



NOTRE DAME

Women's Soccer 2008

Two-Time NCAA Champions (1995, 2004)
Six-Time NCAA Finalists • 9 NCAA College Cup Berths

2008 ND Women's Soccer — Game 21

BIG EAST Championship — Final

#1/1 Notre Dame **Fighting Irish** (20-0-0 / 11-0-0 BIG EAST) vs.
Connecticut **Huskies** (7-8-6 / 4-3-4 BIG EAST)

◆ **DATE:** Nov. 9, 2008 ◆ **TV:** CBS College Sports (live)
◆ **TIME:** Noon ET BIG EAST TV (live)
◆ **AT:** Notre Dame, Ind. Ann Schatz, p-b-p
Alumni Field (2,500) Tammy Blackburn, color
◆ **SERIES:** ND leads 18-4-3 ◆ **LIVE STATS:** UND.com/bigeast.org
◆ **1ST MTG:** UConn 5-4 (10/6/95) ◆ **TEXT ALERT:** Sign up at UND.com
◆ **LAST MTG:** ND 2-0 (10/19/08) ◆ **TICKETS:** (574) 631-7356



Storylines

- ◆ While Notre Dame and Connecticut will meet for the ninth time in the BIG EAST title game (ND leads 7-1 in those games), there have been no other rematches in the BIG EAST final since the tournament debuted in 1993.
- ◆ The Irish are 15-0 all-time at home in BIG EAST tournament games with a 57-4 scoring margin in those contests.

Realizing that much work still lies ahead, top-ranked Notre Dame keeps a firm focus on the task at hand as it prepares to take on Connecticut in the BIG EAST Conference Championship final on Sunday at noon (ET) at Alumni Field. The game will be televised to a national audience on CBS College Sports, as well as several regional affiliates nationwide.

The Irish (20-0-0) turned in an efficient, and often dominating, performance against Marquette on Friday at Alumni Field, winning 2-0 to advance to the championship game.

Junior forward **Michele Weissenhofer** latched onto the end of a **Melissa Henderson** cross 27 minutes into the contest to knock home her fourth goal of the season and give the Irish a 1-0 lead. Sophomore forward **Taylor Knaack** came off the bench to register her third goal in as many games with a strike less than five minutes into the second half, securing Notre Dame's 12th title game berth in 14 years.

Rankings

- ◆ Notre Dame is ranked No. 1 in the latest NSCAA and Soccer America polls.
- ◆ Connecticut is not ranked.

Web Sites

- ◆ Notre Dame: <http://www.und.com>
- ◆ Connecticut: <http://www.uconnhuskies.com>
- ◆ BIG EAST: <http://www.bigeast.org>

Setting The (Golden Dome) Standard

When it comes to powerhouse programs in women's college soccer, one need look no further than Notre Dame. The Irish have won two NCAA titles (1995, 2004) to highlight a resume that includes six NCAA national championship game appearances and nine trips to the NCAA College Cup semifinals (third-best in tournament history). Notre Dame has earned 15 consecutive NCAA Championship berths (1993-2007) and is one of only two schools to reach the final-32 every year since 1993.

In their history, the Irish have developed three Hermann Trophy winners and 42 All-Americans, including 15 first-team selections. Now in its 21st season in 2008, Notre Dame owns an all-time record of **405-67-19 (.844)**.

Notre Dame Head Coach Randy Waldrum

- Midwestern State '81
- ◆ 10th season at Notre Dame
 - 205-29-8 (.864) at Notre Dame.
 - 312-79-20 (.783) in 19 seasons (women).
 - 388-134-27 (.731) in 25 seasons (overall).
- NOTES**
- ◆ 4th on the NCAA Division I career winning percentage list (4th among active coaches)
 - ◆ 7-time NSCAA Regional Coach of the Year
 - ◆ 8-time conference Coach of the Year
 - BIG EAST (1999, 2000, 2003, 2004, 2008)
 - Big 12 (@ Baylor) (1998)
 - Missouri Valley (@ Tulsa - men) (1991, 1993)

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

| No | Name | Pos | Ht | Yr | G | A | Pts | Notes |
|----|-----------------------|-----|------|-----|--------|------|-----|---|
| 6 | Melissa Henderson | F | 5-8 | Fr. | 15 | 1 | 31 | • 2nd in BIG EAST in goals and points |
| 10 | ◆Brittany Bock (C) | F | 5-6 | Sr. | 6 | 9 | 21 | • 17 pts (5G-7A) past 10 gms (2A vs. SHU) |
| 11 | ◆Michele Weissenhofer | F | 5-4 | Jr. | 4 | 5 | 13 | • Had GWG versus Marquette (11/7) |
| 9 | ◆Lauren Fowlkes | M | 5-10 | So. | 1 | 0 | 2 | • U.S. U-20 National Team selection |
| 14 | ◆Courtney Rosen | M | 5-7 | Jr. | 3 | 4 | 10 | • Scored goal versus Cincinnati (11/2) |
| 17 | Courtney Barg | M | 5-5 | Fr. | 2 | 2 | 6 | • Assisted on GWG at UConn (10/19) |
| 12 | Jessica Schuveiller | D | 5-8 | Fr. | 0 | 1 | 1 | • Started every game at center back |
| 19 | ◆Carrie Dew (C) | D | 5-9 | Sr. | 0 | 1 | 1 | • 2-time BIG EAST Def. Player of the Year |
| 23 | ◆Elise Weber | D | 5-7 | Sr. | 1 | 3 | 5 | • 1st-team Academic All-District selection |
| 25 | ◆Julie Scheidler | D | 5-5 | So. | 0 | 5 | 5 | • 5 assists in past 13 games (1 last year) |
| 13 | Kelsey Lysander | GK | 5-10 | Jr. | 20-0-0 | 0.45 | GAA | • 8 GA in 1601:29 this yr (5 solo shutouts) |

◆ = Returning starter from 2007

Pronunciations: Fowlkes (FOLKS); Lysander (LIE-sand-er); Scheidler (SHYD-ler); Schuveiller (SHOE-vy-ler); Weissenhofer (WISE-en-HOFF-er)

2008 Schedule

20-0-0 / 11-0-0 BIG EAST

| | | |
|------------|---|----------------------|
| A12 | (5/4) Memphis (exhib.) | W, 3-1 |
| A16 | (5/4) vs. Virginia (exhib.) (6/7) ¹ | L, 1-2 |
| A22 | (4/4) Michigan | W, 7-0 |
| A29 | (4/4) Loyola Marymount² | W, 4-0 |
| A31 | (4/4) Santa Clara (21/12)² | W, 2-0 |
| S5 | (5/4) @ North Carolina (3/2) ³ | W, 1-0 |
| S7 | (5/4) vs. Duke (12/11) ³ | W, 3-1 |
| S12 | (2/2) SMU | W, 5-0 |
| S19 | (1/1) • @ DePaul | W, 1-0 |
| S21 | (1/1) @ Penn State (17/16) ^{BTN} | W, 3-1 |
| S26 | (1/1) • Louisville | W, 4-1 |
| S28 | (1/1) • @ Cincinnati | W, 6-0 |
| O3 | (1/1) • South Florida | W, 3-0 |
| O5 | (1/1) • Marquette | W, 3-1 |
| O10 | (1/1) • @ Georgetown (17/16) | W, 3-1 |
| O12 | (1/1) • @ Villanova | W, 3-2 ^{OT} |
| O17 | (1/1) • @ Providence | W, 5-0 |
| O19 | (1/1) • @ Connecticut ^{CBS CS} | W, 2-0 |
| O24 | (1/1) • Rutgers (24/18) | W, 3-1 |
| O26 | (1/1) • Seton Hall | W, 6-0 |
| N2 | (1/1) Cincinnati⁴ | W, 5-0 |
| N7 | (1/1) Marquette (NR/25)^{4-CBS CS} | W, 2-0 |
| N9 | Connecticut^{4-CBS CS} | Noon ET |
| N14 | NCAA 1st Round ⁵ | TBA |
| N16 | NCAA 2nd Round ⁵ | TBA |
| N21- | NCAA 3rd Round ⁵ | TBA |
| 23 | | |
| N28- | NCAA Quarterfinals ⁵ | TBA |
| 30 | | |
| D5 | NCAA College Cup Semifinals ⁶ | TBA |
| D7 | NCAA College Cup Final ⁶ | TBA |

(x) = numbers before opponent are ND rankings in NSCAA/Soccer America polls; numbers after are opponent rankings.

- = BIG EAST Conference game
- 1 = at Traverse City, Mich. (Keystone Soccer Complex)
- 2 = Inn at Saint Mary's Soccer Classic (Notre Dame, Ind.)
- 3 = Carolina Classic (Chapel Hill, N.C.)
- 4 = BIG EAST Championship (Notre Dame, Ind.)
- 5 = NCAA Championship (matches played at campus sites)
- 6 = NCAA Women's College Cup (Cary, N.C.)

BTN = Match televised on Big Ten Network
CBS CS = Match televised on CBS College Sports

NOTE: All home matches not scheduled for commercial TV broadcast will air live on UND.com

Matches in **boldface** to be played at Alumni Field (2,500)





2008 NOTRE DAME WOMEN'S SOCCER ROSTERS

Numerical Roster

| No. | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Yr.-Exp. | Hometown (Previous Schools) |
|-----|-----------------------|------|------|----------|--|
| 1 | Nikki Weiss | GK | 5-11 | So.-1V | Redding, Conn. (Immaculate HS) |
| 2 | Kerri Hanks | F | 5-6 | Sr.-3V | Allen, Texas (Allen HS) |
| 3 | Kerry Inglis | D | 5-6 | Sr.-2V | Fort Wayne, Ind. (Snider HS) |
| 4 | Taylor Knaack | F | 5-4 | So.-SQ | Arlington, Texas (Martin HS) |
| 5 | Molly Campbell | M | 5-8 | Fr.-HS | Mission Hills, Kan. (St. Teresa's Acad.) |
| 6 | Melissa Henderson | F | 5-8 | Fr.-HS | Garland, Texas (Berkner HS) |
| 7 | Amanda Clark | D/M | 5-6 | Jr.-2V | Naperville, Ill. (Neuqua Valley HS) |
| 8 | Haley Ford | D | 5-9 | Jr.-1V | Midland, Texas (Midland HS) |
| 9 | Lauren Fowlkes | D/M | 5-10 | So.-1V | Lee's Summit, Mo. (St. Teresa's Acad.) |
| 10 | Brittany Bock (C) | M/F | 5-7 | Sr.-3V | Naperville, Ill. (Neuqua Valley HS) |
| 11 | Michele Weissenhofer | F | 5-4 | Jr.-2V | Naperville, Ill. (Neuqua Valley HS) |
| 12 | Jessica Schuveiller | D | 5-8 | Fr.-HS | Plano, Texas (Plano West HS) |
| 13 | Kelsey Lysander | GK | 5-10 | Jr.-2V | San Diego, Calif. (Rancho Bernardo HS) |
| 14 | Courtney Rosen | M | 5-7 | Jr.-2V | Brecksville, Ohio (Hathaway Brown HS) |
| 15 | Rose Augustin | F/M | 5-5 | So.-1V | Silver Lake, Ohio (Walsh Jesuit HS) |
| 16 | Micaela Alvarez | M | 5-3 | Jr.-2V | Cranbury, N.J. (Peddie School) |
| 17 | Courtney Barg | M/F | 5-5 | Fr.-HS | Plano, Texas (Plano West) |
| 18 | Stephanie Sohn | D | 5-6 | So.-1V | Ronkonkoma, N.Y. (Sachem East HS) |
| 19 | Carrie Dew (C) | D | 5-9 | Sr.-3V | Encinitas, Calif. (La Costa Canyon HS) |
| 20 | Rebecca Mendoza | M | 5-2 | Sr.-3V | Garland, Texas (North Garland HS) |
| 21 | Erica Iantorno | M/F | 5-4 | So.-1V | Hinsdale, Ill. (Hinsdale HS) |
| 22 | Rachel VanderGenugten | D | 5-4 | Jr.-1V | Schererville, Ind. (Lake Central HS) |
| 23 | Elise Weber | D | 5-7 | Sr.-1V | Elk Grove, Ill. (St. Viator Acad./Wisconsin) |
| 24 | Ellen Jantsch | M/D | 5-9 | Fr.-HS | Kansas City, Mo. (St. Teresa's Acad.) |
| 25 | Julie Scheidler | D/M | 5-5 | So.-1V | Indianapolis, Ind. (Bishop Chatard HS) |
| 26 | Haley Chamberlain | D | 5-8 | Fr.-HS | Chandler, Ariz. (Xavier Prep) |
| 27 | Brynn Gerstle | D | 5-9 | Fr.-HS | Louisville, Ky. (Assumption) |
| 28 | Ellen Bartindale | D | 5-9 | Fr.-HS | St. Charles, Ill. (St. Charles East HS) |
| 29 | Jennifer Nordine | F | 5-8 | Fr.-HS | Danville, Calif. (San Ramon Valley HS) |

(C) - indicates team captain

Coaching Staff

| Name | Position | Year at ND | Alma Mater |
|-----------------|---------------------|------------|--------------------------|
| Randy Waldrum | Head Coach | 10th | Midwestern State '81 |
| Dawn Greathouse | Assistant Coach | 6th | Baylor '01 |
| Ken Nuber | Assistant Coach | 1st | Saint Francis (Ind.) '93 |
| Amanda Cinalli | Volunteer Assistant | 1st | Notre Dame '08 |

Pronunciation Guide

| | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| Micaela Alvarez | Muh-KAY-luh |
| Rose Augustin | AW-gus-teen |
| Amanda Cinalli | sih-NELL-ee |
| Lauren Fowlkes | Folks |
| Brynn Gerstle | Brin GUR-stull |
| Erica Iantorno | Eye-un-TORE-no |
| Kerry Inglis | IN-gless |
| Ellen Jantsch | Jantz |
| Taylor Knaack | Nack |
| Kelsey Lysander | LIE-sand-er |
| Ken Nuber | NEW-burr |
| Julie Scheidler | SHYD-ler |
| Jessica Schuveiller | SHOE-vy-ler |
| Stephanie Sohn | Sone (rhymes with cone) |
| Rachel VanderGenugten | Van-dir-GUH-new-tun |
| Nikki Weiss | (rhymes with nice) |
| Michele Weissenhofer | WISE-en-HOFF-er |

Roster Breakdown

By Class

| | |
|------------|---|
| Seniors | 6 |
| Juniors | 7 |
| Sophomores | 7 |
| Freshman | 9 |

By Position

| | |
|-------------|----|
| Forwards | 9 |
| Midfielders | 12 |
| Defenders | 14 |
| Goalkeepers | 2 |

NOTE: some players listed at more than one position

By State

| | |
|-------------|---|
| Texas | 7 |
| Illinois | 6 |
| California | 3 |
| Indiana | 3 |
| Missouri | 2 |
| Ohio | 2 |
| Arizona | 1 |
| Connecticut | 1 |
| Kansas | 1 |
| Kentucky | 1 |
| New Jersey | 1 |
| New York | 1 |

By Height

| | |
|------|---|
| 5-11 | Weiss |
| 5-10 | Fowlkes, Lysander |
| 5-9 | Bartindale, Dew, Ford Gerstle, Jantsch |
| 5-8 | Campbell, Chamberlain, Henderson, Nordine, Schuveiller |
| 5-7 | Bock, Rosen, Weber |
| 5-6 | Clark, Hanks, Inglis, Sohn |
| 5-5 | Augustin, Barg, Scheidler |
| 5-4 | Iantorno, Knaack, VanderGenugten, Weissenhofer |
| 5-3 | Alvarez |
| 5-2 | Mendoza |





Around The BIG EAST

2008 Standings (through Nov. 8)

Table with columns: American, W, L, T, Pts, W, L, T. Rows include West Virginia, Marquette, Connecticut, St. John's, Pittsburgh, South Florida, Syracuse, Providence.

Table with columns: National, W, L, T, Pts, W, L, T. Rows include NOTRE DAME, Georgetown, Rutgers, Louisville, Cincinnati, Villanova, DePaul, Seton Hall.

