



2018-19 ELMIRA COLLEGE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL GAME NOTES

2018-19 SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER

10	at Hilbert	L, 49-53
12	at D'Youville	W, 79-63
16	at Marymount ¹	L, 47-65
17	vs. Ursinus ¹	L, 53-62
20	SUNY Cortland	L, 47-54
27	at Clarks Summit	W, 65-21
30	Wells	6 p.m.

DECEMBER

8	Penn College	2 p.m.
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JANUARY

4	at Stevens*	5:30 p.m.
5	at Sage*	3 p.m.
7	at Keuka	7 p.m.
15	St. John Fisher*	5:30 p.m.
18	at Hartwick*	5:30 p.m.
19	at Utica*	2 p.m.
22	at Houghton*	5:30 p.m.
25	Sage*	5:30 p.m.
26	Stevens*	2 p.m.
29	at Nazareth*	5:30 p.m.

FEBRUARY

1	Houghton*	5:30 p.m.
2	Alfred*	2 p.m.
5	Hartwick*	5:30 p.m.
8	Utica*	5:30 p.m.
12	at Alfred*	5:30 p.m.
15	at St. John Fisher*	5:30 p.m.
16	Nazareth*	2 p.m.
22	Empire 8 Semifinals	TBA
23	Empire 8 Championship	TBA

Home contests are bolded

*Empire 8 Conference contest

¹Pablo Coto Tip-Off Tournament in Arlington, Va.

GAME 7



ELMIRA COLLEGE
SOARING EAGLES
(2-4, 0-0 EMPIRE 8)



WELLS COLLEGE
EXPRESS
(0-6, 0-0 NEAC)

GAME 7

Matchup: Elmira vs. Wells

Date: Friday, November 30

Time: 6:00 p.m. (EST)

Site: Elmira, N.Y.

Arena: Speidel Gymnasium

Live Streaming: athletics.elmira.edu

Live Audio: rlmsports.net

Live Stats: athletics.elmira.edu

Live Updates: @ECSoaringEagles

Series History: 6-1

FRIDAY OVERVIEW

►The Soaring Eagles will play their second home game of the 2018-19 season on Friday night against Wells.

►Elmira and Wells will meet in non-conference action for the third consecutive season.

►EC's only home loss - and the only loss in series history against Wells - came on January 16, 1978, by a 37-32 final score in a game played at the Murray Athletic Center.

►The Soaring Eagles are looking to snap a three-game home skid, with the last win inside Speidel Gymnasium coming on February 10, 2018, the third-to-last home contest of the 2017-18 campaign.

►Both of Elmira's wins thus far in 2018-19 have come on the road, however, the home-opening loss vs. SUNY Cortland on November 20 was decided by just seven points.

►Today's game vs. Wells is the penultimate of the 2018 portion of the schedule, as Elmira will play only one more game on December 8 vs. Penn College before the holiday break.

A LOOK AT LAST TIME OUT

►The Soaring Eagles dominated Clarks Summit to the tune of a 65-21 non-conference win on the road on Tuesday night.

►All 13 players on the roster saw time in the lopsided win, with 11 different Soaring Eagles scoring at least two points.

►Elmira shot a season-best 50.0 percent from the field (26-of-52) and made 11-of-14 free throws (78.6 percent).

►Meanwhile, Clarks Summit was limited to a mere 14.8 field-goal percentage (8-of-54), a 13.3 3-point field-goal percentage (2-of-15), and scored a combined five points in the first half.

►Senior guard **Lindsey Heaton** paced all scorers with a game-high 18 points to go along with four rebounds, five assists, and two steals.

►Freshman guard **Alyssa Waters** was second on the team with 11 points and she hauled in a team-leading seven boards.

►Two first-years, guard **Farrah Fiacco** and forward **Kaylene Sauschuck**, made their collegiate debuts against the Defenders. **Sauschuck** scored four points on 2-of-4 shooting from the field, while **Fiacco** collected a pair of rebounds.

►Junior forward **Emily Breheny** earned a season-high 16 minutes of playing time and scored two points with a season-best six rebounds.

