



TEMPLE UNIVERSITY LACROSSE

2016 GAME NOTES



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GAME INFORMATION

Date/Time vs. RutgersMarch 9, 2016/3:00 p.m.
 Date/Time vs. Saint Joseph'sMarch 12, 2016/1:00 p.m.
 SitePhiladelphia, Pa. (Geasey Field)
 Live Videoowlsports.com/watch
 Live Statssidearmstats.com/temple/wlax
 Twitter Updates@Templelacrosse
 Series vs. RutgersTemple leads, 14-7
 Series vs. Saint Joseph's.....Temple leads, 16-2
 Last Meeting vs. RutgersTemple, 10-9 @ Rutgers (3/11/15)
 Last Meeting vs. St. Joseph's ..Temple 12-11 in OT @ SJU (2/14/15)
 StreaksW 1 vs. Rutgers; W 6 vs. Saint Joseph's

SCHEDULE/RESULTS

FEBRUARY

Feb. 12 #16 LOUISVILLE..... L, 8-5
 Feb. 17 LA SALLE..... W, 13-2
 Feb. 21 UC DAVIS W, 17-4
 Feb. 27 at Lafayette W, 17-6

MARCH

Mar. 1 WAGNER W, 12-7
 Mar. 5 at UMBC W, 19-9
 Mar. 9 RUTGERS..... 3:00 p.m.
 Mar. 12 SAINT JOSEPH'S (FOJ Day)..... 1:00 p.m.
 Mar. 16 DELAWARE 3:00 p.m.
 Mar. 26 CALIFORNIA..... 1:00 p.m.

APRIL

Apr. 2 at #3 Florida* 1:00 p.m.
 Apr. 9 VANDERBILT* 1:00 p.m.
 Apr. 13 #20 UCONN*..... 3:00 p.m.
 Apr. 16 at Marquette*..... 1:00 p.m.
 Apr. 20 at Villanova*..... 7:00 p.m.
 Apr. 23 CINCINNATI* 1:00 p.m.
 Apr. 30 GEORGETOWN* (Senior Day)..... 1:00 p.m.

MAY

May 5 at BIG EAST Semifinals** TBA
 May 7 at BIG EAST Final** TBA

Home games in CAPS

* - BIG EAST Conference games

** - BIG EAST Tournament (Washington, D.C.)

All times Eastern

PRONUNCIATIONS

Rachel Barileba-RELL-e
 Quinn Benintendeben-in-ten-day
 Kirstie Connorkeer-stie
 Jaqi KakalecikJackie cacka-LAY-check
 Maddie McTigue.....mc-TYg
 Kathryn Skahan.....skay-han
 Kara Stroupstroop
 Gabby Szczepaneksuh-panic
 Toni Yukoyou-co

MATCHUP



TEMPLE

Owls
 5-1, 0-0 BIG EAST

HEAD COACH

Bonnie Rosen (Virginia '93)
 Overall Record: 144-164 (20th Yr.)
 at School: 76-83 (10th Yr.)

LAST TIME OUT

W, 19-9 at UMBC
 3/5/2016

LEADERS

Goals: Rachel Schwaab (14)
 Assists: Schwaab/M. Tiernan (9)
 Points: Rachel Schwaab (23)
 Draws: Morgan Glassford (34)

RUTGERS

Scarlet Knights
 1-5, 0-0 Big Ten

HEAD COACH

Laura Brand-Sias (Rutgers '99)
 Overall Record: 118-118 (15th Yr.)
 at School: 108-111 (14th Yr.)

