

University Facts

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| Location | West Lafayette, Ind. (47907) |
| Founded..... | 1869 |
| Enrollment..... | 39,102 |
| President..... | France A. Córdoba |
| Athletics Director..... | Morgan J. Burke |
| Sr. Assoc. Athletics Director | Roger Blalock |
| Sr. Assoc. Athletics Director/SWA..... | Nancy Cross |
| Colors | Old Gold and Black |
| Nickname | Boilermakers |
| Song | "Hail Purdue" |
| National Affiliation | NCAA Division I |
| Conference | Big Ten |
| Facility | Schwartz Tennis Center (700) |

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Coaching Staff

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|------------------------------------|---|
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| Overall Record | 27-23 |
| Purdue Record..... | First season at Purdue |
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| Letterwinners Returning/Lost | 4/4 |
| Newcomers | 2 |

2006-07 Recap

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|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Overall Record | 13-9 |
| Home/Away/Neutral | 5-5/7-3/1-1 |
| Big Ten Conference Record..... | 5-5 |
| Final ITA Ranking..... | 40th |
| Brooke Beier/Mallory Voelker..... | 49th |
| Randi Schuler..... | 101st |

History

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|-----------------------------------|---------|
| First Year | 1976 |
| All-Time Record | 286-395 |
| Big Ten Record (since 1982) | 96-159 |
| NCAA Tournament Appearances..... | 4 |



Roster

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Yr./El.</u> | <u>Ht.</u> | <u>Hometown (Previous School)</u> |
|------------------|----------------|------------|---|
| Brooke Beier | Sr./Sr. | 5-6 | East China, Mich. (St. Clair H.S.) |
| Alejandra Boeker | Jr./Jr. | 5-7 | Zionsville, Ind. (Lynn University) |
| Joanna Craven | Fr./Fr. | 5-9 | Leeds, Yorkshire, England (Woodhouse Grove) |
| Cigdem Duru | Sr./Sr. | 5-5 | Istanbul, Turkey (Texas Tech) |
| Anna Dzeva | Jr./Jr. | 5-4 | Pskov, Russia (Kuhranifarian Lyceum) |
| Tatiana Ganzha | Jr./Jr. | 5-6 | St. Petersburg, Russia (Boise State) |
| Whitney Reys | Jr./Jr. | 5-7 | Columbia, Mo. (Rock Bridge H.S.) |
| Stephanie Wooten | Sr./Sr. | 5-1 | Combine, Texas (Crandall H.S.) |

Head Coach: Laura Glitz (Arizona State '90), 1st year

Assistant Coach: Valerie Vladea (Northwestern '05), 2nd year

By Class

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|--------------------|--|
| Seniors (3)..... | Brooke Beier, Cigdem Duru Stephanie Wooten |
| Juniors (4) | Alejandra Boeker, Anna Dzeva Tatiana Ganzha, Whitney Reys |
| Freshmen (1) | Joanna Craven |

Pronunciation Guide

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|------------------------|---------------------|
| Alejandra Boeker | BOO-ker |
| Cigdem Duru..... | CHEET-em doo-ROO |
| Brooke Beier..... | BYE-er |
| Anna Dzeva..... | AHN-yah DAH-zay-vah |
| Tatiana Ganzha..... | GAHN-zah |
| Whitney Reys..... | REEZ |
| Valerie Vladea | vlah-DAY-ah |

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| Business Manager..... | Colleen Garrity |
| Equipment Manager..... | Barb Hack |
| Facilities Supervisors | Butch Brose & Al Capitos |
| Facility Manager | Joe Braden |

Administration

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|--|-----------------|
| Athletics Director..... | Morgan J. Burke |
| Senior Associate A.D..... | Roger Blalock |
| Senior Associate A.D./SWA..... | Nancy Cross |
| Senior Associate A.D./John Purdue Club | Joe Muller |
| Senior Associate A.D. | Glenn Tompkins |
| Associate A.D. | Ed Howat |
| Associate A.D. | Barb Kapp |
| Assistant A.D. | Tom Reiter |
| Assistant A.D. | Tom Schott |
| Assistant A.D. | Steve Simmerman |

Institution Administration

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| President..... | France A. Córdoba |
| Faculty Representatives | Jeffrey T. Bolin, Christie L. Sahley |

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HEAD COACH LAURA GLITZ

1ST YEAR ♦ ARIZONA STATE '90

Laura Glitz was named head coach of the Purdue women's tennis team on Aug. 1, 2007. Glitz came to Purdue from Cornell University in Ithaca, N.Y., where she led the Big Red to three-straight winning seasons.

"We're thrilled to have Laura Glitz as our head women's tennis coach," said Senior Associate Athletic Director and Senior Woman's Administrator Nancy Cross. "Her collective successes as a student-athlete, a professional tennis player and a head coach presented the perfect set of skills and experiences. We are confident that her energy and leadership will elevate our winning program to an elite level."

In her final season at Cornell, Glitz' team attained a national ranking of 69th en route to a 10-6 record. Three of Glitz' student-athletes, Elizabeth Googe, Kasia Preneta and Nisha Suda, all received postseason accolades from the Ivy League.

Prior to coming to Cornell, Glitz was an assistant coach at Princeton University for four seasons. She assisted Princeton coaching legend Louise Gengler, helping out with all aspects of the program, including customizing drills for team and individual workouts, recruiting student-athletes and organizing the team's training program. During her time with the Tigers, four singles players and one doubles team were named to the All-Ivy first team and the squad finished in the top half of the Ivy standings each year.

A former All-American at Arizona State, Glitz competed on the WTA tour from 1990-94 and achieved a top-250 ranking in singles and a top-90 ranking in doubles play. She has competed in all four grand slam events. A four-time winner of the USPTA/MSTA Outstanding Women's Open Player of the Year (1992, 1994, 1996 and 2000), Glitz was ranked No. 1 nationally in the United States Professional Tennis Association (USPTA)

women's open singles in 1994.

From 1994 to 2000, Glitz served as the tennis director at the Yorktowne (Pa.) Racquet and Fitness Club, where she worked with numerous college-bound student-athletes. During that time, she also coached national and sectional ranked juniors at the Central Pennsylvania Area Training Center.

While at Arizona State, the All-America honoree served as team captain during her junior and senior seasons and played at both No. 1 singles and doubles for the Sun Devils before graduating in 1990 with a bachelor of science degree in finance.



ASSISTANT COACH VALERIE VLADAEA

2ND YEAR ♦ NORTHWESTERN '05

Valerie Vladea is in her second year as an assistant coach for the Purdue women's tennis program. Vladea started working with the Boilermakers on July 10, 2006.

Vladea helped guide the Boilermakers to a 13-9 win-loss record in her first season as assistant to then-head coach Mat Iandolo.

First-year highlights included Brooke Beier and Mallory Voelker winning the Arizona State Thunderbird Invitational No. 1 doubles title and finishing the spring with a national No. 49 ranking. Voelker succeeded in her first year at No. 1 singles, posting a 15-8 dual record, and receiving a spot on the All-Big Ten team.

As a team, the Boilermakers won 63 percent of its singles matches (92-54) and 55 percent of its doubles contests (41-33).

Prior to her arrival in West Lafayette, Vladea spent the 2004-05 season as the assistant women's

tennis coach at Marquette University.

While at Marquette, she was responsible for scheduling and structuring of daily team practices, travel, and recruiting. Junior Erin Watkins was the Golden Eagles' top individual success story during Vladea's lone season in Milwaukee, finishing with an overall singles record of 21-16 while playing at No. 2 and No. 3 singles.

Before her first year at Marquette, she was a tennis coach and counselor at the Nike/Northwestern Tennis Camp in the summer of 2005.

Vladea, a three-time All-Big Ten selection, played three years at Minnesota and one year at Northwestern to finish her collegiate eligibility.

While at Minnesota, Vladea earned three consecutive All-Big Ten honors while playing at No. 1 singles and doubles all three years. Vladea

was only the third athlete in Minnesota women's tennis history to earn at least three all-conference citations.

Vladea was named the team's most valuable player at the end of 2001-02, and the following year led the Golden Gophers to a final ranking of 29th in the nation. In her only season at Northwestern, Vladea again earned MVP honors as she tallied an overall record of 34-9, including a perfect 12-0 mark in the Big Ten at No. 4 singles, winning the conference title at that spot. She helped the Wildcats win their seventh-straight Big Ten Tournament title as they finished the season ranked fifth in the nation.

A native of Timisoara, Romania, Vladea graduated from Minnesota with a degree in sports management and recently finished her master's degree in liberal studies from Northwestern in the summer of 2006.



BROOKE BEIER

SENIOR ♦ 5-6 ♦ EAST CHINA, MICH. ♦ ST. CLAIR HIGH SCHOOL

Beier in 2006-07

- ♦ Records — Singles: 20-13, (4-6 Big Ten); Doubles 23-11, (6-4 Big Ten).
- ♦ Nominated by team as its Big Ten Sportsmanship honoree.
- ♦ Beat No. 56 Christina Visico of Cal during the first round of the Arizona State Thunderbird Invitational
- ♦ Played entire spring doubles season with Mallory Voelker; with Voelker, opened season ranked 20th in the nation by the ITA and were ranked every week of the regular season – finished year with No. 49 ranking.
- ♦ Won the ASU Thunderbird Invite doubles title with Voelker; upset the No. 4 ranked team of ASU's Pooler and Clark in the first round, 8-6 and won the championship over the Cal tandem of Kosano/Ravelojaona, 9-8 (5).
- ♦ Went 6-2 in doubles with teammate Randi Shuler; began the season 4-0 with Schuler, winning the St. Mary's Classic Flight B doubles crown over the William and Mary combo of Bresson/Kasztelaniec, 8-6.

Beier in 2005-06

- ♦ Records — Singles: 22-14 (6-4 Big Ten); Doubles: 25-14 (6-4 Big Ten).
- ♦ Finished third on team with 22 wins, playing mostly at No. 2 and No. 3 singles.
- ♦ Reached a season-high ITA doubles ranking of No. 43 with Hala Sufi on Jan. 10, 2006.
- ♦ With Sufi, beat the No. 32 doubles team of Davis/Hirsch (Wake Forest), 9-8 (6), at the St. Mary's Classic.
- ♦ Posted an overall doubles record of 25-14, including an 11-2 mark at No. 2 doubles with freshman Randi Schuler; won nine straight spring matches with Schuler from Feb. 2 through March 24.
- ♦ With freshman Mallory Voelker, beat the No. 3 team of Anderson/O'Rian (Harvard), 9-8) at No. 1 singles during the first round of the NCAA Tournament.
- ♦ Upset 74th ranked Christian Thompson of Notre Dame, 6-4, 0-6, 6-2, playing at No. 2 singles.
- ♦ Beat top 100 player Dunja Antunovic of DePaul, 6-2, 7-6 (2) at No. 3 singles.

Beier in 2004-05

- ♦ Records — Singles: 16-13 (6-4 Big Ten); Doubles: 14-15 (4-6 Big Ten).
- ♦ Advanced to Flight Five title match at St. Mary's Women's Fall Tennis Classic.
- ♦ Won six of first eight matches in spring dual-match action.
- ♦ Provided match-clinching win in 4-3 victory over Michigan State on April 10.
- ♦ Won four of last five doubles matches with partner Hala Sufi.
- ♦ Won ITA summer circuit tournament at Western Michigan University in June 2005

Beier at St. Clair High School

- ♦ Three-time All-American.
- ♦ Four-time all-league, all-area and all-state pick.
- ♦ Michigan Division 3 state champion as a junior and senior.
- ♦ Reached top 10 of Midwest 18-and-under rankings.
- ♦ Ranked as high as 81st nationally in 18-and-under.
- ♦ Class valedictorian.

Beier's Vitals

- ♦ Given name is Brooke Leigh Beier.
- ♦ Born April 28, 1986.
- ♦ Parents are Pam and Terry Beier.
- ♦ Majoring in biomedical engineering.



