/08)

Field Goals

Career....6 at Central Michigan (11/20/07)

Field Goal Attempts

Career....9 at Central Michigan (11/20/07)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career.....1 at Louisville (1/8/08)

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career....1, twice (MR: at West Virginia, 1/13/08)

Free Throws

Career....5, twice (MR: vs. Connecticut, 1/27/08)

Free Throw Attempts

Career.....6 at West Virginia (1/13/08)

Steals

Career.....3 vs. Canisius (11/27/07)

Blocked Shots

Career....1, six times (MR: at Rutgers, 2/19/08)

Minutes Played

Career.....24 vs. Tennessee (1/5/08)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 0/0
 Double-figure scoring games 4/4
 20-point games 0/0
 Double-figure rebound games..... 0/0
 5-block games..... 0/0
 5-steal games..... 0/0
(noted in season/career format)

Bruszewski's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2007-08	26-0	324-12.5	45-76	.592	1-2	.500	32-43	.744	32	34	66	2.5	44-0	10	24	6	12	123	4.7
TOTALS	26-0	324-12.5	45-76	.592	1-2	.500	32-43	.744	32	34	66	2.5	44-0	10	24	6	12	123	4.7

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Becca Bruszewski

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ¹	9	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
N13	Western Kentucky ¹	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N16	@ #3 Maryland ¹	11	2-8	0-0	0-0	4	3	7	3	2	0	1	0	4
N20	@ Central Michigan	20	6-9	0-0	1-2	3	1	4	2	1	0	1	0	13
N24	Boston College	11	4-5	0-0	2-5	4	1	5	3	0	1	0	0	10
N27	Canisius	18	3-5	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	1	1	2	0	3	6
D2	Michigan	11	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	1	0
D5	@ Bowling Green	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
D8	@ Purdue	16	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	1	0	1	4
D12	Valparaiso	13	2-2	0-0	1-2	2	0	2	4	0	1	0	0	5
D21	@ IUPUI	7	0-1	0-0	3-4	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	3
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.)	12	1-1	0-0	1-2	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3
J2	@ Richmond	11	2-4	0-0	3-4	0	2	2	2	0	4	1	2	7
J5	#3 Tennessee	24	2-3	0-0	0-0	2	5	7	1	1	1	0	0	4
J8	• @ Louisville	8	1-3	1-1	0-0	1	1	2	4	0	0	0	0	3
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia	20	0-2	0-1	5-6	2	2	4	2	1	2	0	0	5
J16	• Villanova	5	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
J19	• @ Georgetown	9	3-3	0-0	4-5	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	10
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul	3	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
J27	• #1 Connecticut	10	1-1	0-0	5-5	3	2	5	1	0	1	0	1	7
J30	• Providence	17	2-4	0-0	0-1	3	0	3	0	1	3	0	1	4
F2	• @ Cincinnati	15	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	3	0	1	1	1	0
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh	20	4-5	0-0	2-2	0	6	6	3	2	1	1	1	10
F13	• Marquette	16	2-3	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	4	0	2	0	0	6
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse	9	2-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	4
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers	21	4-6	0-0	1-1	4	1	5	0	0	0	1	0	9
F24	• @ DePaul													

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Bruszewski in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2007-08	12-0	153-12.8	20-33	.606	1-2	.500	21-24	.875	14	15	29	2.4	23-0	4	11	3	4	62	5.2
TOTALS	12-0	153-12.8	20-33	.606	1-2	.500	21-24	.875	14	15	29	2.4	23-0	4	11	3	4	62	5.2

#33 Melissa D'Amico

Center • 6-5 • Sr.-3V • Manorville, N.Y. (William Floyd HS)