LAST TIME OUT

L, 14-11 vs. #19 UConn
 3/5/2016

LEADERS

Goals: Kristina Dunphey (13)
 Assists: Barnes/Kolodny/Turturro (4)
 Points: Dunphey/Barnes (15)
 Draws: Alana Navaroli (12)

SAINT JOSEPH'S

Hawks
 1-3, 0-0 Atlantic 10

HEAD COACH

Alex Kahoe (Maryland '00)
 Overall Record: 6-14 (2nd Yr.)
 at School: Same

LAST TIME OUT

vs. #16 Penn
 3/8/2016

LEADERS

Goals: Nora McCallion (13)
 Assists: Maggie Egan (10)
 Points: Nora McCallion (17)
 Draws: Maggie Egan (19)

HEADLINES

- Temple has won five games in a row, outscoring those opponents 78-28.
- Four of the Owls' last five wins have been by 10 or more goals. Their 19-goal effort against UMBC was the most since a 19-3 win over Cincinnati in 2014.
- Temple trailed Wagner 7-6 early in the second half on March 1, but closed the game on a 6-0 run.
- Senior Rachel Schwaab leads Temple with 14 goals and 23 total points. Schwaab and senior Megan Tiernan have each tallied nine assists to lead the Owls.
- Megan Tiernan has scored four free-position goals to tie for third in the BIG EAST Conference with 0.67 free position goals per game.
- Schwaab's and Tiernan's 1.50 assists per game tie for third among all players in the BIG EAST. Schwaab's 3.83 points per game also rank third, while her 2.33 goals per game rank seventh.
- Eight players have scored three or more goals for Temple, and nine hat tricks have already been recorded by the Owls. Megan Tiernan has hat tricks in three of the last four games for Temple.
- In the Owls' 19-9 win at UMBC on March 5, senior Brenda McDermott scored five straight goals in the first half. She finished with a career-high five in the game, the most for any Owl so far this season.
- Senior goalkeeper Jaqi Kakalecik has played every minute in the cage, making 36 saves while allowing 36 goals for a save percentage of .500 to tie for third in the BIG EAST.
- Junior midfielder Morgan Glassford was named to the BIG EAST Weekly Honor Roll on Feb. 23 after totaling four goals and 11 draw controls in the Owls' 2-0 week with wins vs. La Salle and UC Davis. Glassford has scored 10 goals to rank fourth on the team, and her 34 draw controls lead the Owls. Her 5.67 draws per game lead all players in the BIG EAST.
- Temple's 6.00 goals against average is tops among BIG EAST teams so far this season.
- The Owls rank second among BIG EAST teams in goals per game (13.83) and draw controls per game (13.50), while ranking third in assists per game (5.50) and points per game (19.33).
- Senior midfielder Nicole Tiernan was a unanimous selection to the 2016 Preseason All-BIG EAST Team. The Owls were picked to finish sixth of eight teams in the conference in the preseason poll.
- Temple will play 12 of its 17 regular-season games at home on Geasey Field. Wednesday's game against Rutgers is the first of five in a row at home for the Owls from March 9-26.
- The Owls are looking to make their first appearance in the BIG EAST Tournament since joining the league as an associate member in 2014. The four-team tournament will be hosted by Georgetown in Washington, D.C. on May 5 and 7.
- The Owls and the Scarlet Knights are meeting for the 21st time, with Temple holding a 14-6 lead. The Owls earned a narrow, 11-10 road win at Rutgers in 2015. The Scarlet Knights won their first game this year, 14-8 at Villanova, but have gone 0-5 since including losses to three teams ranked in the Top 20.
- The Owls and the Hawks are meeting for the 19th time, with Temple holding a 16-2 lead. Last year's meeting was a 12-11 overtime win for Temple at Saint Joseph's, and overall the Owls have won six straight in the series.

PROGRAM INFORMATION

PROGRAM HISTORY

- Overall record: 431-232-4 (1975-present)
- NCAA Championships: 2 (1984, 1988)
- NCAA Appearances: 17 (Last in 2008)
- Atlantic 10 Titles: 5 (Last in 2008)

COACHING STAFF

Head CoachBonnie Rosen
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 Career Record/Year144-164/20th
 Record at TU/Year76-83/10th
 Associate Head CoachJennifer Wong
 Assistant Coach:Claire Hubbard
 Grad. ManagerKelly Palace

THE TEAM

Letterwinners Returning/Lost26/4
 Starters Returning/Lost.....9/2
 2015 Overall Record10-6
 BIG EAST Record2-5
 BIG EAST Regular Season Finish6th
 PostseasonN/A