BEIER'S FAVORITES

- Movie _____ *Finding Nemo*
- Actor _____ *Brad Pitt*
- Actress _____ *Julia Roberts*
- TV show _____ *Friends*
- TV channel _____ *ESPN*
- Color _____ *Yellow*
- Number _____ *14*
- Car _____ *Jeep Grand Cherokee*
- Food _____ *Coldstone Ice Cream*
- Beverage _____ *Powerade*
- Restaurant _____ *The Cheesecake Factory*
- Sport besides tennis _____ *Golf*
- Athlete _____ *Andre Agassi*
- Men's tennis player _____ *Andre Agassi*
- Women's tennis player _____ *Lindsay Davenport*
- Grand Slam tournament _____ *U.S. Open*
- Web site _____ *purduesports.com*
- Spot on campus _____ *Schwartz Tennis Center*

BEIER'S CAREER STATISTICS

| Singles | | | | | | | | Doubles | | | | | | |
|---------------|--------------|------|--------------|-------------|------------|------------|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----|--------------|
| | Year | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | Big Ten | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | Big Ten |
| 2004-05 | 7-6 | | | | | 7-5 | 2-2 | | 6-4 | 5-4 | | 7-11 | 2-0 | 4-6 |
| 2005-06 | 5-4 | | 6-6 | 9-4 | | | | 6-4 | 7-4 | 7-6 | 10-2 | | | 6-4 |
| 2006-07 | 6-5 | | 10-8 | 2-0 | | | | 4-6 | 9-2 | 13-8 | | | | 6-4 |
| Totals | 18-15 | | 18-14 | 11-4 | 7-5 | 2-2 | | 16-14 | 21-10 | 20-14 | 17-13 | 2-0 | | 16-14 |

Overall Singles Record: 58-40 Overall Doubles Record: 62-40



CIGDEM DURU

SENIOR ♦ 5-5 ♦ ISTANBUL, TURKEY ♦ USKUDAR ♦ TEXAS TECH

Duru in 2006-07

- ♦ Records — Singles: 20-14 (6-4 Big Ten); Doubles: 18-14 (5-5 Big Ten).
- ♦ Tied Anna Dzeva and Neela Vaez for team lead with 16 singles victories.
- ♦ With doubles partner, Vaez, led club with 15 doubles wins.
- ♦ Posted a 10-1 record at No. 5 singles.
- ♦ Won 12 of first 14 singles matches.
- ♦ Of 16 singles victories, 12 of them were earned in straight sets.
- ♦ Won first match as a Boilermaker in the consolation bracket of the St. Mary's Classic, defeating East Tennessee's Masha Ilina, 6-3, 6-2.

Duru at Texas Tech in 2005-06

- ♦ Records — Singles: 23-15 (7-4 Big 12); Doubles: 28-9 (8-3 Big 12).
- ♦ Was part of a Red Raider club that finished No. 4 in the Big 12 and 51st in the nation in 2005-06.
- ♦ Posted an overall spring singles record of 14-7, going 2-0 at No. 1 singles and 12-7 at No. 2 singles.
- ♦ Defeated 55th-ranked Monica Milewski of Colorado, 6-4, 5-7, 6-1.
- ♦ With three different doubles partners in the No. 2 and No. 3 spots, registered an overall doubles record of 16-3.

Duru at Texas Tech in 2004-05

- ♦ Records — Singles: 19-17 (4-9 Big 12); Doubles: 27-9 (8-3 Big 12).
- ♦ As a freshman, filled the No. 1 and No. 2 spots in singles action with a record of 11-15.
- ♦ Went 3-4 at the No. 1 doubles spot with partners Tara Browning and Janet Durham and was 10-3 at the No. 2 spot with Durham.

Duru Prior to Collegiate Career

- ♦ Member of the Turkish Federal Cup team.
- ♦ Part of the U-14, U-16 and U-18 national teams.

Duru's Vitals

- ♦ Given name is Cigdem Duru
- ♦ Born May 7, 1986.
- ♦ Parents are Mustafa Nafiz and Danel Duru.
- ♦ Has a younger brother, Mehmet Nafiz.
- ♦ Majoring in Industrial Engineering.



DURU'S FAVORITES

Movie _____ *The Holliday*
 Actor _____ *Eric Bana*
 Actress _____ *Julia Roberts*
 TV show _____ *Family Guy*
 TV channel _____ *Eurosport*
 Color _____ *Red*
 Number _____ *7*
 Car _____ *Mitsubishi Galant*
 Food _____ *Turkish*
 Beverage _____ *Water*
 Restaurant _____ *P.F. Chang's*
 Sport besides tennis _____ *Soccer*
 Men's tennis player _____ *Roger Federer*
 Women's tennis player _____ *Monica Seles*
 Spot on campus _____ *Schwartz Tennis Center*

DURU'S CAREER STATISTICS

| Singles | | | | | | | | Conf. | Doubles | | | | | Conf. |
|---------------|--------------|------------|-------------|---|---|------------|-------------|-------|--------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|
| | Year | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | | 6 | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | |
| 2004-05 | 8-2 | 6-8 | 5-7 | | | | | | 4-9 | 10-2 | 3-4 | 10-3 | | 8-3 |
| 2005-06 | 9-8 | 2-0 | 12-7 | | | | | | 7-4 | 11-6 | | 11-3 | 5-0 | 8-3 |
| 2006-07 | 4-6 | | | | | 4-6 | 10-1 | | 6-4 | 3-5 | | 13-7 | 0-1 | 5-5 |
| Totals | 21-16 | 8-8 | 17-7 | | | 4-6 | 10-1 | | 15-17 | 24-13 | 3-4 | 34-13 | 5-1 | 21-11 |

Overall Singles Record: 62-46 Overall Doubles Record: 73-32



STEPHANIE WOOTEN

SENIOR/JUNIOR ♦ 5-1 ♦ COMBINE, TEXAS ♦ CRANDALL HIGH SCHOOL

Wooten in 2006-07

- ♦ Redshirted. Missed entire season due to injury.

Wooten in 2005-06

- ♦ Records — Singles: 10-9 (6-4 Big Ten); Doubles: 14-7 (8-2 Big Ten).
- ♦ Did not see action during the fall of 2005.
- ♦ Defeated top 100 player Kelcy Teft of Notre Dame, 6-0, 2-6, 7-6, at No. 4 singles.
- ♦ Topped Indiana's Ingrid Fischer, 6-4, 6-1, during the first-round of the Big Ten Championships.
- ♦ Won eight of her last 12 singles matches after beginning the season 2-5.
- ♦ In doubles action, went 8-3 at the second spot with freshman Randi Schuler, and was 6-4 with senior Brittany Minna at the No. 3 position.

Wooten in 2004-05

- ♦ Records — Singles: 16-17 (6-4 Big Ten); Doubles: 13-20 (2-8 Big Ten).
- ♦ Ranked 22nd in the final ITA Midwest regional poll (June 3).
- ♦ Flight Five title winner at St. Mary's Fall Tennis Classic.
- ♦ Played eight top 100-ranked players.
- ♦ Played exclusively at No. 2 singles in spring dual matches.

Wooten at Crandall High School

- ♦ Four-time Texas Class 3A state champion.
- ♦ Four-time district and regional champion.
- ♦ *Dallas Morning News* High School Player of the Year in 2002 and 2004.
- ♦ Ranked 34th in 16-and-under national rankings.

Wooten's Vitals

- ♦ Given name is Stephanie Gail Wooten.
- ♦ Born July 4, 1986.
- ♦ Parents are Suzan and Terry Wooten.
- ♦ Has an older sister, Kristen.
- ♦ Majoring in organizational leadership and supervision.



WOOTEN'S CAREER STATISTICS

| Singles | | | | | | | Doubles | | | | | | | |
|---------------|------------|------|--------------|-------|--------------------------|------------|---------|---|-------------|------------|---|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Year | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | Big Ten | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | Big Ten |
| 2004-05 | 6-5 | | | 10-12 | | | | | 6-4 | 5-6 | | 3-9 | 5-5 | 2-8 |
| 2005-06 | | | | | 7-4 | 3-5 | | | 6-4 | | | 8-3 | 6-4 | 8-2 |
| 2006-07 | | | | | Redshirted. Did Not Play | | | | | | | | | |
| Totals | 6-5 | | 10-12 | | 7-4 | 3-5 | | | 12-8 | 5-6 | | 11-12 | 11-9 | 10-10 |

Overall Singles Record: 26-26 *Overall Doubles Record: 27-27*

WOOTEN'S FAVORITES

- Movie _____ *The Notebook*
 Actor _____ *Brad Pitt*
 Actress _____ *Jennifer Aniston*
 TV show _____ *Newlyweds*
 TV channel _____ *MTV*
 Band/singer _____ *Jessica Simpson*
 Color _____ *Pink*
 Number _____ *39*
 Car _____ *Range Rover*
 Beverage _____ *Sweet tea*
 Restaurant _____ *Texas Roadhouse*
 Sport besides tennis _____ *Football*
 Athlete _____ *Andre Agassi*
 Men's tennis player _____ *Andre Agassi*
 Women's tennis player _____ *Steffi Graf*
 Grand Slam tournament _____ *U.S. Open*
 Web site _____ *purduesports.com*



ALEJANDRA BOEKER

JUNIOR ♦ 5-7 ♦ ZIONSVILLE, IND. ♦ LYNN UNIVERSITY

Boeker in 2006-07

- ♦ Records — Singles: 5-14 (0-4 Big Ten); Doubles 8-12 (2-5 Big Ten).
- ♦ Recorded wins at doubles and singles in duals vs. Butler and DePaul.
- ♦ With Anna Dzeva at No. 3 doubles, beat the Butler team of Ashley Harrison and Carrie Rachon 8-0, then beat Rachon at No. 6 singles, 6-0, 6-0.
- ♦ Against DePaul, again teamed with Dzeva at No. 3 doubles to beat the Blue Demon tandem of Anja Mihaldinec and Bojana Murisic 8-6.
- ♦ Picked up win at the spring season-opening Virginia Invitational, beating Wisconsin's Kim Roberts in straight sets, 6-1, 7-6.
- ♦ Won back-to-back No. 3 doubles matches with Dzeva against duos from Penn State and No. 50 Ohio State.
- ♦ Posted a 3-1 record with teammate freshman Neela Vaez at the Midwest Blast, beating teams from NIU and Louisville.

Boeker at Lynn University in 2005-06

- ♦ Records — Singles: 13-2 (8-0 Sunshine State Conference); Doubles: 23-1 (8-0 SSC).
- ♦ Helped lead team to the third round of the NCAA Division II national championships, where her Fighting Knights lost to No. 1 Armstrong Atlantic State, 5-1.
- ♦ All three losses, two in singles and one in doubles, were to Armstrong Atlantic State competitors.
- ♦ Won the first 11 matches of her collegiate career, a streak that stretched from Feb. 8 to April 3.
- ♦ In singles competition, posted a 5-0 record at No. 5 and was 8-2 at No. 6.
- ♦ Teamed with Alexandra Schunk to go 20-1 at No. 3 doubles and 2-0 at the No. 2 position; played once alongside Leigh Shelton at No. 2 and beat team from Saint Leo.

Boeker Prior to Collegiate Career

- ♦ Grew up in Brazil, reaching the finals of many local tournaments.
- ♦ Advanced to the quarterfinal round of the 2004 Brazilian National Tournament.

