



2014 PURDUE BASEBALL



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– FEBRUARY (0-6) –

16	at Tennessee	L	3-0
	at Tennessee	L	20-2
17	at Tennessee	L	8-2
21	at #11 Rice	L	3-1
22	at #11 Rice	L	9-1
23	at #11 Rice	L	23-3

– MARCH (1-4) –

1	vs. Butler (Birmingham, Ala.)	W	3-2
	at Samford	L	4-3
7	at #4 LSU	L	10-0
8	at #4 LSU	L	4-2
9	at #4 LSU	L	7-3
14	at San Diego State		9 p.m.
15	at San Diego State		9 p.m.
16	at San Diego State		4 p.m.
17	at San Diego State		9 p.m.
19	BUTLER		5 p.m.
21	at Southern Illinois		2 p.m.
22	at Southern Illinois		3 p.m.
23	at Southern Illinois		2 p.m.
25	IPFW		2 p.m.
28	• at Illinois		5 p.m.
29	• at Illinois		4 p.m.
30	• at Illinois		2 p.m.

– APRIL –

2	at Illinois-Chicago		7 p.m.
4	• PENN STATE		6:30 p.m.
5	• PENN STATE		2 p.m.
6	• PENN STATE		1 p.m.
8	#10 LOUISVILLE		5 p.m.
11	• at Michigan State		3 p.m.
12	• at Michigan State		1 p.m.
13	• at Michigan State		1 p.m.
15	at Butler		3 p.m.
18	• MICHIGAN		6:30 p.m.
19	• MICHIGAN		2 p.m.
20	• MICHIGAN		1 p.m.
22	at Indiana State		6 p.m.
23	ILLINOIS-CHICAGO		5 p.m.
25	• OHIO STATE		6:30 p.m.
26	• OHIO STATE		2 p.m.
27	• OHIO STATE		1 p.m.
29	at Illinois State		7 p.m.

– MAY –

2	• at #16 Indiana		7 p.m.
3	• at #16 Indiana		2 p.m.
4	• at #16 Indiana		1 p.m.
9	• at Minnesota		8:30 p.m.
10	• at Minnesota		8 p.m.
11	• at Minnesota		2 p.m.
13	INDIANA STATE		6:30 p.m.
15	• IOWA		6:30 p.m.
16	• IOWA		6:30 p.m.
17	• IOWA		2 p.m.

– BIG TEN TOURNAMENT (OMAHA, NEB.) –

21	Opening Round (BTN)	TBA
22	Second Round (BTN)	TBA
23	Semifinals (BTN)	TBA
24	Bracket Finals (BTN)	TBA
25	Championship Game (BTN)	TBA

• Big Ten Conference game
(BTN) Big Ten Network Live Television
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HOME GAMES at ALEXANDER FIELD

– OPENING WEEKEND OF SPRING BREAK –

PURDUE BOILERMAKERS (1-10) AT SAN DIEGO STATE (12-4)

Four-Game Series • Tony Gwynn Stadium • San Diego, Calif.