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Has played in 23 games (starting 10 times), averaging 3.3 points and 2.1 rebounds per game with .547 field goal percentage.
- ◆ Made most of reserve role in season opener vs. Miami (Ohio), scoring 11 points (3-4 FG, 5-6 FT) while adding five rebounds and two blocks in 15 minutes.
- ◆ Efficient effort against Western Kentucky with eight points (4-5 FG) in nine minutes ... scored six points and grabbed two rebounds in final 4:31 of first half when other Irish posts in foul trouble.
- ◆ Nearly perfect shooting night at Central Michigan, scoring 10 points (3-3 FG, 4-5 FT) and adding four rebounds, two blocks and two steals in 16 minutes.
- ◆ Made first start of season vs. Boston College, scoring four points and grabbing four rebounds in 14 minutes.
- ◆ Had six points (3-6 FG) and four rebounds in season-high 19 minutes vs. Michigan.
- ◆ Got Irish rolling in win over Valparaiso, scoring six of her seven points in first 3:33 of contest.
- ◆ Matched season high with two blocks in six minutes at Louisville.
- ◆ Had two points on first-half putback against No. 12 DePaul.
- ◆ Collected two points and three rebounds in 10 minutes vs. No. 1 Connecticut.
- ◆ Picked up four points and two rebounds in win over Providence.
- ◆ Tossed in six points (career-high 6-6 FT) in victory over Marquette.

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- ◆ 10th in blocked shots (91; next up is Heidi Bunek (93 from '85-89)).
- ◆ Scored 500th career point on Nov. 13 vs. Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Appeared in 100th career game on Dec. 29 vs. Saint Francis (Pa.).



Career Highs

Points

Career.....20, twice (MR: vs. IUPUI, 12/16/06)

Rebounds

Career.....11 vs. St. John's (1/16/07)

Assists

Career.....3 vs. W. Michigan (11/19/06)

Field Goals

Career.....10 vs. Arkansas St. (12/17/05)

Field Goal Attempts

Career.....14 vs. Prairie View (12/28/06)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career.....None

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career.....None

Free Throws

Career.....6, twice (MR: vs. Marquette, 2/13/08)

Free Throw Attempts

Career.....10 vs. Utah (12/18/05)

Steals

Career.....2, eight times (MR: at Purdue, 12/8/07)

Blocked Shots

Career.....3, three times (MR: vs. IUPUI, 12/16/06)

Minutes Played

Career.....35 vs. Indiana (12/3/06)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 3/0
 Double-figure scoring games..... 24/2
 20-point games..... 2/0
 Double-figure rebound games..... 4/0
 5-block games..... 0/0
(noted in season/career format)

D'Amico's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2004-05	26-0	159-6.1	21-48	.438	0-0	.000	7-16	.438	15	22	37	1.4	34-0	4	14	12	3	49	1.9
2005-06	30-17	561-18.7	72-154	.468	0-0	.000	33-61	.541	38	72	110	3.7	61-0	14	49	35	12	177	5.9
2006-07	32-29	653-20.4	104-197	.528	0-0	.000	48-61	.787	49	99	148	4.6	66-0	17	39	30	16	256	8.0
2007-08	23-10	213-9.3	29-53	.547	0-0	.000	18-21	.857	21	28	49	2.1	23-0	5	12	14	9	76	3.3
TOTALS	111-56	1586-14.3	226-452	.500	0-0	.000	106-159	.667	123	221	344	3.1	184-0	40	114	91	40	558	5.0

2007-08 Game-By-Game Statistics — Melissa D'Amico

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-3FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ¹	15	3-4	0-0	5-6	1	4	5	2	1	1	2	1	11
N13	Western Kentucky ¹	9	4-5	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	8
N16	@ #3 Maryland ¹	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N20	@ Central Michigan	16	3-3	0-0	4-5	1	3	4	0	1	0	2	2	10
N24	Boston College [^]	14	2-4	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	1	1	1	0	0	4
N27	Canisius [^]	9	1-4	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	3	0	2	0	1	2
D2	Michigan [^]	19	3-6	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	1	0	1	0	0	6
D5	@ Bowling Green [^]	6	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
D8	@ Purdue [^]	13	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	2
D12	Valparaiso [^]	14	3-4	0-0	1-2	3	2	5	0	0	2	2	0	7
D21	@ IUPUI [^]	12	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	2
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.) [^]	10	2-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	1	1	1	0	4
J2	@ Richmond [^]	11	2-6	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	3	0	0	2	0	4
J5	#3 Tennessee [^]	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J8	• @ Louisville	6	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J16	• Villanova	Did not play												
J19	• @ Georgetown	2	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul	3	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
J27	• #1 Connecticut	10	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	0	1	1	1	0	2
J30	• Providence	11	1-2	0-0	2-2	0	2	2	3	0	0	0	1	4
F2	• @ Cincinnati	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh	Did not play												
F13	• Marquette	10	0-1	0-0	6-6	1	2	3	2	0	0	1	0	6
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers	Did not play												
F24	• @ DePaul													

