

SUSAN YOW VS. MIAMI... PC's first-year Head Coach Susan Yow faces the University of Miami for the second time in her 20 seasons as a head women's basketball coach in the collegiate ranks. It will be her first meeting with the Hurricanes as head coach of the Friars. Yow holds a 1-0 record versus the Hurricanes all-time. Yow faced Miami on January 4, 1982 while coaching at East Tennessee State University, as part of the Hurricane Classic in Coral Gables, Fla. Yow helped guide her team to a 70-44 victory on that day.

SCOUTING THE HURRICANES... The University of Miami enters Saturday's game versus the Friars with a 14-9 overall record and a 6-6 mark in the BIG EAST Conference. The Hurricane's have posted a 9-4 mark on their home court this season, including a 2-4 mark versus BIG EAST opponents. Miami is in the midst of a two-game losing streak. On February 15, the Hurricanes fell to West Virginia 100-84. In recent action on February 19, Miami dropped a 81-60 decision to No. 1-ranked Connecticut. Freshman phenom Tamara James leads the Hurricanes in scoring and rebounding through 23 games, averaging 21.5 points and 8.2 rebounds per game. James also leads the BIG EAST Conference in scoring and ranks fourth among all BIG EAST players in rebounding. Yalonda McCormick leads the team in assists (137) with an average of 5.95 handouts per game and is second on the team in scoring, averaging 9.7 points per game. Chanivia Broussard is third on the team in scoring (9.5 ppg), followed by Meghan Saake (9.3 ppg). Saake leads the Hurricanes in steals (91) with an average of 3.95 thefts per game. As a team, Miami averages 74.7 points and 41.9 rebounds per game. The Hurricanes lead the BIG EAST Conference in steals this season, averaging 15.39 per game as a team.

SCOUTING THE FRIARS... Providence College enters Saturday's BIG EAST Conference women's basketball game versus Miami with an overall record of 9-15, and a 3-10 mark in the BIG EAST Conference. Sophomore guard Michal Epstein (Rehovot, Israel) leads the Friars in scoring and assists, averaging 14.7 points and 2.6 handouts per game. Epstein missed the Friar's game versus Notre Dame on February 16 with a foot injury, but returned to the line-up on February 19 versus Syracuse. Sophomore forward/center Jessica Simmonds (South Orange, N.J.) leads the team on the boards with an average of 5.9 rebounds per game and ranks third on the team in scoring (8.8 ppg). Center/forward Kacee Wheeler (Bakersfield, Calif.) currently ranks fourth on the team in scoring (8.1 ppg) and second in rebounding (4.6 rpg). Wheeler also leads the team in field-goal percentage (.555, 66-119). Wheeler missed three-straight games with an ankle sprain, but returned to action versus Syracuse on February 19. Senior guard Brooke Freeburg (Waterford, Pa.) is second on the team in scoring averaging 9.1 points per contest, and adds an average of 3.4 rebounds per game. In the Friar's most recent game on February 19 versus Syracuse, Providence was defeated, 66-58, in Syracuse, N.Y. As a team, Providence is averaging 61.2 points and 33.2 rebounds per game. PC's opponents are scoring an average of 65.7 points per game and pulling down an average of 33.7 rebounds per contest.

RECENT ACTION... The Providence College women's basketball team was defeated by Syracuse, 66-58, in a BIG EAST Conference game on Wednesday, February 19 in Syracuse, N.Y. Junior guard Kristin Quinn (Sewell, N.J.) led four Friars in double figures with 14 points. The Orangewomen were led offensively by Shannon Perry, who recorded a game-high 18 points and 11 rebounds. The game was tied, 32-32, at halftime. Quinn and senior guard Brooke Freeburg (Waterford, Pa.) led the Friars in the half with nine points each. Syracuse was led offensively in the first half by Julie McBride and Rochelle Coleman, who also scored nine points apiece. Providence shot 45.8 percent (11-24) from the field in the opening period, including 50.0 percent (4-8) from beyond the three-point arc. PC also connected on six-of-six free-throw attempts. Syracuse shot 65.0 percent (13-20) from the field in the first half, including 66.7 percent (4-6) from three-point territory. The Orangewomen suffered from the foul line, connecting on just two-of-10 attempts. In the second half, the Friars were outscored, 34-26. PC shot a dismal 27.3 percent from the floor as it connected on just six-of-22 field goal attempts. Providence missed all seven of its attempts from three-point territory, and missed seven free-throws in the half (14-21). The Orangewomen shot 40.0 percent (12-30) from the field in the second half, but were a mere one-for-12 from the three-point line (8.3 percent) and nine-of-20 from the foul line. Joining Quinn in double figures for Providence were sophomore Jessica Simmonds (South Orange, N.J.) and Freeburg with 11 points each. Sophomore Michal Epstein (Rehovot, Israel) added 10 points to the PC effort. Simmonds led the Friars on the boards with eight rebounds. McBride finished the game with 16 points for Syracuse, followed by April Jean and Coleman, who scored 14 and 13 points, respectively. Jean added eight rebounds, while McBride added a game-high six assists.

