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2007 Soccer Media and Recruiting Guide





2007 WILDCAT SOCCER



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2007 Wildcat Seniors: Pictured, left to right, are senior co-captain Marci Douglas, WSC head coach Brooke Bredenberg and senior co-captain Gena Romano.



ABOUT WAYNE STATE COLLEGE



Innovative programs. Excellent career preparation. Personal attention. Active campus life. Scenic surroundings. Founded in 1891 as Nebraska Normal College, Wayne State College earned a distinguished reputation as a teachers' college from its early days. We're still a great teachers' college—but so much more!

Innovative Programs

Wayne State's four academic schools—Arts and Humanities, Business and Technology, Education and Counseling, and Natural and Social Sciences—offer a comprehensive selection of courses. You'll find 80 majors and minors ranging from pre-professional studies to criminal justice to a nationally accredited undergraduate sports management program, and many others in 14 academic departments across campus.

The Rural Health Opportunities Program (RHOP) at Wayne State College provides pre-professional training in medicine, pharmacy and dentistry in cooperation with the University of Nebraska Medical Center. Students who successfully complete the program at WSC are automatically accepted into medical, pharmacy, or dental school at UNMC.

Thinking of teaching? Upper-level education majors at Wayne State have the opportunity to participate in the Northeast Nebraska Teacher Academy (NENTA), the first of its kind in the nation, where WSC students receive classroom experience with participating K-12 schools in the region.

Through WSC WebCat On-line, students can register for class, check on grades and student accounts, from the convenience of their home or residence hall room.

Excellent Career Preparation

Whether you plan to be an accountant or a wildlife biologist, you'll receive the preparation you need at Wayne State College. In addition to classes taught by experts in their fields, Wayne State College provides internship and cooperative programs for students in a number of majors. Many regional businesses actively recruit Wayne State students for internships, with many of these internships resulting in full-time employment after graduation.

The WSC Career Services office assists students with career exploration, job preparation skills, interviews, as well as arranging internships and cooperative experiences.



Personal Attention

Students at Wayne State College don't get lost in the crowd. With an average class size of 21 and a student/faculty ratio of 19:1, WSC students get to know their professors and classmates. Eighty percent of Wayne State professors have the highest degree in their field—and most teach first-year as well as upper-level classes. You will find dedicated professors and instructors at Wayne State College: teaching is their life's work, and their enthusiasm is contagious.

Wayne State College offers a variety of support services and programs to students. The heart of the WSC campus is the Student Center, where academic and personal support services are located. The Learning Center and Peer Tutoring Program are designed to help all students achieve the highest possible level of success in their studies.

Active Campus Life

With more than 85 clubs and organizations on campus, Wayne State College students have many opportunities to be involved in campus and community life.

Wayne State College has an active Greek life, with Greek Olympics being held at Homecoming each fall, as well as other social and service activities. The Student Activities Board (SAB) plans a variety of special programs each year, bringing musical groups such as Vertical Horizon, Five for Fighting, Goo Goo Dolls, Sawyer Brown, Blackhawk, Firehouse, and others to campus. Comedian Adam Sandler and other national performers have performed on campus.

The Multicultural Center, one of the newest campus programs, provides outreach and support to Wayne State College students and the region through special events during the year.

Wayne State College competes in NCAA Division II, and is a member of the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference. Competitive sports include football, volleyball, men's and women's basketball and track, cross country, men's baseball, women's softball, men's and women's golf, and women's soccer.

Scenic Surroundings

You'll feel right at home on Wayne State's beautiful, historic campus located in the northeast Nebraska community of Wayne. The campus combines stately, historic buildings with the newly renovated Student Center, Ramsey Theatre, Studio Arts Build-

ing and Connell Hall. A new state-of-the-art indoor track was completed in the summer of 2001 in the WSC Recreation Center and the outdoor track was renovated with a new surface in the summer and fall of 2003.

Wayne State College's seven residence halls provide students with a comfortable, affordable and convenient place to live with easy access to the entire campus community. Each hall has lounges and recreation areas, laundry facilities, mail service, academic tutors and study areas. Six of the seven halls are wired for access to the campus computer network from your personal computer.



WAYNE STATE ADMINISTRATION



Dr. Richard Collings
President

Dr. Richard Collings is in his fourth year as the 11th president of Wayne State College. Prior to assuming the presidency of Wayne State, Collings was vice chancellor for academic affairs and professor of political science and public affairs at Western Carolina University in Cullowhee, North Carolina, a position he held from 1996-2004. At Western Carolina, he led many academic and administration initiatives, including creating a residential honors college, developing technology partnerships with other institutions throughout the nation and implementing a strategic planning process.

From 1991-96, Collings was provost and vice president for academic affairs at Kutztown University of Pennsylvania, where he had served as dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences from 1989-91. Previously, he was assistant provost and chairperson of the department of political science at Southeast Missouri State in Cape Girardeau, Mo.

A native of Louisville, Ky., Collings earned a Ph.D. in political science in 1977 and a master's degree in Latin American studies in 1972, both from Tulane University. He received a bachelor's degree in international studies from the University of Louisville in 1968.

President Collings and his wife, Marilyn, have three grown children: Michael, Kristen and Kelly. They also have two grandchildren, Ethan and Kai.



Eric Schoh
Director of Athletics

Entering his fourth year as athletic director, Eric Schoh has injected enthusiasm and success into the Wildcat athletic department.

Wayne State College placed third in the 2006-07 Northern Sun Conference All-Sports Standings by winning four conference championships (women's cross country, men's indoor track and field, baseball and men's outdoor track and field). Two teams (volleyball and baseball) also qualified for NCAA post-season competition.

"Everyone associated with Wildcat athletics should be proud of our accomplishments this past year," said Schoh. "The student-athletes, coaches, campus community and people of Wayne all had a hand in our success. It is a credit to the quality student-athletes we have at Wayne State when you are able to combine academic accomplishments with athletic success."

Prior to coming to Wayne State, Schoh was the associate athletic director for development at California State University in Bakersfield, Calif. from 2002-2004. From 1998-2002, Schoh

was associate director of athletics at the University of South Dakota. He was the regional director of D.D. Marketing Inc. in Pueblo, Colorado from 1997-98 and was the assistant director of athletics at Montana State University in Billings, Montana from 1995-97.

Schoh earned his master's degree in education from Iowa State University. He earned his bachelor's degree in journalism and mass communications from Iowa State University as well.

Schoh is a native of LaCrescent, Minnesota. He and his wife, Stephanie, have three children: Paige, Eric and Tyler.



Mike Barry
Assistant Director of Athletics

Mike Barry is in his eighth year as associate director of athletics. Barry is also in his 10th year as the director of sports and recreational facilities. His duties include scheduling athletic contests and practices, home game management and serving as the athletic and recreational facilities' coordinator.

Barry was the Wayne State women's basketball head coach for seven seasons. He compiled a 97-92 record, which is second all-time on the school's career victory list. His best team was the 1993-94 squad which posted a 22-5 record.

Barry came to Wayne State following two years as an assistant women's basketball coach at Pratt Community College in Kansas. He also coached at Chadron State, Eastern New Mexico University, and Fullerton and Stuart high schools in Nebraska.

Barry, a native of Grant, Neb., was a four-sport athlete at Chadron State. He was a three-time NAIA national qualifier in the triple jump, and also lettered in basketball, football, and cross country.

Barry earned his Bachelor's Degree in Physical Education from Chadron State in 1983 and earned his Master's Degree in Secondary Education in 1988. He and his wife, Jeannette, have two sons, Jordan, 15, and Jalen, 12. Barry also has a son Rick, who lives in Crawford, Nebraska.



Shawn Pearcy
Faculty Athletic Representative

Dr. Shawn Pearcy is in his fourth year as Faculty Athletic Representative at Wayne State College. Pearcy, an associate professor in the Life Sciences Department, is in his 10th year teaching at the school.

An Indiana native, Pearcy attended Purdue University and Indiana University, earning his bachelors degree from Indiana University in 1989. While an undergraduate, he participated in crew, ultimate and lacrosse. Pearcy attended graduate school at Washington State University, completing his doctorate in Zoophysiology in 1996. He enjoys teaching general biology, human physiology and vertebrae embryology at WSC. Pearcy is also a nationally-certified EMT and firefighter and serves on the Wayne Volunteer Fire and Rescue Department.