Boeker's Vitals

- ♦ Given name is Alejandra Boeker.
- ♦ Born June 19, 1987.
- ♦ Parents are Ricardo and Maria Christina Boeker.
- ♦ Has two older brothers, Matias and Nicolas Boeker.
- ♦ Double majoring in food, nutrition and wellness and biochemistry



BOEKER'S FAVORITES

- Movie _____ *The Notebook*
 Actor _____ *Russell Crow*
 Actress _____ *Julia Roberts*
 TV show _____ *Friends*
 TV channel _____ *Warner Channel*
 Color _____ *Blue or Brown*
 Car _____ *Audi A6*
 Food _____ *Sushi*
 Beverage _____ *Water*
 Restaurant _____ *Kona Grill & Cheesecake Factory*
 Sport besides tennis _____ *Soccer*
 Men's tennis player _____ *Roger Federer*
 Female tennis player _____ *Justin Henin-Hardenne*
 Grand Slam tournament _____ *US Open & French Open*
 Spot on campus _____ *My room*

BOEKER'S CAREER STATISTICS

| Singles | | | | | | | | Doubles | | | | | | |
|---------------|------------|------|---|---|---|---|------------|-------------|------------|------------|---|------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Year | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | Conf. | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | Conf. |
| 2005-06 | | | | | | | 5-0 | 8-2 | 8-0 | | | 3-0 | 20-1 | 8-0 |
| 2006-07 | 2-7 | | | | | | | 2-6 | 0-4 | 4-4 | | | 4-8 | 2-5 |
| Totals | 2-7 | | | | | | 5-0 | 10-8 | 8-4 | 4-4 | | 3-0 | 24-9 | 10-5 |

Overall Singles Record: 18-16 Overall Doubles Record: 31-13



TATIANA GANZHA

JUNIOR ♦ 5-6 ♦ ST. PETERSBURG, RUSSIA ♦ BOISE STATE UNIVERSITY

Ganzha at Boise State University in 2006-07

- ♦ Records — Singles: 9-4 (WAC 1-1); Doubles 4-3 (WAC 1-1).
- ♦ Reached the semifinals of the ITA Central Region Championships and the Duck Invitational.
- ♦ Advanced to the quarterfinals at the Midland Invitational.
- ♦ Registered a record of 4-3 in doubles play including going 4-2 with Polina Kokoulina.
- ♦ Reached the doubles finals of the BYU Invitational.
- ♦ Named to the ITA Scholar Athlete team.

Ganzha at Boise State University in 2005-06

- ♦ Records — Singles: 33-6 (WAC 3-0); Doubles 28-6 (WAC 2-0).
- ♦ Named Western Athletic Conference Player of the Month in September of 2005.
- ♦ In her first event as a Bronco, captured the Cougar Classic Flight No. 2 Singles Championship and the Flight No. 1 Doubles Championship with Jana Mackova.
- ♦ Captured the BYU Invitational Bracket B Championship in her second event as a Bronco.
- ♦ Advanced to the quarterfinals at the Central Region Championships.
- ♦ Went 33-6 in singles competition, tying school record for most wins in the last 10 years.
- ♦ Named ITA All-Academic and to the Honor Roll.

Ganzha's Vitals

- ♦ Given name is Tatiana Ganzha. Goes by the name Tania.
- ♦ Born Aug. 7, 1988.
- ♦ Parents are Yuri and Larisa Ganzha.
- ♦ Has an older sister, Elena.
- ♦ Majoring in management.



GANZHA'S CAREER STATISTICS

| Year | Singles | | | | | | | WAC | Doubles | | | | |
|---------------|-------------|---|------------|-------------|---|---|---|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|
| | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | WAC |
| 2005-06 | 15-2 | | 2-0 | 16-4 | | | | 3-0 | 8-3 | 1-0 | 18-3 | 1-0 | 2-0 |
| 2006-07 | 8-5 | | | 1-1 | | | | 1-1 | 3-4 | | 3-3 | 1-0 | 1-1 |
| Totals | 23-7 | | 2-0 | 17-5 | | | | 4-1 | 11-7 | 1-0 | 21-6 | 2-0 | 3-1 |

Overall Singles Record: 42-10 Overall Doubles Record: 32-9

GANZHA'S FAVORITES

- Movie _____ *Step Up, old Russian movies*
 Band/singer _____ *Sarah Connor*
 Color _____ *Light Blue*
 Number _____ *Seven*
 Food _____ *Russian food*
 Beverage _____ *Green Tea*
 Sport besides tennis _____ *Figure Skating*
 Athlete _____ *Alexsei Yapudin*
 Men's tennis player _____ *Andre Agassi*
 Women's tennis player _____ *Steffi Graf*
 Grand Slam tournament _____ *French Open*



WHITNEY REYS

JUNIOR ♦ 5-7 ♦ COLUMBIA, MO. ♦ ROCK BRIDGE H.S.

Reys in 2006-07

- ♦ Records — Singles: 2-9 (0-0 Big Ten); Doubles: 0-8 (0-0 Big Ten).
- ♦ Came from behind to beat N.C. State's Lauren Barry in three sets, 5-6, 6-2, 6-3, in a consolation match at the St. Mary's Classic.
- ♦ Scored second win of season against Northern Illinois' Chrissy Nagel at the Illinois Midwest Blast in straight sets, 6-0, 6-1.
- ♦ Partnered with Alejandra Boeker and Whitney Melhorn in doubles competition.
- ♦ Did not compete during the spring season.

Reys in 2005-06

- ♦ Records — Singles: 2-7 (0-0 Big Ten); Doubles: 0-9 (0-0 Big Ten).
- ♦ Won back-to-back matches at the Kentucky Fall Classic, beating Marshall's Jessica Holland, 6-1, 6-3; and Eastern Kentucky's Terin Roof, 6-3, 6-4.
- ♦ Did not compete during the spring season.

Reys at Rock Bridge High School

- ♦ Member of state champion teams as a sophomore and junior.
- ♦ Doubles state champion as a junior; state runner-up as a senior.

Reys' Vitals

- ♦ Given name is Whitney Jean Reys.
- ♦ Born Jan. 28, 1987.
- ♦ Parents are Barbara and Robert Reys; both are professors at Missouri.
- ♦ Has an older brother, Rustin, who played tennis at Xavier University.
- ♦ Majoring in law and communications.



REYS' CAREER STATISTICS

| Singles | | | | | | | | | Doubles | | | | |
|---------------|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------|-------------|---|---|---|---------|
| Year | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | Big Ten | Fall | 1 | 2 | 3 | Big Ten |
| 2005-06 | 2-7 | | | | | | | | 0-9 | | | | |
| 2006-07 | 2-9 | | | | | | | | 0-8 | | | | |
| Totals | 4-16 | | | | | | | | 0-17 | | | | |

Overall Singles Record: 4-16 Overall Doubles Record: 0-17

REYS' FAVORITES

Movie American Beauty, American History X
 Actor Edward Norton, Jared Leto
 Actress Hilary Swank
 TV shows Pardon The Interruption
 TV Channel ESPN, Food Network
 Band/singer Foo Fighters
 Color Black
 Car Cadillac Escalade
 Beverage Code Red, Dr. Pepper
 Restaurant Wendy's
 Sports besides tennis College basketball
 Athlete Lance Armstrong, Ozzie Smith
 Men's tennis player Pete Sampras
 Women's tennis player Neela Vaez
 Grand Slam tournament U.S. Open
 Web site tetris.com
 Spot on campus Ford Dining Hall



JOANNA CRAVEN

FRESHMAN ♦ 5-9
LEEDS, YORKSHIRE, ENGLAND
WOODHOUSE GROVE

Craven Prior to Purdue at Woodhouse Grove

- ♦ Semifinalist at U-18 National Junior Grand Prix.
- ♦ Won ITF juniors doubles in Dublin, Ireland.
- ♦ As a junior, gained WTA ranking in singles and doubles and was the No. 1 ranked U-18 player in Britain.
- ♦ U-18 British Nationals runner-up.
- ♦ As a senior, reached ITF doubles finals (England) and ITF doubles semifinals (Wales).
- ♦ Member of Woodhouse Grove high school team that placed third in world school championships.

Craven's Vitals

- ♦ Given name is Joanna Faye Craven
- ♦ Born Dec. 23, 1988
- ♦ Daughter of Ian and Susan Craven
- ♦ Has two siblings: Mark and Georgia
- ♦ Major is undecided.



Athletics Director
Morgan Burke



Sr. Associate Athletics Dir.
Nancy Cross



Facility Manager
Joe Braden



Athletic Trainer
Larry Leverenz



Team Physician
Greg Rowdon



Team Physician
Alayne Sundstrom



Sports Psychologist
Chris Carr



Strength Coach
Greg Lehman



Nutritionist
Rachel Clark



Academic Advisor
Tiffany Britten



Equipment Manager
Barb Hack



Athletics Secretary
Leah Marion

Craven's Favorites

- Movie _____ *Forrest Gump*
 Actor _____ *Hugh Grant*
 TV Show _____ *Nip/Tuck*
 TV Station _____ *MTV*
 Band/singer _____ *Pearl Jam*
 Color _____ *Blue*
 Number _____ *Seven*
 Food _____ *Mashed Potato*
 Beverage _____ *Diet Coke*
 Restaurant _____ *Pizza Hut*
 Sport besides tennis _____ *Rugby*
 Athlete _____ *Kelly Holmes*
 Men's tennis player _____ *Roger Federer*
 Women's tennis player _____ *Serena Williams*
 Grand Slam tournament _____ *Wimbledon*



2006-07 RESULTS & STATS



Overall: 13-9
Big Ten: 5-5

Home: 5-5
Home: 2-3

Away: 7-3
Away: 3-2

Neutral: 1-1

| Date | Opponent | W | L | Score | Record | S1 | S2 | S3 | S4 | S5 | S6 | D1 | D2 | D3 |
|-----------|-------------------------|---|---|-------|------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Jan. 27 | # 31 Tennessee | | L | 3-4 | 0-1 | L | L | W | W | L | W | W | L | L |
| Jan. 28 | Butler | W | | 7-0 | 1-1 | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W |
| Feb. 4 | DePaul | W | | 7-0 | 2-1 | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W |
| Feb. 11 | #25 William & Mary | | L | 2-5 | 2-2 | L | L | L | W | W | L | L | L | W |
| Feb. 13 | at #71 Western Michigan | W | | 7-0 | 3-2 | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | L |
| Feb. 23 | at Illinois | W | | 6-1 | 4-2 (1-0) | L | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | L |
| Feb. 24 | Washington | W | | 7-0 | 5-2 | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W |
| March 3 | at #29 Virginia | W | | 4-3 | 6-2 | W | L | W | W | L | L | W | W | L |
| March 4 | at #66 Virginia Tech | W | | 6-1 | 7-2 | W | W | W | W | W | W | L | W | L |
| March 12 | at Hawaii | W | | 7-0 | 8-2 | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W |
| March 24 | #74 Michigan State | W | | 7-0 | 9-2 (2-0) | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | W | L |
| March 31 | at Wisconsin | W | | 4-3 | 10-2 (3-0) | L | W | L | W | W | W | L | L | W |
| April 1 | at #10 Northwestern | | L | 0-7 | 10-3 (3-1) | L | L | L | L | L | L | L | L | L |
| April 3 | at #2 Notre Dame | | L | 1-6 | 10-4 | W | L | L | L | L | L | L | L | L |
| April 7 | #23 Michigan | | L | 1-6 | 10-5 (3-2) | L | L | L | L | W | L | W | L | L |
| April 8 | Penn State | W | | 4-3 | 11-5 (4-2) | W | L | W | W | L | L | W | L | W |
| April 14 | #50 Ohio State | | L | 2-5 | 11-6 (4-3) | W | L | L | L | L | L | W | W | W |
| April 15 | #33 Indiana | | L | 3-4 | 11-7 (4-4) | L | L | W | W | W | L | L | W | L |
| April 21 | at #56 Minnesota | W | | 4-3 | 12-7 (5-4) | W | W | W | L | W | L | L | W | L |
| April 22 | at #59 Iowa | | L | | 12-8 (5-5) | W | L | L | W | W | L | W | L | L |
| April 26* | vs. Wisconsin | W | | 4-0 | 13-8 | u | W | u | W | W | u | W | W | L |
| April 27* | vs #26 Michigan | | L | 0-4 | 13-9 | u | u | L | L | u | L | L | u | L |

* Big Ten Championships (Minneapolis, Minn.)