FRIAR STATISTICAL LEADERS

(statistics include games played through 2/21/03)

POINTS

Michal Epstein - 14.7 ppg
 Brooke Freeburg - 9.1 ppg
 Jessica Simmonds - 8.8 ppg
 Kacee Wheeler - 8.1 ppg

REBOUNDS

Jessica Simmonds - 5.9 rpg
 Kacee Wheeler - 4.6 rpg
 Quiana Copeland - 3.5 rpg
 Brooke Freeburg - 3.4 rpg
 Michal Epstein - 3.3 rpg

ASSISTS

Michal Epstein - 2.6 apg
 Keisha Blackwell - 2.1 apg
 Kristin Quinn - 1.3 apg
 Andrea Horvath - 1.2 apg

STEALS

Keisha Blackwell - 1.5 spg
 Jessica Simmonds - 1.4 spg
 Michal Epstein - 1.1 spg
 Brooke Freeburg - 1.0 spg

FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE

Kacee Wheeler - .555 (66-119)
 Jessica Simmonds - .468 (80-171)
 Andrea Horvath - .468 (36-77)
 Michal Epstein - .455 (116-255)

3-PT FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE

Kristin Quinn - .355 (22-62)
 Michal Epstein - .333 (28-84)
 Kacee Wheeler - .333 (6-18)
 Keisha Blackwell - .316 (24-76)

FREE-THROW PERCENTAGE

Kristin Quinn - .898 (44-49)
 Andrea Horvath - .774 (24-31)
 Michal Epstein - .767 (79-103)

GAMES STARTED

Brooke Freeburg - 24
 Keisha Blackwell - 24
 Michal Epstein - 22
 Kacee Wheeler - 20
 Jessica Simmonds - 19

in order to be ranked in any of the above categories, a player must have appeared in at least 75% of her teams' games.

HEAD COACH SUSAN YOW... Susan Yow is in the midst of her first season as head coach of the Providence College women's basketball team. Yow joined the Friar athletic department on June 21, 2002 as the seventh head women's basketball coach in PC history. Yow has compiled an overall record of 222-296 in her 19 seasons as a head coach before her arrival at PC. Prior to her arrival at Providence College, she was head coach at East Tennessee (1978-86), Drake (1986-90), Kansas State (1990-93) and UNC Wilmington (1993-97). Yow also served as an assistant coach in the Women's National Basketball Association (WNBA) with the Cleveland Rockers (1997-99) and the Charlotte Sting (1999-01). While at Providence Yow has compiled an overall record of 9-15 through 24 games on the 2002-03 schedule, including a 3-10 mark in the BIG EAST Conference. Yow's career coaching record currently stands at 231-311 overall and is in the midst of her 20th season as a head coach. Yow has coached 542 games in her career. Yow earned her first BIG EAST Conference win with the Friars against Pittsburgh (80-77) on January 11, 2003 in Pittsburgh, Pa.

A LOOK BACK AT THE 2001-02 FRIARS... The Friars posted a 13-15 overall record during the 2001-02 season, including a 7-9 mark in the BIG EAST. The Friars finished eighth in the league standings and advanced to the BIG EAST Tournament in Piscataway, N.J. The Friars were eliminated in the first round by No. 9 Seton Hall, 61-55, on March 2. PC compiled a record of 9-3 at home in Alumni Hall during the 2001-02 season. Two of those victories included an 80-70 win over eventual NCAA Tournament participant Syracuse, and a 67-61 win over Virginia Tech, who earned an invitation to the WNIT and was ranked 22nd in the nation at the time of competition. The Friars' 13 wins in 2001-02 mark the most victories in by the PC women's basketball program since 1996-97 when the team finished the year with a 13-14 record.

FRIARS PICKED TO FINISH 12TH IN 2002-03 BIG EAST CONFERENCE PRESEASON COACHES' POLL... The Providence College women's basketball team was picked to finish 12th (33 points) in the BIG EAST Conference Preseason Coaches' Poll, released on October 24. Connecticut and Notre Dame received seven first-place votes each and are tied for first place in the preseason poll with 161 points each. Boston College was picked to finish third, followed by Villanova, Virginia Tech, Rutgers, Miami and West Virginia. Tied for ninth in the poll are Syracuse and Seton Hall, and Georgetown is tabbed to finish 11th. Pittsburgh and St. John's finished 13th and 14th, respectively.

PLAYERS TO WATCH

EPSTEIN RETURNS TO LINE-UP ... Sophomore guard Michal Epstein (Rehovot, Israel) missed the Friars' February 16 game versus Notre Dame with a foot injury. She returned to the floor in PC's most recent game versus Syracuse on February 19 in Syracuse, N.Y. She played 22 minutes off the bench and recorded 10 points, four rebounds, one assists and one steal. Epstein leads the Friar offense through 24 games averaging 14.7 points and 2.6 assists per game. She also ranks third in steals (1.1 spg) and free-throw percentage (.767, 79-103). On December 22, she scored a game and career-high 25 points in a 63-55 win over Rhode Island in Kingston, R.I. She matched her career high with another 25 point performance versus Pittsburgh on January 11 in Pittsburgh, Pa. Earlier this season (2002-03), Epstein earned All-Tournament Team honors as the team tipped off the season at the Banknorth Classic on November 22-23 in Burlington, Vermont. Epstein averaged 12.5 points and 2.0 steals per game to earn the honor. During the 2001-02 season, Epstein averaged 8.2 points, 3.6 rebounds and 2.3 assists per game. This season, Epstein has led the team in

2002-2003 BIG EAST PRESEASON INFORMATION

BIG EAST PRESEASON HONORS... The BIG EAST Conference announced the Preseason All-Star teams as selected by the coaches within the conference. The announcement was made on Thursday, October 24 in Newark, N.J.