WAYNE STATE FACILITIES

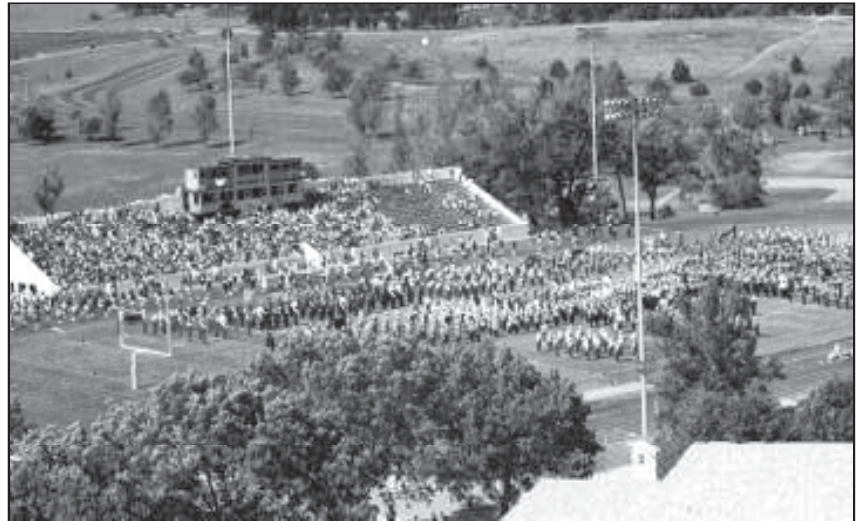


Memorial Stadium / Bob Cunningham Field

Memorial Stadium has been "Home of the Wildcats" since 1931 when the college purchased 11 acres of land for athletic fields. The grandstand was constructed in 1933. The stadium was officially designated Memorial Stadium following World War II in honor of the Wayne State students who served in the war. Bob Cunningham Field was named in 1993 for the WSC three-sport Hall of Fame standout (1936-39).

The press box was built at the time of the grandstand construction, with a second level being added in 1969.

The main stadium has seating for 2,500 fans while the bleachers on the east side of the field can seat an additional 1,000 fans. Cunningham Field has a natural grass surface.



Recreation Center

The Wayne State College Recreation Center opened in 1987 and is the college's main facility for student recreation and selected athletic activities.

The main area in the Recreation Center provides a six-lane running track that was resurfaced last year with one of the best surfaces used today. Three full-size courts for basketball, volleyball, tennis, and badminton are also housed in the rec center. Racquetball, weight training, aerobics, gymnastics, wrestling, and sauna facilities are all available to WSC students, faculty and staff as well as residents of the Wayne community.

The Recreation Center also houses locker rooms for Wildcat athletic teams, and offices for the WSC athletic department.



Baseball & Softball Complex

The baseball and softball complex opened in the spring of 1996. Located north of Memorial Stadium, the complex provides a picturesque setting for baseball and softball games. The baseball field received a face lift in the summer of 2004 with the addition of lockerrooms, rest rooms, a concession stand and a press box. A new outfield fence was installed before the start of the 2005 season.

Soccer Field

Located east of Memorial Stadium and adjacent to the baseball field, the WSC soccer field made its debut in the fall of 1997, in time for the inaugural Wildcat soccer season. In 2001, a new scoreboard was put in place along with more grandstands to accommodate the growing population of soccer fans attending games.





WAYNE STATE FACILITIES



Rice Auditorium

Rice Auditorium serves as the home for the Wildcat men's and women's basketball teams as well as the volleyball squad. Recent upgrades to the arena include: new balcony seats and a new stage curtain in 2007; a new playing surface in 2004; new scoreboards on the north and south walls (summer of 1998) and new bleachers in the lower level (summer of 1996). Its facilities include refurbished locker rooms, classrooms, a training room, and a state-of-the-art training facility.

The gymnasium area seats approximately 2,500 for basketball games and volleyball matches. Named for John D. Rice, Wayne State College president from 1951-56, Rice Auditorium was the site of the 1999 NCAA Division II North Central Regional Men's Basketball Championships and the 2006 NSIC Red Baron Women's Basketball Classic.



Strength Training Complex

The Strength Training Complex at Wayne State is one of the finest equipped facilities in the Nebraska State College system. The 2,400-square foot facility is equipped with a variety of both free weight and variable resistance apparatus. Six Olympic benches, six incline benches, eight squat racks, three hip sleds, two hi-low lateral pull machines and a Pec Dec, along with a complete assortment of dumbbells help facilitate as many as 70 athletes without delay. An extensive remodeling project was responsible for improved lighting, a sound system, and flooring in the strength room. Recently, more renovations were made, including painting the walls, additional mirrors and raising the ceiling in one area for overhead lifting.



Carlson Natatorium

Carlson Natatorium adjoins the Recreation Center and Rice Auditorium. The 25-yard long pool is used for a variety of functions, including lap swimming, aquasize classes, senior wellness aquasize classes, HHPS classes, intramural activities and athletic training rehabilitation exercises. The natatorium is open in the summer for use by the athletic camps and Rec Center members.





ATHLETIC TRAINING SERVICES



TJ Horton
Head Athletic Trainer



TJ Horton is in his second year at Wayne State College and first as head athletic trainer after serving in an assistant athletic trainer role in 2006-07. He will oversee athletic training responsibilities for all 15 varsity sports at Wayne State College.

Before coming to Wayne State, the Deerfield, Kansas native worked at Carson-Newman College in Tennessee, an NCAA Division II school. His responsibilities included working with the men's and women's soccer and baseball teams along with teaching introduction to athletic training. Horton also served as a graduate assistant athletic trainer at Creighton University in Omaha while working on his master's degree at the University of Nebraska-Omaha. At Creighton, Horton worked with women's soccer, softball and men's and women's tennis.

Horton earned his bachelors degree from the University of Tulsa in 2003 and his masters degree from UNO in 2005.

Other WSC athletic training staff members

- Guy Horn - Assistant Athletic Trainer**
- Mark Schoenfelder - Assistant Athletic Trainer**
- Kari Schoenfish - Graduate Assistant Athletic Trainer**

Athletic Training Room

The Athletic Training Room is the site of taping, treatment and injury evaluations. It has a variety of up to date, quality equipment. A partial inventory of modalities available for athletes include: three whirlpools, RichMar Theratouch 7.7 electrical stimulation machine, RichMar HV-II combination ultrasound/electrical stimulation machine, RichMar portable ultrasound machine, Game-ready intermittent compression machine, Therabath Parafin machine, and Hydrocollator heat pack units. The athletic training room also has three computers.

Dr. Steven Stokesbary
Team Orthopedist



Dr. Steven Stokesbary enters his sixth season as Wayne State's team orthopedist.

Dr. Stokesbary is a partner in The Center for Neurosciences, Orthopaedics, and Spine Sports Medicine, P.C. (CNOS) in Dakota Dunes, South Dakota. He graduated from the University of Iowa and earned his medical degree also from the University of Iowa College of Medicine, after which he completed his residency at the University of Missouri Health Services.

Dr. Stokesbary has been practicing for CNOS Sports Medicine for over seven years, which provides athletic training services for over 40 area high schools, colleges and professional organizations.

Wildcat Sports Medicine Center

The Wildcat Sports Medicine Center, which opened December 1, 2005, brings a state-of-the-art physical therapy and athletic training facility to its campus. This 4,000-square foot center is located next to the Wayne State College Recreation Center and will serve as the hub of treatment and rehabilitation services.

Dedicated to quality care, the new Wildcat Sports Medicine Center provides the finest in sports rehabilitation, physical therapy and athletic training services to Wayne State student-athletes, campus community and the general public.

In addition to this new facility, the Wildcat Sports Medicine Center also utilizes the Carlson Natatorium for the aquatic therapy program. The Wildcat Sports Medicine Center represents excellence; a total commitment by Wayne State College to the health of its' students and desire to be an active member of the Wayne community by opening its' doors to the public.





WILDCAT COACHING STAFF



Brooke Bredenberg *Head Coach*



Brooke Bredenberg is in her second season as head coach at Wayne State College. The Wildcats posted a 10-10-1 overall mark and was 4-4-1 in the NSIC (sixth place) in Bredenberg's first season at the helm. A highlight to Bredenberg's first season as head coach was a 1-0 overtime shootout win at third-seeded Bemidji State in

the first round of the 2006 NSIC Tournament. The Wildcats went on to a fourth place finish in the event.

Bredenberg was a standout player at the University of Nebraska from 2001-2004. While student teaching at Beatrice HS in 2005-06, she coached the Lady Orange girl's soccer team to one of its best seasons in school history, going 7-7 and advancing to the Class B-4 District Final, falling to eventual Class B State runner-up Lincoln Pius.

A native of Dayton, Minnesota, Bredenberg was a four-year letter winner at Nebraska while playing three different positions for the Huskers. She scored six goals and had two assists for 14 points during her senior season at NU, ranking third on the team in scoring. As a junior, Bredenberg played goal keeper and notched an 11-6-1 record with a 1.39 goals against average. She played midfielder as a freshman and sophomore. Bredenberg finished her career at Nebraska with eight goals and four assists.

In high school, Bredenberg earned all-state soccer honors as a junior and senior at Champlin Park High School in Dayton, Minnesota. She helped her team win the conference championship as a senior and scored 58 points on 23 goals and 12 assists as a junior. Bredenberg also excelled in track and field, placing second in the 300-meter hurdles (43.98) at the Minnesota Class AA State Track Meet as a senior in 2001. She was a three-time team MVP in track and field and also earned three letters in basketball. In club soccer, Bredenberg helped the Minnesota Blackhawks 18-under team to the 2001 State Cup title, representing Minnesota at the Midwest Regional Championships in Springfield, Missouri.