3 points for win; 1 point for tie (BIG EAST games only)
(x) - ranking in current NSCAA/Soccer America polls

BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Week

- Aug. 25.....Erin Hardiman, Villanova
Sept. 1.....Caycie Gusman, Rutgers
Sept. 8.....Brittany Bock, Notre Dame
Sept. 15.....Ashley Jones, Rutgers
Sept. 22.....Toni Marie Hudson, Georgetown
Sept. 29.....Kerri Hanks, Notre Dame
Oct. 6.....Caycie Gusman, Rutgers
Oct. 13.....Kerri Hanks, Notre Dame
Oct. 20.....Kerri Hanks, Notre Dame
Oct. 27.....Kerri Hanks, Notre Dame

BIG EAST Defensive Player of the Week

- Aug. 25.....Carrie Dew, Notre Dame
Sept. 1.....Carrie Dew, Notre Dame
Sept. 8.....Greer Barnes, West Virginia
Sept. 15.....Robin Rushton, West Virginia
Sept. 22.....Greer Barnes, West Virginia
Sept. 29.....Kelsey Fowler, West Virginia
Oct. 6.....Kelly Eagan, Villanova
Oct. 13.....Nicole Mailloux, West Virginia
Oct. 20.....Nicole Doran, St. John's
Oct. 27.....Greer Barnes, West Virginia

BIG EAST Goalkeeper of the Week

- Aug. 25.....Kristin Russell, St. John's
Sept. 1.....Kristin Russell, St. John's
Sept. 8.....Kelsey Lysander, Notre Dame
Sept. 15.....Erin Guthrie, Rutgers
Sept. 22.....Natalie Kulla, Marquette
Sept. 29.....Mallori Lofton-Malachy, South Florida
Oct. 6.....Erin Guthrie, Rutgers
Oct. 13.....Andrea Kaminski, Cincinnati
Oct. 20.....Kristin Russell, St. John's
Oct. 27.....Jackie DesJardin, Georgetown

BIG EAST Rookie of the Week

- Aug. 25.....Casey Ramirez, Syracuse
Sept. 1.....Samatha Baker, Georgetown
Sept. 8.....Kaitlin Ryan, Villanova
Sept. 15.....Kaitlin Ryan, Villanova
Sept. 22.....Erica Henderson, West Virginia
Sept. 29.....Melissa Henderson, Notre Dame
Oct. 6.....Kaitlin Ryan, Villanova
Oct. 13.....Natalie Kulla, Marquette
Oct. 20.....Blake Miller, West Virginia
Oct. 27.....Melissa Henderson, Notre Dame

Upcoming BIG EAST Games

Sunday, November 9 - BIG EAST Final*
Connecticut at Notre Dame Noon

All times Eastern and subject to change
* - televised live on CBS College Sports

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Alphabetical Roster

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A Quick Look At The Fighting Irish

Notre Dame rolls out one of its deepest teams in years, with 19 monogram winners (including nine starters) back from last season's squad that went 19-5-2 (11-0-0 in the BIG EAST) and advanced to the NCAA College Cup semifinals for the ninth time in the past 14 years. The Irish also bring back a powerful offensive punch, with 83.3 percent of their goalscoring (55 of 66) returning.

As if that weren't enough, Notre Dame welcomes a highly-regarded nine-player freshman class to campus, with three of those incoming players having earned multiple national All-America honors during their prep or club careers.

Leading the way for Notre Dame this season are two of the country's premier front-line players (and '07 NSCAA first-team All-Americans) in senior forward **Kerri Hanks** and senior forward/midfielder **Brittany Bock**.

A three-time All-American and the '06 Hermann Trophy recipient, Hanks (18G-10A) continues to blaze new trails through the NCAA and Irish record books, sitting just off the national lead in goals and points this year after setting the NCAA pace in assists the past two seasons. Hanks, named the 2008 BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Year, Hanks is aiming to become the third Division I player to log 70 goals and 70 assists in her career (82G-68A entering Sunday's game). She has earned national honors from *Soccer America* (Team of the Week) and *Top Drawer Soccer* (Player/Team of the Week) a combined seven times, as well as garnering four BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Week honors. She was the only unanimous selection on the 2008 All-BIG EAST First Team.

Bock (6G-9A), one of the Irish co-captains in 2008, emerged as a genuine offensive threat last season, leading the team in goals and finishing second with 36 points (16G-4A). A 2008 All-BIG EAST First Team selection, Bock earned the league's Offensive Player of the Week honor on Sept. 8, as well as a spot on the *Soccer America* National Team of the Week after scoring the game-winning goal in a 1-0 victory at No. 3/2 North Carolina on Sept. 5. More recently, she was tapped for the *Top Drawer Soccer* National Team of the Week on Oct. 21 after registering a goal and four assists in shutout wins at Providence and Connecticut.

Another key player for the Irish this season is senior center back and co-captain **Carrie Dew** (0G-1A), the 2008 BIG EAST Defensive Player of the Year who made a successful recovery from an ACL injury late in the '06 regular season with a solid '07 campaign. She is a two-time BIG EAST Defensive Player of the Week and *Soccer Buzz* Elite Team of the Week honoree, and a BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll selection. She earned the conference's Defensive Player of the Year award for the second time in her career while leading Notre Dame to 13 shutouts and a 0.40 GAA, including four consecutive clean sheets to open this season (the first time the Irish have done that since '95).

A Quick Look At Connecticut

Connecticut (7-8-6, 4-3-4 BIG EAST) is making its 11th appearance in the BIG EAST Champi-

onship game and first since 2005, when Notre Dame defeated the Huskies, 5-0. UConn holds an all-time record of 2-8 in the title game, with its most recent victory coming in 2004 as the Huskies defeated Notre Dame by a 2-1 score in Storrs, Conn.

Connecticut earned a place in the finals with a thrilling 1-1 tie versus West Virginia on Friday, eventually advancing on penalty kicks, 4-2. Junior **Annie Yi** came off the bench to give the Huskies a 1-0 lead early in the second half, but West Virginia tied the game in the 58th minute to ultimately force PK's. In the PK round, Connecticut's senior goalkeeper **Stephanie Labbe** was the hero, not only making a save but also scoring the second UConn PK.

Yi also owns the team lead with 12 points (6G), while senior forward/midfielder **Brittany Tegeler** is second with 10 points (5G). In goal, Labbe has posted a 1.02 goals-against-average and six shutouts to earn 2008 BIG EAST Goalkeeper of the Year honors.

Head coach **Len Tsantiris** is in his 28th season at UConn. His career record at Connecticut stands at 463-136-41 (.755). He has led the Huskies to 26 consecutive NCAA tournament appearances, including four visits to the NCAA Championship game, most recently in 2003. Tsantiris holds a 4-18-3 all-time record against Notre Dame.

The Notre Dame-Connecticut Series

Notre Dame holds an 18-4-3 series lead against Connecticut, including a 7-1 series lead when facing the Huskies in the BIG EAST Championship final. The Irish have not lost to UConn since falling 2-1 at Storrs, Conn., in the 2004 conference final, posting a 4-0-2 record since then. In its last 10 meetings, Notre Dame has posted a 8-1-1 record versus UConn.

At Alumni Field, Notre Dame holds a 10-1 record against UConn, with the Huskies only win coming in the first game of the all-time series, as Connecticut defeated the Irish, 5-4 (10/6/95). For a complete series breakdown, see page 98 in the 2008 Notre Dame women's soccer media guide.

The Last Time ND And Connecticut Met

Senior All-America forward/Hermann Trophy candidate **Kerri Hanks** scored twice as the top-ranked Irish clinched the 2008 BIG EAST Conference National Division title with a 2-0 victory over Connecticut on Oct. 19 at Morrone Stadium in Storrs, Conn.

With goals in each half, Hanks reached 81 career goals to top Jenny Heft's old school record of 80 tallies set from 1996-99. Hanks' classmate and fellow All-American **Brittany Bock** registered two assists in the contest as well. Freshman midfielder **Courtney Barg** also notched an assist, as she started the sequence that led to the first goal, netted at 8:38. On Notre Dame's second goal, scored at 70:14, senior midfielder **Rebecca Mendoza** picked up an assist.

Notre Dame was sharp all day long, outshooting Connecticut, 27-11, including a sizeable 15-1 margin in shots on goal. UConn did register the only two corner kicks in the contest, the first time in two seasons (Oct. 22,

Covering The Irish

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Media Services

The official Notre Dame athletics web site contains schedules, rosters, updated statistics and some 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. These passes will provide admission to all regular-season Notre Dame women's and men's soccer games at Alumni Field.

Credentials remain the property of the University of Notre Dame and may be revoked at any time.

Parking is free for all Irish women's soccer games in the lot located directly west of Eck Baseball Stadium. Due to construction within the Notre Dame Athletics Quad, there is a limited amount of media parking available on a first-come, first-served basis via the Twyckenham Drive (southeast) entrance to Alumni Field. A security officer at that gate will have a list of media members allowed to park there.

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 kickoff. 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 soccer releases.

Gameday Services

Gameday packages containing game notes, programs and other information will be available in the press box prior to all home contests. In-game and final statistics books include an official NCAA box score and play-by-play will be provided to the media. The Alumni Field press box has limited phone and Internet capability, but media are encouraged to file from the Notre Dame sports information office inside the Joyce Center. Contact **Chris Masters** for assistance.

Post-Game Interviews

Following each Notre Dame home game, Irish head coach Randy Waldrum and selected players will be available to speak with the media, along with any requested personnel from the visiting team. Post-game interview sessions will take place at field level. Alternative interview sites will be arranged in case of inclement weather.

Media members should submit player requests for post-game interviews to **Chris Masters** with five minutes remaining in the second half.





National Polls

NSCAA Division I Women's Soccer Poll

• Nov. 4, 2008: Poll #12

| Team (1st-Place Votes) | Rec | Pts | LW |
|---------------------------------|---------------|------------|-----------|
| 1 NOTRE DAME (31) | 19-0-0 | 799 | 1 |
| 2 Portland | 16-1-0 | 735 | 3 |
| 2 UCLA | 16-0-2 | 735 | 4 |
| 4 ◆North Carolina | 16-1-2 | 727 | 2 |
| 5 Florida State | 14-2-2 | 658 | 6 |
| 6 Stanford | 17-1-1 | 655 | 5 |
| 7 Florida | 16-2-1 | 613 | 7 |
| 8 Oklahoma State | 16-1-2 | 575 | 9 |
| 9 Southern California | 13-4-1 | 509 | 10 |
| 10 Boston College | 12-4-2 | 478 | 13 |
| 11 Texas A&M | 15-3-1 | 456 | 14 |
| 12 ◆Virginia | 12-4-2 | 412 | 8 |
| 13 West Virginia | 13-2-5 | 369 | 17 |
| 14 San Diego | 14-3-2 | 349 | 16 |
| 15 Texas | 12-2-4 | 343 | 12 |
| 16 Colorado | 13-3-3 | 341 | 15 |
| 17 ◆Duke | 12-4-3 | 323 | 11 |
| 18 Wake Forest | 12-6-0 | 266 | 19 |
| 19 Wisconsin-Milwaukee | 16-2-2 | 241 | 18 |
| 20 Missouri | 13-5-0 | 211 | 18 |
| 21 Minnesota | 18-2-0 | 148 | 25 |
| 22 BYU | 15-5-0 | 99 | — |
| 23 ◆Penn State | 13-7-0 | 69 | 21 |
| 24 Washington State | 8-5-5 | 49 | 22 |
| 25 Long Beach State | 13-4-3 | 45 | — |

Others Receiving Votes: ◆Georgetown 40, LSU 37, Virginia Tech 30, Washington 29, UNC Greensboro 12, Denver 10, California 6, Columbia 6, UC Santa Barbara 5, Harvard 4, James Madison 4, Miami (Fla.) 3, Charlotte 3, Central Florida 3, ◆Rutgers 2, Auburn 1.

LW = last week

◆ = 2008 Notre Dame opponent (Virginia - exhibition)

Notre Dame in the NSCAA Poll

NSCAA Division I Women's Soccer Poll

| Week | Points | Weeks Ranked | | |
|---------------------|-----------------|--------------|------|-----------|
| | | Rank | 2008 | All Time* |
| Aug. 12, 2008 (Pre) | 122 | 5 | 1 | 185 |
| Aug. 26, 2008 | 688 | 4 | 2 | 186 |
| Sept. 2, 2008 | 634 | 5 | 3 | 187 |
| Sept. 9, 2008 | 763 (6) | 2 | 4 | 188 |
| Sept. 16, 2008 | 840 (28) | 1 | 5 | 189 |
| Sept. 23, 2008 | 774 (29) | 1 | 6 | 190 |
| Sept. 30, 2008 | 850 (34) | 1 | 7 | 191 |
| Oct. 7, 2008 | 824 (32) | 1 | 8 | 192 |
| Oct. 14, 2008 | 850 (34) | 1 | 9 | 193 |
| Oct. 21, 2008 | 800 (32) | 1 | 10 | 194 |
| Oct. 27, 2008 | 850 (34) | 1 | 11 | 195 |
| Nov. 4, 2008 | 799 (31) | 1 | 12 | 196 |
| SEASON BESTS | 850 (34) | 1 | | |

Note: first-place votes listed in parentheses (unanimous in italics)

* - includes 44 weeks ranked (1992-95) in Intercollegiate Soccer Association of America (ISAA) poll before NSCAA took over poll in 1996.

Notre Dame in Other Polls

| Week | SA | ST | SB | TD |
|---------------------|----------|---------------|----------|----------|
| Aug. 13, 2008 (Pre) | 4 | 5 | — | — |
| Aug. 25, 2008 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 4 |
| Sept. 1, 2008 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 4 |
| Sept. 8, 2008 | 2 | 2 (4) | 2 | 2 |
| Sept. 15, 2008 | 1 | 1 (14) | 1 | 1 |
| Sept. 22, 2008 | 1 | 1 (16) | 1 | 1 |
| Sept. 29, 2008 | 1 | 1 (16) | 1 | 1 |
| Oct. 6, 2008 | 1 | 1 (16) | 1 | 1 |
| Oct. 13, 2008 | 1 | 1 (16) | 1 | 1 |
| Oct. 20, 2008 | 1 | 1 (16) | 1 | 1 |
| Oct. 27, 2008 | 1 | 1 (16) | 1 | 1 |
| Nov. 4, 2008 | 1 | 1 (15) | 1 | 1 |
| SEASON BESTS | 1 | 1 (16) | 1 | 1 |

SA - Soccer America // ST - Soccer Times // SB - Soccer Buzz // TD - Top Drawer Soccer

Note: first-place votes listed in parentheses (unanimous in italics)



2006, at Georgetown) that the Irish didn't earn at least one try from the flag.

Junior goalkeeper **Kelsey Lysander** efficiently managed her area, making one save on the way to her fourth solo shutout of the season.

Irish In The BIG EAST Championship

- Notre Dame is competing in the BIG EAST Championship for the 13th time in its 14-year league membership (all but 2002), having won the BIG EAST postseason crown nine times (1995-2001, 2005-2006).
- The Irish are making their fifth consecutive appearance in the BIG EAST Championship final and 12th in their 14 seasons of conference membership. Notre Dame also faced Connecticut in the league final both prior times the tournament was played at Alumni Field, winning 4-3 in 1996 and 1-0 in 2000.
- Notre Dame is 10-0-1 in its last 11 BIG EAST Championship games, dating back to a 2-1 loss at Connecticut in the 2004 conference final. Last year, the Irish battled host West Virginia to a 1-1 double-overtime stalemate in the title game before the Mountaineers prevailed on penalty kicks, 5-3.
- Notre Dame has not trailed in its last three trips to the BIG EAST title game since the final whistle of a 2-1 loss at UConn in 2004.
- The Irish are 31-2-1 (.926) all-time in BIG EAST Championship play, including a 15-0 record at Alumni Field, where Notre Dame has outscored those 15 conference foes by a combined 57-4 margin.
- The Irish senior class is 15-0 all-time in postseason games (BIG EAST/NCAA) at Alumni Field, shutting out 12 of those 15 opponents.

The BIG EAST Hardware Haul

In addition to claiming its 11th BIG EAST regular-season title in 14 seasons, the Irish earned four of the six major individual awards and placed six players on the all-BIG EAST Conference Team during Thursday night's BIG EAST Women's Soccer Awards Banquet at the South Bend Marriott. The four individual award recipients matches the 2005 Irish club for the most major award honorees since Notre Dame joined the BIG EAST in 1995, while the six all-conference selections are just two away from the school's high-water mark set back in 2006.

Senior All-America forward/Hermann Trophy candidate **Kerri Hanks** was a unanimous selection as the BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Year and a first-team all-conference choice by the BIG EAST coaches. Also the 2006 recipient of the award, Hanks joins former teammate **Katie Thorlakson** (2004, 2005) as the only Irish players to earn the trophy more than once. Through November 6, Hanks ranks among the top 10 in the nation in four major categories -- total points (tied-3rd, 46, one off the national lead), goals per game (4th - 2.42), total goals (tie-5th, 18, three behind the current leader), and points per game (9th - 0.95). What's more, she set conference records with four BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Week selections this

season and eight for her career, blowing past the old marks of three in one season and six in a career (both shared by Thorlakson and Seton Hall's **Kelly Smith**).

For the second time in three years, senior defender/co-captain **Carrie Dew** was lauded as the BIG EAST Defensive Player of the Year. Dew is the fourth Irish player to be a two-time recipient of the honor, along with **Jen Grubb** (1998, 1999), **Candace Chapman** (2002, 2005) and **Melissa Tancredi** (2003, 2004), with Notre Dame now having a player garner that trophy for the sixth time in seven seasons.