FIRST TEAM: Jacqueline Batteast (Notre Dame), *Diana Taurasi (Connecticut), Alicia Ratay (Notre Dame), Chanivia Broussard (Miami), Trish Juhline (Villanova), Ieva Kublina (Virginia Tech).
* *unanimous selection*

SECOND TEAM: Rebekkah Brunson (Georgetown), Kate Bulger (West Virginia), Julie McBride (Syracuse), Cappie Pondexter (Rutgers), Brianne Stepherson (Boston College).

PLAYER OF THE YEAR: Diana Taurasi, Connecticut

ROOKIE OF THE YEAR: Ann Strother, Connecticut

PRESEASON BIG EAST COACHES' POLL... The Friars were picked 12th out of 14 teams, in the BIG EAST Coaches' Preseason Poll. PC beat five of the teams ranked above them during the 2001-2002 season.

2002-2003 BIG EAST PRESEASON COACHES' POLL...

1. tie	Connecticut (7)	161
	Notre Dame (7)	161
3.	Boston College	143
4.	Villanova	128
5.	Virginia Tech	110
6.	Rutgers	107
7.	Miami	104
8.	West Virginia	81
9. tie	Seton Hall	69
	Syracuse	69
11.	Georgetown	64
12.	PROVIDENCE	33
13.	Pittsburgh	29
14.	St. John's	15

(first-place votes in parentheses)

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scoring in 15 of PC's 24 games and has scored 20 or more points in five games. Versus BIG EAST Conference opponents, Epstein is averaging 13.4 points, 3.3 rebounds and 2.8 assists per game.

WHEELER RETURNS FROM INJURY... Senior center/forward Kacey Wheeler (Bakersfield, Calif.) missed the Friars' three games with a right ankle sprain, but returned to the line-up on Saturday, February 19 versus Syracuse. She came off the bench to play eight minutes. She is currently fourth on the team in scoring, with an average of 8.1 points per game and ranks second in rebounding (4.6 rpg). Wheeler also leads the team in field-goal percentage (.555, 66-119) and is tied for second in three-point field-goal percentage (.333, 6-18). She has reached double-figures in scoring this season on nine occasions, including six of the last nine games she has played in. On January 11, Wheeler notched her first career double-double versus Pittsburgh with a career-high 17 points and career-high 11 rebounds. She also matched her career high in steals with two. On January 15, Wheeler registered her second-consecutive double-double with a career-high 18 points and 11 rebounds. Wheeler is second on the team this season with two double-doubles. Versus BIG EAST opponents, Wheeler is averaging 8.9 points, 5.1 rebounds, 1.2 assists and 0.80 steals per game.

SIMMONDS STEPS UP... Sophomore forward/center Jessica Simmonds (South Orange, N.J.) has stepped up her offensive production as of late. Simmonds has reached double figures in scoring in each of the Friars' last six games, for an average of 14.5 points per game. Through 24 games, Simmonds leads the Friars in rebounding with an average of 5.9 boards per game and ranks third in scoring (8.8 ppg), second in steals (1.4 spg) and second in field-goal percentage (.468, 80-171). Simmonds leads the Friars with three double-doubles this season, and currently has a total of six in her career. She posted her first double-double of the season on December 28 versus St. Bonaventure with 12 points and 12 rebounds, and recorded her second double-double of the season on February 1 at Virginia Tech with 12 points and 10 rebounds. On February 13 versus Seton Hall, Simmonds compiled her third double-double with a game-high 19 points and 10 rebounds. Her 19 points also tied her career high. During the 2001-02 season, Simmonds earned BIG EAST All-Rookie Team honors as a freshman. In recent action versus Syracuse on February 19, Simmonds posted 11 points, a team-high eight rebounds, one block and one steal. She has reached double figures in scoring 11 times this season, including each of the last six games. In BIG EAST Conference action, Simmonds is averaging 10.2 points, 6.0 rebounds, 1.3 steals and 1.2 assists per game. Through 24 games, Simmonds has led the Friars in rebounding 14 times and in scoring five times. In the Friars' last six games, Simmonds has averaged 14.5 points and 6.7 rebounds per game.

QUINN MAKING THE MOST OF HER MINUTES... Junior guard Kristin Quinn (Sewell, N.J.) is averaging 22.8 minutes per game through 24 games. In the last four games Quinn has averaged 36.5 minutes per game. She played all 40 minutes in each of PC's last two games (Notre Dame and Syracuse). Versus Notre Dame on February 16, and netted a team-high 15 points, pulled down five rebounds and dished out four assists. On February 22 versus Syracuse, Quinn scored a team-high 14 points and added five rebounds, one assists and one steal. In the last four games, Quinn is has averaged 11.5 points, 4.0 rebounds and 2.3 assists per game. For the season, Quinn is averaging 5.5 points, 2.2 rebounds and 1.3 assists per game. Quinn also leads the team in free-throw percentage (89.8 percent, 44-49) and three-point field-goal percentage (35.5 percent, 22-62).