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16.8

The average margin of victory for Elmira in its six all-time wins over Wells. Although the most recent matchup in 2017-18 was decided by just six points, the previous four featured double-digit margins of no less than 19.

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Elmira held Clarks Summit to five first-half points. The last time EC limited a team to single-digits in a half was January 22, 2008, when Ithaca scored just nine points in the second half in a 55-35 loss at Speidel.

15.7

Senior guard **Lindsey Heaton** ranks sixth in the Empire 8 Conference with 15.7 points per game. At the current rate, Heaton is on pace to establish a new single-season career-high scoring average.

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ELMIRA QUICK FACTS

Location	Elmira, NY
Founded	1855
Enrollment	1,200
School Colors	Purple & Gold
Team Nickname	Soaring Eagles
Conference	Empire 8 Conference
President	Dr. Charles "Chuck" Lindsay
Athletic Director	Pat Thompson '75
Athletic Department	607-735-1730
Home Court	Speidel Gymnasium
Capacity	1,500
Athletics Affiliation	NCAA Division III

BASKETBALL INFORMATION

Head Coach	Devin Shea
Assistant Coaches	Tess Wicks & Robert Fauver
First Season	1977-78
2017-18 Overall Record	13-12
2017-18 Empire 8 Record	5-11

2018-19 EC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Leading after first quarter	2-0
Trailing after the first quarter	0-4
Tied after the first quarter	0-0
Leading after second quarter	2-0
Trailing after the second quarter	0-4
Tied after the second quarter	0-0
Leading after third quarter	2-0
Trailing after the third quarter	0-4
Tied after the third quarter	0-0
Scoring less than 40 points	0-0
Scoring between 40-49 points	0-3
Scoring between 50-59 points	0-1
Scoring between 60-69 points	1-0
Scoring between 70-79 points	1-0
Scoring 80-plus points	0-0

2017-18 EC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Leading after first quarter	11-3
Trailing after the first quarter	2-9
Tied after the first quarter	0-0
Leading after second quarter	12-3
Trailing after the second quarter	1-9
Tied after the second quarter	0-0
Leading after third quarter	11-3
Trailing after the third quarter	2-9
Tied after the third quarter	0-0
Scoring less than 40 points	0-1
Scoring between 40-49 points	0-2
Scoring between 50-59 points	1-5
Scoring between 60-69 points	7-4
Scoring between 70-79 points	4-0
Scoring 80-plus points	1-0

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TOP OF THE LINE DEFENSE

►Elmira enters today's contest ranked among the top defensive teams in the Empire 8 Conference in several categories.

►EC ranks second in field-goal percentage defense, holding opposing offenses to a 32.1 field-goal percentage. Hartwick leads the E8 at 31.8 percent.

►Opponents have struggled shooting the 3-ball against Elmira in 2018-19, converting at a league-worst 17.8 percent against the Soaring Eagles. The next closest team, Hartwick, is allowing opponents to shoot at a rate of 22.9 percent from 3-point range.

►In terms of points per game, EC is fourth out of nine teams, allowing 53.0 points per game.

RISING ROOKIE

►**Alyssa Waters** is one of four Soaring Eagles to appear in the starting lineup in all six games this season.

►That makes **Waters** the first freshman to start her first six collegiate games since teammate **Lindsey Heaton**, who was a starter in 20 consecutive games to open 2015-16 and 24-of-25 contests en route to Empire 8 Rookie of the Year honors.

►**Waters** is second among Soaring Eagles with 33.8 minutes per game and third with an 8.0 points-per-game average.

SCOUTING WELLS

►The Express are off to a 0-6 start to the 2018-19 season, with four of those losses coming on the road.

►Three of Wells' losses have come against Empire 8 Conference teams, including Utica (65-47), Hartwick (82-36), and most recently, Houghton (73-32).

►The only common opponent between the Soaring Eagles and Express thus far has been D'Youville. Elmira defeated the Spartans 79-63 in Buffalo, New York, for its first win of the year on November 12. Two days prior, the Express fell in their season-opener to D'Youville, 75-69.

►The Express average 47.0 points per game and are shooting 31.9 percent from the field and 29.2 percent from 3-point distance.

►After averaging 14.4 points while starting all 25 games last year, senior **Carley Ryan** has posted a team-high 15.0 points per game this year.