Freshman forward **Melissa Henderson** was named the BIG EAST Rookie of the Year, becoming the fourth Irish player in the past six seasons to collect the league's top award for first-year players. She's also the third current Irish player to earn the honor, following in the footsteps of Hanks (2005) and junior forward **Michele Weissenhofer**, who was the 2006 recipient.

Head coach **Randy Waldrum** was honored by his peers by being voted the BIG EAST Coach of the Year for the fifth time in his 10 seasons at Notre Dame. Waldrum also took home the honor in 1999, 2000, 2003 and 2004, and now has earned eight conference coach of the year awards in his illustrious career, adding previous citations in the Big 12 Conference (at Baylor in 1998) and Missouri Valley Conference (with Tulsa's men's program in 1991 and 1993).

The Irish also fielded four first-team all-conference selections — Hanks, **Brittany Bock**, Dew and Henderson — for the fourth time in the past five seasons. After leading the team with 16 goals last season, Bock has proven to be equally adept as a playmaker, ranking second on the team and sixth in the conference with nine assists. She's also seventh in the BIG EAST in points per game (1.11) and sixth in total points (21, 6G-9A), and she's the 15th Notre Dame player to be a two-time first-team all-conference selection.

Junior midfielder **Courtney Rosen** was voted a second-team all-BIG EAST selection on Thursday night. Senior defender **Elise Weber** was an honorable mention all-conference pick this season, earning her second consecutive all-BIG EAST citation, following a third-team honor a year ago.

Poll Position

Notre Dame took over the No. 1 ranking in all of the major national polls on Sept. 16 (unanimous in this week's NSCAA balloting), with the Irish now having earned the top spot in the nation in four of the past five seasons (and five of the 10-year **Randy Waldrum** era, with Waldrum joining North Carolina's **Anson Dorrance** as the only coaches with five top-ranked seasons in this decade).

Notre Dame last was ranked No. 1 in 2006, assuming that post in all the polls by the end of the season's first month and carrying it through to the NCAA College Cup final, where the Irish fell to North Carolina, 2-1 (one of only two blemishes in a 25-1-1 season).

Notre Dame remains the only team in the country to own the No. 1 ranking in the NSCAA



poll in four of five years from 2004-08. All-time, the Irish are 88-6-3 (.923) as the nation's top-ranked squad.

As has become the custom on the Notre Dame campus, the traditional lighted #1 sign has reappeared atop Grace Hall, and a #1 flag now flies outside the Irish athletic department offices at the Joyce Center (see note on pp. 26 of this year's media guide).

This year's women's soccer ranking marks the ninth consecutive academic year (starting in 2000-01) that Notre Dame has fielded at least one top-ranked team, with women's basketball, fencing, baseball and ice hockey also reaching the top of their respective polls during that span.

One Tough Slate

Lest anyone think Notre Dame hasn't earned its place atop the polls, just take a look at the Irish schedule this season.

Notre Dame has seven wins over ranked opponents (No. 21/12 Santa Clara, at No. 3/2 North Carolina, vs. No. 12/11 Duke, at No. 17/16 Penn State, at No. 17/16 Georgetown, vs. No. 24/18 Rutgers, and vs. No. NR/25 Marquette), with the first three in that series coming in succession and the UNC, Duke, PSU and GU games all coming away from home.

And it's not like the Irish have experience playing SCU, UNC and Duke in a row, having last seen those three powerhouses in succession in 1995 (and not at any point in the same regular season, let alone in a row, since 1999).

The 1-0 win at North Carolina on Sept. 5 was even more noteworthy, as it marked just the seventh time the Tar Heels had ever been shut out at home, and only the fifth time by a Division I team. One of those five was a 0-0 tie (Duke), while the other four were 1-0 losses, two at the hands of Notre Dame (the other came in the '95 NCAA semifinals at Fetzer Field, leading to the first of two Irish national championships).

Beasts Of The BIG EAST

Following Friday's win over Marquette, Notre Dame now owns a school-record 51-game unbeaten streak (49-0-2) against BIG EAST opposition since a 4-1 loss at No. 15 Marquette on Sept. 30, 2005. In that time, the only ties were a 0-0 draw at Connecticut (Oct. 13, 2006) and a 1-1 deadlock at No.

12 West Virginia in last year's BIG EAST final on Nov. 11 (WVU won 5-3 on PKs, but the game is recorded as a tie).

Since joining the BIG EAST, the Irish are 123-8-4 (.926) all-time in regular-season conference games, 31-2-1 (.926) in the BIG EAST Tournament, and hold a 681-81 scoring edge dating back to that first league season in '95.

What's more Notre Dame maintains a 13-year, 86-game home unbeaten streak (85-0-1) versus BIG EAST teams, with Connecticut the

lone conference team ever to defeat the Irish at Alumni Field (5-4 in OT on Oct. 6, 1995).

Numbers Don't Lie

To get a clearer picture of just how dominating Notre Dame has been through 20 games this season, one need look no further than some of numbers the Irish have put up.

Notre Dame is outscoring its opponents by a staggering 71-8 margin with 13 shutouts this year. As of Nov. 6, the Irish also were tied for first in the nation in scoring offense (3.63 goals/game), as well as seventh in goals-against average (0.42) and eighth in shutout percentage (0.632).

The Irish also allowed just 46 opponent shots on goal all year (25 fewer shots on goal than Notre Dame's goals). By comparison, senior All-America forward and Hermann Trophy candidate **Kerri Hanks** has 49 shots on goal all by herself.

Together, the Irish have registered 232 shots on goal, while their opponents have managed 134 total shots this year. And, Notre Dame has a sizeable 144-37 edge in corner kicks to boot.

Lead, Follow Or Just Get Out Of The Way

With the potency of the Notre Dame offensive attack, most opponents opt for the third option. In fact, the Irish have trailed for a grand total of 1:59 this season (59:06-61:05 vs. Marquette on Oct. 5) and have led for 1,315:51 of 1,806:58 minutes this season (72.8% of the elapsed game time). In addition, Notre Dame has been tied in the second half or OT six times (0-0 at No. 3/2 North Carolina, 0-0 and 1-1 against No. 12/11 Duke, 0-0 at DePaul, 1-1 vs. Marquette, 2-2 at Villanova) for a combined total of 51:41, taking no more than 22:17 (at DePaul) to break any of the ties and move in front.

Dude, We're Going Streaking

With its 3-0 win at home over South Florida on Oct. 3, Notre Dame set a new school record for consecutive regular-season victories, with an active winning streak at 28 games heading into next season. The last time the Irish dropped a regular-season contest was more than a year ago (Sept. 23, 2007) when they gave up two second-half goals in a 2-1 loss to 14th-ranked Penn State at Alumni Field.

Notre Dame's 28-game regular-season unbeaten streak also is tied for the third-longest in school history. In fact, it should be noted that, except for a 16-day stretch last September when the Irish lost four times in six games (twice in OT), Notre Dame has not dropped a regular-season game dating back the middle of the 2005 season.

Awards & Honors

Brittany Bock (Sr., F/M)

Preseason..... Hermann Trophy Watch List
Preseason..... 2nd Team All-American (Soccer America)
Preseason..... BIG EAST Offensive Player of Year
Preseason..... All-BIG EAST Team (unanimous)
Oct. 16..... Lowe's Senior CLASS Award Finalist
Sept. 8..... Soccer America Nat'l Team of Week
Oct. 21..... Top Drawer Soccer Nat'l Team of Week
Sept. 8..... BIG EAST Offensive Player of Week
Oct. 6..... BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll
Nov. 6..... All-BIG EAST First Team

Carrie Dew (Sr., D)

Sept. 8..... Top Drawer Soccer Nat'l Team of Week
Sept. 1/8..... Soccer Buzz Elite Team of Week
Aug. 25/Sept. 1..... BIG EAST Defensive Player of Week
Aug. 31..... Inn at Saint Mary's Classic Defensive MVP
Sept. 29..... BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll
Nov. 6..... All-BIG EAST First Team
Nov. 6..... BIG EAST Defensive Player of the Year

Kerri Hanks (Sr., F)

Preseason..... Hermann Trophy Watch List
Preseason..... 1st Team All-American (Soccer America)
Preseason..... All-BIG EAST Team (unanimous)
Oct. 16..... Lowe's Senior CLASS Award Finalist
Sept. 1..... Top Drawer Soccer Nat'l Player of Week
S22/S29/O27..... Top Drawer Soccer Nat'l Team of Week
S2/S30/O21..... Soccer America Nat'l Team of Week
S29/O13/O20/O27..... BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Week
Aug. 31..... Inn at Saint Mary's Classic Offensive MVP
A25/S1/S22..... BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll
Nov. 6..... All-BIG EAST First Team (unanimous)
Nov. 6..... BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Year

Melissa Henderson (Fr., F)

Sept. 15/29..... Top Drawer Soccer Nat'l Team of Week
Sept. 29..... Soccer Buzz Elite Team of Week
Sept. 29/Oct. 27..... BIG EAST Rookie of the Week
Sept. 15..... BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll
Nov. 6..... All-BIG EAST First Team
Nov. 6..... BIG EAST Rookie of the Year

Kelsey Lysander (Jr., GK)

Aug. 31..... Inn at Saint Mary's Classic Goalkeeper MVP
Sept. 8..... BIG EAST Goalkeeper of the Week

Courtney Rosen (Jr., M)

Aug. 31..... Inn at Saint Mary's Classic All-Tourn. Team
Nov. 6..... All-BIG EAST Second Team

Jessica Schuveiller (Fr., D)

Sept. 8..... Soccer Buzz Elite Team of Week
Oct. 20..... BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll

Randy Waldrum (Head Coach)

Nov. 6..... BIG EAST Coach of the Year

Elise Weber (Sr., D)

Aug. 31..... Inn at Saint Mary's Classic All-Tourn. Team
Oct. 27..... BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll
Nov. 6..... All-BIG EAST Honorable Mention

NCAA D-I Conference Unbeaten Streaks

1. North Carolina 55 (10/23/94-9/1/00)
2. **NOTRE DAME 51 (10/2/05-present)**
3. Florida 50 (9/26/97-10/14/01)
4. North Carolina 41 (10/30/87-9/21/94)
5. Fairfield 38 (10/16/96-10/1/00)

ND Regular-Season Winning Streaks

- 28 (9/29/07-present)
- 20 (10/2/05-10/8/06)
- (10/24/99-10/18/00)
- 18 (10/19/95-10/5/96)

ND Regular-Season Unbeaten Streaks

- 32 (30-0-2) (10/17/93-10/1/95)
- 31 (29-0-2) (10/24/99-9/30/01)
- 28 (28-0-0) (9/29/07-present)
- 28 (27-0-1) (10/20/96-9/11/98)
- 27 (25-0-2) (10/2/05-9/2/07)





2008 Trends

Day of the Week

| | |
|-----------|------|
| Sunday | 9-0 |
| Monday | 0-0 |
| Tuesday | 0-0 |
| Wednesday | 0-0 |
| Thursday | 0-0 |
| Friday | 11-0 |
| Saturday | 0-0 |

Time of Game

| | |
|--|------|
| Day games (before 6 p.m local time) | 13-0 |
| Night games (6 p.m. or later local time) | 7-0 |

Location

| | |
|--------------------|------|
| Home games | 11-0 |
| Road games | 8-0 |
| Neutral site games | 1-0 |

Score Totals

| | |
|--------------------|------|
| Score opening goal | 19-0 |
| Allow opening goal | 1-0 |
| Leading 2-0 | 15-0 |
| Trailing 2-0 | 0-0 |

Halftime score

| | |
|----------------------|------|
| Leading at the half | 16-0 |
| Tied at the half | 4-0 |
| Trailing at the half | 0-0 |

10-minute score

| | |
|-------------------------------|------|
| Leading with 10 minutes left | 20-0 |
| Tied with 10 minutes left | 0-0 |
| Trailing with 10 minutes left | 0-0 |

5-minute score

| | |
|------------------------------|------|
| Leading with 5 minutes left | 19-0 |
| Tied with 5 minutes left | 1-0 |
| Trailing with 5 minutes left | 0-0 |

Shots on goal margin

| | |
|-----------------------------------|------|
| Take more shots on goal | 20-0 |
| Take same number of shots on goal | 0-0 |
| Take fewer shots on goal | 0-0 |

Total shots margin

| | |
|---------------------------------|------|
| Take more total shots | 18-0 |
| Take same number of total shots | 0-0 |
| Take fewer total shots | 2-0 |

Corner kicks margin

| | |
|----------------------------------|------|
| Take more corner kicks | 15-0 |
| Take same number of corner kicks | 2-0 |
| Take fewer corner kicks | 3-0 |

Miscellaneous

| | |
|--|------|
| Vs. Top 25 (NSCAA or Soccer America polls) | 7-0 |
| On broadcast television | 3-0 |
| In white jerseys | 11-0 |
| In blue jerseys | 9-0 |
| In overtime games | 1-0 |
| Playing in rain/snow/wet field | 3-0 |

Individual Accomplishments

| | |
|-------------------------------|------|
| When Hanks scores a goal | 14-0 |
| When Hanks registers a point | 17-0 |
| When Bock scores a goal | 5-0 |
| When Bock registers a point | 10-0 |
| When Henderson scores a goal | 10-0 |
| When Henderson scores a point | 11-0 |

Conference Affiliation

| | |
|----------------|------|
| Atlantic Coast | 2-0 |
| BIG EAST | 13-0 |
| Big Ten | 2-0 |
| Conference USA | 1-0 |
| West Coast | 2-0 |

Month

| | |
|-----------|-----|
| August | 3-0 |
| September | 7-0 |
| October | 8-0 |
| November | 2-0 |
| December | 0-0 |

The One And Only

At 20-0-0, Notre Dame remains the lone unbeaten and untied team left in Division I women's soccer and one of only two across all three NCAA divisions (through Nov. 8). At Division II, Grand Valley State (20-0-0) is the only other NCAA school still perfect thus far.

Now That's How You Bounce Back

Since beginning last season with that tough 3-4-1 start, the Irish are 36-1-1 in their last 38 games overall, with the only loss coming to No. 14 Florida State (3-2) in last year's NCAA College Cup semifinals, and the lone tie occurring at No. 12 West Virginia (1-1) in the '07 BIG EAST tournament final (WVU won the title on penalty kicks, 5-3).

We're Kind Of Used To This, Too

Notre Dame's current 20-game winning streak is the second-longest run in school history (longest in the 10-year **Randy Waldrum** era and longest since the school-record 24-game streak from Oct. 19, 1995-Oct. 11, 1996).

The current streak also marks the sixth consecutive season in which the Irish have reeled off at least 12 victories in a row. Prior to this year's success string, the longest run in that span (dating back to 2003) had been a 15-game winning streak to kick off the 2004 national championship season.

ND Winning Streaks

| | |
|----|-------------------|
| 24 | 10/19/95-10/11/96 |
| 20 | 8/22/08-present |
| 17 | 9/21/97-11/29/97 |
| 16 | 8/27/00-10/18/00 |
| 15 | 8/27/04-10/16/04 |

Golden Domers Golden In OT

Overtime has usually been the right time for Notre Dame, as the Irish are 16-3-8 (.741) all-time in the **Randy Waldrum** era (since '99) when going to an extra period or two. Notre Dame went to OT for the first time this season on Oct. 12, taking a 3-2 win at Villanova on a "golden goal" by sophomore midfielder **Rose Augustin** at 96:58.

Getting The Jump On The Competition

Notre Dame's quick start this season has been fueled by its lightning-fast beginning to either the first or second half.

In 13 of their 20 games, the Irish have scored a goal in the first 20 minutes of play (including five in the opening 10 minutes), with an own goal against Cincinnati exactly 1:00 into the Nov. 2 BIG EAST quarterfinal being the fastest strike of the season. That marked the second-fastest goal in Notre Dame's storied postseason history, not to mention the fourth-fastest of the **Randy Waldrum** era (since '99).

The last time the Irish got on the board quicker than the Cincinnati game was on Nov. 5, 2006, when Hanks struck 57 seconds into the BIG EAST final against Rutgers (a game the Irish ultimately won, 4-2).

Strong Out Of The Blocks

Notre Dame is off to the best start in program history (20-0-0), with this year marking the completion of the first unbeaten and untied

regular season in school history (18-0-0). That debut also eclipses the 16-0-0 start by the 2000 Irish squad during the second season for head coach **Randy Waldrum** at Notre Dame.