FREEBURG PLAYS SOLID ALL-AROUND GAME... Senior guard Brooke Freeburg (Waterford, Pa.) is currently second among her teammates in scoring (9.1 ppg), fourth in rebounding (3.4 rpg) and fourth in steals (1.0 spg) through 24 games. She posted career-highs in points (16) at Vermont

on November 23 and assists (five) at home versus Brown on November 26. Freeburg also earned All-Tournament Team honors at the conclusion of the Banknorth Classic in Burlington, Vt. on November 22-23 after averaging 14.0 points, 2.5 rebounds and 2.0 assists in two games. During the 2001-02 season, Freeburg averaged 4.0 points, 2.3 rebounds and 0.85 assists per game. In the Friars' most recent game on February 22 versus Syracuse, Freeburg registered 11 points, four rebounds, three assists and one steal. Versus BIG EAST Conference opponents, Freeburg is averaging 9.0 points, 3.4 rebounds, 1.7 assists and 1.2 steals per game.



INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS AMONG BIG EAST PLAYERS
All Games

SCORING			
Michal Epstein	15th		14.7 ppg
FIELD-GOAL PERCENTAGE			
Michal Epstein	8th	116-255	.455
FREE-THROW PERCENTAGE			
Michal Epstein	12th	79-103	.767
REBOUNDING			
Jessica Simmonds	Tied 18th		5.9 rpg
BLOCKED SHOTS			
Quiana Copeland	10th		1.11 bpg

(statistics and rankings include games played through 2/21/03)



INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS AMONG BIG EAST PLAYERS
BIG EAST Games Only

SCORING			
Michal Epstein	15th		13.4 ppg
FREE-THROW PERCENTAGE			
Michal Epstein	14th	38-51	.745
REBOUNDING			
Jessica Simmonds	15th		6.0 rpg
BLOCKED SHOTS			
Quiana Copeland	9th		1.10 bpg
DEFENSIVE REBOUNDS			
Jessica Simmonds	12th		4.23 drpg

(statistics and rankings include games played through 2/21/03)

HEAD COACH SUSAN YOW

Providence College Assistant Vice President for Athletics Bob Driscoll announced the appointment of Susan Yow as head coach of the women's basketball team on Friday, June 21, 2002. Yow, the seventh women's basketball coach all-time at PC, replaced Jim Jabir who resigned in April to become an assistant women's basketball coach at the University of Colorado.

"Susan Yow brings experience, intensity and compassion to this position," Driscoll said. "She has coached at the highest levels and has a strong knowledge of women's basketball. We also were attracted to Susan because she has extensive experience coaching and recruiting in an academic setting. We believe she will be the person that can lead Providence College women's basketball in the highly competitive BIGEAST Conference."

Yow, the sister of longtime North Carolina State Head Coach Kay Yow and University of Maryland Athletic Director Deborah Yow, comes to Providence with 19 years of NCAA Division I head coaching experience (1978-97). She also spent four years as an assistant coach in the WNBA (1997-01). Yow's most recent collegiate coaching stint was at the University of North Carolina Wilmington. Yow coached at UNC Wilmington from 1993-97. Prior to UNC Wilmington, she was the head coach at Kansas State (1990-93), Drake University (1986-90) and East Tennessee State (1978-86).

In 1997, Yow began her career in the WNBA as an assistant coach for the Cleveland Rockers. Two years later in 1999, she was hired as an assistant coach with the Charlotte Sting. She served as an assistant with the Sting until 2001.

During the 2001-02 women's basketball season, Yow worked as a color analyst for radio broadcasts of the North Carolina State women's basketball games.

Yow also coached three different USA Basketball teams. In 1981, she was an assistant coach for the USA team which won a gold medal at the Olympic Sports Festival. In 1983, Yow served as a head coach for the US squad that won a gold medal at the Olympic Sports Festival. She helped guide the USA to a third gold medal in 1988 when she was an assistant coach for the US Olympic Team.

"I'm excited about the opportunity to coach at Providence College," Yow said. "The women's basketball program has an excellent tradition at Providence and I want to continue to help this program in reaching its full potential. I look forward to the challenges ahead, as we prepare to compete in one of the toughest conferences in the nation...the BIG EAST."

On July 11, Yow announced the hiring of three individuals who would comprise the remainder of her coaching staff. Susan Doran, Jack Easley and Gary Martinelli were named Yow's assistant coaches. Each coach has extensive experience in the collegiate coaching ranks, and brings a combined 49 years of collegiate coaching experience to the Providence College sidelines.