Series Opener: Friday, March 14 at 9 p.m. ET

Game Two: Saturday, March 15 at 9 p.m. ET

Game Three: Sunday, March 16 at 4 p.m. ET

Series Finale: Monday, March 17 at 9 p.m. ET

– SERIES HISTORY –

All-Time Series vs. SDSU: First Meeting

– LIVE COVERAGE –

Radio: WSHY AM 1410 (All Games) • Live Internet Audio: www.PurdueSports.com

Game Day Central Page with Live Coverage Links: www.PurdueSports.com

– PURDUE'S PROBABLE LINEUP –

POS	#	NAME	AVG	RUNS	HITS	XBH	HR	RBI	BB	OBP	SB
2B	16	Cody Strong (So)	.125	3	4	1	–	2	6	.293	1-1
Notable: Reached base safely in first 10 games of 2014 after leading team in OBP (.436) last year											
C	17	Sean McHugh (Sr)	.262	4	11	4	1	2	2	.311	0-1
Notable: Hit safely in 5 straight games & has thrown out 6 of 12 would-be base stealers this year											
1B	14	Kyle Wood (So)	.282	4	11	5	–	1	2	.364	1-1
Notable: Had a double in 4 straight games this season; 2013 Big Ten All-Freshman Team											
RF	30	Conner Hudnall (Sr)	.214	1	9	5	1	6	1	.233	0-0
Notable: Connected for game-tying 2-run homer in finale of series at LSU											
DH	19	Kyle Upp (So)	.240	1	6	–	–	3	4	.345	0-0
Notable: Back as a position player after relief pitcher experiment in 2013; started last 7 games											
CF	22	Kyle Johnson (So)	.120	1	3	–	–	1	1	.154	0-0
Notable: 2013 Big Ten All-Freshman Team outfielder started all 3 games at LSU in center field											
LF	44	Jack Amaro (So)	.364	2	4	–	–	–	–	.500	0-0
Notable: Started final 2 games of the LSU series, finishing the weekend 3-for-7 & reaching safely in all 3 games											
3B	3	Steve Maniago (Sr)	.235	1	8	–	–	–	–	.257	2-2
Notable: Had 2 hits in each of first 2 games at Rice; started 10 of first 11 games after making one start last year											
SS	9	Brandon Krieg (Jr)	.079	2	3	1	–	2	2	.167	1-1
Notable: Had 2-run double in finale of Rice series; made 35 of his 42 starts at second base in 2013											

– ALSO AVAILABLE –

POS	#	NAME	AVG	RUNS	HITS	XBH	HR	RBI	BB	OBP	SB
OF	36	Ted Snidanko (Fr)	.217	1	5	–	–	–	–	.308	0-1
OF	8	Jeff Evak (Fr)	.143	–	2	–	–	–	–	.143	1-1
C/OF	31	Jack Picchiotti (So)	.000	–	–	–	–	–	1	.300	0-0
2B/3B	2	Michael Mullen (So)	.000	–	–	–	–	–	1	.250	0-0
3B/1B	15	Matthew McHugh (Fr)	.000	–	–	–	–	–	–	.000	0-0
IF/OF	10	Hayden Grant (Fr)	.000	–	–	–	–	–	–	.000	0-0
OF	26	Jordan Lewis (Fr)	.167	–	1	1	–	–	–	.167	0-0
1B	49	Mack Mattke (RS-Fr)									

– Yet to See Action –

– PROBABLE PITCHING MATCH-UPS –

NAME	W-L	GS	IP	H	R-ER	BB	K	ERA	B/AVG
Jordan Minch (So, LHP)	0-4	4	22.1	29	19-19	10	7	7.66	.326
vs. SDSU's Mike RoBards (Jr, LHP)	2-2	4	23.2	28	13-13	4	15	4.94	.301
Gavin Downs (So, RHP)	1-1	1	22	18	5-5	5	7	2.05	.257
vs. SDSU's Bubba Derby (So, RHP)	2-0	3	21.1	19	7-7	8	17	2.95	.244
Connor Podkul (So, RHP)	0-2	2	5	8	9-9	5	1	16.20	.364
vs. SDSU's Mark Seyler (So, RHP)	3-1	4	27.2	20	8-7	14	26	2.28	.213
TBA									
vs. TBA									

– PURDUE BULLPEN –

NAME	W-L-S	APP	IP	H	R-ER	BB	K	ERA	B/AVG
Mike Lutz (So, RHP)	0-1-0	9	8.2	13	6-3	2	3	3.12	.371
Joe Eichmann (So, RHP)	0-0-0	7	7	7	4-4	2	4	5.14	.280
Tim McElroy (So, LHP)	0-0-1	7	3.2	4	1-0	4	2	0.00	.333
Matt Frawley (Fr, RHP)	0-0-0	4	4	7	5-2	3	4	4.50	.368
Patrick Kenney (So, RHP)	0-0-0	3	2	5	5-5	5	0	22.50	.500
Brett Haan (Jr, RHP)	0-0-0	4	5	10	9-9	5	1	16.20	.435
Eddie De LaRiva (Fr, RHP)	0-0-0	3	2.1	5	4-1	1	2	3.86	.385
Adam Dressler (Fr, RHP)	0-0-0	2	1.2	2	4-4	2	1	21.60	.286
Kyle Wood (So, LHP)	0-2-0	3	1.2	14	14-14	3	1	75.60	.778
Matthew McHugh (Fr, RHP)	0-0-0	1	1	3	3-3	3	0	27.00	.600