Here's a look at the other strong starts the Irish have had to a season and how things ended up for Notre Dame:

| | Start | Final Record | Result |
|-------|--------|--------------|-------------------|
| ◆2008 | 20-0-0 | ?? | ?? |
| 2000 | 16-0-0 | 23-1-1 | NCAA semifinalist |
| 2004 | 15-0-0 | 25-1-1 | NCAA champion |
| 2006 | 13-0-0 | 25-1-1 | NCAA runner-up |
| 1996 | 13-0-0 | 24-2-0 | NCAA runner-up |

Spreading The Wealth

In an early example of the incredible depth of this year's Notre Dame squad, the Irish had seven different players score goals in the season-opening 7-0 whitewash of Michigan (including three who tallied their first career goals). That matched the largest number of goalscorers in one game during the 10-year **Randy Waldrum** era (since '99), and the most since the 2005 season opener (an 11-1 rout of New Hampshire on Aug. 26 in the TD Banknorth Classic at Burlington, Vt.).

For the season, a record-tying 17 different Irish players, representing all four classes, have scored at least one goal. Senior left back **Elise Weber** is the most recent goal scorer, as she gave the Irish a 2-0 lead versus Cincinnati in the BIG EAST quarterfinals on Nov. 2. In addition, Notre Dame has set a new school record with 21 different point scorers this season, with senior forward **Kerry Inglis** becoming the newest point scorer behind a two-goal afternoon against Seton Hall on Oct. 26.

The previous Irish single-season records for goalscorers (17) and point scorers (20) both were set in 1996 (in a 26-game season).

No Soup For You

For the second time in program history, the first time since 1995 and the first time in the **Randy Waldrum** era, Notre Dame opened its season with four consecutive shutouts, blanking Michigan (7-0), Loyola Marymount (4-0), No. 21/12 Santa Clara (2-0) and No. 3/2 North Carolina (1-0). The Irish actually put together a string of 419:44 scoreless minutes to begin this season (437:44 dating back to the end of last year), before the run was snapped on Sept. 7 when No. 12/11 Duke scored at 59:19 off a corner kick that deflected in off an Irish defender.

The 1995 squad reeled off eight consecutive shutouts to begin what would be a 21-2-2 season, culminating with the program's first national championship.

No Shots For You, Either

Notre Dame held South Florida without a single shot in a 3-0 win on Oct. 3. It marked the first time since Oct. 1, 2000 (vs. Rutgers) that the Irish defense didn't yield a shot.

Hanks = History

With each passing game, senior All-America forward and Hermann Trophy candidate **Kerri Hanks** reaches more career milestones in the NCAA and Notre Dame record books, continu-





ing to stamp herself as one of the greats in women's college soccer history.

On Sept. 19 at DePaul, Hanks' second-half goal was the 70th of her career, making her the fourth D-I player to amass 70 goals and 60 assists (others are North Carolina's **Mia Hamm**, Notre Dame's **Jenny Streiffer** and UC Santa Barbara's **Carin Jennings**).

Hanks currently stands in eighth place on the Division I career points list with 232 points (82G-68A) following her two assists against Cincinnati on Nov. 2. Her goal and assist against No. 24/18 Rutgers on Oct. 24 moved Hanks past former U.S. National

Team player and coach (and North Carolina standout) **April Heinrichs** (1983-86), while also pulling even with former Penn State and U.S. National Team player **Christie Welsh** for 14th on the Division I career goals chart.

The national leader in assists the past two seasons (22 in '06; 21 in '07), Hanks also is two assists shy of joining the historic 70G-70A club, a landmark achievement that only two players (Hamm and Streiffer) in the history of Division I women's soccer have managed to attain (and neither got beyond 72G-72A).

One After The Other After The Other

Senior All-America forward/Hermann Trophy candidate **Kerri Hanks** is in the midst of one of the most productive runs of her brilliant career and arguably one of best in NCAA Division I annals.

Against Seton Hall on October 26, the Allen, Texas, native had her school-record 11-game goalscoring streak snapped (she did have a goal waved off due to an offsides call), ending what is tied for the fifth-longest in NCAA Division I history, a spot she shares with former Hartford player

Maria Kun (1997) and one goal longer than the 10-game streaks by notables such as current U.S. National Team standouts **Abby Wambach** (2001 at Florida) and **Christie (Pearce) Rampone** (1996 at Monmouth).

Although her goalscoring streak might have ended, Hanks still has an active career-long 15-game point-scoring streak, breaking the school record set by Hanks' former teammate

NCAA D-I History 70 Goals/60 Assists

- Carin Jennings (UCSB)
102G-60A, '83-'86
- Mia Hamm (UNC)
103G-72A, '89-'93
- Jenny Streiffer (ND)**
70G-71A, '96-'99
- Kerri Hanks (ND)**
82G-68A, '05-present

NCAA D-I History Career Points

- 4. C. Sinclair (UP) 252
- 5. T. Milbrett (UP) 246
- L. Cole (SMU) 246
- 7. A. Wambach (UF) 242
- 8. **K. Hanks (ND) 232**
- 9. A. Heinrichs (UNC) 225

NCAA D-I History Career Goals

- 9. T. Weimer (PSU) 91
- 10. M. Marin (UNT) 88
- 11. S. MacMillan (UP) 87
- A. Heinrichs (UNC) 87
- 13. K. Lyness (WSU) 83
- 14. **K. Hanks (ND) 82***
- C. Welsh (PSU) 82

* - ND career record holder

and current Canadian National Team member **Katie Thorlakson** from Oct. 14-Nov. 25, 2005 (the final 14 games of Thorlakson's career).

Despite missing Friday's BIG EAST semifinal win over Marquette, Hanks' streak remains intact. The Irish had a semi-similar situation occur in 1999, when **Anne Makinen** scored twice on Sept. 5 vs. Duke, then missed four games due to duty with the Finland National Team. Upon her return, she registered points in her next 11 games from Sept. 24-Oct. 27.

Hanks Sets The Table, Too

Set plays and dead-ball situations now have accounted for 73 (25G-23A) of **Kerri Hanks'** 232 career points (82G-68A), representing 31.5% of her points with the Irish. Her 25 goals have come on penalty kicks (14-for-15, including 7-for-8 this year), free kicks (10), or directly on a corner kick (1), while her 23 assists have been via corner-kick (15) or free-kick (8) services.

Here's a look at Hanks' set-piece success (numbers listed as goals-assists, except PKs):

| | Free | Corner | Penalty | Total |
|---------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|------------------|
| 2005 | 3-1 | 0-1 | 0 | 3-2-8p |
| 2006 | 2-4 | 0-8 | 2 | 4-12-20p |
| 2007 | 5-3 | 1-4 | 5 | 11-7-29p |
| 2008 | 0-0 | 0-2 | 7 | 7-2-16p |
| Totals | 10-8 | 1-15 | 12 | 25-23-73p |

Bock Stays A-Head Of The Game

Nearly half (22) of the 46 career goals — 12th-most in school history — scored by senior forward/midfielder **Brittany Bock** have come on headers. That includes nine of her last 14 scores, most recently the opening goal in the Oct. 12 win at Villanova. Bock also has four rare header assists in her career.

Melissa Can't Miss

Freshman forward/BIG EAST Rookie of the Year/first-team all-BIG EAST selection **Melissa Henderson** is making the most of her time on the field, ranking second in the BIG EAST and tied for 10th in the nation (as of Nov. 3) in goals (15) despite averaging only 46.3 minutes per game. In fact, were she to be averaging a full 90 minutes and scoring at her current pace, Henderson would have 29 goals this season, one more than the Notre Dame single-season record (28 by **Kerri Hanks** as a freshman in 2005), and eight more than national leader **Sarah Hagen** of Wisconsin-Milwaukee entering Sunday's action.

Iantorno Is One Super Sub

Despite starting just once this season, sophomore forward **Erica Iantorno** is third on the Irish with seven assists and fourth on the team with 15 points (4G-7A). All this for a player who came to Notre Dame last year as a walk-on (after reversing her original decision to attend Missouri) and had four points during her entire freshman season (on four assists).

This year, Iantorno has emerged as Notre Dame's "microwave" off the bench, heating up the minute she gets into the game. In fact, less than a minute after subbing into the Penn State game on Sept. 21, the Hinsdale, Ill., native al-

New Stadium

A new era in Notre Dame soccer began on April 26, 2008, when groundbreaking ceremonies were held for the brand-new \$5.7 million home for Fighting Irish women's and men's soccer.

Actual construction work on the stadium began in the summer of 2008, with a tentative completion date of June 2009. The site for the soccer facility is southeast of the Joyce Center, west of the current Alumni Field and south of new LaBar Football Practice Fields, which debuted in August 2008.

Plans for the stadium include a lighted facility that will feature a natural grass field, locker rooms, restrooms and concession areas. The new soccer stadium will sit side-by-side Notre Dame's new lacrosse facility, Arlotta Stadium, for which ground was broken on April 18, 2008 (the soccer facility will be situated further west, the lacrosse stadium further east).

The soccer project is part of the University's long-term athletics facilities master plan that ultimately will add new stadiums for soccer, lacrosse, track and field, and tennis, all in the area east and southeast of the Joyce Center. Besides the LaBar Fields, the most recently completed venue is Melissa Cook Stadium, Notre Dame's new softball facility that was dedicated earlier in April 2008. Other future elements of the athletics facilities master plan include a new rowing boathouse on the St. Joseph River, as well as the construction of Purcell Pavilion (basketball/volleyball) and Lefty Smith Rink (hockey), the cornerstones of an extensive Joyce Center renovation that began in September 2008.

Among those present at the groundbreaking ceremonies for the new Notre Dame soccer stadium were lead benefactors and former Fighting Irish men's soccer players **Tom Crotty** and **Rob Snyder**, along with Notre Dame deputy athletics director **Missy Conboy**, women's soccer coach **Randy Waldrum**, men's soccer coach **Bobby Clark** and players from both the Fighting Irish women's and men's soccer teams.

Originally from Darien, Conn., Crotty starred for the Irish from 1977-79, playing midfield and full-back in 60 games, earning three monograms and finishing with 23 career points (eight goals, seven assists). He played in Notre Dame's first three seasons of varsity soccer (under coach **Rich Hunter**), serving as one of the team captains as a senior in '79. He was voted MVP of the '79 Notre Dame team and led the Irish to a combined 57-14-3 record in those three years.

A 1980 Notre Dame graduate with a degree in finance, Crotty is currently general partner with Battery Ventures LP in Wellesley, Mass. He and his wife Shari live in Southborough, Mass.

From Dallas, Texas, Snyder earned two monograms while playing forward, participating in 51 games in 1980-81-83 and accounting for 68 points (23 goals - and 22 assists that rank him seventh on Notre Dame's career chart). He tied for the team lead in goals in 1981 with 12. Snyder played on Hunter-coached teams that finished a combined 54-14-3 in his three seasons (including 35-3-1 at home).

Snyder is a 1984 Notre Dame graduate with a degree in government. He is the founder and CEO of Stream Energy in Dallas.

The gifts by Crotty and Snyder are components of the \$1.5 billion "Spirit of Notre Dame" capital campaign, the largest such endeavor in the history of Catholic higher education.





Senior CLASS Award

Senior All-America forwards and Hermann Trophy candidates **Kerri Hanks** (Allen, Texas/Allen) and **Brittany Bock** (Naperville, Ill./Neuqua Valley) have been chosen as two of the 10 finalists for the 2008 Lowe's Senior CLASS Award, it was announced Oct. 16. The Senior CLASS Award is presented annually to the nation's top senior player based on their dedication and achievement in four areas: Classroom, Character, Community and Competition. Notre Dame is the only school with multiple finalists for this year's award, which is in its second year of existence.

Those 10 finalists were selected from a list of 30 candidates in each division, based on personal qualities that define a complete student-athlete. They have been placed on the official ballot for a nationwide vote which continues through Nov. 19. Votes from coaches and media will be coupled with fan balloting to determine the recipient of the award. **Fans can vote on-line daily during this time period through the Senior CLASS Award web site (www.seniorclassaward.com).** Winners will be announced Dec. 5-7 during the NCAA College Cup in Cary, N.C.

Both Hanks and Bock have exemplified the term "student-athlete" throughout their careers. After enrolling at Notre Dame in the spring of 2005 (due to playing in the FIFA U-19 World Championships the previous fall), Hanks worked hard to graduate one semester early (with her Class of '08 teammates), earning her bachelor's degree in sociology this past May. She's currently enrolled in graduate classes at Notre Dame, while she completes her final season with the Irish.

On the field, Hanks is one of the nation's premier attacking threats, leading the BIG EAST Conference and ranking among the top 10 in the nation in goals (tied-fifth - 18) and points (tied-third - 46), while collecting national weekly honors from *Soccer America* (three times) and *Top Drawer Soccer* (four times), as well as earning four BIG EAST Offensive Player of the Week honors. The three-time All-America selection (and 2006 Hermann Trophy recipient) also is eighth in NCAA Division I history with 232 career points (82G-68A), is tied for 14th in Division I for career goals (a school-record 82), and is one of just four D-I players ever to amass 70 goals and 60 assists in their careers.

Bock earned *ESPN The Magazine* Third-Team Academic All-America status last year (and is a candidate for the honor again this year after garnering first-team Academic All-District recognition earlier this week) while compiling a 3.365 cumulative GPA as a marketing major in Notre Dame's Mendoza College of Business. She also garnered dean's list honors in the spring 2008 term (3.70 GPA) and had a sharp 3.834 GPA this past summer. Bock also is a team co-captain and is a member of Notre Dame's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee.

All of these add to a storied athletic resume that includes 46 career goals (12th in program history) and 121 career points (46G-29A). She was the BIG EAST Co-Offensive Player of the Year and a first-team All-American last year, becoming the 51st athlete in school history to couple Academic All-America and athletic All-America honors in the same year.



ready had chalked up an assist, taking a throw-in, driving to the left endline and whipping a cross into the box that junior forward **Michele Weissenhofer** buried in the back of the net.

Five days later against Louisville, lantorno posted a three-point night (1G-1A) less than 10 minutes after coming into the game at the 31-minute mark. First, she delivered a sharp cross at the top of the box that Weissenhofer dumfied for freshman midfielder **Courtney Barg**, who scored her first career goal (33:35). Then, senior defender **Elise Weber** sent a cross into the box that was misplayed by the Louisville goalkeeper and lantorno was on the doorstep for the easy finish (40:32).

Most recently on Oct. 26, lantorno assisted on **Kerry Inglis'** second goal against Seton Hall (84:24) less than eight minutes after returning as a second-half substitute.

Patience Pays Off For Inglis

Senior forward **Kerry Inglis** had to battle through four injury-plagued seasons at Notre Dame, enduring four major surgeries on her right ankle, which she initially injured on the first day of preseason practice as a freshman in 2005. She also missed the entire 2006 campaign because of the constant medical trouble, and has played in just 19 games in her college career because of the maladies.

However, Inglis' persistence, faith and determination were rewarded on Senior Day (Oct. 26) against Seton Hall, when she earned the first starting assignment of her career. Not content with just enjoying the specter of being in the lineup, Inglis promptly went out and scored the first goal of her career at 11:18 of the first half, knocking home a crossing pass from classmate **Brittany Bock**.

As if that weren't enough, Inglis tacked on a second goal in the game, scoring with 5:36 left after collecting a loose ball in the penalty box and poking it into the right side of the net.

Senior Moments

The Irish senior class ranks among the most successful in the country, with a four-year record to date of 86-9-3 (.893) that includes three NCAA quarterfinal berths, two trips to the NCAA College Cup and a run to the 2006 national title game.

Notre Dame's Class of 2009 also has a 52-1-2 (.964) record against BIG EAST opponents and has been ranked either first or second in the nation in each of their four years (including No. 1 rankings in 2005, 2006 and 2008).

Our Fearless Leader

Tenth-year Notre Dame head coach **Randy**

Waldrum reached a career milestone on Sept. 21 at No. 17/16 Penn State. With the 3-1 Irish victory, Waldrum became the eighth active Division I head coach to record 300 career wins — he now has a record of 312-79-20 (.783) in 19 seasons (including six at Tulsa and three at Baylor).

| Active D-I Coaches With 300 Career Wins | |
|---|------------|
| A. Dorrance (UNC) | 666 |
| L. Tsantriris (UCONN) | 464 |
| J. Smith (SCU) | 342 |
| B. Burleigh (FLA) | 330 |
| D. Lombardo (JMU) | 314 |
| J. Rudy (UMASS) | 313 |
| R. Waldrum (ND) | 312 |
| C. Petrucelli (TEX) | 309 |

(through games of Nov. 8)

Game #20 Recap: Marquette

Notre Dame advanced to the BIG EAST Conference Championship final by virtue of a 2-0 win over No. 25 Marquette on Friday at Alumni Field. Junior forward **Michele Weissenhofer** and sophomore forward **Taylor Knaack** both continued their recent resurgence, with Weissenhofer potting her fourth goal of the year and scoring a point for the fourth time in six games. Meanwhile, Knaack came off the bench to score a goal for the third consecutive game (and fourth time this season), getting an unassisted tally early in the second half. High-scoring forward **Melissa Henderson** registered her first assist as a collegian after setting up Weissenhofer's goal.