Yow, a native of Gibsonville, North Carolina, is a 1976 graduate of Elon College. In her final season at Elon, she captained the team and earned Kodak All-America honors. She played a final season of collegiate basketball at North Carolina State in 1976 as a graduate student. In her one season at NC State, Yow became the first Wolfpack women's basketball player ever to be named to the Kodak All-America Team. She led the team in scoring (19.4 ppg), rebounding (11.9 rpg), field goal percentage (.584) and free throw percentage (.832).

On Wednesday, September 25, 2002, Coach Yow was selected to the Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) 50th Anniversary Women's Basketball Team. The 51-member team was voted on by a 27-member, blue-ribbon committee that was selected by the league's 50th Anniversary Committee. North Carolina led all league schools with 11 members on the Golden Anniversary team, while Yow's alma mater, North Carolina State, was second with nine honorees.

As a member of the Anniversary Team, Yow joins such players as Dawn Staley (Virginia '92), Alana Beard (Duke '02), Sylvia Crawley (North Carolina '94), Marion Jones (North Carolina '97), Chasity Melvin (NC State '98), Georgia Schweitzer (Duke '01) and Deanna Tate (Maryland '89). Yow's teammates on the 50th Anniversary Team all enjoyed stellar collegiate careers, and many are still playing professionally in the WNBA and overseas.

SUSAN YOW'S ALL-TIME COACHING RECORD VERSUS ALL OPPONENTS

OPPONENT	RECORD				
Alabama	0-1	James Madison	5-11	Old Dominion	0-9
Alabama-Birmingham	3-2	Kansas	2-6	Oral Roberts	1-1
Alabama State	1-0	Kansas State	0-2	Oregon State	1-0
American	1-8	Kentucky	0-1	Pennsylvania	0-1
Appalachian State	12-7	Kentucky State	1-0	Penn State	0-1
Arizona	1-0	Lafayette	1-0	Pfeiffer	1-0
Army	0-1	Lamar	1-0	Pittsburgh	2-0
Austin Peay	1-1	La Salle	0-1	Providence	1-0
Belmont	2-0	Lenoir Rhyne	2-0	Purdue	1-0
Boston College	0-1	Lewis	1-0	Quincy	1-0
Brigham Young	2-1	Lincoln Memorial	2-0	Radford	2-3
Bradley	5-3	Long Beach State	0-1	Rhode Island	1-0
Brown	0-1	Louisiana State	0-1	Richmond	0-9
Campbell	0-4	Louisiana Tech	0-2	Rutgers	0-1
Carson Newman	1-1	Louisville	0-3	St. Bonaventure	1-0
Catholic	0-1	Loyola-Chicago	2-1	St. John's	0-2
Central Missouri	0-1	Marist	1-0	St. Louis	1-1
Central State	1-0	Mars Hill	2-0	San Diego State	1-0
Chattanooga	4-14	Marshall	8-9	Seton Hall	0-2
Charleston Southern	1-0	Maryland-Baltimore County	1-0	South Carolina	1-3
Chicago State	1-0	Maryland-Eastern Shore	0-1	South Carolina State	1-0
Cincinnati	0-1	Memphis	2-2	Southern Illinois	2-7
Clemson	0-4	Mercer	3-3	Southern Methodist	1-0
Coastal Carolina	3-1	Miami, Florida	1-0	Southwest Missouri State	4-6
College of Charleston	4-5	Miami, Ohio	0-1	Syracuse	0-2
Colorado	1-7	Michigan State	0-2	Texas-Pan American	0-1
Creighton	0-2	Middle Tennessee State	1-5	Tennessee	0-4
Dartmouth	1-0	Minnesota	2-2	Tennessee-Chattanooga	0-1
Davidson	0-3	Missouri	2-5	Tennessee-Martin	4-1
Dayton	1-0	Missouri-Kansas City	1-1	Tennessee Tech	1-7
Delaware State	1-0	Missouri-Rolla	1-0	Union	0-1
Detroit	0-1	Missouri Western	1-0	Vanderbilt	2-1
Duke	0-1	Morehead State	1-1	Vermont	0-1
East Carolina	8-6	Mulligan	1-0	Virginia	0-2
Eastern Illinois	3-5	Murray State	2-2	Virginia Commonwealth	3-5
Eastern Kentucky	1-0	Navy	2-1	Virginia Tech	4-6
Elon	0-1	Nebraska	1-9	Wake Forest	2-0
Evansville	0-1	New Hampshire	1-0	Western Carolina	14-2
Farleigh Dickinson	1-0	Niagara	1-0	Western Illinois	8-0
Fordham	1-0	Nicholls State	0-1	Western Kentucky	2-1
Furman	4-0	North Carolina	0-3	Western Michigan	1-0
Georgia State	1-1	North Carolina A&T	0-1	West Virginia	1-1
George Mason	2-8	North Carolina-Asheville	2-0	Wichita State	6-5
Georgetown	2-1	North Carolina-Charlotte	1-1	William & Mary	2-8
Hampton	1-0	North Carolina-Greensboro	0-1	Winthrop	2-1
High Point	1-0	North Carolina-Wilmington	1-0	Wisconsin	1-0
Illinois-Chicago	0-2	Northern Iowa	9-0	Wis.-Green Bay	0-2
Illinois State	1-8	Northwestern	0-2	Wofford	2-0
Indiana	0-1	Northwestern State	0-3	<u>Yale</u>	<u>0-1</u>
Indiana State	5-3	Notre Dame	0-1		
Iowa	0-4	Ohio	1-0	TOTAL	231-311
Iowa State	6-5	Oklahoma	2-5		
		Oklahoma State	1-5		