Bredenberg is a 2006 graduate of the University of Nebraska, earning her bachelor's degree in K-12 art education.

Mirza Hasanbegovic *Graduate Assistant Coach*



Mirza Hasanbegovic is in his first season as graduate assistant coach for the Wayne State College women's soccer team.

Before coming to Wayne State, Hasanbegovic, a native of Bosnia, attended Hastings College where he was a member of the Broncos men's soccer team. He played on four conference championship teams, two region tournament championship teams and two NAIA national tournament teams. Both trips to the national tournament resulted in Final Four appearances.

Hasanbegovic is a graduate of Omaha Westside High School and earned a bachelor's degree from Hastings College in 2006 with a double major in business administration and health promotion management with an emphasis in business management. He is pursuing a master's degree in sports administration at Wayne State College.

Sarah James *Student Assistant*



2007 Wildcat Coaching Staff: Head Coach Brooke Bredenberg, Student Assistant Sarah James and Graduate Assistant Coach Mirza Hasanbegovic



WSC SOCCER COACHING HISTORY



WAYNE STATE'S YEAR-BY-YEAR RECORD

<u>Year</u>	<u>Record</u>	<u>Coach</u>
2006	10-10-1	Brooke Bredenberg
2005	11-9-3	Oliver Twelvetrees
2004	6-14	Oliver Twelvetrees
2003	7-13-2	Rollie Bulock
2002	7-13	Rollie Bulock
2001	14-9	Justin Cole
2000	18-4-1	Justin Cole
1999	12-6	Justin Cole
1998	6-5	Justin Cole
1997	0-3	Kathy Shaffer

WILDCAT COACHING RECORDS

<u>Coach</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Record</u>	
Brooke Bredenberg	1 (2006-pres.)	10-10-1	(.500)
Oliver Twelvetrees	2 (2004-05)	17-23-3	(.441)
Rollie Bulock	2 (2002-03)	14-26-2	(.357)
Justin Cole	4 (1998-2001)	50-24-1	(.666)
Kathy Shaffer	1 (1997)	0-3	(.000)
Totals	10	91-86-7	(.511)

2007 WILDCAT ROSTER

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Pos.</u>	<u>Ht.</u>	<u>Yr.</u>	<u>Hometown (High School)</u>
00	Charis Oswald	Fwd	5-1	Fr.	Council Bluffs, Iowa (Thomas Jefferson HS)
0	Rachel Fuchs	GK	5-9	So.	Omaha, Neb. (Skutt Catholic HS)
2	Christina King	Def	5-6	So.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard West HS)
3	Kayleen Loveless	Def	5-3	Fr.	Grand Island, Neb. (Northwest HS)
4	Megan Kenealy	Mid	5-4	So.	Blair, Neb. (Blair HS)
5	Anna Walker	Def	5-5	Fr.	Beatrice, Neb. (Beatrice HS)
6	Cassidy Goc	Def	5-4	Jr.	Columbus, Neb. (Columbus HS)
8	Ashley Janca	Mid	5-9	Fr.	Bellevue, Neb. (Bellevue West HS)
9	Melisse Sullivan	Mid	5-7	Fr.	Champlin, Minn. (Osseo HS)
10	Valerie Robinson	Mid	5-1	So.	Council Bluffs, Iowa (Thomas Jefferson HS)
11	Marci Douglas	Fwd	5-6	Sr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest HS)
12	Jenna Pendley*	Fwd	5-5	So.	Omaha, Neb. (Bellevue West HS)
13	Sara Schwieger	Def	5-5	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard West HS)
15	Erin Fullmer	Mid	5-3	Fr.	Beatrice, Neb. (Beatrice HS)
17	Michaela Lucas*	Mid	5-6	So.	Plattsmouth, Neb. (Plattsmouth HS)
18	Gena Romano	Fwd	5-4	Sr.	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest HS)
19	Amber Beecher	Def	5-6	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard West HS)
20	Katie Kelley	Mid	5-5	So.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard South HS)
21	Emily Walker	GK	5-6	Fr.	Beatrice, Neb. (Beatrice HS)
22	Stephanie Bright	Fwd	5-4	Fr.	Columbus, Neb. (Columbus HS)
23	Mikayla Comba	Def	5-4	Fr.	Omaha, Neb. (Millard South HS)
25	Tiffani Kellerman	Fwd	5-3	Fr.	Bellevue, Neb. (Bellevue West HS)
31	Krista Zarybnicky	Def	5-9	Fr.	Beatrice, Neb. (Beatrice HS)

* Redshirting in 2007 Season

Head Coach: Brooke Bredenberg (2nd Season)
Graduate Assistant Coach: Mirza Hasenbegovic
Student Assistant: Sarah James

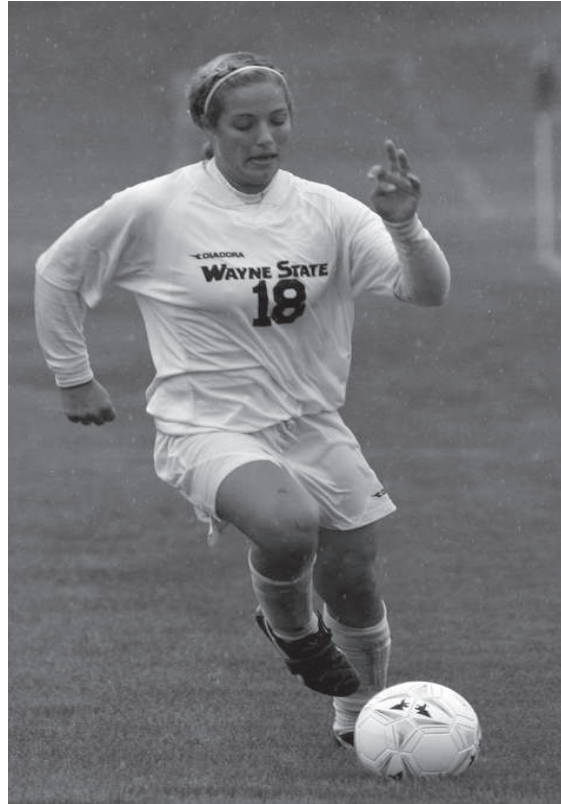


2007 SEASON OUTLOOK



A combination of experience and youth will make up the 2007 Wayne State College women's soccer team. Second-year head coach Brooke Bredenberg welcomes back 10 letter winners and six starters from last season's 10-10-1 team, but the Wildcats will need to rely on a talented recruiting class of 13 freshmen to help fill the shoes of several key players who either graduated or left the program.

Lost to graduation were Melissa Benson, Sarah James and M.A. Liebentritt. Benson was a three-time All-NSIC and two-time All-Central Region performer and ranks sixth on the career scoring list with 24 goals and 54 points. James was a two-time All-NSIC defender that scored three goals last season while Liebentritt was a Second Team All-NSIC honoree last season with eight goals and 19 points and finished her career ranked fifth on the all-time scoring list with 65 points, including 24 goals.



Senior Forward Gena Romano

"Each and every girl on this team will be fighting for a spot throughout the season," said Bredenberg. "I feel the girls have worked hard over the summer and are looking forward to a new season. Our team has an amazing work ethic and has a chance to go very far this season."

The WSC roster of 23 players features just two seniors and one junior with seven sophomores and 13 freshmen making up a majority of the team. Co-captains Marci Douglas and Gena Romano, both seniors, bring a wealth of experience to the Wildcat roster as the two players begin their fourth year of competition. Romano, from Lincoln Southwest, will start the season as a utility player after starting games at three different positions last season. She scored two goals and added two assists for six points, including two game-winning goals. Douglas appeared in all 21 games last season and recorded one assist for the 'Cats.

The lone junior on the team in defender Cassidy Goc (Columbus HS), who recorded one assist while starting 19 of 21 contests.

Sophomore Rachel Fuchs is the lone returning goalkeeper for WSC with freshman Emily Walker (Beatrice HS) contending for playing time. Fuchs was 1-3 with a 2.77 goals against average last season while appearing in 10 games. Walker earned honorable mention All-State honors at Beatrice High School and ranked 10th in Class B with a 1.93 goals against average.

Goc and sophomore Christina King (Millard West HS) are returning starters at defender. "Cassidy and Christina will do very well and start right away with the potential to be All-NSIC players this season," commented Bredenberg. Sophomore Michaela Lucas and freshmen Anna Walker, Krista Zarybnicky, Erin Fullmer, Amber Beecher, Ashley Janca and Sara Schwieger will all contend for playing time at the defender position.

Sophomores Katie Kelley, Megan Kenealy, Valerie Robinson and Michaela Lucas return with experience from last season at the midfielder position. Kelly (Millard South HS) had three goals and seven points with one game-winning goal while Kenealy added three goals in 19 games. Freshman Mikayla Comba will split time at midfield and defender positions.

Douglas is the top returning player at forward with freshmen Tiffani Kellerman, Stephanie Bright and Charis Oswald expected to see plenty of time in the field.