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D'Amico in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2004-05	11-0	47-4.3	7-13	.538	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	2	8	10	0.9	11-0	2	5	3	0	16	1.5
2005-06	16-6	273-17.1	28-72	.389	0-0	.000	7-17	.412	13	32	45	2.8	24-0	10	24	17	6	63	3.9
2006-07	16-14	298-18.6	40-85	.471	0-0	.000	24-28	.857	21	49	70	4.4	30-0	4	20	14	5	104	6.5
2007-08	9-0	55-6.1	3-10	.300	0-0	.000	8-8	1.000	5	9	14	1.6	10-0	1	1	4	2	14	1.6
TOTALS	52-20	673-12.9	78-180	.433	0-0	.000	41-57	.719	41	98	139	2.7	75-0	17	50	38	13	197	3.8

#52 Erica Williamson

Center • 6-4 • So.-1V • Charlotte, N.C. (South Mecklenburg HS)

2007-08 Highlights

- ◆ Played in all 26 games (starting 15 — her first career starts), averaging 6.5 points, 4.4 rebounds and 1.0 blocks per game ... tied for 15th in BIG EAST in blocked shots ... in conference play, tied for 15th in BIG EAST in offensive rebounding (2.67 orgp).
- ◆ Made debut in starting lineup for season opener vs. Miami (Ohio), registering six points and team-high nine rebounds in 18 minutes.
- ◆ Had two points and four rebounds against Western Kentucky.
- ◆ Notched four points and career-high-tying two assists at No. 3 Maryland.
- ◆ Collected six points (3-6 FG) and two blocks in nine minutes at Central Michigan.
- ◆ Came off bench for first time this season vs. Boston College, tallying five points and five rebounds in 13 minutes.
- ◆ Tallied five points and three rebounds against Canisius.
- ◆ Scored two points in 10 minutes vs. Michigan before leaving with back injury.
- ◆ Picked up six points (2-3 FG, 2-2 FT) and two rebounds in 10 minutes vs. Valparaiso.
- ◆ Posted nine points (all in second half) and seven rebounds in nine minutes at IUPUI.
- ◆ Registered career-high 16 points (6-9 FG), game-high eight rebounds and season-high three blocks in 20 minutes against Saint Francis (Pa.).
- ◆ Continued resurgence with 12 points, six rebounds and two blocks in only 17 minutes at Richmond.
- ◆ Collected 11 points (7-8 FT) and six rebounds at Louisville.
- ◆ Made first career BIG EAST start at No. 16 West Virginia, logging seven points, three rebounds and two blocks.
- ◆ Chalked up 10 points (3-5 FG, 4-5 FT), five rebounds and career-high-tying two assists at Georgetown.
- ◆ Matched career high with 16 points (5-10 FG, 6-9 FT) against No. 25 DePaul, while adding six rebounds and two blocks.
- ◆ Tallied five points and team-high eight rebounds at Cincinnati.
- ◆ Had six points (6-6 FT) and four rebounds in win over No. 15 Pittsburgh.
- ◆ Notched nine points, six rebounds, season-high-tying three blocks and career-high-tying two steals in victory over Marquette.
- ◆ Registered first double-double of season (second of career) with 14 points (career-high 8-12 FT) and season-high 11 rebounds in win at No. 21/23 Syracuse.
- ◆ Battled through tough shooting night at No. 5/4 Rutgers, finishing with six points (3-12 FG) and six rebounds.

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- ◆ 7th in blocked shots per game (1.14; next up is Teresa Borton (1.18 from '01-05)).