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/Previous School
3	Keisha Blackwell	So.	G	5-6	Baltimore, Md./Seton Keough
13	Michal Epstein	So.	G	5-10	Rehovot, Israel/Kiriat Sharet
15	Andrea Horvath	Sr.	F	6-0	Sopron, Hungary/Pratt CC
21	Jessica Simmonds	So.	F/C	6-2	South Orange, N.J./Columbia
23	Kristin Quinn	Jr.	G	5-4	Sewell, N.J./Gloucester Catholic
30	Gayle Nwafili	So.	F	6-1	Maplewood, N.J./Columbia
35	Jama Gilmore	Jr.	C	6-5	Muncie, Ind./IUPUI
40	Katie Keefe	Jr.	G	5-8	Avon, Conn./Avon
42	Brooke Freeburg	Sr.	G	5-11	Waterford, Pa./Fort LeBoeuf
50	Kacee Wheeler	Sr.	G/F	6-1	Bakersfield, Calif./San Diego State
55	Quiana Copeland	So.	F	6-0	Mattapan, Mass./Melrose

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/Previous School
3	Keisha Blackwell	So.	G	5-6	Baltimore, Md./Seton Keough
55	Quiana Copeland	So.	F	6-0	Mattapan, Mass./Melrose
13	Michal Epstein	So.	G	5-10	Rehovot, Israel/Kiriat Sharet
42	Brooke Freeburg	Sr.	G	5-11	Waterford, Pa./Fort LeBoeuf
35	Jama Gilmore	Jr.	C	6-5	Muncie, Ind./IUPUI
15	Andrea Horvath	Sr.	F	6-0	Sopron, Hungary/Pratt CC
40	Katie Keefe	Jr.	G	5-8	Avon, Conn./Avon
30	Gayle Nwafili	So.	F	6-1	Maplewood, N.J./Columbia
23	Kristin Quinn	Jr.	G	5-4	Sewell, N.J./Gloucester Catholic
21	Jessica Simmonds	So.	F/C	6-2	South Orange, N.J./Columbia
50	Kacee Wheeler	Sr.	G/F	6-1	Bakersfield, Calif./San Diego State

HEAD COACH: Susan Yow (Elon '76)

ASSISTANT COACHES: Sue Doran (West Georgia '78), Jack Easley (Missouri Valley '77), A.G. Hall (North Carolina Central University '98)



PROVIDENCE COLLEGE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STATISTICS

(statistics are current through games played 2/21/03)

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(9-15)	(5-8)	(3-7)	(1-0)
CONFERENCE.....	(3-10)	(2-5)	(1-5)	(0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(6-5)	(3-3)	(2-2)	(1-0)