2006-07 Singles and Doubles Results

- Singles -

| Player | Spring | * | Fall | Total | Career | #1 | #2 | #3 | #4 | #5 | #6 | Big Ten |
|------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Brooke Beier | 14-8 | 2-0 | 6-5 | 20-13 | 58-40 | | 10-8 | 2-0 | | | | 4-6 |
| Alejandra Boeker | 3-7 | 1-1 | 2-7 | 5-14 | 18-16 | | | | | | 2-6 | 0-4 |
| Cigdem Duru | 16-8 | 2-1 | 4-6 | 20-14 | 62-46 | | | | 4-6 | 10-1 | | 6-4 |
| Anna Dzeva | 16-6 | 2-0 | 6-7 | 22-13 | 45-29 | | | | 2-0 | 5-4 | 7-2 | 7-3 |
| Whitney Reys | | | | 4-16 | | | | | | | | |
| Randi Schuler | 8-4 | 1-1 | 5-4 | 13-8 | 42-19 | | 0-2 | 6-1 | 1-0 | | | 2-1 |
| Lauren Shumate | 4-5 | 2-1 | 0-0 | 4-5 | 4-5 | | | 1-0 | | 0-1 | 1-3 | 0-3 |
| Neela Vaez | 16-8 | 2-1 | 9-2 | 25-10 | 25-10 | | 1-0 | 4-7 | 9-0 | | | 6-4 |
| Mallory Voelker | 15-8 | 2-1 | 7-4 | 22-12 | 53-23 | 13-7 | | | | | | 5-5 |
| Stephanie Wooten | | | | 26-26 | | | | | | | | |
| TOTALS | 92-54 | 14-6 | 42-51 | 134-105 | 337-230 | 13-7 | 11-10 | 13-8 | 16-6 | 15-6 | 10-11 | 30-30 |
| | .630 | .700 | .452 | .561 | .594 | .650 | .524 | .619 | .727 | .714 | .476 | .500 |

- Dual Matches -

- Doubles -

| Team | Spring | * | Fall | Total | #1 | #2 | #3 | Big Ten |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Beier/Schuler | | | 6-2 | 6-2 | | | | |
| Beier/Voelker | 14-9 | 1-1 | 3-0 | 17-9 | 13-8 | | | 6-4 |
| Boeker/Dzeva | 4-8 | | 1-1 | 5-9 | | | 4-8 | 2-5 |
| Boeker/Reys | | | 0-2 | 0-2 | | | | |
| Boeker/Vaez | | | 3-1 | 3-1 | | | | |
| Duru/Dzeva | | | 3-5 | 3-5 | | | | |
| Duru/Shumate | 3-2 | 2-1 | | 3-2 | | 1-0 | | 0-1 |
| Duru/Vaez | 12-7 | | | 12-7 | | 12-7 | | 5-5 |
| Dzeva/Schuler | 3-4 | | | 3-4 | | | 3-4 | 0-1 |
| Dzeva/Voelker | 1-0 | 1-0 | | 1-0 | | | | |
| Melhorn/Reys | | | 0-6 | 0-6 | | | | |
| Schuler/Shumate | 1-1 | | | 1-1 | | | 1-1 | 1-1 |
| Schuler/Vaez | 3-2 | 2-1 | | 3-2 | 1-0 | 0-1 | | |
| Vaez/Voelker | | | 3-5 | 3-5 | | | | |
| TOTALS | 41-33 | 6-3 | 19-22 | 60-55 | 14-8 | 13-8 | 8-14 | 14-16 |
| | .554 | .667 | .463 | .522 | .637 | .619 | .364 | .467 |

*UVA Invitational tournament Jan. 19-21, 2007. Records from tournament not listed under "Spring."

2007 Big Ten Standings and Honors

2007 Regular-Season Standings

| | <i>Big Ten</i> |
|-------------------|----------------|
| 1. Northwestern | 10-0 |
| 2. Indiana | 9-1 |
| 3. Michigan | 8-2 |
| 4. Iowa | 7-3 |
| 5. Ohio State | 6-4 |
| 6. Purdue | 5-5 |
| 7. Minnesota | 4-6 |
| 8. Penn State | 3-7 |
| 9. Michigan State | 2-8 |
| 10. Illinois | 1-9 |
| 11. Wisconsin | 0-10 |

2007 Final Standings

| | <i>Big Ten</i> | <i>Overall</i> |
|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
| 1. Northwestern | 13-0 | 23-5 |
| 2. Indiana | 10-2 | 21-7 |
| 3. Michigan | 10-3 | 17-8 |
| 4. Iowa | 8-4 | 12-10 |
| 5. Ohio State | 6-5 | 18-10 |
| 6. Purdue | 6-6 | 13-9 |
| 7. Minnesota | 5-7 | 12-11 |
| 8. Penn State | 4-8 | 10-13 |
| 9. Michigan State | 2-9 | 12-12 |
| 10. Illinois | 1-10 | 5-17 |
| 11. Wisconsin | 0-11 | 4-17 |

2007 All-Big Ten Team

Megan Fudge, Illinois
 Alba Berdala, Indiana
 Laura McGaffigan, Indiana
 *Jacqueline Lee, Iowa
 *Chisako Sugiyama, Michigan
 *Jenny Kuehn, Michigan
 *Ashley Schellhas, Minnesota
 *Alexis Prousis, Northwestern
 *Georgia Rose, Northwestern
 Mallory Voelker, Purdue
 Caitlin Burke, Wisconsin
 *denotes unanimous selection.

2006 Big Ten Award Winners

Athlete of the Year: Georgia Rose, Northwestern
Freshman of the Year: Sam Murray, Northwestern
Coach of the Year: Lin Loring, Indiana



Championship Results

First Round

#8 Penn State def. #9 Michigan State, 4-2
 #6 Purdue def. #11 Wisconsin, 4-0
 #7 Minnesota def. #10 Illinois, 4-0

Quarterfinals

#1 Northwestern def. #8 Penn State, 4-0
 #4 Iowa def. #5 Ohio State, 4-2
 #3 Michigan def. #6 Purdue, 4-0
 #2 Indiana def. #7 Minnesota, 4-2

Semifinals

#1 Northwestern def. #4 Iowa, 4-1
 #3 Michigan def. #2 Indiana, 4-2

Final

#1 Northwestern def. #3 Michigan, 4-0

The Big Ten at NCAAs

First Round

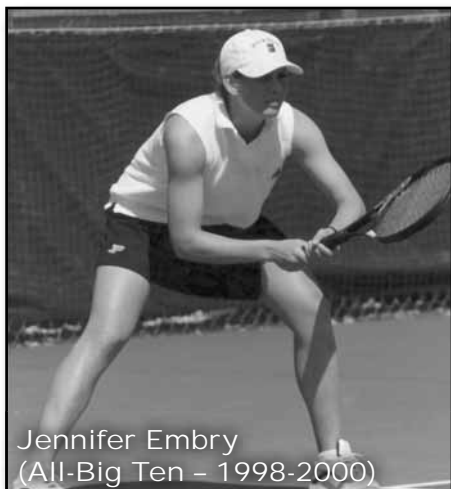
Northwestern def. Western Michigan 4-0
 Indiana def. Boise State, 4-2
 Michigan def. Colorado, 4-2

Second Round

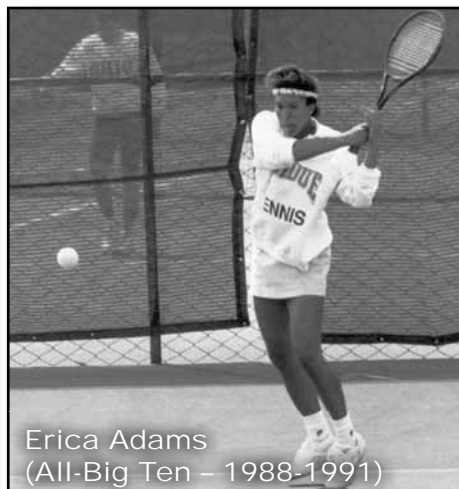
Northwestern def. Indiana, 4-1
 Notre Dame def. Michigan, 4-0

Sweet 16

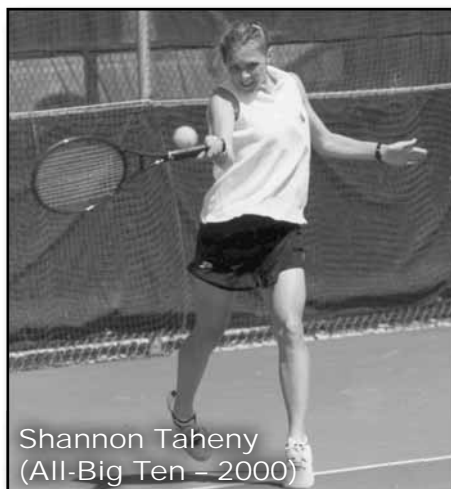
UCLA def. Northwestern, 4-0



Jennifer Embry
 (All-Big Ten - 1998-2000)



Erica Adams
 (All-Big Ten - 1988-1991)



Shannon Taheny
 (All-Big Ten - 2000)



Mary Beth Maggart
 (All-Big Ten - 1996-98)



Melissa Iqbal
 (All-Big Ten - 2002)

ALL-TIME ROSTER

Boilermaker Tennis

A

Erica Adams 1988-89-90-91
 Stacey Akers 1988
 Jennifer Allen 1984-85-86-87
 Bobbi Ames 1978-79-80-81
 Kelli Asato 1997
 Laura Avgerinos 1996-97-98-99

B

Erica Baas 2001
 Joella Ballantine 1977-78-79
 Barbara Barnes 1981-82-83-84
Brooke Beier 2005-06-07
Alejandra Boeker 2007
 Nancy Bolger 1979-80
 Mimi Boulais 1978
 Lara Burgarello 2002-03-04-05
 Susan Brand 1978-79-80-81
 Tricia Brand 1980
 Barb Burzinski 1981-82-83-84

C

Sheri Cannon 1978-79-80
 Julia Chambers 1985-86-87-88
 Hally Cohen 1995-96-97-98
 Deb Connor 1992
 Kelly Craig 1986-87-88-89
 Sandra Cribben 1994

D

Sally Daugherty 1979
 Eva Davis 1977
 Pam Dawson 1979
 Laura DeCamp 1985
 Dena Degyansky 1993-94-95-96
 Kris Dicken 1986-87-88-89
Cigdem Duru 2007
Anna Dzeva 2006-07

E

Jennifer Embry 1997-98-99-00

F

Iris Fangauf 1977
 Amy Fehsenfeld 1989-90-91
 Mary Fell 1978-79-80-81
 Lynsey Fick 1999-00-01-02
 Rachel Fiset 1994-95-96-97
 Jennifer Foncrose 1990-91-92-93

G

Susan Goldsmith 1983
 Gretchen Gremmer 1980

H

Johanna Hall 1997
 Polly Hannas 1977
 Cheryll Harrison 1977-78
 Gretchen Haynor 2001-02-03-04
 Kristin Heine 1991
 Marcy Hendricks 1993
 Lesley Hubbell 1993-94

I

Melissa Iqbal 2000-01-02-03

J

Anna Jain 1980-81-82
 Avra Jain 1980-81-82-83
 Nicole Jean 1995-96

K

Alyssa Kohl 1993-94-95-96

L

Pam Lightvoet 1987-88-89
 Stacey Lowe 1989

M

Deborah Mackey 1982-83-84-85
 Mary Beth Maggart 1995-96-97-98
 Molly McGrath 1982-83-84-85
 Anne McLaughlin 1990-91-92-93
 Catie McLevish 2002-03-04-05
 Whitney Melhorn 2006-07
 Mary Michie 1977-78
 Brittany Minna 2004-05-06
 Katy Moran 1998-99
 Georgia Munoz 1988

N

Sheila Nelligan 1992

O

Michelle Oelze 1988-89-90-91
 Ifeoma Okorafor 1991-92-93-94
 Ame Onofrey 1989-90-91-92