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY

Founded1884
 Enrollment.....39,000
 NicknameOwls
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2016 TEMPLE LACROSSE ROSTER

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown	High School
1	Jaqi Kakalecik	Sr.	GK	5-7	Whitehouse Station, N.J.	Hunterdon Central
2	Rachel Barile	Jr.	D	5-7	Bel Air, Md.	Fallston
3	Megan Pinkerton	Sr.	A	5-2	Lancaster, Pa.	Manheim Township
4	*Kara Stroup	Sr.	D	5-4	Garnet Valley, Pa.	Garnet Valley
5	Avery Longstaff	Sr.	A	5-6	Denver, Pa.	Cocalico
6	Gabby Szczepanek	Jr.	A	5-2	Wyncote, Pa.	Cheltenham
7	Toni Yuko	So.	A	5-5	Lititz, Pa.	Manheim Township
8	Kathryn Skahan	Sr.	A	5-2	West Chester, Pa.	Bishop Shanahan
9	Kira Gensler	So.	A	5-3	Royersford, Pa.	Spring-Ford
10	Molly Luderitz	Fr.	M	5-6	Hershey, Pa.	Hershey
11	Kari Longstaff	Sr.	D	5-6	Denver, Pa.	Cocalico
12	Taylor Gooch	Fr.	D	5-6	Milton, Del.	Cape Henlopen
14	Morgan Glassford	Jr.	M	5-5	Wallingford, Pa.	Strath Haven
15	Nicole Latgis	So.	D	5-5	Jarrettsville, Md.	North Harford
17	Kirstie Connor	Sr.	M	5-2	Westminster, Md.	North Carroll
18	Nicole Barretta	So.	A	5-7	Exton, Pa.	Downingtown East
19	Summer Jaros	Sr.	D	5-10	West Chester, Pa.	Bishop Shanahan
20	Amber Lambeth	Fr.	M	5-5	Harleysville, Pa.	Souderton
21	*Maddie McTigue	Sr.	D	5-9	West Chester, Pa.	Villa Maria Academy
22	*Rachel Schwaab	Sr.	A	5-8	Baltimore, Md.	Catonsville
23	Haile Houck	So.	M	5-11	Hampstead, Md.	Manchester Valley
24	Quinn Benintende	Fr.	A	5-5	Kennett Square, Pa.	Unionville
25	Kaitlin Suzuki	So.	D	5-3	Hatfield, Pa.	North Penn
27	Carly Demato	Jr.	A	5-10	Medford, N.J.	Shawnee
28	Kelsea Hershey	Fr.	GK	5-10	Lititz, Pa.	Warwick
29	Anna Frederick	Jr.	A	5-8	Rehoboth Beach, Del.	Cape Henlopen
33	Brooke Williams	Jr.	A	5-8	Churchville, Md.	C. Milton Wright
34	*Brenda McDermott	R-Jr.	A	5-7	Harleysville, Pa.	North Penn
44	Nicole Tiernan	Sr.	M	5-6	Washington Township, N.J.	Washington Township
47	Megan Tiernan	Sr.	M	5-6	Washington Township, N.J.	Washington Township
49	Krissy Gallivan	Jr.	M	5-5	Avondale, Pa.	Kennett

*Denotes team co-captain

Head Coach: Bonnie Rosen (Virginia '93), 10th season

Associate Head Coach: Jennifer Wong (Connecticut '05), sixth season

Assistant Coach: Claire Hubbard (Stanford '10), first season

Graduate Manager: Kelly Palace (Drexel '14), first season

2016 SEASON OUTLOOK

With a veteran group of 13 seniors, the stage is set for Temple lacrosse to finally make its mark in the BIG EAST Conference in 2016. The Owls were impressive in non-conference play with a 8-1 mark last season, but hit a lull in league play that they are looking to avoid this year.