Wayne State opens the 2007 season on the road on Saturday, August 25 at Minnesota State in Mankato, Minnesota. The first of eight home matches for the Wildcats is scheduled for Friday, September 7 when WSC hosts the University of South Dakota followed by the NSIC opener against Southwest Minnesota State in Wayne on Sunday, September 9.



2007 WILDCAT SENIORS



MARCI DOUGLAS 12

5-6, Senior
Forward
Lincoln, Neb.
(Southwest HS)

2006: Started eight of 21 games at defender as a junior. . . Had her first career assist on 9-13-06 against the University of South Dakota.

2005: Played in seven games as a sophomore defender for the Wildcats.

2004: Appeared in 10 games and made nine starts at defender for Wildcats during freshman season.

High School: A graduate of Lincoln Southwest High School in Lincoln, Neb. . . Was named Honorable mention as a junior and senior for All-Conference. MVP her senior year. Was named captain as a junior and senior and was selected Academic All-State as a junior and senior.

Personal: Daughter of Mike and Diane Persson and Mark and Jeanette Douglas...Born on December 14, 1985...Majoring in Pre-Physical Therapy



GENA ROMANO 18

5-4, Senior
Forward
Lincoln, Neb.
(Southwest HS)

2006: Started 19 of 21 games as a junior midfielder. . . Had two goals and two assist for six points. . . Took 22 shots including 12 shots on goal. . . Scored goals against Dordt College and MSU Moorhead on 9-20-06 and 10-15-06. Selected to the NSIC Fall All-Academic Team for the second straight season.

2005: Played in 19 games, including starts in five of them as a sophomore midfielder... Recorded an assist at MSU-Moorhead on 10-22-05 to help salvage a 2-2 tie. Named to the 2005 NSIC Fall All-Academic Team.

2004: Played in all 20 games for the 'Cats, scoring one goal with two assists. Scored goal at Minn.-Crookston on 10-16-04.

High School: A graduate of Lincoln Southwest High School in Lincoln, Neb. . . Was selected honorable mention all-conference as a junior and senior. Was named captain as a junior and senior.

Personal: Daughter of Frank and Debbie Romano of Lincoln, Neb... Born on Nov. 6, 1985...Majoring in Business Advertising.



CAREER STATISTICS - MARCI DOUGLAS									
Year	MP-MS	GOALS	ASST	PTS	SHOTS	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-ATT.
2004	10-9	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0
2005	7-0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0
2006	21-8	0	1	1	4	0	.000	0	0-0
Totals	38-17	0	1	1	4	0	.000	0	0-0

CAREER STATISTICS - GENA ROMANO									
Year	MP-MS	GOALS	ASST	PTS	SHOTS	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-ATT.
2004	20-16	1	2	4	10	4	.400	0	0-0
2005	19-5	0	1	1	7	6	.857	0	0-0
2006	21-19	2	2	6	22	12	.545	2	0-0
Totals	60-40	3	5	11	39	22	.564	2	0-0



RETURNING LETTERWINNERS



CASSIDY GOC **6**
 5-4, Junior
 Defender
 Columbus, Neb.
 (Columbus HS)

2006: Started 19 of 21 games at defender as a sophomore where she had one assist and three shots. . . Picked up one assist against Missouri Western on 9-6-06. Named to the NSIC Fall All-Academic Team with a 3.96 GPA.
2005: Played in 18 games, starting five of them as a freshman defender. . . Started the last four games of the year where she contributed her first collegiate assist against Bemidji State (11-6-05) in the NSIC Tournament.

High School: A graduate of Columbus High School, Goc was All-State Honorable Mention her senior season. She was also All-Conference Honorable Mention as a sophomore and junior. She was an Academic All-State selection as a junior and senior. Goc helped Columbus win four conference and district championships.

Personal: Daughter of Tom and Chris Goc. . . Born on March 31, 1987. . . Major is Wildlife Biology and Journalism.



CAREER STATISTICS - CASSIDY GOC						
Year	MP-MS	G	A	PTS	SHOTS	
2005	18-5	0	1	1	2	
2006	21-19	0	1	1	3	
Totals	39-24	0	2	2	5	



RACHEL FUCHS **0**
 5-9, Sophomore
 Goalkeeper
 Omaha, Neb.
 (Skutt Catholic HS)

2006: Appeared in 10 games making two starts at goalkeeper as a true freshman. . . Had a record of 1-3-0 with a 2.77 goals per contest and a save percentage of .607. . . Picked up her first win on 9-16-06 at Minnesota-Crookston by the score of 2-1. . . Had a career-high seven saves on 10-1-06 at Winona State.

High School: Two-year letterwinner in soccer at Omaha Skutt Catholic HS. . . Helped her team to a state runner-up finish in 2005. . . Was also a team captain.

Personal: Daughter of Joe and Joni Fuchs. . . Born on August 11, 1988. . . Majoring in Spanish and Physical Education.

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CAREER STATISTICS - RACHEL FUCHS							
Year	MP-MS	MIN	GA	AVG.	SAVES	PCT.	W-L-T SHO
2006	10-2	356.52	11	2.77	17	.607	1-3-0 0
Totals	10-2	356.52	11	2.77	17	.607	1-3-0 0

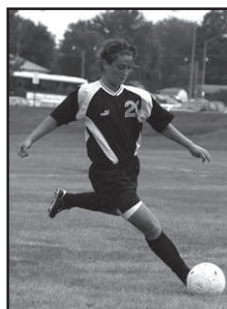


KATIE KELLEY **20**
 5-5, Sophomore
 Midfielder
 Omaha, Neb.
 (Millard South HS)

2006: Started 19 of 20 games as a freshman forward. . . Had three goals with one assist for seven points. . . Had two goals on 9-6-06 against Missouri Western to earn NSIC Player of the Week honors.

High School: Attended Millard South HS where she lettered in soccer for four years. . . Member of the Academic All-State Team. . . Also lettered in Sports Medicine. . . Lead her team in assists.

Personal: Daughter of Nick and Sara Kelley. . . Born on June 16, 1988. . . Majoring in Mathematics Education.



CAREER STATISTICS - KATIE KELLEY						
Year	MP-MS	G	A	PTS	SHOTS	SOG
2006	20-19	3	1	7	13	9
Totals	20-19	3	1	7	13	9

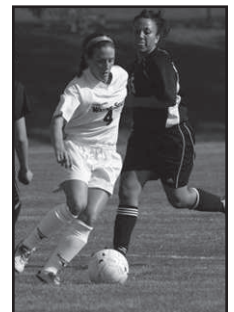


MEGAN KENEALY **4**
 5-4 Sophomore
 Midfielder
 Blair, Neb.
 (Blair HS)

2006: Played in 19 games and started 11 of them as a true freshman. . . Scored three goals on 11 shots on goal. . . Scored goals against York College on 8-25-06, Doane College on 9-10-06 and Upper Iowa on 9-30-06.

High School: Lettered at Blair HS in basketball for three years and soccer for four years. . . Earned All-State honorable mention and All-Conference honorable mention honors in 2004 and 2005. . . Received the Will to Win Gatorade Award in 2004 and 2005. . . Voted the 2005 Most Valuable Player at Blair HS. . . Helped her team to a district runner-up finish in 2003 and 2005.

Personal: Daughter of Kent and Zoe Kenealy. . . Born on December 9, 1987. . . Majoring in Business Administration.



CAREER STATISTICS - MEGAN KENEALY						
Year	MP-MS	G	A	PTS	SHOTS	
2006	19-11	3	0	6	14	
Totals	19-11	3	0	6	14	



RETURNING LETTERWINNERS



CHRISTINA KING 2

5-6, Sophomore
Defender
Omaha, Neb.
(Millard West HS)

2006: Started 17 games at defender as a true freshman. . . Collected her first career assist against Minnesota-Crookston on 9-16-06.

High School: Earned four letters in soccer from Millard West HS. . . Member of the 2005 All-Metro Team. . . Received All-State honorable mention honors in 2004, 2005 and 2006. . . Member of the 2004 and 2005 district runner-up team and 2003 district championship team. . . Played in the Shrine Bowl for soccer.

Personal: Daughter of Mark and Jean King. . . Born on February 7, 1988. . . Majoring in History Education.



CAREER STATISTICS - CHRISTINA KING						
Year	MP-MS	G	A	PTS	SHOTS	
2006	19-17	0	1	1	0	
Totals	19-17	0	1	1	0	



MICHAELA LUCAS 17

5-6, Sophomore
Midfielder
Plattsmouth, Neb.
(Plattsmouth HS)

Redshirting in 2007

2006: Played in 13 games including making her first career start against Concordia-St. Paul on 10-28-06.

High School: Attended Plattsmouth HS and lettered in soccer, volleyball and basketball. . . Earned EMC All-Conference honors in 2005 and 2006 after receiving honorable mention in 2004. . . Also earned All-State honorable mention honors in 2006. . . Received the Gatorade Award in 2004.

Personal: Daughter of Neil and Deb Lucas. . . Born on September 2, 1987. . . Major is undecided.