►**Ryan** was elected an All-North Eastern Athletic Conference (NEAC) Third Teamer as a junior.

SERIES HISTORY

ELMIRA VS. WELLS

►The Soaring Eagles lead the all-time series against Wells with six wins in seven matchups.

►Elmira has not loss to the Express since the first-ever meeting back in 1978, a 37-32 victory for Wells at the Murray Athletic Center.

►The Purple and Gold are taking on the Express for a third consecutive season. In 2016-17, EC won 69-50 inside Speidel Gymnasium, and in 2017-18, Elmira edged Wells by a 61-55 score.

ELMIRA LEADS 6-1 (7 GAMES)

YEAR	SITE	W	L	RESULT
2017-18	WEL	W		61-55
2016-17	ELM	W		69-50
2012-13	WEL	W		70-47
2011-12	ELM	W		75-46
1979-80	NEU	W		74-53
1978-79	WEL	W		37-34
1977-78	ELM		L	37-32

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2018-19 ELMIRA COLLEGE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name--Class	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown--Previous Team
3	Alyssa Waters '22	G	5'7"	Plattsburgh, NY/Beekmantown
4	Lindsey Heaton '19	G	5'4"	New Milford, CT/New Milford
10	Sarah Garner '20	G-F	5'9"	Syosset, NY/Syosset
12	Makayla Krause '19	G	5'7"	Endicott, NY/Union-Endicott
15	Rachel Vespucci '19	F	5'9"	Macedon, NY/Our Lady of Mercy
20	Alicia Johnson '22	G	5'6"	Beaumont, CA/Beaumont
21	Farrah Fiacco '22	G	5'4"	Newark Valley, NY/Newark Valley
23	Bridget Yaw '20	G	5'10"	Sherman, NY/Sherman Central
24	Lauren Franklin '20	G-F	5'9"	Binghamton, NY/Holy Cross
32	Emily Breheny '20	F	6'0"	Selinsgrove, PA/Selinsgrove Area
33	Taylor Albrecht '22	F	5'9"	Pleasant Valley, NY/Arlington
42	Kaylene Sauschuck '22	F	6'0"	Huguenot, NY/Port Jervis
44	Sally Hogan '19	F	6'3"	West Rutland, VT/Mount St. Joseph Academy

Head Coach: Devin Shea (1st season)

Assistant Coach: Tess Wicks

Assistant Coach: Robert Fauver

Student Manager: Brittany Boyce '21

PRONUNCIATIONS	BY HEIGHT	BY STATE
15. Rachel vess-POO-chee	44 Sally Hogan 6-3	CALIFORNIA (1)
20. uh-LEE-she-uh Johnson	42 Kaylene Sauschuck 6-0	20 Alicia Johnson
23. Bridget Yaw (rhymes with "Law")	32 Emily Breheny 6-0	
32. Emily breh-HEN-ee	23 Bridget Yaw 5-10	CONNECTICUT (1)
42. kay-LEAN SAUCE-chuck	15 Rachel Vespucci 5-9	4 Lindsey Heaton
	24 Lauren Franklin 5-9	
	10 Sarah Garner 5-9	NEW YORK (9)
	33 Taylor Albrecht 5-9	3 Alyssa Waters
	12 Makayla Krause 5-7	10 Sarah Garner
	3 Alyssa Waters 5-7	12 Makayla Krause
	20 Alicia Johnson 5-6	15 Rachel Vespucci
	4 Lindsey Heaton 5-4	21 Farrah Fiacco
	21 Farrah Fiacco 5-4	23 Bridget Yaw
		24 Lauren Franklin
		33 Taylor Albrecht
		42 Kaylene Sauschuck
		PENNSYLVANIA (1)
		32 Emily Breheny
		VERMONT (1)
		44 Sally Hogan

BY CLASS YEAR
Freshmen -- 5
Sophomores -- 0
Juniors -- 4
Seniors -- 4
LETTERWINNERS RETURNING/LOST
Overall -- 7/3
Guards -- 4/3
Forwards -- 3/0