## Player	GP-GS	---TOTAL---			---3-PTS---			---REBOUNDS---				PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg	
		Min--Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot									Avg
13 Epstein, Michal....	23-22	752 32.7	116-255	.455	28-84	.333	79-103	.767	16	61	77	3.3	54	0	60	107	4	25	339	14.7
Conference-Only..	12-11	412 34.3	54-126	.429	15-44	.341	38-51	.745	8	31	39	3.3	26	0	33	59	2	8	161	13.4
42 Freeburg, Brooke...	24-24	697 29.0	75-196	.383	15-59	.254	53-74	.716	33	49	82	3.4	48	2	38	64	4	25	218	9.1
Conference-Only..	13-13	391 30.1	42-108	.389	8-29	.276	25-33	.758	15	29	44	3.4	27	1	22	31	2	15	117	9.0
21 Simmonds, Jessica..	23-19	580 25.2	80-171	.468	0-0	.000	43-80	.538	47	89	136	5.9	65	0	24	64	10	33	203	8.8
Conference-Only..	13-13	366 28.2	57-114	.500	0-0	.000	19-37	.514	23	55	78	6.0	39	0	15	33	3	17	133	10.2
50 Wheeler, Kacee....	21-20	434 20.7	66-119	.555	6-18	.333	33-46	.717	33	64	97	4.6	69	3	25	53	5	12	171	8.1
Conference-Only..	10-9	221 22.1	32-62	.516	3-10	.300	22-30	.733	15	36	51	5.1	36	2	12	28	1	8	89	8.9
10 Blackwell, Keisha..	24-24	707 29.5	58-165	.352	24-76	.316	17-28	.607	7	54	61	2.5	63	0	51	72	2	35	157	6.5
Conference-Only..	13-13	369 28.4	29-82	.354	10-37	.270	9-17	.529	3	21	24	1.8	32	0	25	42	0	17	77	5.9
23 Quinn, Kristin....	24-2	547 22.8	33-97	.340	22-62	.355	44-49	.898	12	41	53	2.2	51	1	32	37	1	20	132	5.5
Conference-Only..	13-2	345 26.5	24-65	.369	14-35	.400	29-34	.853	4	23	27	2.1	27	1	20	22	1	11	91	7.0
15 Horvath, Andrea....	24-4	409 17.0	36-77	.468	2-7	.286	24-31	.774	24	42	66	2.8	55	2	28	35	4	15	98	4.1
Conference-Only..	13-4	258 19.8	25-49	.510	2-4	.500	14-17	.824	10	24	34	2.6	34	1	21	22	1	9	66	5.1
10 McCants, Elaine....	6-0	68 11.3	8-16	.500	3-5	.600	2-2	1.000	0	11	11	1.8	8	0	8	10	1	3	21	3.5
Conference-Only..	1-0	3 3.0	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2.0
55 Copeland, Quiana...	19-0	279 14.7	28-65	.431	0-0	.000	9-18	.500	27	40	67	3.5	25	0	4	15	21	6	65	3.4
Conference-Only..	10-0	154 15.4	12-30	.400	0-0	.000	6-13	.462	14	25	39	3.9	17	0	4	7	11	4	30	3.0
32 Kilgore, Ryann....	6-0	60 10.0	5-21	.238	0-0	.000	8-10	.800	5	5	10	1.7	10	0	1	6	0	3	18	3.0
Conference-Only..	0-0	0 0.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
30 Nwafili, Gayle....	17-5	183 10.8	15-47	.319	0-1	.000	5-11	.455	22	32	54	3.2	17	0	7	19	4	5	35	2.1
Conference-Only..	6-0	47 7.8	2-9	.222	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	6	8	14	2.3	9	0	6	1	1	4	0	0.7
35 Gilmore, Jama.....	6-0	26 4.3	3-9	.333	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	4	3	7	1.2	4	0	1	5	0	1	6	1.0
Conference-Only..	4-0	17 4.3	0-5	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	4	2	6	1.5	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0.0
40 Keefe, Katie.....	11-0	58 5.3	3-9	.333	0-1	.000	1-2	.500	0	2	2	0.2	1	0	5	5	1	2	7	0.6
Conference-Only..	5-0	17 3.4	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1	0.2	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0.6
TEAM.....																				
Conference-Only..									31	44	75	3.1	0			8				
Total.....	24	4800	526-1247	.422	100-313	.319	318-454	.700	261	537	798	33.2	470	8	284	500	57	185	1470	61.2
Conference-Only..	13	2600	279-652	.428	52-159	.327	163-236	.691	122	282	404	31.1	252	5	152	262	22	90	773	59.5
Opponents.....	24	4800	560-1287	.435	117-299	.391	339-486	.698	270	539	809	33.7	449	-	303	446	54	197	1576	65.7
Conference-Only..	13	2600	320-697	.459	75-182	.412	171-264	.648	147	291	438	33.7	228	6	172	229	28	109	886	68.2

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
Providence.....	703	767	1470
Opponents.....	734	842	1576

DEADBALL REBOUNDS:	OFF	DEF	TOTAL
Providence.....	56	7	63
Opponents.....	56	5	61



PROVIDENCE COLLEGE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL RESULTS AND TEAM STATISTICS

(statistics are current through games played 2/21/03)

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(9-15)	(5-8)	(3-7)	(1-0)
CONFERENCE.....	(3-10)	(2-5)	(1-5)	(0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(6-5)	(3-3)	(2-2)	(1-0)

DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
#11/22/02	vs NAVY	W	70-62	213
#11/23/02	at VERMONT	L	49-65	1244
11/26/02	BROWN	L	62-64	263
12/1/02	LAMAR	W	77-57	213
12/03/02	at Alabama	L	56-72	709
12/6/02	MINNESOTA	L	55-67	256
12/20/02	MICHIGAN STATE	L	54-73	352
12/22/02	at Rhode Island	W	63-55	987
12/28/02	at St. Bonaventure	W	65-60	800
12/30/02	MARIST	W	72-55	273
*1/4/03	BOSTON COLLEGE	L	63-85	512
*01/08/03	at Georgetown University	L	67-79	351
*01/11/02	at Pittsburgh	W	80-77	745
*1/15/03	WEST VIRGINIA	W	75-61	217
1/18/03	DARTMOUTH	W	74-60	420
*1/22/03	ST. JOHN'S	L	62-67	365
*01/25/03	at Seton Hall	L	54-64	1374
*1/28/03	RUTGERS	L	44-71	192
*02/01/03	at Virginia Tech	L	56-80	2704
*2/5/03	at West Virginia	L	54-61	427
*2/8/03	PITTSBURGH	W	57-54	341
*2/13/03	SETON HALL	L	42-54	297
*2/16/03	NOTRE DAME	L	61-67	1781
*2/19/03	at Syracuse	L	58-66	745