Career Highs

Points

Career.... 16, twice (MR: vs. DePaul, 1/22/08)

Rebounds

Career.....18 at South Florida (1/13/07)

Assists

Career....2, five times (MR: at Rutgers, 2/19/08)

Field Goals

Career.....7 vs. Prairie View (12/28/06)

Field Goal Attempts

Career..... 12 at Rutgers (2/19/08)

Three-Point Field Goals

Career.....None

Three-Point Field Goal Attempts

Career.....None

Free Throws

Career..... 8 at Syracuse (2/16/08)

Free Throw Attempts

Career..... 12 at Syracuse (2/16/08)

Steals

Career..... 3 at Syracuse (2/16/08)

Blocked Shots

Career.... 5 vs. Central Michigan (11/10/06)

Minutes Played

Career.....28 at South Florida (1/13/07)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles..... 2/1
 Double-figure scoring games..... 12/6
 20-point games 0/0
 Double-figure rebound games..... 3/1
 5-block games..... 1/0
(noted in season/career format)

Williamson's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2006-07	31-0	516-16.6	64-137	.467	0-0	.000	61-95	.642	59	104	163	5.3	79-1	12	40	39	18	189	6.1
2007-08	26-15	398-15.3	56-120	.467	0-0	.000	57-82	.695	59	56	115	4.4	46-0	16	23	26	9	169	6.5
TOTALS	57-15	914-16.0	120-257	.467	0-0	.000	118-177	.667	118	160	278	4.9	125-1	28	63	65	27	358	6.3

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Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N9	Miami (Ohio) ^{1^}	18	3-6	0-0	0-0	5	4	9	0	2	0	1	0	6
N13	Western Kentucky ^{1^}	17	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	4	1	2	1	0	2
N16	@ #3 Maryland ^{1^}	14	2-3	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	4
N20	@ Central Michigan [^]	9	3-6	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	1	6
N24	Boston College	13	2-6	0-0	1-2	3	2	5	3	0	0	1	0	5
N27	Canisius	12	2-4	0-0	1-3	1	2	3	2	1	0	1	0	5
D2	Michigan	10	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	2
D5	@ Bowling Green	6	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
D8	@ Purdue	4	0-0	0-0	0-2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
D12	Valparaiso	10	2-3	0-0	2-2	0	2	2	1	0	0	1	0	6
D21	@ IUPUI	9	3-9	0-0	3-5	4	3	7	1	0	2	1	0	9
D29	Saint Francis (Pa.)	20	6-9	0-0	4-6	5	3	8	2	0	1	3	0	16
J2	@ Richmond	17	4-8	0-0	4-6	3	3	6	4	0	0	2	1	12
J5	#3 Tennessee	14	1-3	0-0	3-4	3	1	4	2	0	1	1	0	5
J8	• @ Louisville	19	2-3	0-0	7-8	4	2	6	4	0	1	1	0	11
J13	• @ #16 West Virginia [^]	18	3-7	0-0	1-2	2	1	3	1	0	2	2	0	7
J16	• Villanova [^]	8	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	2
J19	• @ Georgetown [^]	22	3-5	0-0	4-5	3	2	5	1	2	1	0	0	10
J22	• #rv/25 DePaul [^]	26	5-10	0-0	6-9	2	4	6	1	1	1	2	1	16
J27	• #1 Connecticut [^]	17	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	3	1	0	0	0	0
J30	• Providence [^]	14	1-4	0-0	1-2	2	1	3	3	0	0	0	1	3
F2	• @ Cincinnati [^]	15	1-1	0-0	3-4	0	8	8	1	1	1	0	0	5
F10	• #15 Pittsburgh [^]	16	0-3	0-0	6-6	3	1	4	2	1	0	0	0	6
F13	• Marquette [^]	17	3-4	0-0	3-4	3	3	6	1	1	2	3	2	9
F16	• @ #21/23 Syracuse [^]	27	3-6	0-0	8-12	6	5	11	3	0	2	2	3	14
F19	• @ #5/4 Rutgers [^]	26	3-12	0-0	0-0	5	1	6	2	2	1	1	0	6
F24	• @ DePaul													

• = indicates BIG EAST Conference game // ^ = indicates game started
1 = Preseason WNIT (semifinalist)

Williamson in the BIG EAST Conference

Season	GP-GS	Min.-Avg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg.	PF-DQ	A	T	B	S	Pts	Avg.
2006-07	16-0	277-17.3	30-71	.423	0-0	.000	33-48	.688	30	59	89	5.6	40-1	8	18	18	10	93	5.8
2007-08	12-11	225-18.8	25-58	.431	0-0	.000	39-52	.750	32	30	62	5.2	23-0	9	12	12	7	89	7.4
TOTALS	28-11	502-17.9	55-129	.426	0-0	.000	72-100	.720	62	89	151	5.4	63-1	17	30	30	17	182	6.5