PURDUE BASEBALL AT SAN DIEGO STATE

2014 PURDUE TRAVEL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos	B/T	Ht	Wt	Yr	Hometown (High School/Previous College)
PITCHERS							
6	Eddie De LaRiva	RHP	R/R	6-2	190	So	Blue Island, Ill. (St. Rita)
23	Mike Lutz	RHP	R/R	6-1	190	So	North Barrington, Ill. (Lake Zurich)
25	Tim McElroy	LHP	L/L	6-6	220	So	Roselle, Ill. (St. Viator)
28	Jordan Minch	LHP	L/L	6-3	190	So	Highland, Ind. (Highland)
33	Joe Eichmann	RHP	R/R	6-4	230	Jr	Libertyville, Ill. (Libertyville)
34	Connor Podkul	RHP	R/R	6-5	230	RS-So	La Porte, Ind. (La Porte)
37	Patrick Kenney	RHP	R/R	6-3	200	So	Gurnee, Ill. (Warren Township)
42	Gavin Downs	RHP	R/R	6-0	180	RS-So	Fort Wayne, Ind. (Carroll)
43	Brett Haan	RHP	R/R	6-4	200	Jr	Lafayette, Ind. (Central Catholic/Parkland CC)
45	Adam Dressler	RHP	R/R	6-0	180	Fr	Clarendon Hills, Ill. (Hinsdale Central)
46	Matt Frawley	RHP	R/R	6-1	185	Fr	Carol Stream, Ill. (Glenbard North)
CATCHERS							
17	Sean McHugh	C/3B	R/R	5-11	195	Sr	Leawood, Kan. (Blue Valley North)
19	Kyle Upp	C/OF	R/R	5-11	200	RS-So	La Porte, Ind. (La Porte)
31	Jack Picchiotti	C/OF	L/R	5-11	200	So	Oak Park, Ill. (Oak Park-River Forest)
INFIELDBERS							
2	Michael Mullen	2B/3B	L/R	5-11	170	So	Rancho Santa Fe, Calif. (Torrey Pines)
3	Steve Maniago	3B/SS	L/R	5-11	170	Sr	Indianapolis, Ind. (Bishop Chatard)
9	Brandon Krieg	SS/2B	R/R	6-1	195	Jr	Indianapolis, Ind. (Lawrence Central)
10	Hayden Grant	INF/OF	R/R	6-1	175	Fr	Solana Beach, Calif. (Cathedral Catholic)
14	Kyle Wood	1B/LHP	L/L	6-0	220	RS-So	Orland Park, Ill. (St. Laurence)
15	Matthew McHugh	3B/1B/RHP	R/R	6-3	210	Fr	Leawood, Kan. (Blue Valley North)
16	Cody Strong	2B/OF/C	R/R	5-7	170	So	Lafayette, Ind. (McCutcheon)
49	Mack Mattke	1B	R/R	6-7	245	RS-Fr	Marion, Iowa (Xavier)
OUTFIELDERS							
8	Jeff Evak	OF	R/R	6-1	190	Fr	Naperville, Ill. (Neuqua Valley)
22	Kyle Johnson	OF/RHP	R/R	6-5	210	So	San Diego, Calif. (Torrey Pines)
26	Jordan Lewis	OF/RHP	L/R	6-2	205	Fr	Escondido, Calif. (Escondido)
30	Conner Hudnall	OF/1B	L/R	6-2	205	Sr	South Bend, Ind. (Clay/Glen Oaks CC)
36	Ted Snidanko	OF	R/R	6-3	190	Fr	Homer Glen, Ill. (Lockport Township)
44	Jack Amaro	OF	R/R	5-11	185	So	Naperville, Ill. (Neuqua Valley)
COACHING STAFF							
4	Doug Schreiber	Head Coach		16th Year		Third Base Coach/Pitching Changes	
12	Tristan McIntyre	Assistant Coach		4th Year		Pitching Coach/Mound Visits	
7	Wally Crancer	Assistant Coach		1st Year		Hitting Coach/First Base Coach	
5	Payton Bieker	Volunteer Asst. Coach		3rd Year		Catchers/First Base Coach	