Notre Dame was sharp at both ends of the field on Friday, outshooting the Golden Eagles, 27-4, including an 11-1 margin in shots on goal. The Irish also chipped more than their fair share of paint off the woodwork, hitting the post or crossbar an amazing five times on the night. In addition, Marquette goalkeeper **Natalie Kulla** was outstanding between the pipes and was largely responsible for keeping her team in the contest, making a career-high nine saves, including a couple of eye-popping one-handed stops on point-blank shots that seemingly were destined for goal.

Junior goalkeeper **Kelsey Lysander** was called upon to make one save while recording her fifth shutout of the season and the 13th clean sheet of the year for the Irish.

The Magic Number

Scoring three goals has meant virtually an automatic win in Notre Dame women's soccer history, with a 277-3-1 (.988) record in those games, including a 179-1-0 (.994) mark since Oct. 6, 1995. The Irish also are 373-9-15 (.958) when holding the opposition to 0-1 goals.

Most impressively, Notre Dame is 300-0-1 all-time when claiming a 2-0 lead and is unbeaten in its past 277 contests when going ahead 2-0 (dating back to a 3-3 tie with Vanderbilt on Sept. 15, 1991, in Cincinnati). In fact, just two of the past 190 Irish opponents to face a 2-0 deficit have failed to even force a tie, something achieved by four opponents in Notre Dame history: Duke on Oct. 17, 1993, in Houston (Irish won 3-2), Connecticut on Nov. 10, 1996, in the BIG EAST final at Alumni

| 2008 NCAA D-I Senior Class Success | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------|-------------|
| | 4-yr record | Pct. |
| UNC | 87-7-5 | .904 |
| ◆ND | 86-9-3 | .893 |
| UCLA | 81-8-6 | .884 |
| PORT | 75-9-5 | .871 |
| FSU | 70-16-12 | .776 |
| PSU | 68-15-7 | .794 |

Note: list by total wins (thru Nov. 8)



Field (ND led 2-0, later tied 2-2 and 3-3, ND won 4-3), Duke on Nov. 30, 2007, in the NCAA quarterfinals at Alumni Field (Irish won 3-2), and most recently, Villanova on Oct. 12, 2008 in Villanova, Pa. (Irish won 3-2 in OT).

You Can Put It On The Board

Notre Dame has scored a goal in 45 consecutive games, dating back to a scoreless draw with Michigan to open last season. The current 45-game goal streak is the third-longest in school history, and it's the longest since a 49-game run from Oct. 24, 2004-Oct. 8, 2006.

The school record is 55 straight games with a goal from Aug. 29, 1997-Sept. 17, 1999.

A Little Added Face Time

Notre Dame played on television twice during the 2008 regular season. The Irish made their Big Ten Network debut on Sept. 21, posting a 3-1 win at No. 17/16 Penn State. On Oct. 19, Notre Dame traveled to Storrs, Conn., and defeated BIG EAST rival Connecticut, 2-0, on CBS College Sports.

Notre Dame's BIG EAST semifinal win over Marquette also aired live on CBS College Sports, as will Sunday's final versus UConn.

In addition to its commercial TV coverage, Notre Dame enjoys an extensive broadcast footprint on the Internet. All of the Irish regular-season home games were broadcast live on the official Notre Dame athletics web site (www.UND.com), with supplemental live stats information provided by CBS College Sports Online's GameTracker service.

Fans also can follow the Irish on their cell phones by signing up for the Irish ALERT text-messaging system. This free service is available by logging on the women's soccer page at www.UND.com and scrolling down the right-hand sidebar.

Finally, the Notre Dame Sports Hotline (574-631-3000) remains a reliable resource for all the latest Irish athletics information. Regular updates on the Notre Dame women's soccer program can be found by calling the Hotline, then selecting option 4 and pressing "2".

The Golden Girls

Former Notre Dame standouts **Kate (Sobrero) Markgraf** ('98) and **Shannon Boxx** ('99) helped the United States successfully defend its Olympic gold medal with a 1-0 overtime win over Brazil in the 2008 title game on Aug. 21 in Beijing, China. Both players started and played all 120 minutes in the final on the way to earning their second consecutive gold medal.

The duo join fencer **Mariel Zagunis** ('10) as Notre Dame Olympians with multiple gold medals. Markgraf also matches Zagunis' career total of three medals (Markgraf won silver with the USA at the '00 Sydney Games), a standard also equalled by former track & field great **Alex Wilson** ('32).

Fowlkes Tapped For U.S. U-20 Team

Sophomore defender/midfielder **Lauren Fowlkes** is one of 20 players who have been named to the final roster for the United States Under-20 Women's National Soccer Team, it was an-

nounced Oct. 27 by head coach **Tony DiCiccio**. Fowlkes and her American teammates will head to Chile shortly to compete in the 2008 FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup, slated for Nov. 19-Dec. 7. Fowlkes previously was part of the U.S. U-20 squad that qualified for the World Cup back in June after finishing second at the CONCACAF U-20 Championship in Mexico.

Because of her national team commitments, Fowlkes is expected to miss the balance of the 2008 postseason at Notre Dame. She has appeared in 17 games for the Irish this year, starting five times, with her lone goal being the gamewinner in a 3-1 victory over No. 12/11 Duke on Sept. 7 at the Carolina Classic in Chapel Hill, N.C. Two nights earlier, Fowlkes got the starting nod against No. 3/2 North Carolina and played a pivotal role for the Irish defense, which handed the Tar Heels a 1-0 loss at Fetzer Field, making Notre Dame the first program ever to blank UNC twice on its home turf (the Irish won the 1995 NCAA national semifinal by that same 1-0 score in Chapel Hill).

Fowlkes will continue a strong tradition of Notre Dame players on the U.S. U-20 World Cup Team (and its predecessors at the U-19 level). Current Irish senior co-captains **Brittany Bock** and **Carrie Dew** donned the Stars & Stripes for the 2006 FIFA U-20 Women's World Championship (as it was then called) in Russia, where the United States finished fourth after scoreless ties in both the semifinal against China and the third-place game against Brazil (both went against the U.S. on penalty kicks by identical 6-5 scores).

Another Notre Dame senior, All-America forward/Hermann Trophy candidate **Kerri Hanks**, played for the USA at the 2002 and 2004 FIFA U-19 Women's World Championships, helping the Americans to the title in 2002 (defeating host Canada, 1-0 in OT in the final) and a third-place finish in 2004 in Thailand. In the '04 third-place game, Hanks scored the opening goal for the U.S. on a free kick in the 21st minute.

Parking Changes

Due to ongoing construction within the Notre Dame Athletics Quad (including the new Irish soccer stadium tentatively set for completion in June 2009), parking for Irish soccer games this year is limited to the Eck Baseball Stadium and Joyce Center lots. Fans may ride the complimentary shuttle bus from the Eck Stadium lot, or walk around the north end of Eck Stadium (behind the left-field wall) before entering at the south end of Alumni Field.

Next Game: NCAA First Round

After the BIG EAST Championship is decided on Sunday afternoon, Notre Dame will turn its attention towards preparing for its 16th consecutive NCAA Tournament appearance. The field of 64 for this year's tournament will be announced Monday between 8-8:30 p.m. ET live on ESPN NEWS.

First- and second-round play will take place on Friday and Sunday (Nov. 14 & 16), followed by single rounds the following two weekends. The first four rounds all will be held at campus sites, before the scene shifts to Cary, N.C., and the 2008 Women's College Cup Dec. 5 & 7.

Academics

Senior forward **Brittany Bock** and senior defender **Elise Weber** have been named to the *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District V First Team, it was announced Oct. 30. It's the second consecutive year that Bock has been chosen for academic all-district honors (she also was a first-team pick in 2007), while Weber was not previously eligible for the honor due to her transfer from the University of Wisconsin prior to the '07 season (program rules require a player to have spent a minimum of one calendar year at their new school before becoming eligible).

With their selections to the first team, Bock and Weber now are eligible for Academic All-America honors, with Bock looking to build on her third-team Academic All-America citation last year. She also garnered All-America status in 2007, becoming the 51st student-athlete in the storied history of Notre Dame athletics (and the third Irish women's soccer player) to couple All-America honors on the field and in the classroom in the same season. Should she earn her way back on the Academic All-America Team this year, Bock would be the eighth Notre Dame women's soccer player to receive the prestigious honor more than once in her career.

Both Bock and Weber are hoping to continue an unmatched tradition of successful student-athletes in the Irish women's soccer program, an Academic All-America heritage that includes 20 selections during the previous 13 seasons. Seven Notre Dame women's soccer players have combined for 11 first-team Academic All-America honors, with the Irish program producing at least one first-teamer in seven of the previous 12 years. At least one Notre Dame women's soccer player has been chosen as an Academic All-American in 11 of the past 13 seasons (all but '99 and '02), and the program easily could have laid claim to honorees in the other two years. Jenny Streiffer somehow was passed over in her 1999 All-America season, despite previously being an Academic All-American in '97 and '98, while an injury to Vanessa Pruzinsky prevented her from earning her third straight Academic All-America honor in '02 (which instead came in '03).

Bock currently holds a 3.365 cumulative grade-point average in the Mendoza College of Business, where she is pursuing a degree in marketing. She earned dean's list honors in the spring of 2008 after posting a 3.70 semester GPA, and she added a 3.834 GPA during the summer 2008 session.

Weber maintains a 3.733 cumulative GPA in the College of Arts and Letters, where she is studying political science. Last spring, she garnered dean's list recognition after posting a 3.867 semester GPA.

Voting for the *ESPN The Magazine* Academic All-District V Team was conducted by members of the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA) in that district, which encompasses Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota and Wisconsin, as well as the Canadian provinces of Manitoba and Ontario. To qualify, student-athletes must hold at least sophomore status, own a minimum GPA of 3.3 or better, and be either a starter or key reserve for their team.



**Notre Dame on the 2008 BIG EAST Conference and NCAA statistical leaderboards****Individual Statistics**

| Category | BIG EAST - All Games | | NCAA Division I | | BIG EAST - Conference Games Only | |
|--|----------------------|--|-----------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| | Rank | Leader | Rank | Leader | Rank | Leader |
| Total Points (Top 10 BIG EAST) | | | | | | |
| Kerri Hanks | 46 | 1 46, Kerri Hanks, ND | | not kept | 30, 1 | 30, Kerri Hanks, ND |
| Melissa Henderson | 31 | 2 | | | 20, 2 | |
| Brittany Bock | 21 | 6 | | | 18, 3 | |
| Points Per Game (Top 10 BIG EAST / Top 100 NCAA) | | | | | | |
| Kerri Hanks | 2.42 | 1 2.42, Kerri Hanks, ND | 4 | 2.80, Jade West, Ark.-Pine Bluff | 2.73, 1 | 2.73, Kerri Hanks, ND |
| Melissa Henderson | 1.55 | 2 | 39 | | 1.82, 2 | |
| Brittany Bock | 1.11 | 7 | — | | 1.64, 3 | |
| Total Goals (Top 10 BIG EAST) | | | | | | |
| Kerri Hanks | 18 | 1 18, Kerri Hanks, ND | | not kept | 12, 1 | 12, Kerri Hanks, ND |
| Melissa Henderson | 15 | 2 | | | 10, 2 | |
| Brittany Bock | 6 | — | | | 5, t-4 | |
| Goals Per Game (Top 10 BIG EAST / Top 100 NCAA) | | | | | | |
| Kerri Hanks | 0.95 | 1 0.95, Kerri Hanks, ND | 9 | 1.07, Furtuna Velaj, Quinnipiac | 1.09, 1 | 1.09, Kerri Hanks, ND |
| Melissa Henderson | 0.75 | 2 | 18 | | 0.91, 2 | |
| Brittany Bock | 0.30 | — | — | | 0.45, t-4 | |
| Game-Winning Goals (Top 10 BIG EAST) | | | | | | |
| Kerri Hanks | 5 | t-1 5, Hanks, ND plus four others | | not kept | 3, t-4 | |
| Melissa Henderson | 4 | — | | | 4, t-1 | 4, Henderson, ND plus two others |
| Total Assists (Top 10 BIG EAST) | | | | | | |
| Kerri Hanks | 10 | t-3 14, Erin Hardiman, VU | | not kept | 8, 2 | 9, Samantha Baker, GU |
| Brittany Bock | 9 | 6 | | | 6, t-4 | |
| Erica Iantorno | 7 | 8 | | | 3, t-9 | |
| Julie Scheidler | 5 | — | | | 4, 8 | |
| Michele Weissenhofer | 5 | — | | | 3, t-9 | |
| Assists Per Game (Top 10 BIG EAST / Top 100 NCAA) | | | | | | |
| Kerri Hanks | 0.53 | t-3 0.74, Erin Hardiman, VU | 28 | 1.00, Malorie Rutledge, LSU | 0.73, 2 | 0.82, Samantha Baker, GU |
| Brittany Bock | 0.47 | 6 | 33 | | 0.55, t-4 | |
| Erica Iantorno | 0.35 | 9 | — | | — | |
| Julie Scheidler | 0.25 | — | — | | 0.36, 8 | |
| Total Shots (Top 10 BIG EAST) | | | | | | |
| Kerri Hanks | 87 | 1 87, Kerri Hanks, ND | | not kept | 53, 1 | 53, Kerri Hanks, ND |
| Brittany Bock | 61 | 6 | | | 48, 3 | |
| Melissa Henderson | 45 | — | | | 24, t-10 | |
| Shots Per Game (Top 10 BIG EAST) | | | | | | |
| Kerri Hanks | 4.58 | 1 4.58, Kerri Hanks, ND | | not kept | 4.82, 1 | 4.82, Kerri Hanks, ND |
| Brittany Bock | 3.21 | 6 | | | 4.36, 3 | |
| Goals-Against Average (Top 10 BIG EAST / Top 100 NCAA) | | | | | | |
| Kelsey Lysander | 0.45 | 3 0.42, Kerri Butler, WVU | 12 | 0.17, Ashley Thompson, UCLA | 0.59, 3 | 0.38, Kerri Butler, WVU |
| Save Percentage (Top 10 BIG EAST / Top 100 NCAA) | | | | | | |
| Kelsey Lysander | .814 | 7 .907, Kristin Russell, STJ | — | .952, Ashley Thompson, UCLA | .769, 10 | .877, Stephanie Labbe, UCONN |
| Total Shutouts (Top 10 BIG EAST) | | | | | | |
| Kelsey Lysander | 5 | 9 11, Butler, WVU | | not kept | — | 6, Guthrie, RU/DesJardin, GU |
| Shutout Percentage (Top 10 BIG EAST) | | | | | | |
| Kelsey Lysander | 0.25 | 10 0.56, Russell, STJ | | not kept | — | 0.55, Guthrie, RU/DesJardin, GU |

Through games of Nov. 8 (BIG EAST) and Nov. 2 (NCAA) // BIG EAST conference games statistics are final
 NCAA statistics out of 310 Division I teams
bold = BIG EAST leader OR NCAA Top 20

Team Statistics

| Category | BIG EAST - All Games | | NCAA Division I | | BIG EAST - Conference Games Only | |
|----------------------------|----------------------|--|-----------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| | Rank | Leader | Rank | Leader | Rank | Leader |
| Total Goals | 71 | 1 71, Notre Dame | | not kept | 39, 1 | 39, Notre Dame |
| Scoring Offense | 3.55 | 1 3.55, Notre Dame | t-1 | 3.63, Notre Dame/Oklahoma St. | 3.55, 1 | 3.55, Notre Dame |
| Total Points | 197 | 1 197, Notre Dame | | not kept | 114, 1 | 114, Notre Dame |
| Total Shots | 471 | 1 471, Notre Dame | | not kept | 271, 1 | 271, Notre Dame |
| Total Assists | 55 | 1 55, Notre Dame | | not kept | 36, 1 | 36, Notre Dame |
| Assists Per Game | 2.75 | 1 2.75, Notre Dame | | not kept | 3.27, 1 | 3.27, Notre Dame |
| Total Goals Allowed | 8 | 1 8, Notre Dame | | not kept | 6, t-2 | 4, West Virginia |
| Goals-Against Average | 0.40 | 2 0.40, West Virginia | 7 | 0.16, UCLA | 0.54, 3 | 0.34, West Virginia |
| Total Saves | 38 | 16 117, South Florida | | not kept | 21, 15 | 83, South Florida |
| Save Percentage | .822 | not kept | 70 | .955, UCLA | | not kept |
| Total Shutouts | 13 | t-1 13, Notre Dame /West Virginia | | not kept | 6, | 7, three tied |
| Shutout Percentage | 0.21 | not kept | 8 | 0.833, UCLA | | not kept |
| Total Fouls | 219 | 4 247, Marquette | | not kept | 124, 6 | 140, Cincinnati |
| Total Corner Kicks | 144 | 2 147, West Virginia | | not kept | 71, 2 | 85, West Virginia |
| Total Offsides | 44 | 5 59, Rutgers | | not kept | 24, 7 | 33, St. John's |
| Total Yellow Cards | 11 | t-4 15, Villanova | | not kept | 4, t-8 | 11, Providence |
| Won-Loss Percentage | 1.000 | not kept | 1 | 1.000, Notre Dame | | not kept |