CAREER STATISTICS - MICHAELA LUCAS						
Year	MP-MS	G	A	PTS	SHOTS	
2006	13-1	0	0	0	1	
Totals	13-1	0	0	0	1	



JENNA PENDLEY 12

5-5, Sophomore
Forward
Omaha, Neb.
(Bellevue West HS)

Redshirting in 2007

2006: Started 17 of 19 games as a sophomore forward. . . Second on the team with five goals, two assists, 12 points, 44 shots and 23 shots on goal. . . Scored two goals, had two assists and two game winning goals during the week of Sept. 5-11. . . Earned NSIC Player of the Week honors on Sept. 19 after scoring goals against Minnesota-Crookston and Bemidji State to help WSC begin the NSIC season 2-0.

2005: Played in 17 games and started 13 of them as a freshman. . . Scored one goal and had two assists for four points. . . Had the game-winning goal against Minnesota-Crookston on 9-24-05.

High School: Graduate of Bellevue West High School. Holds the school record for career points and assists. Earned honorable mention all-state honors as a junior and senior. Selected second team all-metro conference.

Personal: Daughter of Jay and Diane Pendley. . . Born on June 7, 1987. . . Majoring in Pre-Medicine.



CAREER STATISTICS - JENNA PENDLEY						
Year	MP-MS	G	A	PTS	SHOTS	
2005	18-13	1	2	4	18	
2006	19-17	5	2	12	44	
Totals	37-20	6	4	16	62	



VALERIE ROBINSON 10

5-1, Sophomore
Midfielder
Council Bluffs, Iowa
(Thomas Jefferson HS)

2006: Played in 21 games and started six of them as a true freshman at midfielder. . . Led the team with three assists which occurred in her first seven career games. . . Had assists against York College on 8-25-06, Doane College on 9-10-06 and South Dakota on 9-13-06.

High School: Lettered in softball, soccer and basketball for four years. . . Also lettered in cross country for two years. . . Earned First Team All-State, All-Conference and All-City honors in 2005 and 2006. . . Also earned First Team All-City honors in both basketball and softball in 2005. . . Was a captain for two years in soccer, softball and basketball. . . Helped her team attend the state tournament in 2003. . . Holds the school record for runs scored in a season (24) in 2004.

Personal: Daughter of Don and Michelle Robinson. . . Born on October 2, 1987. . . Majoring in Secondary Education.



CAREER STATISTICS - VALERIE ROBINSON						
Year	MP-MS	G	A	PTS	SHOTS	
2006	21-6	0	3	3	10	
Totals	21-6	0	3	3	10	



2007 WILDCAT NEWCOMERS



AMBER BEECHER

19

5-6, Freshman
Defender
Omaha, Neb.
(Millard West HS)



STEPHANIE BRIGHT

22

5-4, Freshman
Forward
Columbus, Neb.
(Columbus HS)

High School: Graduated from Millard West High School and will walk on for Wayne State...helped high school team to a 18-3 record and the Class A State Championship as a senior in 2007 and a 13-4 record and a Class A semi-finals appearance in 2006 during junior season...played club soccer for the Phoenix United.

Personal: Daughter of Craig and Carmen Beecher...born on November 9, 1988...majoring in Pre-Nursing.

High School: Graduated from Columbus High School where she was a four-year letter winner and two year starter for the Discoverers...scored nine goals with three assists as a senior and finished high school career with 30 goals and eight assists...had 12 goals and two assists as a junior...Bright was a two-time All-Greater Nebraska Conference First Team Selection and a two-time honorable mention All-State honoree...played club soccer for the Columbus Twisters.

Personal: Daughter of Bob and Joan Bright...born on June 11, 1989...major is undecided.



MIKAYLA COMBA

23

5-4, Freshman
Midfielder/Forward
Omaha, Neb.
(Millard South HS)



ERIN FULLMER

15

5-3, Freshman
Midfielder/Defender
Beatrice, Neb.
(Beatrice HS)

High School: Graduated from Millard South High School...Comba was a four-year letter winner and a three year starter, earning Class A Second Team All-State honors at defender as a senior...also named Second Team All-Metro Conference...was an honorable mention All-State selection as a junior...Comba also excelled in cross country, qualifying as an individual for the Class A State Meet as a junior, placing 32nd overall with a time of 16:23.

Personal: Daughter of Bill and Tracy Comba...born July 3, 1989...major is undecided.

High School: Graduate of Beatrice High School...Fullmer was a four-year starter and letter winner at Beatrice, helping Lady Orange to district runner up finishes in 2004 and 2006...selected Academic All-State in 2006 to go with honorable mention All-State honors...also named captain of Beatrice HS team as a junior.

Personal: Daughter of Paul and Anne Fullmer...born January 31, 1989...major is undecided.



2007 WILDCAT NEWCOMERS



ASHLEY JANCA **8**

*5-9, Freshman
Midfielder
Bellevue, Neb.
(Bellevue West HS)*

High School: Graduate of Bellevue West High School where she was a three-year starter and letter winner. was captain of her 2007 high school team..played club soccer with Azzurri Valencia and also participated and lettered in cross country and track and field.

Personal: Daughter of Michael and Sheila Janca...born on June 15, 1989...majoring in Business Administration.



CHARIS OSWALD **0**

*5-1, Freshman
Forward
Council Bluffs, Iowa
(Thomas Jefferson HS)*

High School: Graduate of Thomas Jefferson High School...named first team Academic All-State in 2006 while scoring five goals with four assists as a junior...helped lead her team to a city championship in 2006 and the third round of regionals in 2005 and 2006...also participated in cross country, basketball, and track and field.

Personal: Daughter of Dwight and Jane Oswald...born on April 29, 1989...majoring in Secondary Education.



SARA SCHWIEGER **13**

*5-5, Freshman
Defender
Omaha, Neb.
(Millard West HS)*

High School: Three-year starter at Millard West High School...earned honorable mention All-State honors as a senior, helping Millard West to 18-3 mark and Class A State Championship in 2007...helped her team to a state semi-finals berth and district championship in 2006...played club soccer with Azzurri Valencia...also participated in cross country and was a state qualifier in 2004.

Personal: Daughter of Terry and Patty Schwieger...born on November 16, 1988...major is undecided.



MELISSE SULLIVAN **9**

*5-7, Freshman
Midfielder
Champlin, Minn.
(Osseo HS)*

High School: Graduated from Osseo High School in Minnesota, same high school as WSC head coach Brooke Bredenberg...awarded All Conference Honorable Mention in 2006...was the leading scorer all four years on her varsity team...played club soccer for the Twin Cities Fire and also participated in lacrosse.

Personal: Daughter of Steve Sullivan and Meg Schulz...born September 9, 1989...major is undecided.



2007 WILDCAT NEWCOMERS



ANNA WALKER

5

5-5, Freshman
Defender
Beatrice, Neb.
(Beatrice HS)

High School: Was a four-year letter winner at Beatrice High School...named to the 2006 River Cities All-Conference Team and was honorable mention All-State in 2007...played club soccer for the Beatrice Night Hawks...also was a four-year letter winner in cross country.

Personal: Daughter of Steven H. and Pamela J. Walker...born October 3, 1988...major is undecided.



EMILY WALKER

21

5-6, Freshman
Goalkeeper/Defender
Beatrice, Neb.
(Beatrice HS)

High School: Four-year letter winner in both soccer and softball at Beatrice High School...will participate in both sports at Wayne State. Emily was a two-time Class B All-State selection in softball, hitting .443 with 12 doubles and 36 RBI's during senior season...part of the 2003 State Championship softball team...helped Beatrice to four District Championships and two State Runner-Up teams...named to several All-Conference and All-State teams...in soccer, Walker was an honorable mention All-State goalkeeper as a senior, posting a 1.93 goals against average to rank 10th in Class B.

Personal: Daughter of Steve and Rita Walker...born September 9, 1988...major is undecided.



KRISTA ZARYBNICKY

31

5-9, Freshman
Defender/Goalkeeper
Odell, Neb.
(Beatrice HS)

High School: Participated in soccer, volleyball, and basketball at Beatrice High School...was All-Conference Honorable Mention in soccer during her junior year...also selected as Academic All-Conference and Academic All-State in her junior year.

Personal: Daughter of John and Patty Zarybnicky...born September 16, 1988...majoring in Pre-Medicine.



KAYLEEN LOVELESS

3

5-6, Freshman
Forward
Grand Island, Neb.
(G.I. Northwest HS)

High School: Graduate of Grand Island Northwest High School...Loveless was a two-year starter and letter winner, earning First Team All-Conference honors as a junior and senior to go with Academic All-State honors...made WSC roster this fall as a walk-on.

Personal: Daughter of Craig and JoAnn Loveless...Born on May 9, 1989...majoring in chemistry.



TIFFANI KELLERMAN

25

5-3, Freshman
Forward
Bellevue, Neb.
(Bellevue West HS)

High School: Graduate of Bellevue West High School...was a four-year starter and letter winner and earned honorable mention All-State honors as a sophomore and senior.