Pronunciation Guide

#3 Steve **MANIAGO**: Mon-ee-ah-go
 #4 Doug **SCHREIBER**: Shry-ber
 #5 Payton **BIEKER**: Bee-ker
 #6 Eddie **De LaRIVA**: Day Luh-ree-vuh
 #7 Wally **CRANCER**: Cran-sir
 #8 Jeff **EVAK**: E-Vack
 #9 Brandon **KRIEG**: Craig
 #12 Tristan **McINTYRE**: Mack-in-tire
 #18 Mike **GAGLIANESE**: Gal-an-ease-ee
 #23 Mike **LUTZ**: Luts (not loots)
 #25 Tim **McELROY**: Mack-uhl-roy (not L-ROY)
 #30 Conner **HUDNALL**: Hud-null

#31 Jack **PICCHIOTTI**: Pick-ee-ott-ee
 #33 Joe **EICHMANN**: Ike-man
 #34 Connor **PODKUL**: Pod-cull
 #36 Ted **SNIDANKO**: Snid-dank-oh
 #37 Patrick **KENNEY**: Kenny
 #43 Brett **HAAN**: Ha-on (Hahn)
 #44 Jack **AMARO**: Am-arr-oh
 #45 Adam **DRESSLER**: Dress-ler
 #46 Matt **FRAWLEY**: Fraw-lee
 #48 Drew **ROSBOTTOM**: Ross-bottom
 #49 Mack **MATTKE**: Matt-key



HEAD COACH DOUG SCHREIBER

Since Doug Schreiber was named Purdue's head baseball coach on May 29, 1998, the Boilermakers have become a major force in the Big Ten Conference and have made big strides on a national level.

Currently in his 16th season as the leader of the program, Schreiber is the program's all-time leader in overall wins and Big Ten wins. He eclipsed Dave Alexander's record for games coached (792 over 14 seasons) during the second weekend of the 2013 season. Schreiber played for Alexander at Purdue from 1983-86.

Purdue unveiled its new Alexander Field stadium and facilities during the 2012-13 school year, but the inaugural season at the new ballpark turned out to be a rebuilding year for the Boilermakers after losing 15 seniors and three junior MLB draftees from the 2012 Big Ten championship team.

In the five seasons between 2008 and 2012, Purdue went 172-110 overall (.610) and 75-51 in Big Ten play (.595). Both records represented the best marks in the league. The Boilermakers were the only conference team to qualify for the Big Ten Tournament each of those five seasons, the longest such streak in program history. Purdue has won at least one game at the Big Ten Tournament in eight of its nine appearances under Schreiber.

During its historic 2012 season, Purdue won a program-record 45 games, captured a pair of Big Ten titles, earned the right to host an NCAA Regional and closed out Lambert Field in thrilling fashion. Schreiber was named the Big Ten Coach of the Year after leading the Boilers to the most wins by a Big Ten team since 2008. He won his 400th and program-record 408th career games at Lambert in the spring of 2012. His 408th victory as the leader of the program, April 15 in the finale of a series sweep of Illinois, made him Purdue's all-time wins leader.

The Boilermakers began the 2012 season 14-1, won 10 consecutive games twice, posted their 20th win before April 1 for the first time, reached the 30-win mark at the earliest date (April 20) in program history and won their first Big Ten title since 1909. In its 16 games during the final year at Lambert, Purdue won three times in walk-off fashion and locked up the Big Ten title May 12 in front of a large group of program alumni.

Headlined by Kevin Plawecki's selection 35th overall by the New York Mets, Purdue had a program-record seven players picked in the 2012 Major League Baseball First-Year Player Draft. Juniors Plawecki, Cameron Perkins and Nick Wittgren were each selected in the first 10 rounds to give the Boilers three players drafted in the first 300 picks for the first time. Highlighted by Big Ten Player and Pitcher of the Year honors for Plawecki and Joe Haase, Purdue had a program-high eight all-conference honorees in 2012.