Through games of Nov. 8 (BIG EAST) and Nov. 2 (NCAA) // BIG EAST conference games statistics are final
 NCAA statistics out of 310 Division I teams
bold = BIG EAST leader OR NCAA Top 20





2008 Single Game Highs & Lows

Team Superlatives

| NOTRE DAME HIGH | NOTRE DAME LOW | CATEGORY | OPPONENT HIGH | OPPONENT LOW |
|---|---|----------------------|---|--|
| 21, twice (MR: vs. Seton Hall, 10/26/08) | 2 at North Carolina (9/5/08) | Points | 8 by Villanova (10/12/08) | 0, several times |
| 7 vs. Michigan (8/22/08) | 1, twice (MR: at DePaul, 9/19/08) | Goals | 2 by Villanova (10/12/08) | 0, several times |
| 4, twice (MR: 2nd at Cincinnati, 9/28/08) | 0, several times | Goals/Half | 2 (2nd) by Villanova (10/12/08) | 0, several times |
| 9 vs. Seton Hall (10/26/08) | 0, twice (MR: at North Carolina, 9/5/08) | Assists | 4 by Villanova (10/12/08) | 0, several times |
| 34 vs. Michigan (8/22/08) | 9 at North Carolina (9/5/08) | Total Shots | 15 by Penn State (9/21/08) | 0 by South Florida (10/3/08) |
| 18 vs. twice (MR: vs. Cincinnati 11/2/08) | 6 at North Carolina (9/5/08) | Shots on Goal | 6 by Marquette (10/5/08) | 0, twice (MR: by Seton Hall, 10/26/08) |
| 5 vs. Marquette (10/5/08) | 0, three times (MR: vs. Seton Hall, 10/26/08) | Saves | 13 twice (MR: vs. Cincinnati 11/2/08) | 4 by Cincinnati (9/28/08) |
| 15 vs. Seton Hall (10/26/08) | 0 at Connecticut (10/19/08) | Corner Kicks | 5, three times (MR: by Villanova, 10/12/08) | 0, several times |
| 16 vs. Duke (9/7/08) | 6 vs. Santa Clara (8/31/08) | Fouls | 19 by Marquette (10/5/08) | 5 by South Florida (10/3/08) |

Individual Superlatives

| | NOTRE DAME | OPPONENT |
|----------------------|---|--|
| Points | 6, twice (MR: by Melissa Henderson at Cincinnati, 9/28/08) | 3 by Grace Hawkins of Villanova (10/12/08) |
| Goals | 3, twice (MR: by Melissa Henderson at Cincinnati, 9/28/08) | 1, eight times (MR: by Kristen Edmonds of Rutgers, 10/24/08) |
| Assists | 2, eight times (MR: by Weissenhofer/Hanks vs. Cincinnati 11/2/08) | 1, eight times (MR: by four players for Villanova, 10/12/08) |
| Shots | 10 by Brittany Bock vs. Marquette (10/5/08) | 5, twice (MR: by Katie Schoepfer of Penn State, 9/21/08) |
| Shots on Goal | 6, twice (MR: by Brittany Bock at Providence, 10/17/08) | 2, three times (MR: by Samantha Baker of Georgetown, 10/10/08) |
| Saves | 5 by Kelsey Lysander vs. Marquette (10/5/08) | 13 by Stephanie Labbe of Connecticut (10/19/08) |

2008 Notre Dame Game-By-Game Team Statistics

| Opponent (Attendance) | Score | Goals | Assists | Shots | On Goal | Corners | CK Goals | Fouls | YC-RC |
|---------------------------|----------|-------|---------|-------|---------|---------|----------|-------|-------|
| NOTRE DAME (1,201) | 7-0 | 7 | 7 | 34 | 18 | 8 | 0 | 9 | 1-0 |
| vs. Michigan | | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 9 | 0-0 |
| (1) NOTRE DAME (1,363) | 4-0 | 4 | 1 | 23 | 11 | 9 | 0 | 14 | 0-0 |
| vs. Loyola Marymount | | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 0-0 |
| (1) NOTRE DAME (1,638) | 2-0 | 2 | 0 | 21 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 0-0 |
| vs. Santa Clara | | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 0-0 |
| (2) NOTRE DAME | 1-0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 11 | 2-0 |
| at North Carolina (2,086) | | 0 | 0 | 10 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 12 | 2-0 |
| (2) NOTRE DAME (502) | 3-1 | 3 | 3 | 17 | 10 | 13 | 0 | 16 | 1-0 |
| vs. Duke | | 1 | 1 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 13 | 0-0 |
| NOTRE DAME (1,412) | 5-0 | 5 | 2 | 28 | 13 | 14 | 0 | 9 | 0-0 |
| vs. Southern Methodist | | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 1-0 |
| • NOTRE DAME | 1-0 | 1 | 1 | 24 | 11 | 4 | 0 | 8 | 1-0 |
| at DePaul (357) | | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 3-0 |
| NOTRE DAME | 3-1 | 3 | 2 | 11 | 9 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 1-0 |
| at Penn State (2,963) | | 1 | 1 | 15 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 12 | 0-0 |
| • NOTRE DAME (2,264) | 4-1 | 4 | 3 | 23 | 11 | 7 | 0 | 12 | 0-0 |
| vs. Louisville | | 1 | 0 | 10 | 5 | 3 | 0 | 10 | 1-0 |
| • NOTRE DAME | 6-0 | 6 | 4 | 19 | 10 | 3 | 0 | 12 | 0-0 |
| at Cincinnati (1,202) | | 0 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 16 | 1-0 |
| • NOTRE DAME (2,316) | 3-0 | 3 | 1 | 27 | 13 | 7 | 0 | 14 | 0-0 |
| vs. South Florida | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3-0 |
| • NOTRE DAME (1,785) | 3-1 | 3 | 2 | 32 | 8 | 10 | 0 | 12 | 0-0 |
| vs. Marquette | | 1 | 1 | 11 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 1-0 |
| • NOTRE DAME | 3-1 | 3 | 3 | 18 | 10 | 10 | 0 | 9 | 1-0 |
| at Georgetown (695) | | 1 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 3-1 |
| • NOTRE DAME | 3-2 (OT) | 3 | 2 | 24 | 15 | 7 | 0 | 15 | 0-0 |
| at Villanova (733) | | 2 | 4 | 7 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 18 | 2-0 |
| • NOTRE DAME | 5-0 | 5 | 5 | 26 | 12 | 5 | 0 | 12 | 0-0 |
| at Providence (370) | | 0 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 17 | 3-1 |
| • NOTRE DAME | 2-0 | 2 | 4 | 27 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0-0 |
| at Connecticut (1,694) | | 0 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 12 | 0-0 |
| • NOTRE DAME (1,024) | 3-1 | 3 | 1 | 24 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 2-0 |
| vs. Rutgers | | 1 | 0 | 13 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 0-0 |
| • NOTRE DAME (1,375) | 6-0 | 6 | 9 | 27 | 11 | 15 | 0 | 7 | 0-0 |
| vs. Seton Hall | | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 1-0 |
| (3) NOTRE DAME (680) | 5-0 | 5 | 4 | 30 | 18 | 8 | 0 | 14 | 2-0 |
| vs. Cincinnati | | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 3-0 |
| (3) NOTRE DAME (892) | 2-0 | 2 | 1 | 27 | 11 | 12 | 0 | 9 | 0-0 |
| vs. Marquette | | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 0-0 |

Winners listed in ALL CAPS // Attendance listed next to home team (where applicable) // • = BIG EAST Conference game
 1 = Inn at Saint Mary's Soccer Classic (Notre Dame, Ind.) // 2 = Carolina Classic (Chapel Hill, N.C.) // 3 = BIG EAST Championship (Notre Dame, Ind.)





2008 Notre Dame Game-By-Game Box Scores

GAME #1 — Aug. 22, 2008

#4 Notre Dame 7, Michigan 0
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Michigan | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |
| Notre Dame | 4 | 3 | — | 7 |

ND 1. Michele Weissenhofer 1 (Kerri Hanks) 6:19. **ND 2.** Rose Augustin 1 (Jessica Schuveiller) 29:30. **ND 3.** Melissa Henderson 1 (Courtney Rosen) 32:59. **ND 4.** Erica Iantorno 1 (Rosen) 37:18. **ND 5.** Taylor Knaack 1 (Amanda Clark) 45:31. **ND 6.** Hanks 1 (Iantorno) 51:22. **ND 7.** Ellen Jantsch 1 (Rachel VanderGugten) 85:02.

Shots: UM 2-2 - 4; ND 16-18 - 34
Saves: UM 3-8 - 11 (Haley Kopmeyer 3 in 45:00, Madison Gates 3 in 27:46, Kristen Keane 4 in 17:14, team 1); ND 0-1 - 1 (Kelsey Lysander 0 in 45:00, Nikki Weiss 1 in 45:00)
Corner Kicks: UM 1-1 - 2; ND 0-8 - 8
Fouls: UM 7-2 - 9; ND 5-4 - 9
Offside: UM 0, ND 1
Yellow Card: Rosen (ND) 20:03
Attendance: 1,201

GAME #2 — Aug. 29, 2008

Inn at Saint Mary's Soccer Classic
#4 Notre Dame 4, Loyola Marymount 0
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|----------------|---|---|---|---|
| Loy. Marymount | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |
| Notre Dame | 2 | 2 | — | 4 |

ND 1. Kerri Hanks 2 (PK) 2:39. **ND 2.** Hanks 3 (PK) 11:29. **ND 3.** Melissa Henderson 2 (Elise Weber) 66:51. **ND 4.** Hanks 4 (-) 89:23.

Shots: LMU 3-1 - 4; ND 12-11 - 23
Saves: LMU 5-2 - 7 (Allyssa Clark 6 in 75:33, Katie Graul 1 in 14:27); ND 1-1 - 2 (Kelsey Lysander 2 in 75:00, Nikki Weiss 0 in 15:00)
Corner Kicks: LMU 1-0 - 1; ND 3-6 - 9
Fouls: LMU 3-4 - 7; ND 9-5 - 14
Offside: LMU 0, ND 1
Attendance: 1,363

GAME #3 — Aug. 31, 2008

Inn at Saint Mary's Soccer Classic
#4 Notre Dame 2, #21/12 Santa Clara 0
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|
| Santa Clara | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |
| Notre Dame | 2 | 0 | — | 2 |

ND 1. Own goal 16:26. **ND 2.** Erica Iantorno 2 (-) 36:00.

Shots: SCU 1-4 - 5; ND 7-14 - 21
Saves: SCU 4-5 - 9 (Meagan McCray 9); ND 1-1 - 2 (Kelsey Lysander 2)
Corner Kicks: SCU 1-2 - 3; ND 2-1 - 3
Fouls: SCU 4-8 - 12; ND 2-4 - 6
Offside: SCU 0, ND 2
Attendance: 1,638

GAME #4 — Sept. 5, 2008

Carolina Classic
#5/4 Notre Dame 1, #3/2 North Carolina 0
Fetzer Field (Chapel Hill, N.C.)

| | | | | |
|----------------|---|---|---|---|
| Notre Dame | 0 | 1 | — | 1 |
| North Carolina | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

ND 1. Brittany Bock 1 (-) 50:21.
Shots: ND 4-5 - 9; UNC 4-6 - 10
Saves: ND 2-1 - 3 (Kelsey Lysander 3); UNC 4-1 - 5 (Anna Rodenbough 5)
Corner Kicks: ND 3-2 - 5; UNC 1-3 - 4
Fouls: ND 2-9 - 11; UNC 4-8 - 12
Offside: ND 9, UNC 1
Yellow Cards: Rachel Wood (UNC) 41:51; Bock (ND) 48:40; Carrie Dew (ND) 62:26; Whitney Engen (UNC) 77:52
Attendance: 2,086

GAME #5 — Sept. 7, 2008

Carolina Classic
#5/4 Notre Dame 3, #12/11 Duke 1
Fetzer Field (Chapel Hill, N.C.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Duke | 0 | 1 | — | 1 |
| Notre Dame | 0 | 3 | — | 3 |

ND 1. Kerri Hanks 5 (Brittany Bock) 46:09. **DUKE 1.** Lorraine Quinn 1 (Jane Alukonis) 59:15. **ND 2.** Lauren Fowlkes 1 (Erica Iantorno) 66:19. **ND 3.** Rebecca Mendoza 1 (Iantorno) 70:32.
Shots: DUKE 5-5 - 10; ND 6-11 - 17
Saves: DUKE 2-5 - 7 (Cassidy Powers 6, team 1); ND 1-1 - 2 (Kelsey Lysander 2)
Corner Kicks: DUKE 1-2 - 3; ND 6-7 - 13
Fouls: DUKE 8-5 - 13; ND 7-9 - 16
Offside: DUKE 0, ND 0
Yellow Card: Melissa Henderson (ND) 37:08
Attendance: 502

GAME #6 — Sept. 12, 2008

#2 Notre Dame 5, SMU 0
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| SMU | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |
| Notre Dame | 2 | 3 | — | 5 |

ND 1. Courtney Rosen 1 (-) 19:59. **ND 2.** Molly Campbell 1 (-) 39:06. **ND 3.** Melissa Henderson 3 (Kerri Hanks) 53:27. **ND 4.** Henderson 4 (Rose Augustin) 59:32. **ND 5.** Amanda Clark 1 (-) 83:50.

Shots: SMU 0-4 - 4; ND 16-12 - 28
Saves: SMU 5-3 - 8 (Ashley Gunter 8); ND 0-2 - 2 (Kelsey Lysander 1 in 67:20, Nikki Weiss 1 in 22:40)
Corner Kicks: SMU 0-1 - 1; ND 10-4 - 14
Fouls: SMU 5-8 - 13; ND 4-5 - 9
Offside: SMU 1, ND 0
Yellow Card: Laura Landry (SMU) 79:19
Attendance: 1,412

GAME #7 — Sept. 19, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 1, DePaul 0
Wish Field (Chicago, Ill.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Notre Dame | 0 | 1 | — | 1 |
| DePaul | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

ND 1. Kerri Hanks 6 (Erica Iantorno) 77:18.
Shots: ND 9-15 - 24; DPU 1-1 - 2
Saves: ND 1-0 - 1 (Kelsey Lysander 1); DPU 5-5 - 10 (Kelsey Hoinkes 10)
Corner Kicks: ND 2-2 - 4; DPU 0-0 - 0
Fouls: ND 4-4 - 8; DPU 4-6 - 10
Offside: ND 1, DPU 0
Yellow Cards: Molly Borchardt (DPU) 63:19; Morgan Celaya (DPU) 83:30; Carrie Dew (ND) 87:24; Jenna Fagerman (DPU) 87:24
Attendance: 357

GAME #8 — Sept. 21, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 3, #17/16 Penn State 1
Jeffrey Field (University Park, Pa.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Notre Dame | 3 | 0 | — | 3 |
| Penn State | 1 | 0 | — | 1 |

ND 1. Melissa Henderson 5 (Julie Scheidler) 17:54. **ND 2.** Kerri Hanks 7 (-) 19:57. **ND 3.** Michele Weissenhofer 2 (Erica Iantorno) 32:55. **PSU 1.** Carly Niness 1 (Nikki Watts) 33:16.
Shots: ND 7-4 - 11; PSU 9-6 - 15
Saves: ND 2-1 - 3 (Kelsey Lysander 3); PSU 3-3 - 6 (Alyssa Naehner 6)
Corner Kicks: ND 0-1 - 1; PSU 2-3 - 5
Fouls: ND 2-5 - 7; PSU 4-8 - 12
Offside: ND 4, PSU 0
Yellow Card: Courtney Rosen (ND) 86:59
Attendance: 2,963





2008 Notre Dame Game-By-Game Box Scores

GAME #9 — Sept. 26, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 4, Louisville 1
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Louisville | 0 | 1 | — | 1 |
| Notre Dame | 3 | 1 | — | 4 |

ND 1. Kerri Hanks 8 (Julie Scheidler) 16:36. **ND 2.** Courtney Barg 1 (Erica Iantorno) 33:35. **ND 3.** Iantorno 3 (-) 40:32. **UL 1.** Shannon Smyth 3 (-) 71:18. **ND 4.** Hanks 9 (Brittany Bock) 71:34.