Personal: Daughter of David and Barbara Kellerman...Born on November 25, 1988...major is undecided.



2006 WILDCAT STATISTICS



PLAYER	GP	GS	Goals	Asst	Pts	Sh	Sh%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-ATT
M.A. Liebentritt	21	13	8	3	19	54	.148	34	.630	2	1-1
Jenna Pendley	19	17	5	2	12	44	.114	23	.523	2	0-0
Melissa Benson	21	18	3	2	8	42	.071	18	.429	0	0-0
Sarah James	21	20	3	1	7	19	.158	12	.632	0	0-0
Katie Kelley	20	19	3	1	7	13	.231	9	.692	1	0-0
Megan Kenealy	19	11	3	0	6	14	.214	11	.786	0	0-0
Gena Romano	21	19	2	2	6	22	.091	12	.545	2	0-0
Amy Gustafson	21	6	2	0	4	2	1.000	2	1.000	1	0-0
Elise Lane	20	4	1	1	3	14	.071	9	.643	1	0-0
Valerie Robinson	21	6	0	3	3	10	.000	5	.500	0	0-0
Kate Goss	20	17	1	0	2	15	.067	12	.800	0	0-0
Marci Douglas	21	8	0	1	1	4	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
Cassidy Goc	21	19	0	1	1	3	.000	2	.667	0	0-0
Christina King	19	17	0	1	1	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
Kelsey Gerch	16	1	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
Michaela Lucas	13	1	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
Lindsay Wood	18	4	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
Kari Munsch	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
Jamie Anderson	19	18	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
Rachel Fuchs	10	2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
WSC Totals	21		32	18	82	258	.124	152	.589	10	1-1
Opponents	21		35	24	94	285	.123	124	.435	10	3-3

2006 WILDCAT RESULTS

Overall Record: 10-10-1

NSIC Record: 4-4-1

Home: 7-3

Away: 3-5-1

Neutral: 0-2

DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	ATT
Aug. 25	York College !	W 5-1	75
Aug. 27	NW Missouri State !	W 1-0	100
Sept. 1	at Central Missouri #	L 2-4	200
Sept. 3	vs Washburn #	L 0-4	50
Sept. 6	Missouri Western	W 3-0	95
Sept. 10	Doane College	W 4-0	65
Sept. 13	at South Dakota	L 1-5	102
Sept. 16	at Minnesota, Crookston *	W 2-1	86
Sept. 17	at Bemidji State *	W 3-1	89
Sept. 20	Dordt College	W 2-0	95
Sept. 23	University of Mary *	L 1-2	75
Sept. 24	Northern State *	L 0-1	75
Sept. 27	at Nebraska-Omaha	L 0-2	150
Sept. 30	at Upper Iowa *	T 1-1	150
Oct. 1	at Winona State *	L 0-5	240
Oct. 14	Concordia-St. Paul *	L 0-2	85
Oct. 15	MSU Moorhead *	W 2-0	100
Oct. 21	SW Minnesota State *	W 5-2	75
Oct. 24	at Bemidji State &	W 1-0	175
Oct. 27	at Winona State &	L 0-3	109
Oct. 28	vs. Concordia-St. Paul &	L 0-1	73

Home games in bold

! = Wildcat Classic in Wayne, Nebraska

= Central Missouri State Holiday Inn Express Classic at Warrensburg, Missouri

* = Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference game

& = Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference Tournament game



THE NORTHERN SUN INTERCOLLEGIATE CONFERENCE



Founded in 1932, the Northern Intercollegiate Conference (NIC) has enjoyed a varied existence in the upper Midwest region it calls home. In the spring of 1992 the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference (NSIC) was formed out of the merger of the NIC, the men's conference, and the women's Northern Sun Conference (NSC). The NSC had existed since 1979. The NSIC is currently made up of institutions from Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota and South Dakota. In the 1999-00 academic year, the NSIC became an expanded 10-team league from a previous seven-member conference. The conference featured eight members from 2004-06, but the league expanded back to 10 teams in 2006-07 as the University of Mary in Bismarck, North Dakota and Upper Iowa University in Fayette, Iowa joined the league.

Since 1932, various institutions have competed in the NSIC. Bemidji State University, Minnesota State University Moorhead and Winona State University are charter members and have remained in the conference for the 74 years of its existence. The University of Minnesota Duluth, which departed following the 2003-04 season, was also an original member. Other current members joined in later years: Southwest Minnesota State University in 1969, Northern State University in 1978, Wayne State College (Nebraska) in 1998, while Concordia University-St. Paul and the University of Minnesota, Crookston became members in 1999. The University of Minnesota, Morris became a league member in 1966, however, the Cougars opted for the NCAA Division III ranks in 2003.

Before the NSIC became eligible for National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) championship competition in 1995, its member institutions had an extremely rich tradition in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA). The NIC's and NSC's tenure in the NAIA included several national championship teams and individuals as well as many national qualifiers.

Following the 2004-05 season, Winona State became the first team other than Minnesota Duluth to capture the NSIC All-Sports Competition trophy. The Warriors have taken home the trophy now



the last two seasons. Winona State put the NSIC on the national map in 2006 as they hosted and won the NCAA North Central Regional Tournament and went on to capture the Division II National Championship.

Wayne State College finished third in the 2006-07 NSIC All-Sports Competition. The Wildcats won four conference championships (women's cross country, men's indoor track and field, baseball and men's outdoor track and field) and sent two teams (volleyball and baseball) to NCAA Post-Season Tournament competition. WSC hosted the 2006 NCAA North Central Regional Cross Country Championships and hosted the 2007 NSIC Baseball Tournament for a fourth straight season.

Over the years, the NSIC, comprised of schools of modest size, has provided extremely competitive intercollegiate athletic programs for its members. Although the programs are not designed to be equal to Division I athletics, many former NSIC athletes have distinguished themselves in national and international competition. Each member school emphasizes the educational, entertainment and unifying value of sports while pointing with pride to the many advantages to be gained by attending these colleges and universities. As some affiliated with the conference have coined, the NSIC quite possibly is, "the most competitive conference in NCAA Division II."

The central logo features a sunburst above the letters "NSIC" and the text "Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference" below it. Surrounding this are ten member logos:

- BEMIDJI STATE**: Logo of a cougar's head.
- CONCORDIA ST. PAUL**: Logo of a bear.
- UNIVERSITY OF MARY (ND)**: Logo of a gladiator.
- MINNESOTA, CROOKSTON**: Logo of an eagle's head.
- MSU MOORHEAD**: Logo of a cougar's head.
- NORTHERN STATE**: Logo of a wolf's head.
- SW MINNESOTA STATE**: Logo of a horse.
- UPPER IOWA**: Logo of a hawk's head.
- WAYNE STATE**: Logo of a paw print with "WSC" inside.
- WINONA STATE**: Logo of a gladiator's helmet.



2006 NSIC SOCCER



FINAL STANDINGS

School	NSIC Record		
	W	L	T
Winona State	8	0	1
Bemidji State	6	3	0
Northern State	6	3	0
Concordia-St. Paul	6	3	0
Univ. of Mary	4	3	2
Wayne State	4	4	1
MSU Moorhead	2	5	2
Upper Iowa	2	6	1
SW Minnesota State	2	6	1
Minn., Crookston	1	8	0

PAST CHAMPIONS

Year	Champion
2006	Winona State
2005	Winona State
2004	Winona State
2003	Minnesota-Duluth
2002	Minnesota-Duluth
2001	Minnesota-Duluth
2000	Winona State
1999	Winona State
1998	Minnesota-Duluth
1997	Minnesota-Duluth
1996	Minnesota State Moorhead

NSIC POSTSEASON AWARDS

Co-Coaches of the Year

Ali Omar, Winona State
Joe Alianiello, Concordia-St. Paul

Offensive Player of the Year

Holly Sutton, Jr., Forward
Winona State

Defensive Player of the Year

Christine Beatty, Sr., Defender
Winona State

Newcomer of the Year

Amelia Kasten, Soph., Forward
Winona State

2006 NSIC ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

FIRST TEAM

Name	Position	Yr.	School
Christine Beatty	Midfield	Sr.	Winona State
Kayla Walters	Forward	Jr.	Winona State
Melissa Gamble	Forward	Sr.	Northern State
Kira Wannebo	Midfield	Jr.	Northern State
Kelly Hyvare	Midfield	So.	Bemidji State
Holly Sutton	Forward	Jr.	Winona State
Melissa Benson	Defender	Sr.	Wayne State
Hila Anderson	Forward	So.	MSU-Moorhead
Whitney Bernhardt	Defender	Sr.	Winona State
Hillary Johnson	Forward	Jr.	Concordia-St. Paul
Tegan Moehn	Defender	Sr.	Bemidji State
Kari Torgerson	Goalkeeper	Sr.	Bemidji State