Purdue's 37 overall wins in 2011 tied the program's previous single-season record and were the most in the Big Ten. Despite being picked eighth in the preseason coaches' poll, the Boilers finished third in the league with a 14-10 conference record, just one game shy of first. Purdue finished second in the Big Ten standings under Schreiber in 2001, 2005 and 2008.

Schreiber has coached 62 All-Big Ten Conference selections, including 22 who were named to the conference's First Team, and has had players selected in the Major League Baseball First-Year Player Draft on 30 occasions. One of Schreiber's Boilermakers has led the Big Ten in hitting in four out of the last nine years.

Prior to becoming the head coach at Purdue, Schreiber spent four seasons (1995-98) as the top assistant coach and recruiting coordinator under Pat Murphy at Arizona State University. Schreiber helped guide Arizona State to the College World Series and the national championship game in 1998. A year earlier, the Sun Devils finished as regional runners-up to Miami, and were two outs away from going to the College World Series. All four of Schreiber's recruiting classes at ASU were nationally ranked, including the 1995 class which was ranked No. 1 in the country and the 1996 class, which was tabbed the third best in the nation.

Before going to ASU, Schreiber served as an assistant coach for Murphy at the University of Notre Dame in 1994. That season, the Fighting Irish finished 46-16 and ended the season just two wins shy of Omaha, finishing as regional runners-up to Auburn.

Schreiber began his coaching career as a graduate assistant under Pat Quinn at Ball State University for two seasons (1991-92) and spent one year (1993) as an assistant at Butler University.

A native of LaPorte, Ind., Schreiber was a four-year starter (1983-86) at second base for the Boilermakers. During his career, Purdue posted a 120-112-2 mark and established a school-record 37 victories his senior season when he was a Second Team All-Big Ten selection. Schreiber still ranks among Purdue's career leaders in a variety of categories, including first all-time in walks (132), tied for first in games played (226), sixth in runs scored (159) and tied for eight in triples (9). He earned his Bachelor of Arts degree in communications and has completed some course work towards a master's in education.

PURDUE HEAD COACHING RECORDS

Overall Wins

Doug Schreiber 443

Dave Alexander 407

Big Ten Wins

Doug Schreiber 213

Dave Alexander 107

Overall Win Percentage (min. 100 games)

Hugh Nicol [67-36-1]649

Doug Schreiber [443-403-0]522

Dave Alexander [407-378-7]518

Ward Lambert [163-156-7]511

Big Ten Win Percentage (min. 50 games)

Hugh Nicol [43-30-1]588

Doug Schreiber [213-203-0]512

Total Games Coached

Doug Schreiber 849

Dave Alexander 792

Seasons Coached

Ward Lambert 20

Joe Sexson 18

Doug Schreiber 16

SCHREIBER'S MILESTONE WINS

1 March 6, 1999 18-11 vs. Kent State

50 April 22, 2000 9-2 vs. Illinois

100 March 31, 2002 10-6 vs. Penn State

150 March 21, 2004 7-5 at Jacksonville State

200 May 27, 2005 4-3 at Illinois

213 April 2, 2006 # 9-4 at Illinois

250 May 6, 2007 6-1 at Penn State

300 April 12, 2009 9-3 at Penn State

350 March 6, 2011 10-3 at Lipscomb

400 March 31, 2012 2-0 vs. Penn State

408 April 15, 2012 % 5-3 vs. Illinois

108th Big Ten win, becoming the winningest
Purdue head coach in Big Ten action.

% 408th career win, surpassing Dave Alexander
for the Purdue all-time record.

16TH YEAR

2012 BIG TEN COACH OF THE YEAR

CAREER RECORD

443-406 (.522)

BIG TEN RECORD

213-203 (.512)

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Full Name Douglas Lee Schreiber

Date of Birth Aug. 25, 1963

Place of Birth La Porte, Ind.