P

Mary Patacsil 1977
 Dana Pearson 1989-90-91-92
 Debbie Prochaska 1982-83-84-85

Q

Erika Quebe 1998-99-00-01

R

Karen Reiss 1984
 Brittany Reitz 2003-04
Whitney Reys 2006-07
 Heather Richter 1989
 Alyssa Rodriguez 2004-05
 Pam Rogers 1977-78-79
 Jennifer Ryall 1990-91-92-93

S

Jennifer Salisbury 1990-91-92-93-94
 Jennifer Savaiano 1999-00
 Paula Schmidt 2003-04-05-06
 Krista Schreck 1985-86-87
 Randi Schuler 2006-07
 Susan Schweller 1977
 Amanda Scott 1995-96-97
 Sheri Shroyer 1981
 Lauren Shumate 2007
 Mary Ann Shurig 1977
 Eve Slowinski 1991-92
 Jennifer Smiley 1977
 Jennifer Smith 1993
 Nan Smith 1993-94-95-96
 Hala Sufi 2004-05-06

T

Shannon Taheny 1997-98-99-00
 Kate Teder 1999-00-01
 Marie Tropsich 1977
 Amie Tyler 1987

V

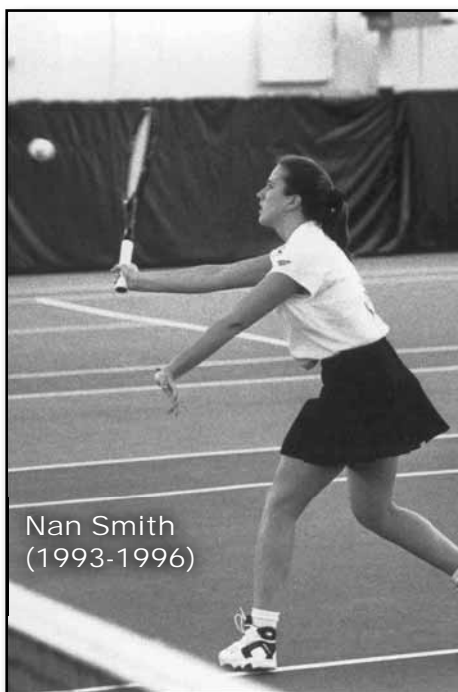
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 Mallory Voelker 2006-07
 Elizabeth Vote 1994-95-96-97

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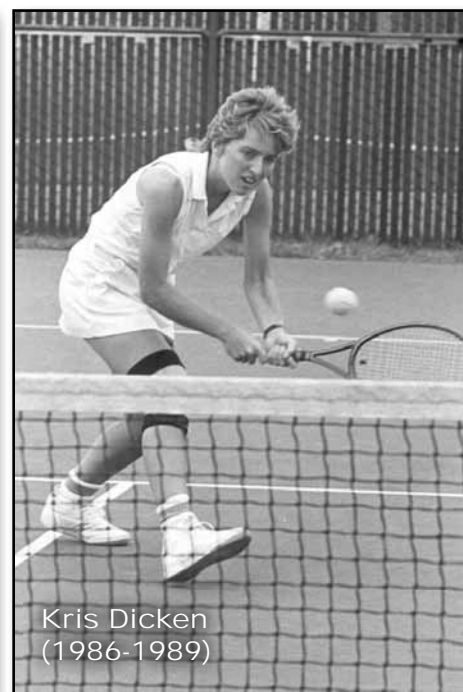
Amy Walgenbach 2002-03-04-05
 Lisa Walgenbach 1998-99-00-01
 Shelley Weiner 1984-85-86-87
 Kristin Wilson 1981-82
 Melissa Woods 2000-01-02-03-04
Stephanie Wooten 2005-06-07
 Missy Wright 1999-2000-01-02-03

Z

Shawna Zuccarini 2002-03-04-05



Nan Smith
(1993-1996)



Kris Dicken
(1986-1989)

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Boilermaker Tennis

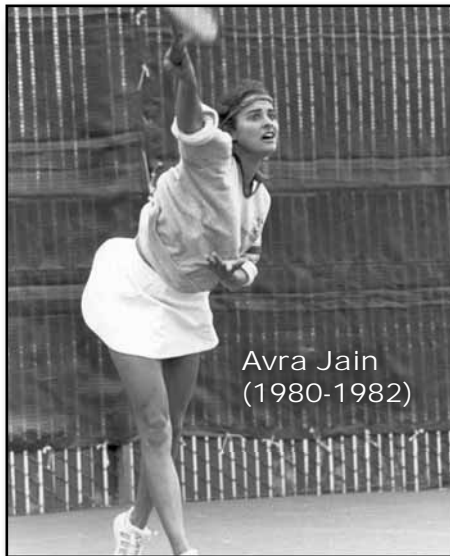
Singles Records

Most Singles Wins - Career

| | | | |
|-----|-------------------|-----|---------|
| 1. | Erica Adams | 123 | 1988-91 |
| 2. | Jennifer Embry | 93 | 1996-00 |
| 3. | Mary Beth Maggart | 91 | 1995-98 |
| 4. | Kris Dicken | 86 | 1986-89 |
| 5. | Molly McGrath | 73 | 1982-85 |
| 6. | Amy Walgenbach | 71 | 2002-05 |
| 7. | Shawna Zuccarini | 69 | 2002-05 |
| 8. | Bobbi Ames | 68 | 1978-81 |
| | Kelly Craig | 68 | 1986-89 |
| 10. | Barbara Barnes | 66 | 1981-84 |

Most Singles Wins - Season

| | | | |
|----|-------------------|----|---------|
| 1. | Erica Adams | 37 | 1988-89 |
| 2. | Mallory Voelker | 31 | 2005-06 |
| 3. | Molly McGrath | 29 | 1981-82 |
| | Michelle Oelze | 29 | 1988-89 |
| | Erica Adams | 29 | 1989-90 |
| | Erica Adams | 29 | 1990-91 |
| | Randi Schuler | 29 | 2005-06 |
| 8. | Erica Adams | 28 | 1987-88 |
| 9. | Jennifer Embry | 27 | 1998-99 |
| | Mary Beth Maggart | 27 | 1996-97 |



Avra Jain
(1980-1982)



Anna Jain
(1980-1983)

Doubles Records

Most Doubles Wins - Career

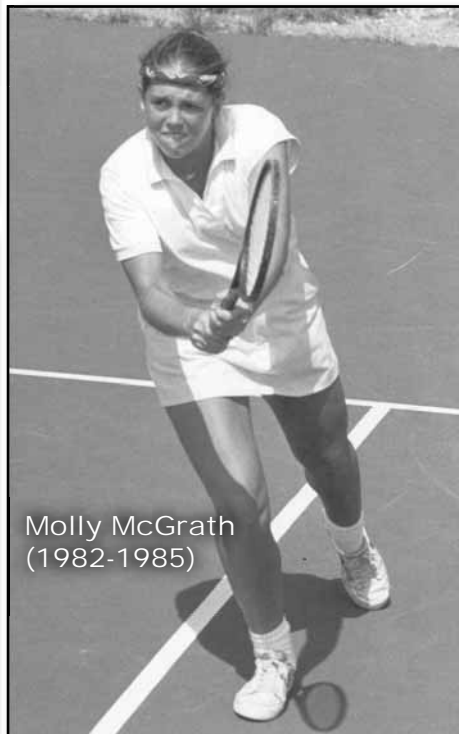
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| 1. | Jennifer Embry | 79 | 1997-00 |
| 2. | Lara Burgarello | 77 | 2002-05 |
| 3. | Ame Onofrey | 72 | 1988-91 |
| 4. | Erica Adams | 71 | 1988-91 |
| | Shannon Taheny | 71 | 1997-00 |
| 6. | Molly McGrath | 67 | 1982-85 |
| 7. | Mary Beth Maggart | 64 | 1995-98 |
| 8. | Avra Jain | 62 | 1980-83 |
| | Missy Wright | 62 | 2000-03 |
| | Brooke Beier | 62 | 2004- |

Most Doubles Wins By Team - Career

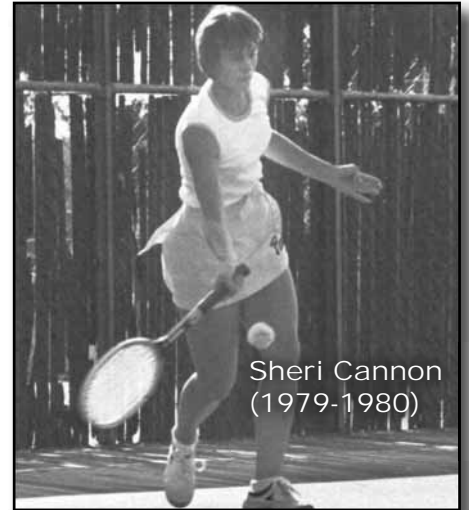
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|-----|----------------------|----|---------|
| 1. | Anna Jain/Avra Jain | 46 | 1979-80 |
| 2. | Cannon/Fell | 44 | 1977-81 |
| 3. | Smith/Kohl | 42 | 1992-96 |
| 4. | Barnes/Burzinski | 29 | 1980-83 |
| | Chambers/Allen | 29 | 1984-87 |
| 6. | Maggart/Embry | 26 | 1996-98 |
| 7. | Adams/Oelze | 25 | 1988-90 |
| 8. | Embry/Taheny | 24 | 1999-00 |
| | Onofrey/Fehsenfeld | 24 | 1989-90 |
| 10. | Dicken/Onofrey | 22 | 1987-89 |
| | Burgarello/Rodriguez | 22 | 2004-05 |

Most Doubles Wins By Team - Season

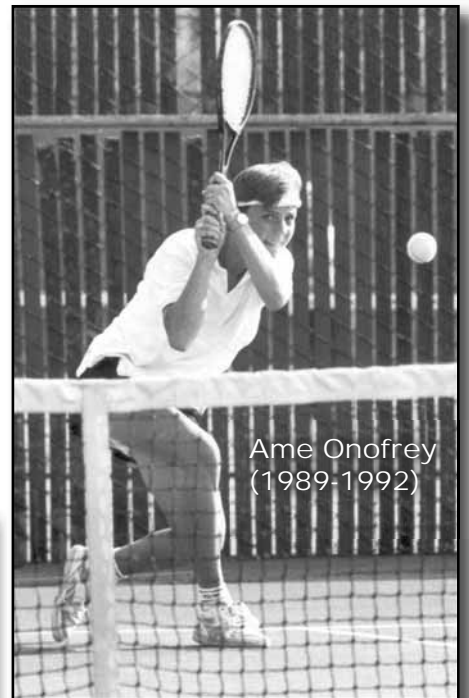
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|-----|--------------------------|----|---------|
| 1. | Onofrey/Fehsenfeld | 24 | 1989-90 |
| 2. | Cannon/Fell | 23 | 1979-80 |
| | Embry/Taheny | 23 | 1999-00 |
| 4. | Anna Jain/Avra Jain | 22 | 1979-80 |
| 5. | Burgarello/Rodriguez | 20 | 2003-04 |
| 6. | Adams/Slowinski | 19 | 1990-91 |
| | Maggart/Embry | 19 | 1997-98 |
| | Embry/Wright | 19 | 1998-99 |
| | Burgarello/Iqbal | 19 | 2001-02 |
| 10. | Susan Brand/Tricia Brand | 18 | 1979-80 |
| | Haynor/Wright | 18 | 2001-02 |



Molly McGrath
(1982-1985)



Sheri Cannon
(1979-1980)



Ame Onofrey
(1989-1992)



Michelle Oelze
(1988-1991)