SECOND TEAM

Name	Position	Yr.	School
Larissa Strychun	Forward	Jr.	Northern State
Jenny Lee	Midfield	So.	Upper Iowa
Emily Grannes	Defender	Sr.	Concordia-St. Paul
Amelia Kasten	Forward	So.	Winona State
Annie Lauterer	Midfield	So.	Winona State
Jessica Janusz	Forward	So.	University of Mary
Allison Warren	Defender	Sr.	Minnesota-Crookston
Sarah James	Defender	Sr.	Wayne State
Christina Hicks	Midfield	Jr.	Bemidji State
M.A. Liebenritt	Forward	Sr.	Wayne State
Amanda Diehm	Goalkeeper	So.	Winona State

HONORABLE MENTION

Name	Position	Yr.	School
Maggie Madrid	Defender	So.	Northern State
Liz Schiesl	Midfield	Sr.	SW Minn. State
Christine Dwyer	Defender	Fr.	Upper Iowa
Danielle Mello	Forward	So.	University of Mary
Noelle Bergman	Forward	Sr.	SW Minn. State
Sam Voeller	Midfield	So.	Concordia-St. Paul
Elizabeth Malatesta	Midfield	Sr.	Northern State
Shanda Lester	Midfield	Jr.	University of Mary

2006 NSIC TEAM STATISTICS

Team	Miscellaneous	G	SHOTS	FOULS	OFFSIDE	CORNERS
Winona State		9	187	67	17	55
Upper Iowa		9	137	98	4	51
University of Mary		9	126	77	13	47
Northern State		9	124	72	15	30
Wayne State		9	123	85	17	38
MSU Moorhead		9	116	68	92	19
Southwest Minnesota State		9	115	68	13	49
Bemidji State		9	111	80	17	33
Concordia-St. Paul		9	88	69	14	20
Minnesota, Crookston		9	50	69	14	21

SHOTS	G	NO	AVG
Winona State	9	187	20.78
Upper Iowa	9	135	15.00
University of Mary	9	126	14.00
Northern State	9	124	13.78
Wayne State	9	123	13.67



2006 NSIC STATISTICAL LEADERS



NSIC contests only

TEAM STATISTICS

MSU Moorhead	9	116	12.89
Southwest Minnesota State	9	115	12.78
Bemidji State	9	112	12.44
Concordia-St. Paul	9	88	9.78
Minnesota-Crookston	9	50	5.56

GOALS

	G	NO	AVG
Winona State	9	25	2.78
Bemidji State	9	22	2.44
University of Mary	9	16	1.78
Northern State	9	16	1.78
Wayne State	9	14	1.56
Concordia-St. Paul	9	12	1.33
Southwest Minnesota State	9	9	1.00
Upper Iowa	9	6	0.67
MSU Moorhead	9	5	0.56
Minnesota-Crookston	9	4	0.44

ASSISTS

	G	NO	AVG
Winona State	9	27	3.00
Bemidji State	9	17	1.89
University of Mary	9	10	1.11
Northern State	9	10	1.11
Concordia-St. Paul	9	10	1.11
Wayne State	9	5	0.56
Southwest Minnesota State	9	5	0.56
Upper Iowa	9	5	0.56
Minnesota-Crookston	9	3	0.33
MSU Moorhead	9	2	0.22

GOALS ALLOWED/AGAINST

	G	NO	AVG
Winona State	9	3	0.33
Concordia-St. Paul	9	7	0.78
University of Mary	9	9	1.00
Northern State	9	9	1.00
Bemidji State	9	10	1.11
MSU Moorhead	9	13	1.44
Upper Iowa	9	15	1.67
Wayne State	9	15	1.67
Minnesota-Crookston	9	19	2.11
Southwest Minnesota State	9	29	3.22

SAVES

	G	NO	AVG
Southwest Minnesota State	9	76	8.44
MSU Moorhead	9	72	8.00
Minnesota-Crookston	9	57	6.33
Bemidji State	9	56	6.22
Concordia-St. Paul	9	54	6.00
Upper Iowa	9	45	5.00
University of Mary	9	41	4.56
Northern State	9	35	3.89
Wayne State	9	35	3.89
Winona State	9	20	2.22

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

POINTS	GP	GOALS	ASST	PTS	AVG
Kelly Hyvare, BSU	9	8	2	18	2.00
Holly Sutton, WSU	9	7	1	15	1.67
Melissa Gamble, NSU	9	7	0	14	1.56
Amelia Kasten, WSU	9	4	5	13	1.44
Hillary Johnson, CSP	9	4	3	11	1.22
Christine Beatty, WSU	9	3	5	11	1.22
Danielle Mello, UM	9	4	1	9	1.00
Kayla Walters, WSU	9	3	3	9	1.00
Sam Voeller, CSP	9	4	1	9	1.00
M.A. Liebenritt, WSC	9	4	0	8	0.89
Danielle Egeberg, BSU	9	2	4	8	0.89
Jessica Janusz, UM	9	3	2	8	0.89

GOALS	G	NO	AVG
Kelly Hyvare, BSU	9	8	0.89
Holly Sutton, WSU	9	7	0.78
Melissa Gamble, NSU	9	7	0.78
Amelia Kasten, WSU	9	4	0.44
Danielle Mello, UM	9	4	0.44

ASSISTS	G	NO	AVG
Annie Lauterer, WSU	9	5	0.56
Christine Beatty, WSU	9	5	0.56
Amelia Kasten, WSU	9	5	0.56
Danielle Egeberg, BSU	9	4	0.44
Christina Hicks, BSU	9	3	0.33

GAME WINNING GOALS	G	NO	AVG
Holly Sutton, WSU	9	5	0.56
Hillary Johnson, CSP	9	4	0.44
Kelly Hyvare, BSU	9	4	0.44
Hila Anderson, MSUM	9	2	0.22
Rachel Vitense, CSP	9	2	0.22

GOALIE SAVES	GP	SAVES	GA	MIN.	PCT.
Brooke Sherer, WSU	4	3	0	121	1.000
Carly Feiler, UM	1	2	0	20	1.000
Jessica Meath, BSU	3	4	0	109	1.000
Keyton Wheelock, CSP	4	23	2	360	.920
Andrea Pearson, MSUM	3	27	3	310	.900
Hannah Turgerson, CSP	5	31	5	462	.861
Amanda Diehm, NSU	9	17	3	708	.850
Kari Torgerson, BSU	9	52	10	708	.839
Morgan Landwehr, MSUM	6	45	10	540	.818
Coyle Brannigan, UM	9	39	9	853	.812

Players listed above must appear in at least 50% of their team's games, goalies at least 1.0% of their team's minutes.



WILDCAT RECORD BOOK



INDIVIDUAL SEASON RECORDS

Goals Scored

1. Sarah Herrick, 2001 23
2. Sarah Herrick, 2000 20
3. Sarah Herrick, 1999 18
4. Mary McDaniel, 2000 17
5. Sarah Lund, 2001 16
6. Mary McDaniel, 1999 12
7. Sarah Herrick, 1998 11
8. Tanya Mitchell, 2001 11
9. Melissa Benson, 2004 10
10. Anne-Marie Lind, 2005 10

Assist

1. Sarah Herrick, 2000 21
2. Abbey Kalblinger, 1999 14
3. Jackie Arnold, 2000 13
4. Sarah Herrick, 2001 13
5. Kate Goss, 2005 12
6. Sarah Herrick, 1999 12
7. Nikki Field, 2001 11
8. Mary McDaniel, 2001 11
9. Mary Anne Liebentritt, 2004 10
10. Bria Cunard, 2001 10

Total Points

1. Sarah Herrick, 2000 61
2. Sarah Herrick, 2001 59
3. Sarah Herrick, 1999 48
4. Sarah Lund, 2001 42
5. Mary McDaniel, 2000 37
6. Mary McDaniel, 2001 29
7. Mary McDaniel, 1999 29
8. Mary Anne Liebentritt, 2004 28
9. Sarah Herrick, 1998 27
10. Abbey Kalblinger, 1999 26

Shots on Goal

1. Sarah Herrick, 2001 76
2. Sarah Herrick, 2000 67
3. Sarah Herrick, 1999 62
4. Mary McDaniel, 2000 54
5. Sarah Lund, 2001 45
6. Tanya Mitchell, 2001 39
7. Sarah Lund, 2000 37
8. Abbey Kalblinger, 2000 35
9. Melissa Benson, 2006 34
10. Mary McDaniel, 1999 33

Saves

1. Melissa Abernathy, 1998 125
2. Erika Mather, 2001 122
3. Mishaline LeRoy, 2004 111
4. Erika Mather, 2003 104
5. Jamie Anderson, 2005 100
6. Anna Eberle, 1999 89
7. Michelle Mellenthin, 2000 77



Sarah Herrick
(1998-01)



Mary McDaniel
(1999-2002)



Tanya Mitchell
(2001-04)



Sarah Lund
(2000-01)

8. Kalle Wamsat, 2002 74
9. Jamie Anderson, 2006 72
10. Erika Mather, 2002 62

INDIVIDUAL CAREER RECORDS

Goals Scored

1. Sarah Herrick, 1998-2001 72
2. Mary McDaniel, 1999-2002 43
3. Tanya Mitchell, 2001-04 26
4. Sarah Lund, 2000-01 25
5. Melissa Benson, 2003-06 24
- M.A. Liebentritt, 2003-06 24