Education Purdue University, B.A.,
..... Communications

College Career Purdue, 1983-86

Wife Sarah

COACHING EXPERIENCE

Purdue 1999-Present, Head Coach

Arizona St. 1995-98, Assistant Coach

Notre Dame 1994, Assistant Coach

Butler 1993, Assistant Coach

Ball State 1991-92, Graduate Assistant

SCHREIBER'S MLB DRAFT PICKS

1999 Russ Morgan, pitcher Houston (21)

2000 Andy Helmer, pitcher Cleveland (25)

2001 Dave Gassner, pitcher Toronto (24)

2002 Chadd Blasko, pitcher Chicago [NL] (1)

2003 Dustin Glant, pitcher Arizona (7)

Nick McIntyre, second base Detroit (20)

2004 Simon Klink, third base San Francisco (21)

2005 Scott Byrnes, pitcher Toronto (28)

2006 Mitch Hilligoss, shortstop New York [AL] (6)

Chris Toneguzzi, pitcher Milwaukee (13)

Jay Buente, pitcher Florida (14)

Dan Sattler, pitcher Texas (44)

2007 Andrew Groves, pitcher Colorado (11)

2008 Josh Lindblom, pitcher Los Angeles (2)

Ryne White, first base Arizona (4)

Andy Loomis, pitcher Florida (16)

Dan Black, third base San Francisco (35)*

Matt Bischoff, pitcher New York [NL] (47)*

2009 Dan Black, third base Chicago [AL] (14)

Brandon Haveman, outfield Seattle (29)

Matt Jansen, pitcher San Francisco (43)*

2010 Matt Bischoff, pitcher Seattle (20)

Kevin Cahill, pitcher Washington (41)

2012 Kevin Plawecki, catcher New York [NL] (1)

Cameron Perkins, third base Philadelphia (6)

Nick Wittgren, pitcher Miami (9)

Lance Breedlove, pitcher Pittsburgh (23)

Eric Charles, second base San Diego (29)

Barrett Serrato, outfield Texas (30)

Brad Schreiber, pitcher Minnesota (40)*

* Indicates did not sign a professional contract

– 2014 GAME SUMMARY –

	W	L	Pct.
Overall	1	10	.091
Big Ten.....		March 28	
Pre-Conference	1	10	.090
Non-Conference	1	10	.091
Midweek		March 19	
Spring Break.....		March 14-23	
Home.....		March 19	
Away.....	0	10	.000
Neutral.....	1	0	1.000
Day.....	1	8	.111
Night.....	0	2	.000
vs. Left-handed Starter.....	0	3	.000
vs. Right-handed Starter.....	1	7	.125
1-Run Games	1	1	.500
2-Run Games	0	2	.000
Extra Innings.....	0	0	—
Shutouts	0	1	.000
Monday.....	0	1	.000
Tuesday.....		March 25	
Wednesday.....		March 19	
Thursday.....		May 15	
Friday.....	0	2	.000
Saturday.....	1	3	.250
Sunday	0	4	.000
February.....	0	6	.000
March.....	1	4	.200
April		April 2	
May.....		May 2	
Game 1 of Big Ten Series.....		March 28	
Game 2 of Big Ten Series.....		March 29	
Game 3 of Big Ten Series.....		March 30	
Purdue Scores 10+ Runs	0	0	—
Opponent Scores 10+ Runs.....	0	3	.000
When Purdue Scores First.....	0	3	.000
When Opponent Scores First...	1	7	.167
Purdue leads after 7 innings.....	1	0	1.000
Opp. leads after 7 innings.....	0	10	.000
Tied after 7 innings	0	0	—

– BOILERMAKERS OPEN SPRING BREAK WITH WRAPAROUND SERIES AT SDSU –

Purdue baseball begins spring break with its longest road trip of the season, flying to the West Coast for a four-game weekend wraparound series at first-time opponent San Diego State.

The Aztecs' home field is named after its head coach, program alumnus, MLB Hall of Famer and San Diego legend Tony Gwynn. First pitch at Tony Gwynn Stadium is set for 9 p.m. ET on Friday, Saturday and Monday. Sunday's matinee gets underway at 4 p.m. ET.

The Boilermakers' four San Diego-area natives – sophomores **Kyle Johnson** and **Michael Mul-len** along with freshmen **Hayden Grant** and **Jordan Lewis** – return home this weekend. There were as many as six players from San Diego on the roster during fall practice.