Temple joined the BIG EAST as an associate member starting in the 2014 season, but the Owls have so far come up short in earning a conference tournament berth. History is certainly on Temple's side, with the program advancing to the Atlantic 10 Tournament in 13 of 15 seasons in which it was a member of that conference. All-time, Temple has also made 17 NCAA Tournament appearances, including one in 2008 under current head coach Bonnie Rosen.

Rosen now enters her 10th season at the helm after leading the Owls to 10 wins last year, the most since 2008. In 2016, Rosen's team returns all six players who recorded double figures in goals a year ago, as well as starting goalkeeper Jaqi Kakalecik.

Senior midfielder Nicole Tiernan was a BIG EAST First Team selection last season, and has already been named to the Preseason All-BIG EAST Team this year. She led the Owls with 35 goals and 38 total points in her junior season, ranking fourth in the conference with 2.19 goals per game. Twin sister Megan Tiernan was the Owls' leader in BIG EAST games with 11 goals.

Leading the Owls in assists last year was Rachel Schwaab, who returns for her senior season. Her 14 assists ranked ninth in the conference, and she was tops on the team in total points for league games with 15 (nine goals, six assists).

"Rachel had a fantastic fall," said Rosen. "She really grew her game to be a lot more dynamic as a threat with the ball. We are looking to her to help organize the offense and control the pace of the offense. She will be integral to the way our offense is functioning as its currently designed."

"We've got very strong midfielders as well. I would expect the Tiernans will help anchor that for us. Offensively, we've been looking to Rachel a lot to help set our attack, and recently Brenda McDermott has emerged as a top leader for our offense."

Along with returning the core of its offensive and midfield power, the Owls are deep defensively. Team co-captains and seniors Maddie McTigue and Kara Stroup anchor the defense along with Kakalecik, and Rosen expects senior Summer Jaros to be right there with them.

Rosen is confident that no matter who ends up in the starting lineup, there will be a strong rotation of substitutions.

"We have a lot of people vying for starting spots," she said, "but as far as playing ability, we're pretty deep right now. We expect to play quite a few numbers. We've got a lot of people ready to make their mark."

Speaking to the wealth of leadership Temple has this year, Rosen doesn't believe there are any drawbacks to having so many seniors on the team.

"To have 13 veteran players who know what it takes and are self-motivated and care about each other, there's nothing negative about that. Our captains will still be really critical in key moments when the leadership has to step up and be the voice, but day-to-day we'll be so much stronger with this veteran group."

Although every game is critical in helping Temple prepare for conference play, Rosen has her team focused on the big picture of learning and growing.

"The teams that really succeed down the stretch are the ones that can keep growing their game and don't stay the team they were to start the season," she said. "One of the things we've been focused on is the ability to learn and grow. How to keep pushing and learning to adapt. We came out really strong last year but hit a lull going into conference play, and we have to be ready to be better by that point in our season this year."

Temple's schedule is heavy on games at Geasey Field, which the Owls will be playing on for the final time in 2016 before moving down the street to the new William Penn facility in 2017.

"We're really excited to have so many games at home," said Rosen. "Getting comfortable on our home field is really nice, and it'll be nice to have home crowds there. When you travel you can kind of come together a little bit more as a team at times, so we're really trying to do a lot of bonding here at home. But we should be refreshed and well-rested from not having to travel as much this year."

The Owls will get a challenge right from the get-go in 2016, hosting #15 Louisville in their season opener on Friday, Feb. 12.

"Louisville will be one of the best teams, if not the best team, we'll play all season," said Rosen. "They're an outstanding offensive team. It really helps us to go against top competition, and I think we have the ability to knock them off. Trying to get our game ready for them means we're getting ready for the best competition we can see all year. It'll be a great test for us."

Many traditional rivalries make up the bulk of the Owls' remaining non-conference games, including home contests against La Salle, Rutgers, Saint Joseph's and Delaware. Temple won all four games against those opponents a year ago, including one-goal victories over Rutgers and Saint Joseph's. The 2015 non-conference season was capped by an 11-6 win at #19 Delaware.