Assists

1. Sarah Herrick, 1998-2001 51
2. Abbey Kalblinger, 1999-2000 23
3. Mary McDaniel, 1999-2002 20
4. Nikki Field, 2000-01 19
5. Becky Woelfel, 1999-2002 18
- Jackie Arnold, 1999-2000 18
6. M.A. Liebentritt, 2003-06 17

Total Points

1. Sarah Herrick, 1998-2001 195
2. Mary McDaniel, 1999-2002 106
3. Tanya Mitchell, 2001-04 67
4. Sarah Lund, 2000-01 66
5. M.A. Liebentritt, 2003-06 65
6. Melissa Benson, 2003-06 54
7. Amanda Keller, 2000-03 45
8. Jackie Arnold, 1999-2000 44
9. Abbey Kalblinger, 1999-2000 43
10. Becky Woelfel, 1999-2002 42

Shots on Goal

1. Sarah Herrick, 1998-2001 205
2. Mary McDaniel, 1999-2002 146
3. Tanya Mitchell, 2001-04 100
4. M.A. Liebentritt, 2003-06 95
5. Melissa Benson, 2003-06 92
6. Amanda Keller, 2000-03 86
7. Becky Woelfel, 1999-2002 85
8. Sarah Lund, 2000-01 82
9. Michaela Blaylock, 2001-04 72

Saves

1. Erika Mather, 2000-03 255
2. Kalle Wamsat, 2000-02 208
3. Jamie Anderson, 2005-Present 172
4. Mishaline LeRoy, 2003-05 164
5. Melissa Abernathy, 1998-99 126
6. Anna Eberle, 1999 89
7. Michelle Mellenthin, 2000 77
8. Rikki Baker, 1997 38
9. Jennifer Knowles, 1997-98 30

Shots

1. Sarah Herrick, 1998-2001 397
2. Mary McDaniel, 1999-2002 258
3. Tanya Mitchell, 2001-04 178
4. Melissa Benson, 2003-06 164
5. Amanda Keller, 2000-03 158
6. M.A. Liebentritt 2003-06 153
7. Becky Woelfel, 1999-2002 145
8. Sarah Lund, 2000-01 132
9. Michaela Blaylock, 2001-04 125
10. Abbey Kalblinger, 1999-2000 107



Sarah Herrick scored a school-record 23 goals in 2001 season



WILDCAT RECORD BOOK



TEAM SEASON RECORDS

Wins	
18	2000
14	2001
12	1999
10	2005
10	2006

Goals	
86	2000
82	2001
61	1999
40	2005
38	2004

Assists	
93	2000
89	2001
62	1999
27	2005
25	2004

Shots	
596	2000
585	2001
368	1999
315	2002
314	2005

Shots on Goal	
345	2000
336	2001
215	1999
173	2005
164	2002

Corner Kicks	
183	2000
160	2001
112	1999
87	2005
73	2002

Winning Streak	
8	2000
6	2001
5	2000
5	1999

Shutouts	
12	2000
8	1999
6	2006
5	2005



The 2000 WSC soccer team won a school record 18 games, going 18-4-1.

SOCCKER LETTERWINNERS

Melissa Abernathy, 1998-99
 Brienne Abshier, 1999-00-01
 Kemi Adewunmi, 2004
 Cara Allgood, 1997
 Holly Amen, 1998
 Jamie Anderson, 2005-06
 Linday Anderson, 1997-98
 Melissa Anderson, 2001-02
 Jackie Arnold, 1999-00
 Rikki Baker, 1997
 Rachel Bennett, 1999
 Casie Beaman, 2005
 Melissa Benson, 2003-04-05-06
 Nicole Bishoff, 2002
 Michaela Blaylock, 2001-02-03-04
 Amy Brenden, 2004
 Kelly Burns, 2004-05
 Falon Calvillo, 2004
 Anne Collins, 2000-01-02
 Bria Cunard, 2000-01
 Jaclyn Davis, 2005
 Marci Douglas, 2004-05-06
 Kari Droescher, 1997
 Anna Eberle, 1999
 Jill Eschliman, 1998-99-00-01
 Amanda Ferguson, 2000-01-02-03
 Nikki Field, 2000-01-03
 Rachel Fuchs, 2006
 Gwen Galloway, 2005
 Carissa Garcia, 1998-99
 Kelsey Gerch, 2006
 Cassidy Goc, 2005-06
 Kate Goss, 2005-06
 Amy Gustafson, 2006
 Andrea Haig, 2001-02-03-04

Beth Halmes, 1997
 Sarah Herrick, 1998-99-00-01
 Malerie Houdek, 2004
 Sarah James, 2003-04-05-06
 Rachelle Jordan, 2002-03-04
 Abbey Kalblinger, 1999-00
 Amanda Keller, 2000-01-02-03
 Katie Kelley, 2006
 Megan Kenealy, 2006
 Christina King, 2006
 Sarah Kinney, 2002-03
 Jennifer Knowles, 1997-98
 Elise Lane, 2005-06
 Sarah Lepak, 2000-01-02-03
 Mishaline LeRoy, 2003-04
 Mary Anne Liebenritt, 2003-04-05-06
 Anne-Marie Lind, 2005
 Amy Lindstrom, 2005
 Michaela Lucas, 2006
 Sarah Lund, 2000-01
 Melissa Malishewski, 1998-99
 Kim Marsicek, 1997
 Erika Mather, 2000-01-02-03
 Alicia McCall, 1998-99
 Mary McDaniel, 1999-00-01-02
 Ellie McIntosh, 1999
 Michelle Mellenthin, 2000
 Tanya Mitchell, 2001-02-03-04
 Kelly O'Connor, 2003-04
 Maureen Opela, 2003,04
 Kristin Parker, 1997
 Desirae Paul, 2001
 Anne Paulsen, 2000-01-02-03
 Jenna Pendley, 2005-06
 Erin Petersen, 1998

Alana Pfeffer, 1998-99-00-01
 Mindy Privett, 1998-99
 Becky Proskocil, 1997
 Brea Rath, 2000-01-02-03
 Valerie Robinson, 2006
 Gena Romano, 2004-05-06
 Kelly Rotherham, 1999
 Emmalee Shafer, 1998-99
 Meagan Shear, 2004-05
 Maria St. Martin, 2002-03
 Mary Topete, 2000-01
 Kalle Wamsat, 2000-01-02-03
 Becky Watson, 1998
 Erin Watson, 1997
 Angie Wattier, 1997
 Becky Woelfel, 1999-00-01-02
 Linday Wood, 2003-04-05-06
 Malea Young, 1997
 Sara Zimmer, 1997-98-99-00



2007 WAYNE STATE COLLEGE SOCCER SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Opponent</u>	<u>Time</u>
Saturday, August 25	@ Minnesota State, Mankato	2:00 p.m.
Sunday, August 26	@ North Dakota	1:00 p.m.
Saturday, September 1	vs. St. Cloud State @ Northwest Missouri State	2:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 2	@ Northwest Missouri State	1:00 p.m.
Friday, September 7	South Dakota	4:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 9	Southwest Minnesota State*	1:00 p.m.
Tuesday, September 11	Concordia-St. Paul*	4:00 p.m.
Saturday, September 22	@ Winona State*	1:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 23	@ Upper Iowa*	1:00 p.m.
Saturday, September 29	Bemidji State*	10:30 a.m.
Sunday, September 30	Minnesota, Crookston* (Parent's Day)	1:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 6	@ Northern State*	11:30 a.m.
Sunday, October 7	@ University of Mary*	1:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 13	Winona State*	1:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 14	Upper Iowa* (Senior Day)	11:00 a.m.
Sunday, October 21	@ Southwest Minnesota State*	1:00 p.m.
Wednesday, October 24	Doane College	4:00 p.m.
Saturday, October 27	@ MSU Moorhead*	1:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 28	@ Concordia-St. Paul*	1:00 p.m.
Tuesday, October 30	NSIC Tournament First Round	TBA
Sat.-Sun., Nov. 3-4	NSIC Tournament Semi-Finals and Finals#	TBA

* Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference game

Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference Tournament at highest remaining seed

Home Games In Bold



2007 Wayne State College Soccer Team

Front Row (Sitting) - left to right: Tiffani Kellerman, Stephanie Bright, Mikayla Comba, Anna Walker, Erin Fullmer, Valerie Robinson and Charis Oswald. **Middle Row (Kneeling)** - left to right: Cassidy Goc, Melissa Sullivan, Amber Beecher, Megan Kenealy, Michaela Lucas, Katie Kelley, Jenna Pendley, Kayleen Loveless and Gena Romana. **Standing - Back Row** - Student Assistant Coach Sarah Sarah James, Head Coach Brooke Bredenber, Marci Douglas, Krista Zarybnicky, Emily Walker, Rachel Fuchs, Christina King, Ashley Janca, Sara Schwieger and Graduate Assistant Coach Mirza Hasanbegovic.