Shots: UL 3-7 - 10; ND 11-12- 23

Saves: UL 3-4 - 7 (Chloe Kiefer 5 in 70:00, Katie Zoeller 1 in 20:00, team 1); ND 0-4 - 4 (Kelsey Lysander 4)

Corner Kicks: UL 0-3 - 3; ND 4-3 - 7

Fouls: UL 6-4 - 10; ND 5-7 - 12

Offside: UL 2, ND 2

Yellow Card: Chelsea Spencer (UL) 35:50

Attendance: 2,264

GAME #10 — Sept. 28, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 6, Cincinnati 0
Gettler Stadium (Cincinnati, Ohio)

| | | | | |
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| Notre Dame | 2 | 4 | — | 6 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

ND 1. Kerri Hanks 10 (Carrie Dew) 26:49. **ND 2.** Melissa Henderson 6 (Michele Weissenhofer) 35:01. **ND 3.** Henderson 7 (Taylor Knaack) 71:19. **ND 4.** Courtney Rosen 2 (-) 75:13. **ND 5.** Henderson 8 (Haley Ford) 75:46. **ND 6.** Ford 1 (-) 79:30.

Shots: ND 5-14 - 19; UC 2-5- 7

Saves: ND 0-0 - 0 (Kelsey Lysander 0 in 75:13, Nikki Weiss 0 in 14:47); UC 1-3 - 4 (Andrea Kaminski 4)

Corner Kicks: ND 1-2 - 3; UC 4-1 - 5

Fouls: ND 5-7 - 12; UC 9-7 - 16

Offside: ND 4, UC 1

Yellow Card: Lindsey Noteboom (UC) 84:05

Attendance: 1,202

GAME #11 — Oct. 3, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 3, South Florida 0
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|---------------|---|---|---|---|
| South Florida | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |
| Notre Dame | 2 | 1 | — | 3 |

ND 1. Melissa Henderson 9 (Brittany Bock) 19:23. **ND 2.** Rose Augustin 2 (-) 33:46. **ND 3.** Kerri Hanks 11 (PK) 51:53.

Shots: USF 0-0 - 0; ND 9-18- 27

Saves: USF 4-6 - 10 (Mallori Lofton-Malachi 10); ND 0-0 - 0 (Kelsey Lysander 0 in 85:00, Nikki Weiss 0 in 5:00)

Corner Kicks: USF 0-0 - 0; ND 4-3 - 7

Fouls: USF 2-3 - 5; ND 10-4 - 14

Offside: USF 1, ND 0

Yellow Cards: Team (USF) 28:27; Gina Pacheco (USF) 43:06; Melanie Sutherland (USF) 55:29.

Attendance: 2,316

GAME #12 — Oct. 5, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 3, Marquette 1
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Marquette | 0 | 1 | — | 1 |
| Notre Dame | 0 | 3 | — | 3 |

MU 1. Danielle Martens 2 (Julia Victor) 59:06.

ND 1. Brittany Bock 2 (Kerri Hanks) 61:06. **ND 2.** Bock 3 (Michele Weissenhofer) 62:32. **ND 3.** Hanks 12 (PK) 87:31.

Shots: MU 6-5 - 11; ND 15-17- 32

Saves: MU 2-3 - 5 (Natalie Kulla 4, team 1); ND 2-3 - 5 (Kelsey Lysander 5)

Corner Kicks: MU 0-0 - 0; ND 7-3 - 10

Fouls: MU 9-10 - 19; ND 4-8 - 12

Offside: MU 0, ND 2

Yellow Card: Martens (MU) 58:39.

Attendance: 1,785

GAME #13 — Oct. 10, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 3, #17/16 Georgetown 1
North Kehoe Field (Washington, D.C.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Notre Dame | 2 | 1 | — | 3 |
| Georgetown | 1 | 0 | — | 1 |

ND 1. Kerri Hanks 13 (PK) 12:29. **GU 1.** Stephanie Zare 2 (Samantha Baker) 16:29. **ND 2.** Melissa Henderson 10 (Courtney Barg, Julie Scheidler) 17:58. **ND 3.** Barg 2 (Hanks) 50:01.

Shots: ND 10-8 - 18; GU 2-4- 6

Saves: ND 1-2 - 3 (Kelsey Lysander 3); GU 4-3 - 7 (Jackie DesJardin 7)

Corner Kicks: ND 5-5 - 10; GU 0-0 - 0

Fouls: ND 5-4 - 9; GU 4-2 - 6

Offside: ND 4, GU 1

Yellow Cards: Head coach (GU) 17:58, 45:00; Barg (ND) 20:39; Alex Gargano (GU) 58:14.

Red Card: Head coach (GU) 45:00.

Attendance: 695

GAME #14 — Oct. 12, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 3, Villanova 2 (OT)
West Campus Complex (Villanova, Pa.)

| | | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Notre Dame | 2 | 0 | 1 | — | 3 |
| Villanova | 0 | 2 | 0 | — | 2 |

ND 1. Brittany Bock 4 (Julie Scheidler) 3:06.

ND 2. Kerri Hanks 14 (PK) 7:56. **VU 1.** Grace Hawkins 8 (Kelly Eagan, Rachel Schuyler) 50:26. **VU 2.** Laura Sylvester 1 (Erin Hardiman, Hawkins) 81:48. **ND 3.** Rose Augustin 3 (Elise Weber) 96:58.

Shots: ND 9-14-1 - 24; VU 2-3-2 - 7

Saves: ND 1-1-0 - 2 (Kelsey Lysander 2); VU 4-8-0 - 12 (Molly Williams 12)

Corner Kicks: ND 2-5-0 - 7; VU 1-3-1 - 5

Fouls: ND 7-6-2 - 15; VU 7-10-1 - 18

Offside: ND 0, VU 1

Yellow Cards: Hawkins (VU) 41:25; Jessica Carnevale (VU) 61:14.

Attendance: 733

GAME #15 — Oct. 17, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 5, Providence 0
Glaxo Field (Providence, R.I.)

| | | | | |
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| Notre Dame | 2 | 3 | — | 5 |
| Providence | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

ND 1. Melissa Henderson 11 (Brittany Bock, Courtney Rosen) 13:56. **ND 2.** Kerri Hanks 15 (PK) 18:27. **ND 3.** Henderson 12 (Hanks, Bock) 72:40. **ND 4.** Bock 5 (PK) 77:17. **ND 5.** Erica Iantorno 4 (Michele Weissenhofer) 89:11.

Shots: ND 10-16 - 26; PC 3-2 - 5

Saves: ND 1-1 - 2 (Kelsey Lysander 1 in 76:58, Nikki Weiss 1 in 13:02); PC 2-5 - 7 (Jill Schott 7)

Corner Kicks: ND 4-1 - 5; PC 0-0 - 0

Fouls: ND 7-5 - 12; PC 7-10 - 17

Offside: ND 6, PC 0

Yellow Cards: Marra Whaley (PC) 28:47, 62:43; Lindsey Trubia (PC) 51:26.

Red Card: Whaley (PC) 62:43.

Attendance: 370





2008 Notre Dame Game-By-Game Box Scores

GAME #16 — Oct. 19, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 2, Connecticut 0
Morrone Stadium (Storrs, Conn.)

| | | | | |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|
| Notre Dame | 1 | 1 | — | 2 |
| Connecticut | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

ND 1. Kerri Hanks 16 (Brittany Bock, Courtney Barg) 8:38. **ND 2.** Hanks 17 (Bock, Rebecca Mendoza) 70:14.

Shots: ND 12-15 - 27; UCONN 5-6 - 11
Saves: ND 1-0 - 1 (Kelsey Lysander 1); UCONN 5-8 - 13 (Stephanie Labbe 13)
Corner Kicks: ND 0-0 - 0; UCONN 2-0 - 2
Fouls: ND 7-5 - 12; UCONN 7-5 - 12
Offside: ND 1, UCONN 0
Attendance: 1,694

GAME #17 — Oct. 24, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 3, #24/18 Rutgers 1
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Rutgers | 0 | 1 | — | 1 |
| Notre Dame | 1 | 2 | — | 3 |

ND 1. Brittany Bock 6 (Kerri Hanks) 23:40. **ND 2.** Melissa Henderson 13 (Julie Scheidler) 48:43. **RU 1.** Kristen Edmonds 4 (-) 64:28. **ND 3.** Hanks 18 (-) 81:42.

Shots: RU 5-8 - 13; ND 9-15 - 24
Saves: RU 4-2 - 6 (Erin Guthrie 6); ND 1-2 - 3 (Kelsey Lysander 3)
Corner Kicks: RU 2-1 - 3; ND 1-2 - 3
Fouls: RU 4-2 - 6; ND 5-6 - 11
Offside: RU 1, ND 0
Yellow Cards: Jessica Schuveiller (ND) 78:52; Bock (ND) 79:41
Attendance: 1,024

GAME #18 — Oct. 26, 2008

#1 Notre Dame 6, Seton Hall 0
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Seton Hall | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |
| Notre Dame | 3 | 3 | — | 6 |

ND 1. Kerry Inglis 1 (Brittany Bock, Rose Augustin) 11:18. **ND 2.** Melissa Henderson 14 (Bock, Kerri Hanks) 31:21. **ND 3.** Taylor Knaack 2 (-) 42:09. **ND 4.** Henderson 15 (Elise Weber) 62:34. **ND 5.** Michele Weissenhofer 3 (Courtney Rosen, Hanks) 63:40. **ND 6.** Inglis 2 (Ellen Jantsch, Erica Iantorno) 84:24.

Shots: SHU 1-1 - 2; ND 13-14 - 27
Saves: SHU 2-3 - 5 (Elizabeth Bond 2 in 45:00, Chelsea King 2 in 45:00, team 1); ND 0-0 - 0 (Kelsey Lysander 0 in 45:00, Nikki Weiss 0 in 45:00)
Corner Kicks: SHU 0-0 - 0; ND 6-9 - 15

Fouls: SHU 5-4 - 9; ND 1-6 - 7
Offside: SHU 1, ND 4
Yellow Card: Haley Olson (SHU) 12:50
Attendance: 1,375

GAME #19 — Nov. 2, 2008

BIG EAST Championship - Quarterfinal
#1 Notre Dame 5, Cincinnati 0
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Notre Dame | 4 | 1 | — | 5 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

ND 1. Own goal 1:00. **ND 2.** Elise Weber 1 (Michele Weissenhofer) 12:15. **ND 3.** Courtney Rosen 3 (Weissenhofer, Kerri Hanks) 14:55. **ND 4.** Taylor Knaack 3 (Hanks) 34:07. **ND 5.** Own goal 61:26.

Shots: ND 16-14 - 30; UC 3-1 - 4
Saves: ND 1-0 - 1 (Kelsey Lysander 1 in 45:00, Nikki Weiss 0 in 45:00); UC 6-7 - 13 (Andrea Kaminski 11, team 2)
Corner Kicks: ND 4-4 - 8; UC 0-0 - 0
Fouls: ND 5-9 - 14; UC 8-9 - 17
Offside: ND 1, UC 1
Yellow Cards: Kay Young (UC) 25:26; Julie Scheidler (ND) 44:20; Logan Ballinger (UC) 50:17; Brittany Bock (59:22); Jenn Johannigman (UC) 74:00
Attendance: 680

GAME #20 — Nov. 7, 2008

BIG EAST Championship - Semifinal
#1 Notre Dame 2, #NR/25 Marquette 0
Alumni Field (Notre Dame, Ind.)

| | | | | |
|------------|---|---|---|---|
| Notre Dame | 1 | 1 | — | 2 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 0 | — | 0 |

ND 1. Michele Weissenhofer 4 (Melissa Henderson) 27:00. **ND 2.** Taylor Knaack 4 (-) 49:42.

Shots: ND 16-11 - 27; MU 2-2 - 4
Saves: ND 0-1 - 1 (Kelsey Lysander 1); MU 6-3 - 9 (Natalie Kulla 9)
Corner Kicks: ND 5-7 - 12; MU 0-0 - 0
Fouls: ND 5-4 - 9; MU 8-6 - 14
Offside: ND 2, MU 1
Attendance: 892



2008 Notre Dame Women's Soccer
Notre Dame Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 07, 2008)
All games

| RECORD: | OVERALL | HOME | AWAY | NEUTRAL |
|----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| ALL GAMES | 20-0-0 | 11-0-0 | 8-0-0 | 1-0-0 |
| CONFERENCE | 11-0-0 | 5-0-0 | 6-0-0 | 0-0-0 |
| NON-CONFERENCE | 9-0-0 | 6-0-0 | 2-0-0 | 1-0-0 |

| Date | Opponent | Score | Att. | # | Player | gp | g | a | pts | sh | sh% | sog | sog% | gw | pk-att |
|----------|-------------------|-------|------|----|----------------------|----|----|----|-----|-----|------|-----|-------|----|--------|
| Aug 22 | MICHIGAN | W 7-0 | 1201 | 2 | HANKS, Kerri | 19 | 18 | 10 | 46 | 87 | .207 | 49 | .563 | 5 | 7-8 |
| # Aug 29 | LOYOLA MARYMOUNT | W 4-0 | 1363 | 6 | HENDERSON, Melissa | 20 | 15 | 1 | 31 | 45 | .333 | 33 | .733 | 4 | 0-0 |
| # Aug 31 | SANTA CLARA | W 2-0 | 1638 | 10 | BOCK, Brittany | 19 | 6 | 9 | 21 | 61 | .098 | 25 | .410 | 2 | 1-1 |
| % Sep 05 | at North Carolina | W 1-0 | 2086 | 21 | IANTORNO, Erica | 20 | 4 | 7 | 15 | 31 | .129 | 17 | .548 | 0 | 0-0 |
| % Sep 07 | vs Duke | W 3-1 | 502 | 11 | WEISSENHOFER, Mich | 20 | 4 | 5 | 13 | 39 | .103 | 19 | .487 | 2 | 0-0 |
| Sep 12 | SMU | W 5-0 | 1412 | 14 | ROSEN, Courtney | 20 | 3 | 4 | 10 | 27 | .111 | 9 | .333 | 1 | 0-0 |
| * Sep 19 | at DePaul | W 1-0 | 357 | 4 | KNAACK, Taylor | 20 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 31 | .129 | 18 | .581 | 0 | 0-0 |
| Sep 21 | at Penn State | W 3-1 | 2963 | 15 | AUGUSTIN, Rose | 20 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 32 | .094 | 9 | .281 | 1 | 0-0 |
| * Sep 26 | LOUISVILLE | W 4-1 | 2264 | 17 | BARG, Courtney | 20 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 14 | .143 | 7 | .500 | 1 | 0-0 |
| * Sep 28 | at Cincinnati | W 6-0 | 1202 | 23 | WEBER, Elise | 20 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 19 | .053 | 9 | .474 | 0 | 0-0 |
| * Oct 03 | SOUTH FLORIDA | W 3-0 | 2316 | 25 | SCHEIDLER, Julie | 20 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 2 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| * Oct 05 | MARQUETTE | W 3-1 | 1785 | 3 | INGLIS, Kerry | 5 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 3 | .667 | 2 | .667 | 1 | 0-0 |
| * Oct 10 | at Georgetown | W 3-1 | 695 | 20 | MENDOZA, Rebecca | 20 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 15 | .067 | 8 | .533 | 0 | 0-0 |
| * Oct 12 | at Villanova | W 3-2 | 733 | 7 | CLARK, Amanda | 19 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 7 | .143 | 4 | .571 | 0 | 0-0 |
| * Oct 17 | at Providence | W 5-0 | 370 | 24 | JANTSCH, Ellen | 10 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | .333 | 1 | .333 | 0 | 0-0 |
| * Oct 19 | at Connecticut | W 2-0 | 1694 | 8 | FORD, Haley | 16 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | .333 | 2 | .667 | 0 | 0-0 |
| * Oct 24 | RUTGERS | W 3-1 | 1024 | 5 | CAMPBELL, Molly | 19 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 16 | .062 | 4 | .250 | 0 | 0-0 |
| * Oct 26 | SETON HALL | W 6-0 | 1375 | 9 | FOWLKES, Lauren | 17 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 14 | .071 | 5 | .357 | 1 | 0-0 |
| + Nov 02 | CINCINNATI | W 5-0 | 680 | 19 | DEW, Carrie | 20 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 13 | .000 | 4 | .308 | 0 | 0-0 |
| + Nov 07 | MARQUETTE | W 2-0 | 892 | 22 | VANDERGENUGTEN, | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .000 | 1 | 1.000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| | | | | 12 | SCHUVEILLER, Jessica | 20 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| | | | | 28 | BARTINDALE, Ellen | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | .000 | 2 | .667 | 0 | 0-0 |
| | | | | 16 | ALVAREZ, Micaela | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | .000 | 1 | .333 | 0 | 0-0 |
| | | | | 26 | CHAMBERLAIN, Haley | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| | | | | 27 | GERSTLE, Brynn | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| | | | | 18 | SOHN, Stephanie | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| | | | | 13 | LYSANDER, Kelsey | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| | | | | 1 | WEISS, Nikki | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| | | | | | Total | 20 | 71 | 56 | 198 | 471 | .151 | 232 | .493 | 20 | 8-9 |
| | | | | | Opponents | 20 | 8 | 8 | 24 | 134 | .060 | 46 | .343 | 0 | 0-0 |