Temple begins conference play on the road at defending BIG EAST champ and #3 Florida. The Owls will play four league games at home and just three on the road, closing out the season with home games vs. Cincinnati on April 23 and Georgetown on April 30.

The four-team BIG EAST Tournament will be hosted by Georgetown and is set for May 5 and 7 in Washington, D.C.

2016 Temple Lacrosse
Temple Combined Team Statistics
All games (as of Mar 05, 2016)

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	5-1	3-1	2-0	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	5-1	3-1	2-0	0-0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
Feb 12	#16 LOUISVILLE	L 5-8	314
Feb 17	LA SALLE	w 13-2	267
Feb 21	UC DAVIS	w 17-4	358
Feb 27	at Lafayette	w 17-6	212
Mar 01	WAGNER	w 12-7	257
Mar 05	at UMBC	w 19-9	424

TEAM STATISTICS

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SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	83-175	36-100
Goals scored per game	13.83	6.00
Shot pct.	.474	.360
Shots on goal-Attempts	135-175	72-100
SOG pct.	.771	.720
Shots/Game	29.2	16.7
Assists	33	11
Free position Made-Att	13-42	3-10
Free position pct.	.310	.300
GOAL BREAKDOWN		
Total Goals	83	36
Free-position	13	3
Unassisted	50	25
Overtime	0	0
Goals scored average	13.83	6.00
GROUND BALLS	90	88
DRAW CONTROLS	81	48
TURNOVERS	95	108
CAUSED TURNOVERS	52	39
CLEARs	65-84	61-97
Clear Pct.	.774	.629
ATTENDANCE		
Total	1196	636
Dates/Avg Per Date	4/299	2/318
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

##	PLAYER	GP	G	A	Pts	Sh	GB	DC	TO	CT
22	SCHWAAB, Rachel	6	14	9	23	20	6	3	10	0
47	TIERNAN, Megan	6	12	9	21	37	8	5	8	3
34	MCDERMOTT, Brenda	6	11	7	18	21	8	3	13	3
14	GLASSFORD, Morgan	6	10	1	11	14	8	34	6	8
17	CONNOR, Kirstie	6	9	0	9	14	5	9	4	2
3	PINKERTON, Mega	5	7	3	10	14	2	3	2	2
29	FREDERICK, Anna	6	7	0	7	12	2	1	4	2
44	TIERNAN, Nicole	6	7	1	8	24	9	5	9	9
18	BARRETTA, Nicole	4	2	0	2	7	0	2	3	0
33	WILLIAMS, Brooke	6	2	2	4	3	0	1	9	0
27	DEMATO, Carly	6	1	0	1	4	0	1	4	0
5	LONGSTAFF, Aver	6	1	0	1	2	0	0	1	0
25	SUZUKI, Kaitlin	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	BENINTENDE, Quinn	4	0	1	1	1	2	0	1	0
20	LAMBETH, Amber	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	LATGIS, Nicole	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10	LUDERITZ, Molly	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
7	YUKO, Toni	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
2	BARILE, Rachel	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
49	GALLIVAN, Krissy	6	0	0	0	1	3	2	4	3
21	MCTIGUE, Maddie	6	0	0	0	0	5	2	2	4
19	JAROS, Summer	6	0	0	0	0	9	7	4	6
11	LONGSTAFF, Kari	6	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	2
4	STROUP, Kara	6	0	0	0	0	5	2	2	5
1	KAKALECIK, Jaqi	6	0	0	0	0	12	0	8	3
Total		6	83	33	116	175	90	81	95	52
Opponents		6	36	11	47	100	88	48	108	39

##	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Save	Pct	W-L-T
1	KAKALECIK, Jaqi	6	360:00	36	6.00	36	.500	5-1-0
Total		6	360:00	36	6.00	36	.500	5-1-0
Opponents		6	360:00	83	13.83	52	.385	1-5-0

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Temple	43	40	83
Opponents	24	12	36

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Temple	18	18	36
Opponents	26	26	52

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Temple	89	86	175
Opponents	61	39	100

Shots on Goal	1st	2nd	Total
Temple	69	66	135
Opponents	42	30	72