= Banknorth Classic (Burlington, Vt.)
 * = BIG EAST Conference game

TEAM STATISTICS	PC	OPP
SCORING.....	1470	1576
Points per game.....	61.2	65.7
Scoring margin.....	-4.4	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	526-1247	560-1287
Field goal pct.....	.422	.435
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	100-313	117-299
3-point FG pct.....	.319	.391
3-pt FG made per game..	4.2	4.9
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	318-454	339-486
Free throw pct.....	.700	.698
REBOUNDS.....	798	809
Rebounds per game.....	33.2	33.7
Rebounding margin.....	-0.5	-
ASSISTS.....	284	303
Assists per game.....	11.8	12.6
TURNOVERS.....	500	446
Turnovers per game....	20.8	18.6
Turnover margin.....	-2.2	-
Assist/turnover ratio..	0.6	0.7
STEALS.....	185	197
Steals per game.....	7.7	8.2
BLOCKS.....	57	54
Blocks per game.....	2.4	2.3
WINNING STREAK.....	0	-
Home win streak.....	0	-
ATTENDANCE.....	5482	10299
Home games-Avg/Game....	13-422	10-1009
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	1-213

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
Providence.....	703	767	- 1470
Opponents.....	734	842	- 1576

PROVIDENCE COLLEGE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL CAREER-HIGHS

(statistics are current through games played 2/21/03)

#3 Keisha Blackwell (So., Guard, 5-6)

Points: 14 twice - at Rhode Island (12/22/02); at Georgetown (1/8/03)

Rebounds: 5 twice - at Alabama (12/3/02); vs. Minnesota (12/6/02)

Assists: 7 at Seton Hall (1/26/02)

Steals: 6 at Seton Hall (1/26/02)

#13 Michal Epstein (So., Guard, 5-10)

Points: 25 twice - at Rhode Island (12/22/02); at Pittsburgh (1/11/03)

Rebounds: 8 twice - at Montana (12/28/01); vs. Connecticut (2/3/02)

Assists: 6 twice - at St. John's (2/6/02); vs. Pittsburgh (2/26/02)

Steals: 4 vs. Marist (12/30/02)

#15 Andrea Horvath (Jr., Forward, 6-0)

Points: 11 vs. Notre Dame (2/16/03)

Rebounds: 7 at Rhode Island (12/22/02)

Assists: 4 vs. Pittsburgh (2/8/03)

Steals: 3 at Syracuse (2/19/03)

#21 Jessica Simmonds (So., Forward/Center, 6-2)

Points: 19 twice - vs. Pittsburgh (2/26/02); vs. Seton Hall (2/13/03)

Rebounds: 13 vs. Syracuse (2/9/02)

Assists: 3 twice - at Boston College (1/15/02); vs. Miami (2/23/02)

Steals: 5 vs. St. Bonaventure (11/21/01)

#23 Kristin Quinn (Jr., Guard, 5-4)

Points: 23 vs. Syracuse (2/27/01)

Rebounds: 11 vs. Holy Cross (12/20/00)

Assists: 7 vs. Holy Cross (12/20/00)

Steals: 4 four times - vs. Pacific (11/24/00); vs. West Virginia (2/17/01), vs. Syracuse (2/27/01); vs. Notre Dame (2/16/03)

#30 Gayle Nwafili (So., Forward, 6-1)

Points: 11 vs. Brown (11/26/02)

Rebounds: 11 at Alabama (12/3/02)

Assists: 4 vs. Lamar (12/1/02)

Steals: 2 at Rhode Island (12/22/02)

#35 Jama Gilmore (Jr., Center, 6-5)

Points: 4 vs. Dartmouth (1/18/03)

Rebounds: 3 twice - at Virginia Tech (2/1/03); vs. Pittsburgh (2/8/03)

Assists: 1 vs. Dartmouth (1/18/03)

Steals: 1 vs. Marist (12/30/02)

#40 Katie Keefe (Jr., Guard, 5-8)

Points: 4 at Holy Cross (11/19/01)

Rebounds: 1 five times - at Minnesota (11/19/00); at Marist (11/24/01); vs. Connecticut (2/3/02); at Vermont (11/23/02); at Georgetown (1/8/03)

Assists: 2 vs. Navy (11/22/02)

Steals: 1 twice - at Holy Cross (11/19/01); vs. Brown (11/26/02)

#42 Brooke Freeburg (Sr., Guard, 5-11)

Points: 16 twice - at Vermont (11/23/02); at Virginia Tech (2/1/03)

Rebounds: 9 at Marist (11/24/01)

Assists: 5 vs. Brown (11/26/02)

Steals: 4 three times - at St. Bonaventure (12/28/02); at Virginia Tech (2/1/03); vs. Pittsburgh (2/8/03)

#50 Kacee Wheeler (Sr., Guard/Forward, 6-1)

Points: 18 vs. West Virginia (1/15/03)

Rebounds: 11 twice - at Pittsburgh (1/11/03); vs. West Virginia (1/15/03)

Assists: 4 three times - at Michigan State (12/21/01); vs. St. John's (1/22/03); at Seton Hall (1/25/03)

Steals: 2 four times - at Vermont (11/23/02); at Pittsburgh (1/11/03); vs. St. John's (1/22/03); at Virginia Tech (2/1/03)

#55 Quiana Copeland (So., Forward, 6-0)

Points: 8 at Syracuse (1/12/02)

Rebounds: 9 twice - vs. Seton Hall (2/13/03); vs. Notre Dame (2/16/03)

Assists: 2 twice - vs. Pittsburgh (2/26/02); at Pittsburgh (1/11/03)

Steals: 3 vs. Seton Hall (2/13/03)