* - BIG EAST Conference game
- Inn at Saint Mary's Soccer Classic
% - Carolina Classic
+ - BIG EAST Championship

| TEAM STATISTICS | ND | OPP |
|------------------------|-----------|------------|
| SHOT STATISTICS | | |
| Goals-Shot attempts | 71-471 | 8-134 |
| Goals scored per game | 3.55 | 0.40 |
| Shot pct. | .151 | .060 |
| Shots on goal-Attempts | 232-471 | 46-134 |
| SOG pct. | .493 | .343 |
| Shots/Game | 23.5 | 6.7 |
| CORNER KICKS | 144 | 37 |
| PENALTY KICKS | 8-9 | 0-0 |
| PENALTIES | | |
| Yellow cards | 11 | 24 |
| Red cards | 0 | 1 |
| ATTENDANCE | | |
| Total | 15950 | 10100 |
| Dates/Avg Per Date | 11/1450 | 8/1262 |
| Neutral Site #/Avg | 1/502 | |

| # | Goalie | GP | Min. | GA | GAAvg | Saves | Pct | W-L-T | Sho |
|----|------------------|----|---------|----|-------|-------|-------|--------|-----|
| 1 | WEISS, Nikki | 8 | 205:29 | 0 | 0.00 | 3 | 1.000 | 0-0-0 | 0.0 |
| 13 | LYSANDER, Kelsey | 20 | 1601:29 | 8 | 0.45 | 35 | .814 | 20-0-0 | 5.0 |
| | Total | 20 | 1806:58 | 8 | 0.40 | 38 | .826 | 20-0-0 | 13 |
| | Opponents | 20 | 1806:58 | 71 | 3.54 | 161 | .694 | 0-20-0 | 0 |

| Goals by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|------------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 36 | 34 | 1 | 71 |
| Opponents | 2 | 6 | 0 | 8 |

| Shots by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|------------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 212 | 258 | 1 | 471 |
| Opponents | 59 | 73 | 2 | 134 |

| Saves by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|------------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 16 | 22 | 0 | 38 |
| Opponents | 74 | 87 | 0 | 161 |

| Corners by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|--------------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 69 | 75 | 0 | 144 |
| Opponents | 16 | 20 | 1 | 37 |

| Fouls by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|------------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 101 | 116 | 2 | 219 |
| Opponents | 115 | 121 | 1 | 237 |

2008 Notre Dame Women's Soccer
Notre Dame Overall Individual Statistics (as of Nov 07, 2008)
All games

Overall: 20-0-0 Conf: 11-0-0 Home: 11-0-0 Away: 8-0-0 Neut: 1-0-0

| ## | Player | gp-gs | min | g | a | pts | sh | sh% | sog | sog% | gwg | pk-att |
|-----------|----------------------|-------|------|----|----|-----|-----|------|-----|-------|-----|--------|
| 2 | HANKS, Kerri | 19-19 | 1242 | 18 | 10 | 46 | 87 | .207 | 49 | .563 | 5 | 7-8 |
| 6 | HENDERSON, Melissa | 20-13 | 926 | 15 | 1 | 31 | 45 | .333 | 33 | .733 | 4 | 0-0 |
| 10 | BOCK, Brittany | 19-16 | 1081 | 6 | 9 | 21 | 61 | .098 | 25 | .410 | 2 | 1-1 |
| 21 | IANTORNO, Erica | 20-1 | 681 | 4 | 7 | 15 | 31 | .129 | 17 | .548 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 11 | WEISSENHOFER, Michel | 20-8 | 821 | 4 | 5 | 13 | 39 | .103 | 19 | .487 | 2 | 0-0 |
| 14 | ROSEN, Courtney | 20-19 | 1262 | 3 | 4 | 10 | 27 | .111 | 9 | .333 | 1 | 0-0 |
| 4 | KNAACK, Taylor | 20-3 | 681 | 4 | 1 | 9 | 31 | .129 | 18 | .581 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 15 | AUGUSTIN, Rose | 20-14 | 947 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 32 | .094 | 9 | .281 | 1 | 0-0 |
| 17 | BARG, Courtney | 20-11 | 771 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 14 | .143 | 7 | .500 | 1 | 0-0 |
| 23 | WEBER, Elise | 20-20 | 1525 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 19 | .053 | 9 | .474 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 25 | SCHEIDLER, Julie | 20-17 | 1312 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 2 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 3 | INGLIS, Kerry | 5-1 | 116 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 3 | .667 | 2 | .667 | 1 | 0-0 |
| 20 | MENDOZA, Rebecca | 20-6 | 688 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 15 | .067 | 8 | .533 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 7 | CLARK, Amanda | 19-4 | 634 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 7 | .143 | 4 | .571 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 24 | JANTSCH, Ellen | 10-0 | 164 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | .333 | 1 | .333 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 8 | FORD, Haley | 16-2 | 484 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | .333 | 2 | .667 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 5 | CAMPBELL, Molly | 19-1 | 555 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 16 | .062 | 4 | .250 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 9 | FOWLKES, Lauren | 17-5 | 734 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 14 | .071 | 5 | .357 | 1 | 0-0 |
| 19 | DEW, Carrie | 20-20 | 1571 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 13 | .000 | 4 | .308 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 22 | VANDERGENUGTEN, Rach | 2-0 | 19 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .000 | 1 | 1.000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 12 | SCHUVEILLER, Jessica | 20-20 | 1539 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 28 | BARTINDALE, Ellen | 4-0 | 66 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | .000 | 2 | .667 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 16 | ALVAREZ, Micaela | 3-0 | 52 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | .000 | 1 | .333 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 26 | CHAMBERLAIN, Haley | 4-0 | 79 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 27 | GERSTLE, Brynn | 2-0 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 18 | SOHN, Stephanie | 7-0 | 127 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 13 | LYSANDER, Kelsey | 20-20 | 1601 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| 1 | WEISS, Nikki | 8-0 | 206 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | .000 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0-0 |
| Total | | 20 | - | 71 | 56 | 198 | 471 | .151 | 232 | .493 | 20 | 8-9 |
| Opponents | | 20 | - | 8 | 8 | 24 | 134 | .060 | 46 | .343 | 0 | 0-0 |

| ## | Goalie | gp-gs | Goal Average | | | Saves | | Record | | | |
|-----------|------------------|-------|--------------|----|-------|-------|-------|--------|----|---|-----|
| | | | min | ga | gaavg | saves | pct | w | l | t | sho |
| 1 | WEISS, Nikki | 8-0 | 205:29 | 0 | 0.00 | 3 | 1.000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| 13 | LYSANDER, Kelsey | 20-20 | 1601:29 | 8 | 0.45 | 35 | .814 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 5.0 |
| TM | TEAM | - | 0:00 | 0 | 0.00 | 0 | .000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8.0 |
| Total | | 20 | 1806:58 | 8 | 0.40 | 38 | .826 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Opponents | | 20 | 1806:58 | 71 | 3.54 | 161 | .694 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 0 |

Team saves: 0

| Goals by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 36 | 34 | 1 | 71 |
| Opponents | 2 | 6 | 0 | 8 |

| Corners by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|-------------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 69 | 75 | 0 | 144 |
| Opponents | 16 | 20 | 1 | 37 |

| Shots by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 212 | 258 | 1 | 471 |
| Opponents | 59 | 73 | 2 | 134 |

| Fouls by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 101 | 116 | 2 | 219 |
| Opponents | 115 | 121 | 1 | 237 |

| Saves by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|-------|
| Notre Dame | 16 | 22 | 0 | 38 |
| Opponents | 74 | 87 | 0 | 161 |

| Attendance Summary | ND | Opponent |
|--------------------|---------|----------|
| Total | 15950 | 10100 |
| Dates/Avg Per Date | 11/1450 | 8/1262 |
| Neutral Site #/Avg | 1/502 | |

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| TEAM STATISTICS | ND | OPP |
|------------------------|-----------|------------|
| SHOT STATISTICS | | |
| Goals-Shot attempts | 71-471 | 8-134 |
| Goals scored per game | 3.55 | 0.40 |
| Shot pct. | .151 | .060 |
| Shots on goal-Attempts | 232-471 | 46-134 |
| SOG pct. | .493 | .343 |
| Shots/Game | 23.5 | 6.7 |
| Assists | 56 | 8 |
| CORNER KICKS | 144 | 37 |
| PENALTY KICKS | 8-9 | 0-0 |
| PENALTIES | | |
| Yellow cards | 11 | 24 |
| Red cards | 0 | 1 |
| ATTENDANCE | | |
| Total | 15950 | 10100 |
| Dates/Avg Per Date | 11/1450 | 8/1262 |
| Neutral Site #/Avg | 1/502 | |

| Goals by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|--------------|
| Notre Dame | 36 | 34 | 1 | 71 |
| Opponents | 2 | 6 | 0 | 8 |

| Corners by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|--------------|
| Notre Dame | 69 | 75 | 0 | 144 |
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| Shots by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|--------------|
| Notre Dame | 212 | 258 | 1 | 471 |
| Opponents | 59 | 73 | 2 | 134 |

| Fouls by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|--------------|
| Notre Dame | 101 | 116 | 2 | 219 |
| Opponents | 115 | 121 | 1 | 237 |

| Saves by Period | 1st | 2nd | OT | Total |
|------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|--------------|
| Notre Dame | 16 | 22 | 0 | 38 |
| Opponents | 74 | 87 | 0 | 161 |

2008 Notre Dame Women's Soccer
Notre Dame Game Results (as of Nov 07, 2008)
All games

| Date | Opponent | Score | Overall | Conf | Att. | Goals scored |
|----------|----------------------|---------|---------|-------|------|--|
| Aug 22 | MICHIGAN | W 7-0 | 1-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 1201 | WEISSENHOFER, Michel (HANKS, Kerri) AUGUSTIN, Rose (SCHUVEILLER, Jessica) HENDERSON, Melissa (ROSEN, Courtney) IANTORNO, Erica (ROSEN, Courtney) KNAACK, Taylor (CLARK, Amanda) HANKS, Kerri (IANTORNO, Erica) JANTSCH, Ellen (VANDERGENUGTEN, Rach) |
| # Aug 29 | LOYOLA MARYMOUNT | W 4-0 | 2-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 1363 | HANKS, Kerri (penalty kick) HANKS, Kerri (penalty kick) HENDERSON, Melissa (WEBER, Elise) HANKS, Kerri (unassisted) |
| # Aug 31 | #21 SANTA CLARA | W 2-0 | 3-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 1638 | TEAM (unassisted) IANTORNO, Erica (unassisted) |
| % Sep 05 | at #3 North Carolina | W 1-0 | 4-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 2086 | BOCK, Brittany (unassisted) |
| % Sep 07 | vs #12 Duke | W 3-1 | 5-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 502 | HANKS, Kerri (BOCK, Brittany) FOWLKES, Lauren (IANTORNO, Erica) MENDOZA, Rebecca (IANTORNO, Erica) |
| Sep 12 | SMU | W 5-0 | 6-0-0 | 0-0-0 | 1412 | ROSEN, Courtney (unassisted) CAMPBELL, Molly (unassisted) HENDERSON, Melissa (HANKS, Kerri) HENDERSON, Melissa (AUGUSTIN, Rose) CLARK, Amanda (unassisted) |
| * Sep 19 | at DePaul | W 1-0 | 7-0-0 | 1-0-0 | 357 | HANKS, Kerri (IANTORNO, Erica) |
| Sep 21 | at #17 Penn State | W 3-1 | 8-0-0 | 1-0-0 | 2963 | HENDERSON, Melissa (SCHEIDLER, Julie) HANKS, Kerri (unassisted) WEISSENHOFER, Michel (IANTORNO, Erica) |
| * Sep 26 | LOUISVILLE | W 4-1 | 9-0-0 | 2-0-0 | 2264 | HANKS, Kerri (SCHEIDLER, Julie) BARG, Courtney (IANTORNO, Erica) IANTORNO, Erica (unassisted) HANKS, Kerri (BOCK, Brittany) |
| * Sep 28 | at Cincinnati | W 6-0 | 10-0-0 | 3-0-0 | 1202 | HANKS, Kerri (DEW, Carrie) HENDERSON, Melissa (WEISSENHOFER, Michel) HENDERSON, Melissa (KNAACK, Taylor) ROSEN, Courtney (unassisted) HENDERSON, Melissa (FORD, Haley) FORD, Haley (unassisted) |
| * Oct 03 | SOUTH FLORIDA | W 3-0 | 11-0-0 | 4-0-0 | 2316 | HENDERSON, Melissa (BOCK, Brittany) AUGUSTIN, Rose (unassisted) HANKS, Kerri (penalty kick) |
| * Oct 05 | MARQUETTE | W 3-1 | 12-0-0 | 5-0-0 | 1785 | BOCK, Brittany (HANKS, Kerri) BOCK, Brittany (WEISSENHOFER, Michel) HANKS, Kerri (penalty kick) |
| * Oct 10 | at #17 Georgetown | W 3-1 | 13-0-0 | 6-0-0 | 695 | HANKS, Kerri (penalty kick) HENDERSON, Melissa (SCHEIDLER, Julie;BARG, Courtney) BARG, Courtney (HANKS, Kerri) |
| * Oct 12 | at Villanova | WOT 3-2 | 14-0-0 | 7-0-0 | 733 | BOCK, Brittany (SCHEIDLER, Julie) HANKS, Kerri (penalty kick) AUGUSTIN, Rose (WEBER, Elise) |
| * Oct 17 | at Providence | W 5-0 | 15-0-0 | 8-0-0 | 370 | HENDERSON, Melissa (ROSEN, Courtney;BOCK, Brittany) HANKS, Kerri (penalty kick) HENDERSON, Melissa (HANKS, Kerri;BOCK, Brittany) BOCK, Brittany (penalty kick) IANTORNO, Erica (WEISSENHOFER, Michel) |
| * Oct 19 | at Connecticut | W 2-0 | 16-0-0 | 9-0-0 | 1694 | HANKS, Kerri (BOCK, Brittany;BARG, Courtney) HANKS, Kerri (BOCK, Brittany;MENDOZA, Rebecca) |

| | | | | | | | | |
|---|--------|---------------|---|-----|--------|--------|------|--|
| * | Oct 24 | #24 RUTGERS | W | 3-1 | 17-0-0 | 10-0-0 | 1024 | BOCK, Brittany (HANKS, Kerri) HENDERSON, Melissa (SCHEIDLER, Julie) HANKS, Kerri (unassisted) |
| * | Oct 26 | SETON HALL | W | 6-0 | 18-0-0 | 11-0-0 | 1375 | INGLIS, Kerry (BOCK, Brittany;AUGUSTIN, Rose) HENDERSON, Melissa (BOCK, Brittany;HANKS, Kerri) KNAACK, Taylor (unassisted) HENDERSON, Melissa (WEBER, Elise) WEISSENHOFER, Michel (ROSEN, Courtney;HANKS, Kerri) INGLIS, Kerry (JANTSCH, Ellen;IANTORNO, Erica) |
| + | Nov 02 | CINCINNATI | W | 5-0 | 19-0-0 | 11-0-0 | 680 | TEAM (unassisted) WEBER, Elise (WEISSENHOFER, Michel) ROSEN, Courtney (WEISSENHOFER, Michel;HANKS, Kerri) KNAACK, Taylor (HANKS, Kerri) |
| + | Nov 07 | #25 MARQUETTE | W | 2-0 | 20-0-0 | 11-0-0 | 892 | TEAM (unassisted) WEISSENHOFER, Michel (HENDERSON, Melissa) KNAACK, Taylor (unassisted) |

* - BIG EAST Conference game

- Inn at Saint Mary's Soccer Classic

% - Carolina Classic

+ - BIG EAST Championship

| <u>Team Record</u> | <u>W-L-T</u> | <u>Attendance</u> | <u>Dates</u> | <u>Total</u> | <u>Avg.</u> |
|--------------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| Overall: | 20-0-0 | Total: | 20 | 26552 | 1328 |
| Conference: | 11-0-0 | Home: | 11 | 15950 | 1450 |
| Home: | 11-0-0 | Away: | 8 | 10100 | 1262 |
| Away: | 8-0-0 | Neutral: | 1 | 502 | 502 |
| Neutral: | 1-0-0 | | | | |
| Overtime: | 1-0-0 | | | | |