Team Captain

| | |
|------|-------------------|
| 1976 | Marie Tropsich |
| 1977 | none selected |
| 1978 | none selected |
| 1979 | Joella Ballantine |
| 1980 | none selected |
| 1981 | none selected |
| 1982 | none selected |
| 1983 | none selected |
| 1984 | Barbara Barnes |
| 1985 | Molly McGrath |
| 1986 | Julia Chambers |
| 1987 | Julia Chambers |
| 1988 | Julia Chambers |
| 1989 | none selected |
| 1990 | Erica Adams |
| | Ame Onofrey |
| 1991 | Erica Adams |
| 1992 | Eve Slowinski |
| 1993 | Ifeoma Okorafor |
| 1994 | Nan Smith |
| 1995 | Nan Smith |
| 1996 | Nan Smith |
| 1997 | Elizabeth Vote |
| 1998 | Mary Beth Maggart |
| 1999 | Jennifer Embry |
| | Shannon Taheny |
| 2000 | Jennifer Embry |
| | Shannon Taheny |
| 2001 | Lisa Walgenbach |
| 2002 | Lynsey Fick |
| 2003 | Gretchen Haynor |
| | Melissa Iqbal |
| | Missy Wright |
| 2004 | Gretchen Haynor |
| | Melissa Woods |
| 2005 | Lara Burgarello |
| | Amy Walgenbach |
| | Shawna Zuccarini |
| 2006 | Brittany Minna |
| 2007 | No Selection |

Team Most Valuable Player

| | |
|------|------------------------|
| 1976 | Marie Tropsich |
| 1977 | none selected |
| 1978 | Mary Fell |
| 1979 | Joella Ballantine |
| 1980 | Mary Fell, Avra Jain |
| 1981 | Susan Brand |
| 1982 | Avra Jain |
| 1983 | Avra Jain |
| 1984 | Molly McGrath |
| 1985 | Molly McGrath |
| 1986 | Kris Dicken |
| 1987 | Kris Dicken |
| 1988 | Erica Adams |
| 1989 | Erica Adams |
| 1990 | Erica Adams |
| 1991 | Erica Adams |
| 1992 | Eve Slowinski |
| 1993 | Alyssa Kohl |
| 1994 | Elizabeth Vote |
| 1995 | Alyssa Kohl, Nan Smith |
| 1996 | Mary Beth Maggart |
| 1997 | Mary Beth Maggart |
| 1998 | Mary Beth Maggart |
| 1999 | Jennifer Embry |
| 2000 | Jennifer Embry |
| 2001 | Gretchen Haynor |

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| 2002 | Melissa Iqbal |
| | Gretchen Haynor |
| 2003 | Melissa Iqbal |
| 2004 | Amy Walgenbach |
| | Hala Sufi |
| | Melissa Woods |
| 2005 | Hala Sufi |
| 2006 | No Selection |
| 2007 | No Selection |

All-Big Ten

| | |
|------|-------------------|
| 1988 | Erica Adams |
| 1989 | Erica Adams |
| 1990 | Erica Adams |
| 1991 | Erica Adams |
| 1996 | Mary Beth Maggart |
| 1997 | Mary Beth Maggart |
| 1998 | Jennifer Embry |
| | Mary Beth Maggart |
| 1999 | Jennifer Embry |
| 2000 | Jennifer Embry |
| | Shannon Taheny |
| 2002 | Gretchen Haynor |
| | Melissa Iqbal |
| 2005 | Hala Sufi |
| 2006 | Randi Schuler |
| 2007 | Mallory Voelker |

Big Ten Player of the Year

| | |
|------|---------------|
| 1985 | Molly McGrath |
|------|---------------|

Big Ten Sportswoman of the Year

| | |
|------|-------------------|
| 1985 | Molly McGrath |
| 1996 | Mary Beth Maggart |
| 1997 | Mary Beth Maggart |

IAIAW All-Region

| | |
|------|---------------|
| 1982 | Avra Jain |
| | Molly McGrath |

Academic All-Big Ten

| | |
|------|--------------------|
| 1984 | Barbara Barnes |
| 1987 | Julie Chambers |
| | Pam Lightvoet |
| | Krista Schreck |
| | Shelley Weiner |
| 1988 | Pam Lightvoet |
| 1989 | Pam Lightvoet |
| | Michelle Oelze |
| 1990 | Michelle Oelze |
| 1991 | Anne McLaughlin |
| | Michelle Oelze |
| | Ame Onofrey |
| | Dana Pearson |
| | Jennifer Ryall |
| 1992 | Anne McLaughlin |
| | Dana Pearson |
| | Heidi Prah |
| | Jennifer Ryall |
| | Jennifer Salisbury |
| 1993 | Jennifer Foncrose |
| | Anne McLaughlin |
| | Jennifer Ryall |
| | Jennifer Salisbury |
| 1994 | Lesley Hubbell |
| | Jennifer Salisbury |
| 1995 | Rachel Fiset |
| | Lesley Hubbell |
| | Nan Smith |

| | |
|------|-------------------|
| 1996 | Elizabeth Vote |
| | Kelli Asato |
| | Hally Cohen |
| | Dena Degyansky |
| | Rachel Fiset |
| | Mary Beth Maggart |
| | Nan Smith |
| 1997 | Kelli Asato |
| | Hally Cohen |
| | Rachel Fiset |
| | Mary Beth Maggart |
| 1998 | Hally Cohen |
| | Jennifer Embry |
| | Mary Beth Maggart |
| | Shannon Taheny |
| 1999 | Jennifer Embry |
| | Katy Moran |
| | Erika Quebe |
| | Shannon Taheny |
| | Lisa Walgenbach |
| 2000 | Jennifer Embry |
| | Lynsey Fick |
| | Erika Quebe |
| | Jennifer Savaiano |
| | Shannon Taheny |
| | Kate Teder |
| | Lisa Walgenbach |
| 2001 | Lynsey Fick |
| | Melissa Iqbal |
| | Erika Quebe |
| | Lisa Walgenbach |
| | Melissa Woods |
| | Missy Wright |
| 2002 | Lynsey Fick |
| | Melissa Iqbal |
| | Melissa Woods |
| | Missy Wright |
| 2003 | Lara Burgarello |
| | Gretchen Haynor |
| | Melissa Iqbal |
| | Amy Walgenbach |
| | Melissa Woods |
| | Missy Wright |
| | Shawna Zuccarini |
| 2004 | Lara Burgarello |
| | Gretchen Haynor |
| | Amy Walgenbach |
| | Melissa Woods |
| | Shawna Zuccarini |
| 2005 | Lara Burgarello |
| | Paula Schmidt |
| | Amy Walgenbach |
| | Shawna Zuccarini |
| 2006 | Brooke Beier |
| | Paula Schmidt |
| 2007 | Brooker Beier |
| | Anna Dzeva |
| | Whitney Melhorn |
| | Whitney Reys |
| | Randi Schuler |
| | Mallory Voelker |

Academic All-American

| | |
|------|-----------|
| 1983 | Avra Jain |
|------|-----------|

Mackey Award Winner

| | |
|------|------------|
| 1979 | Pam Rogers |
| 1981 | Bobbi Ames |

Year-By-Year Results

| Year | Overall | Big Ten | Finish |
|------|---------|---------|--------|
| 1976 | 4-3 | | 6th |
| 1977 | 3-5 | | 10th |
| 1978 | 7-9 | | 7th |
| 1979 | 9-8 | | 7th |
| 1980 | 10-2 | | 7th |
| 1981 | 7-13 | | 9th |
| 1982 | 16-10 | 2-4 | 5th |
| 1983 | 11-13 | 2-7 | 9th |
| 1984 | 10-11 | 4-4 | 6th |
| 1985 | 10-13 | 3-5 | 6th |
| 1986 | 11-12 | 4-5 | 6th |
| 1987 | 5-16 | 1-8 | 9th |
| 1988 | 12-14 | 5-4 | 7th |
| 1989 | 9-13 | 3-6 | 6th |
| 1990 | 4-18 | 1-8 | 7th |
| 1991 | 3-15 | 0-9 | 8th |
| 1992 | 1-19 | 0-10 | 11th |
| 1993 | 3-21 | 0-10 | 11th |
| 1994 | 5-19 | 1-9 | 10th |
| 1995 | 14-11 | 6-4 | 4th |
| 1996 | 14-8 | 6-4 | 5th |
| 1997 | 8-15 | 3-7 | 7th |
| 1998 | 14-10 | 8-2 | 4th |
| 1999 | 8-16 | 3-7 | 8th |
| 2000 | 11-13 | 4-6 | 7th |
| 2001 | 7-17 | 3-7 | 7th |
| 2002 | 10-12 | 5-5 | T7th |
| 2003 | 13-12 | 6-4 | T4th |
| 2004 | 10-14 | 3-7 | T8th |
| 2005 | 10-13 | 6-4 | T5th |
| 2006 | 14-11 | 6-4 | 5th |
| 2007 | 13-9 | 5-5 | 6th |

Totals

Overall: 286-395
Big Ten: 96-159

ITA All-Academic Team

1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003

Big Ten Coach of the Year

1998 Mat Iandolo
2003 Mat Iandolo

ITA Assistant Coach of the Year

1998 Chris Iandolo (finalist)

ITA Senior Player of the Year

2000 Jennifer Embry (finalist)

Arthur Ashe/Tennis Magazine Sportsmanship Leadership Award

2000 Shannon Taheny (finalist)

NCAA Qualifiers

Singles

Erica Adams _____ 1990, 1991
Mary Beth Maggart _____ 1997
Jennifer Embry _____ 1998

Doubles

Mary Beth Maggart _____ 1998
Jennifer Embry _____ 1998, 1999, 2000
Missy Wright _____ 1999
Shannon Taheny _____ 2000

Team

1996, 1998, 2003, 2006

PURDUE UNIVERSITY



Boasting more than 392,100 living alumni, Purdue University graduates have been to the moon, to the highest levels of business and government, and to Sweden to receive the Nobel Prize.

The Indiana link in a nationwide chain of 68 land-grant colleges and universities, Purdue owes its origin to the Morrill Act signed by Abraham Lincoln in 1862 to promote establishment of schools to teach agriculture and the “mechanic arts.”

An act of generosity by Lafayette businessman John Purdue secured the college for Lafayette. Purdue pledged money and land for the school. In return, the institution was named for him, and he remained a trustee until his death in 1876.

Classes began in 1874 with a total of 39 students and six faculty members. Since then, enrollment has grown to more than 69,000 on five campuses and a faculty and staff totaling more than 18,700. A record 39,228 students were enrolled at Purdue’s main campus in West Lafayette, Ind., in 2006.

Since its inception in 1869, Purdue has attained widespread fame for the quality of learning, research and engagement in a number of fields. Building upon historical strengths in engineering and agriculture, the West Lafayette campus currently offers 7,400 courses in more than 500 undergraduate majors and specializations in the colleges/schools of Agriculture; Consumer and Family Sciences; Education; Engineering; Liberal Arts; Management; Pharmacy, Nursing, and Health Sciences; Science;



France A. Córdoba
Purdue University President

Technology; and Veterinary Medicine. Programs of graduate study and research leading to advanced degrees fall under the jurisdiction of the Graduate School.

Purdue is ranked 21st in the nation in the latest U.S. News & World Report top 50 public universities and, in 2004, was ranked 59th in the world and ninth among American public universities in a survey by The Times of London.

In addition to charting new paths through its instruction, Purdue also pushes back the frontiers of research, from unraveling the molecular structure of viruses to designing a self-supporting food system for space colonies to genetically engineering crops and plants for feeding an ever-increasing global population.

As one of the 25 largest colleges and universities in the United States, Purdue leaves its mark on the world – and beyond – on a daily basis. Long known as the “mother of astronauts,” the University boasts 22 graduates – 20 men and two women – who have been selected to participate in the NASA space program. From the 1960s to today, from the Mercury Program to today’s fleet of space shuttles, Purdue alumni have flown on more than one-third of all manned U.S. space flights. Neil Armstrong, the first person to walk on the moon, and Gene Cernan, the last person to leave it, both call Purdue alma mater. In addition to the astronauts, scores of scientists, engineers and other personnel who help support the space program have graduated from Purdue.