2018-19 ELMIRA COLLEGE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name--Class	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown--Previous Team
33	Taylor Albrecht '22	F	5'9"	Pleasant Valley, NY/Arlington
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10	Sarah Garner '20	G-F	5'9"	Syosset, NY/Syosset
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2018-19 ELMIRA COLLEGE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STATISTICS

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	2-4	0-1	2-2	0-1
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	2-4	0-1	2-2	0-1

##	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fta	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
04	HEATON, Lindsey	6-6	222	37.0	36-84	.429	10-32	.313	12-16	.750	2	29	31	5.2	16	0	18	22	0	15	94	15.7
15	VESPUCCI, Rachel	6-6	186	31.0	22-65	.338	0-1	.000	19-31	.613	22	35	57	9.5	20	2	3	22	0	5	63	10.5
03	WATERS, Alyssa	6-6	203	33.8	18-49	.367	4-20	.200	8-11	.727	2	18	20	3.3	13	0	14	21	0	8	48	8.0
23	YAW, Bridget	6-5	172	28.7	15-43	.349	3-13	.231	13-16	.813	1	15	16	2.7	9	0	9	15	5	6	46	7.7
24	FRANKLIN, Lauren	6-6	156	26.0	10-25	.400	0-3	.000	15-20	.750	12	23	35	5.8	13	1	11	16	3	7	35	5.8
42	SAUSCHUCK, Kaylene	1-0	7	7.0	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	4.0
10	GARNER, Sarah	5-0	38	7.6	8-11	.727	0-0	.000	2-3	.667	3	8	11	2.2	7	0	1	5	0	0	18	3.6
25	HOGAN, Sally	6-1	65	10.8	9-26	.346	0-0	.000	2-4	.500	7	12	19	3.2	13	0	1	2	3	0	20	3.3
33	ALBRECHT, Taylor	5-0	52	10.4	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	4-7	.571	6	9	15	3.0	4	0	1	3	0	2	8	1.6
32	BREHENY, Emily	3-0	24	8.0	1-2	.500	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0	7	7	2.3	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0.7
12	KRAUSE, Makayla	5-0	40	8.0	1-6	.167	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	0	7	7	1.4	0	0	3	4	0	2	2	0.4
21	FIACCO, Farrah	1-0	6	6.0	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	2.0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0.0
20	JOHNSON, Alicia	3-0	29	9.7	0-4	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1.0	7	0	1	4	0	3	0	0.0
Team											10	10	20					4				
Total.....		6	1200		124-326	.380	17-75	.227	75-108	.694	67	177	244	40.7	104	3	63	120	11	48	340	56.7
Opponents.....		6	1200		114-355	.321	16-90	.178	74-115	.643	74	143	217	36.2	96	2	62	96	36	59	318	53.0

TEAM STATISTICS	ELMIRA	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	340	318	11/10/18	at Hilbert	L 49-53	167
Points per game	56.7	53.0	11/12/18	at D'Youville	W 79-63	110
Scoring margin	+3.7	-	11/16/18	at Marymount	L 47-65	125
FIELD GOALS-ATT	124-326	114-355	11/17/18	vs Ursinus	L 53-62	75
Field goal pct	.380	.321	11/20/18	SUNY CORTLAND	L 47-54	85
3 POINT FG-ATT	17-75	16-90	11/27/18	at Clarks Summit	W 65-21	80
3-point FG pct	.227	.178	* - Empire 8 game			
3-pt FG made per game	2.8	2.7				
FREE THROWS-ATT	75-108	74-115				
Free throw pct	.694	.643				
F-Throws made per game	12.5	12.3				
REBOUNDS	244	217				
Rebounds per game	40.7	36.2				
Rebounding margin	+4.5	-				
ASSISTS	63	62				
Assists per game	10.5	10.3				
TURNOVERS	120	96				
Turnovers per game	20.0	16.0				
Turnover margin	-4.0	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	0.5	0.6				
STEALS	48	59				
Steals per game	8.0	9.8				
BLOCKS	11	36				
Blocks per game	1.8	6.0				
ATTENDANCE	85	557				
Home games-Avg/Game	1-85	4-120				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	1-75				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Totals
Elmira College	86	75	74	105	340
Opponents	78	70	90	80	318