From the steam era to the space age, Purdue has forged a proud tradition of education, research and service to the state, the United States and the world – a tradition that gets stronger every day.

Purdue University Quick Facts

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| Location | West Lafayette, Indiana 47907 |
| Founded | 1869 |
| Enrollment | 39,102 |
| Acres | 17,326 (14,428 for agriculture) |
| Buildings | 383 |
| Market Value of Endowment | \$1.3 billion |
| Living Alumni | More than 392,100 |
| President | France A. Córdoba |
| Faculty Representatives | Jeffrey Bolin, Christie Sahley |
| Athletics Director | Morgan J. Burke |
| Nickname | Boilermakers |
| Colors | Old Gold and Black |
| Mascot | Boilermaker Special |
| Song | “Hail Purdue” |
| National Affiliation | NCAA Division I |
| Conference | Big Ten |

PURDUE BOILERMAKERS

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UNIVERSITY

SPIRIT & TRADITION



Boilermakers

The year was 1891, and a little-known school that prided itself on educating men and women for productive, utilitarian careers was just beginning to experience success in football. DePauw, Wabash and Butler were the football powers of Indiana in those days. Purdue was late to the game, fielding its first team in 1887 and losing its only game to Butler 48-6.

By 1891, Purdue had hired two coaches from eastern power Princeton and was on the verge of an era of total domination of opponents. In the 1891 season opener, Purdue traveled to Wabash College in nearby Crawfordsville. Besides coming away with a 44-0 victory, the Purdue "eleven," as football teams were known back then, headed back to West Lafayette with a new nickname.

In the 1890s, hometown newspapers were considerably more protective of college teams than they are today. After the 44-0 drubbing, one Crawfordsville newspaper lashed out at the "Herculean wearers of the black and old gold." Beneath the headline "Slaughter of Innocents," the paper told of the injustice visited upon the "light though plucky" Wabash squad.

"Wabash Snowed Completely Under by the Burly Boiler Makers From Purdue" proclaimed another headline on the same story in the Daily Argus-News.

By the next week, the Lafayette papers were returning the taunts: "As everyone knows, Purdue went down to Wabash last Saturday and defeated their eleven. The Crawfordsville papers have not yet gotten over it. The only recourse they have is to claim that we beat their 'scientific' men by brute force. Our players are characterized as 'coal heavers,' 'boiler makers' and 'stevedores,'" wrote a reporter for the Lafayette Sunday Times of Nov. 1, 1891.

The nickname stemmed from the nature of a Purdue education. As a land-grant institution, the college since its founding in 1869 had schooled the sons and daughters of the working class for work that was considered beneath the high-born who attended liberal arts colleges such as Wabash.

That same fall of 1891, Purdue had acquired a working railroad engine to mount in a newly established locomotive laboratory. It was one more step in the development of Purdue as one of the world's leaders in engineering teaching and research. For athletic adversaries and their boosters, this specialty in engineering education — and the other concentration at the founding of the institution, agriculture — served as fodder for name-calling.

Over the years, Purdue teams had been called grangers, pumpkin-shuckers, railsplitters, cornfield sailors, blacksmiths, foundry hands and, finally, boilermakers. That last one stuck.

Old Gold and Black

Members of Purdue's first football team in 1887 felt that the squad should be distinguished by certain colors, and since Princeton was at the time the most successful gridiron unit, its colors were considered. Though actually orange and black, the Princeton colors were known by many as yellow and black. Purdue gridgers opted for old gold over yellow, kept the black, and began flying the colors that endure today.



Boilermaker Special

The official mascot of the Boilermakers is a replica of a Victorian-era locomotive. Conceived a Purdue student in the 1930s to exemplify the engineering and agrarian heritage of Purdue, the first Special was provided by a group of alumni working in executive positions in the rail and automotive industries. Boilermaker Special I made its debut on the first day of classes in 1940. Then-President Edward Elliott assigned an existing spirit group, the Reamer Club, to maintain and operate "the train," as Reamers have always called the Special.

Alumni, students, faculty and staff have raised funds to replace the Special as it has worn out — in 1953, 1960 and, most recently, in 1993. Boilermaker Special V was unveiled on Sept. 25 of the latter year at the Purdue-Notre Dame game. Lafayette semi-trailer manufacturer Wabash National took the lead in providing materials and labor to build the newest Special. The "V" is appropriate because Special IV, known as the X-tra Special, was actually the fourth faux locomotive produced.

Although each version of the full-size Special has been a total remake, elements of V came from I, including the bell, light and whistle. Built to be roadworthy in each of its four incarnations, the Special appears at all games in Ross-Ade Stadium, travels to away football games and is a favorite at events ranging from parades to birthday parties. The Special made the trip to Pasadena to accompany the Boilermakers to the 2001 Rose Bowl, although it was shipped the 2,100 miles to southern California.

X-tra Special

Built on a golf cart frame, the X-tra Special goes to all the athletics events that the Boilermaker Special can't, including those in Mackey Arena and Lambert Fieldhouse. The body for the X-tra Special was fabricated in a Department of Aviation Technology lab on the West Lafayette campus.

Purdue Pete

A boilermaker if ever there was one, Purdue Pete first took the field to cheer on the Boilermakers in 1956. Initially, students with tumbling ability were chosen to portray Pete. In those days, Pete had a papier mache head and a bit of padding but was expected to tumble along with the cheerleaders. Today, Pete's head is crafted in the same aviation technology lab that produced the locomotive body of the X-tra Special. In addition to the head, the four students who portray Pete wear shoulder pads and carry a hammer.

Pete got his start in 1940 as an advertising icon for University Bookstore, and he continues in that role. He first appeared outside bookstore ads in 1944, when editors of the Debris yearbook put an adapted Pete on each page. For instance, in the home economics section, Pete had a bucket and mop; for civil engineering, he peered through a transit.

Purdue Pete lore is filled with tales of wrestling matches against opposing mascots and muggings by opposing fans. Once, on the way back from Iowa, Pete's head blew out of the back of the Boilermaker Special. It was never found. Pete has changed with the times, boasting more than five makeovers through his years rooting on the Boilermakers.

Crimson & Gold Cup

For more than a century, two titans of Indiana intercollegiate sports have squared off. As the Purdue-Indiana rivalry flourished and the stakes outgrew mere bragging rights, traveling trophies emerged. The Old Oaken Bucket is at stake each fall on the gridiron. In women's basketball, the Barn Burner Trophy is on the line on the hardwood. And in volleyball, the Monon Spike, named for the railroad that once carried fans to the big games, is in play. In men's basketball, bragging rights are sufficient.

Now, when the Boilermakers and Hoosiers tangle, the stakes are higher still. The Crimson & Gold Cup, which debuted in 2001-02, takes the storied rivalry to epic heights, with Olympic sports and revenue sports each carrying a point to the winner. At the end of the academic year, the points are tallied and the winner is awarded the Crimson & Gold Cup. In addition, miniature versions of the trophy go to the head-to-head winner in each sport.

For ties, each team gets one-half point. If the two teams do not meet during the regular season, the higher finisher in the Big Ten championships is the Crimson & Gold Cup sport champion.

Purdue reclaimed the Crimson & Gold Cup following the 2006-07 season, winning 10.5-9.5.

'I Am An American'

A proud tradition of Ross-Ade Stadium pregame ceremonies is the reading of this tribute to freedom by Roy Johnson, voice of the Purdue "All-American" Marching Band.

"I am an American. That's the way most of us put it, just matter of factly. They are plain words, those four: you could write them on your thumbnail, or sweep them across this bright autumn sky. But remember too, that they are more than just words. They are a way of life. So whenever you speak them, speak them firmly, speak them proudly, speak them gratefully. I am an American."



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PURDUE BOILERMAKERS

ACADEMIC SUCCESS

Academics

At Purdue University, we place value in the intercollegiate athletics experience of our student-athletes. The athletics department supports the educational mission of our institution in its pursuit of academic achievement and graduation. Through participation in our athletics programs, students learn self-discipline, build self-confidence, and develop competitive skills. Our student-athletes learn practical life lessons such as teamwork, sportsmanship, winning and losing, and hard work. Through the Jane P. Beering Academic Learning Center, you will find the resources necessary to excel as a student, a student-athlete, and as a well-rounded individual.

Academic Learning Center

The facilities in the Jane P. Beering Academic Learning Center and the staff in academic support services are available to help all of our student-athletes reach their academic goals. The Jane P. Beering Academic Learning Center is located on the second floor of the Intercollegiate Athletic Facility and offers a range of academic support services for our student-athletes. Services available include: monitored study tables; individual and group tutoring; 74-station computer lab; walk-in tutoring for math, chemistry and physics; supplemental instruction; laptop computers for traveling; and note-takers.

Tutorial Program

Tutorial Services are offered to all student-athletes free of charge. Our tutorial staff consists of undergraduate and graduate students, instructors from campus, professionals from the community, and retired Purdue faculty. Our objective is to cover every academic discipline to ensure our student-athletes have assistance in all coursework.

Academic Mentor Program

The Academic Mentor Program was developed to provide our student-athletes with even greater support in meeting their individual academic needs. Every student-athlete presents a different academic need, and our staff wants to ensure all are receiving the necessary academic resources to succeed academically at Purdue. Mentors are individually selected to assist the program and are educated to ensure our mission of academic integrity.

CHAMPS/Life Skills Program

Purdue is committed to providing the support necessary to make its student-athletes as successful as possible in the five commitment areas. The Purdue CHAMPS/Life Skills program is designed to help student-athletes realize their full personal, academic and athletic potential. Our staff is dedicated to providing the resources necessary to help all Purdue student-athletes realize their goals.

Commitment to Academic Excellence: To support the academic progress of the student-athlete toward intellectual development and graduation.

Commitment to Personal Development: To support the development of a well-balanced lifestyle for student-athletes, encouraging emotional well-being, personal growth and decision-making skills.

Commitment to Career Development: To encourage the student-athlete to develop and pursue career and life goals.

Commitment to Service: To engage the student-athlete in service to their campus and surrounding communities.

Commitment to Athletic Excellence: To build philosophical foundations for the development of athletic programs that are broad-based, equitable and dedicated to the well-being of all student-athletes.

Program Of Excellence

Purdue was a 2004 recipient of the "Program of Excellence" Award. The award is given to universities whose CHAMPS programs have established student-athlete welfare as the cornerstone of their operating principles.



INDIANA

THE CROSSROADS OF AMERICA

Indiana, "The Crossroads of America," has something for everyone. Whether you are in search of work, recreation or relaxation, the Hoosier State most likely will satisfy your needs.

Located in the heart of the Midwest, Indiana is welcoming to a variety of people because of its rich history, cultural opportunities and fertile landscape, not to mention its place as one of the major sports metropolises and industrial centers in the nation and world.

In the northwest corner of the state, one can traverse Indiana's 41-mile Lake Michigan waterfront. This area, which boasts the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore, is good for work and play. It is home to industries that turn out iron, steel, oil, automobile parts and accessories, truck and bus bodies, aircraft engines and pharmaceuticals. Indiana gives to the world from factory to field. The state is a leader in agriculture, with corn as its main crop.

Beneath much of Indiana's rich soil is limestone. A large amount of the building limestone used in the U.S. is quarried in Indiana.

Those looking for a little adventure in Indiana can access more than 1.1 million acres of land available for outdoor recreation. Some of that land can be found in southern Indiana, where Wyandotte Cave, one of the largest caverns in the U.S., is located.

One can work and play in Indiana. But when it comes to sports spectating, Indiana is second to none. Everything starts in Indianapolis, home of the NFL Super Bowl Champion Colts, NBA Pacers and WNBA Fever. The Indians, a Triple-A baseball team, play at Victory Field, while Indianapolis also is home to the Indiana Ice hockey team. During the summer, the city plays host to the Indianapolis Tennis Championships, a precursor to the U.S. Open. The summer starts with the Indianapolis 500, followed by the U.S. Grand Prix Formula One and draws to a close with the Brickyard 400, car races run at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

Indianapolis has hosted one women's basketball and five men's basketball NCAA Final Fours. The men's finals return in 2010 and the women in 2011. Additionally the city has conducted at least one Olympic Trials each year since 1984, including those for swimming and diving, synchronized swimming, track and field and wrestling.

Whatever your pleasure is, you are sure to find it somewhere in the state of Indiana.



QUICK FACTS

- 19th state, granted statehood on Dec. 11, 1816
- Indiana means "the land of the Indians"
- State motto is "The Crossroads of America"
- State capital is Indianapolis
- Indiana has 36,291 square miles of land
- Indiana has 92 counties
- State population in 2000 Census was 6,080,485
- 51 percent of the state population is female
- Median age is 35.2
- Five largest cities are Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Evansville, South Bend and Gary



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LAFAYETTE WEST LAFAYETTE



West Lafayette, the location of Purdue University's main campus, is the twin city of Lafayette, the county seat of Tippecanoe County. On the banks of the Wabash River, surrounded by rich, green farmlands, the cities are located 60 miles northwest of Indianapolis and 120 miles southeast of Chicago.

With a population of more than 150,000, Tippecanoe County is one of the largest communities in northwestern Indiana, accessible from Interstate 65; U.S. Highways 52 and 231; and State Roads 25, 26, 38 and 43. Major bus lines and Amtrak trains stop daily. The Purdue Airport opened in 1930 as the first university-owned airport in the nation.

Lafayette-West Lafayette is a regional hub for restaurants, shops, museums and entertainment. The community offers three movie theaters with 25 screens, daily and weekly newspapers, 12 radio stations, a television station and cable system, 150 churches of all major denominations, an art museum, a historical museum, 2,100 acres of public parks and more than 30 miles of trails.

Nearby points of historic and scenic interest include Fort Ouiatenon, on the National Register of Historic Places; Battle Ground, where William Henry Harrison fought the Battle of Tippecanoe; and the Museum at Prophetstown and Prophetstown State Park, dedicated to the preservation of Woodland Native American agricultural and environmental heritage.

Lafayette also is home to the Long Center for the Performing Arts, Clegg Botanical Garden and Columbian Park Zoo. Located on the eastern side of the Wabash River, Lafayette shares the 13-mile long Wabash Heritage Trail with West Lafayette. Nearby Battle Ground, located northwest of West Lafayette, boasts Wolf Park, where people can see live wolves, coyotes and foxes in their natural habitat.

Not only are there places to go in Lafayette-West Lafayette, but there also are plenty of things to do. The area serves as host to numerous community events throughout the year, including the Taste of Tippecanoe, 'Round the Fountain Art Fair, Dancing in the Streets, Global Fest, Feast of the Hunters' Moon, Christmas Parade, Gus Macker 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament, Colt World Series and Trails of Tippecanoe Bike Tour.

West Lafayette has experienced a recent renaissance of sorts in an area called "the levee," located just across the John T. Myers Pedestrian Bridge from Riehle Plaza and downtown Lafayette. More than \$100 million worth of construction has gone into developing Wabash Landing. The result is numerous restaurants, shops and apartments that have made the location a new focal point for locals and students alike.

A diverse mixture of night spots, shopping centers, art museums and restaurants give Lafayette-West Lafayette a distinct and unique flavor. Boasting the convenience of a modern city and friendly "down-home" residents, Lafayette-West Lafayette is one of America's most-livable communities.



Distance From West Lafayette To Midwestern Cities

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| Indianapolis, Ind. | 60 miles |
| Fort Wayne, Ind..... | 114 miles |
| Chicago, Ill..... | 120 miles |
| Louisville, Ky..... | 175 miles |
| Cincinnati, Ohio..... | 181 miles |
| Milwaukee, Wis. | 199 miles |
| Columbus, Ohio..... | 236 miles |
| St. Louis, Mo..... | 265 miles |
| Davenport, Iowa..... | 267 miles |
| Madison, Wis. | 273 miles |
| Detroit, Mich..... | 330 miles |
| Cleveland, Ohio..... | 337 miles |

BIG TEN CONFERENCE

A meeting of seven Midwest university presidents on January 11, 1895 at the Palmer House in Chicago to discuss the regulation and control of intercollegiate athletics, was the first development of what would become one of organized sports' most successful undertakings. Those seven men, behind the leadership of James H. Smart, president of Purdue University, established the principles for which the Intercollegiate Conference of Faculty Representatives, more popularly known as the Big Ten Conference, would be founded.

At that meeting, a blueprint for the control and administration of college athletics under the direction of appointed faculty representatives was outlined. The presidents' first-known action "restricted eligibility for athletics to bonafide, full-time students who were not delinquent in their studies." This helped limit some problems of the times, especially the participation of professional athletes and "non-students" in the university's regular sporting events. That important legislation, along with others that would follow in the coming years, served as the primary building block for amateur intercollegiate athletics.

Eleven months after the presidents met, one faculty member from each of those seven universities met at the same Palmer House, and officially established the mechanics of the "Intercollegiate conference of Faculty Representatives", or "Big Ten Conference" of "Western Conference."

Those seven universities were: University of Chicago, University of Illinois, University of Michigan, University of Minnesota, Northwestern University, Purdue University and the University of Wisconsin. Indiana University and the State University of Iowa were admitted in 1899. Ohio State joined in 1912. Chicago withdrew in 1946 and Michigan State College (now Michigan State University) was added three years later in 1949.

After a 40-year period of constancy in membership, the Conference expanded to 11 members for the first time. On June 4, 1990, the Council of Presidents voted to confirm its earlier decision to integrate Pennsylvania State University into the Conference.

At the turn of the century, faculty representatives established rules for intercollegiate athletics that were novel for the time. As early as 1906, the faculty approved legislation that required eligible athletes to meet entrance requirements and to have completed a full year's work, along with having one year of residence. Freshmen and graduate students were not permitted to compete, training tables (or quarters) were forbidden, and coaches were to be appointed by university bodies "at modest salaries."



Football and baseball were the popular sports prior to 1900. Wisconsin won the first two football championships and Chicago claimed the first three baseball titles. The first "official" sponsored championship was in out-door track. It was held at the University of Chicago in 1906 with Michigan earning the title.

Today, the Big Ten sponsors 25 championships, 12 for men and 13 for women. There have been many different athletic events popularized on Big Ten campuses. Some became extremely popular - football and basketball, for example. Others, like boxing, fell by the wayside.

The office of the commissioner of athletics was created in 1922 "to study athletic problems of the various Western Conference universities and assist in enforcing the eligibility rules which govern Big Ten athletics." Major John L. Griffith was appointed as the first commissioner and served in that position until his death in 1944. Kenneth L. "Tug" Wilson, former director of athletics at Northwestern, served from 1944 until he retired in 1961. Bill Reed, an assistant commissioner since 1951, succeeded Wilson until his death in 1971. Wayne Duke became the fourth Big Ten commissioner in 1971 and retired June 30, 1989. Duke was succeeded by James E. Delany on July 1, 1989. Delany came to the Big Ten following 10 years as Ohio Valley Conference Commissioner.

BIG TEN CONFERENCE

BIG TEN FACTS

- Big Ten Universities are members of the nation's only conference whose constituency is entirely composed of institutions that are members of the AAU, a prestigious association of major academic and research institutions in the United States and Canada.
- Big Ten Universities have more than four million living alumni and over 300,000 undergraduate students attending Big Ten universities.
- Big Ten Universities house on their campuses 10 of the nation's 35 largest academic libraries. Collectively, conference libraries hold nearly 70 million bound volumes and the institutions work collaboratively to build and share their resources with other league members.
- Since 1992, the Big Ten has created in excess of 2,000 new opportunities for women student-athletes and established 28 new women's teams.
- Big Ten universities provide approximately \$94 million in direct financial aid to more than 8,400 men and women student-athletes who compete for 25 championships, 12 for men and 13 for women. Conference institutions sponsor broad-based athletic programs with more than 270 teams.
- See their student-athletes graduate at a rate nine percent higher than all Division I student-athletes.
- The Big Ten recognized 2,018 Academic All-Big Ten honorees during the 2006-07 academic year, the highest total in the last decade. Over the past five years, the Conference has annually acknowledged more than 1,800 student-athletes as Academic All-Conference honorees.
- "Big Ten Conference schools are among the national attendance leaders in football, men's and women's basketball and women's volleyball. During 2006-07, more than 8.7 million fans attended Big Ten home contests in those sports.



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BIG TEN NETWORK

In June of 2006, the Big Ten announced the creation of the Big Ten Network, a national network devoted to Big Ten athletic and academic programs. Available to all cable and satellite providers nationwide, with most programs offered in stunning high-definition television (HDTV), the network will allow fans to see their home teams, regardless of where they live.

The network is led by President Mark Silverman, a former Disney executive who came to the network after serving as the general manager and senior vice president of ABC Cable Networks Group since April of 2004, managing the company's equity in such channels as Lifetime Television, A&E Network and the History Channel, each of which recorded their best financial performance in 2005. Silverman was also responsible for developing and launching new cable channels, shows and other key initiatives.

The Big Ten Network launches its inaugural season in August 2007 with football, men's and women's basketball, a nightly studio show, classics and coaches shows, along with more Olympic sporting events and exposure for women's sports than has ever been aired on any other network. In June of 2007, the Big Ten announced that the Big Ten Network will become the first national network to commit to "event equality" for men's and women's sports on all network-controlled media within the first three years of launch. This dedication to "event equality" highlights the Big Ten's ongoing dedication to gender equity, which is aligned with the commitment of conference institutions to provide fairness for all female student-athletes.

The programming on the Big Ten Network and alternative network-controlled platforms will include, but is not limited to:

- ◆ More than 35 football games each season
- ◆ More than 105 regular season men's basketball games
- ◆ A nightly studio show including segments from each campus
 - ◆ Women's sports, including basketball, volleyball, soccer and softball
- ◆ More than 170 Olympic sporting events including baseball, soccer, tennis, volleyball, swimming, diving and more
- ◆ Classic games and historical footage from ESPN and ABC libraries
- ◆ Original campus programming produced by Big Ten member universities showcasing their academic excellence, talented students and award-winning programs
- ◆ Weekly coaches shows

Located in the historic Montgomery Ward building in Chicago, the Big Ten Network is the first national television network to call the largest city in the Midwest its home. The original section of the building was designated as a historic landmark in 2000 for its significant role in American retail history. The space includes two studios and three control rooms as well as a 20,000 square-foot office space.

In May of 2007, the Big Ten Network announced its first on-air hire, signing ESPN college sports expert Dave Revsine to be its lead studio host. Revsine joined ESPN in October of 1996 as an anchor for ESPNNews and filled a variety of roles for the network over the past 10 years. The Northwestern graduate has anchored SportsCenter, hosted ESPN Radio's College GameDay for the last six years and hosted ESPN Radio's coverage of several BCS Championship games. He also hosted studio halftimes for basketball and co-hosted ESPN's coverage of the last two men's Final Fours.

In addition to airing more coverage of Big Ten sports than ever before, the Big Ten Network will also provide numerous benefits to communities around the Big Ten. Those include increased exposure for women's sports, providing positive role models for girls; a greater economic impact to the communities from added sporting event production, with the potential to generate higher attendance; and greater national exposure for the excellence that surrounds the academic endeavors of Big Ten universities, some of the most highly regarded in the nation. Also, an internship program at each of the 11 universities will offer students training for careers in sports, television and entertainment.

The Big Ten Network is a joint venture between subsidiaries of the Big Ten Conference and Fox Cable Networks. For more information regarding the Big Ten Network, visit BigTenNetwork.com.



Big Ten Network President Mark Silverman (from left), Fox National Cable Sports Networks President Bob Thompson, Chicago Mayor Richard M. Daley, Big Ten Commissioner James E. Delany and Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Director Jack Lavin announce the official Big Ten Network headquarters location at the historic Montgomery Ward building in Chicago.



Mark Silverman



Dave Revsine