Purdue is visiting the state of California for the first time since a May 2012 series at UCLA. Three California natives – including San Diego native Angelo Cianfrocco – were part of the 2012 Big Ten championship team. During head coach **Doug Schreiber's** 16-year tenure, the Boilers also traveled west to California in 2001 and 2002. The 2001 spring break trip featured a game at the University of San Diego, marking the team's last trip to the area.

San Diego State won the Mountain West Conference Tournament last season as the No. 3 seed, defeating regular-season champion New Mexico twice in the finals. The Aztecs were selected as a co-favorite in the league's preseason poll this year and won two-of-three in each of their first four weekends this season.

SDSU presents just the latest challenge for a Purdue team that has gone up against some of the country's top teams this season and ranks No. 2 nationally in strength of schedule in the Boyd's World ISR. The Boilermakers' 2014 opponents had compiled a 168-111-1 (.602) record through games on March 11.

Purdue has not played a four-game series against the same opponent since the second weekend of the 2012 spring break trip at Wichita State. Four-game series used to be a regular part of the schedule. Big Ten weekend series were four-game sets throughout the 1980s, 90s and much of the first decade of this century. The conference went to three-game weekends beginning in 2009, doing away with the Saturday doubleheaders that featured a pair of seven-inning games.

Gwynn played both basketball and baseball at San Diego State from 1977-81 and was actually recruited to campus as an accomplished point guard. After being selected in the 1981 MLB Draft by the San Diego Padres, he reached the big leagues in July of the following summer. The eight-time National League batting champ was also a five-time Gold Glove outfielder from 1986-91. He finished his MLB career in 2001 with a .338 batting average 3,141 hits, 790 walks vs. 434 strikeouts and 319 stolen bases.

Now in his 12th season as the head coach of his alma mater, Gwynn was named head coach during the final month of his MLB career and officially took the program's reigns in the summer of 2002. New SDSU pitching coach John Pawlowski was the head coach at Auburn when Purdue played there in March of 2012.

The Mountain West features a double round robin conference schedule. The Aztecs actually opened their season with a league series at San Jose State and hosted conference rival Nevada last weekend. Third baseman Ty France (.450, 9 2B, 4 HR, 21 RBI) and second baseman Tim Zier (.369, 5 XBH, 15 RBI) have led the way offensively. Sunday starter Mark Seyler (2.28 ERA, 26 Ks in 27 2/3 IP, .213 batting avg. against) and closer Michael Cederroth (6 saves, 4 hits allowed and 17 Ks in 14 1/3 IP) have been the standout performers on the mound.

The rest of Purdue's spring break features Wednesday's home opener against Butler (March 19) and a weekend series at Southern Illinois (March 21-23). Purdue's next two weekend opponents after SDSU, SIU and Illinois, play each other this weekend in Carbondale.

– 2014 PURDUE STADIUM TOUR: ROAD GAMES AT BALLPARKS OF NOTE –

Date(s)	Opponent	Stadium	Location	Notable Pro Home Team/Historical Significance
Feb. 14-16	Tennessee	Lindsey Nelson Stadium	Knoxville, Tenn.	Multiple-time NCAA Regional Host
Feb. 21-23	Rice	Reckling Park	Houston, Texas	Multiple-time NCAA Regional Host
March 7-9	LSU	Alex Box Stadium	Baton Rouge, La.	Multiple-time NCAA Regional Host; NCAA Attendance Leader
March 22-24	Southern Illinois	Itchy Jones Stadium	Carbondale, Ill.	First-year Stadium
April 2	Illinois-Chicago	Granderson Stadium	Chicago, Ill.	First-year Stadium
May 21-25	Big Ten Tourney	TD Ameritrade Park	Omaha, Neb.	Home of the College World Series

- PURDUE'S WEEKEND ROTATION -



JORDAN MINCH
SOPHOMORE LHP
HIGHLAND, IND.
HIGHLAND HS

- Gave Purdue its first quality start of 2014 with six innings of three-run ball March 1 at Samford, keeping game scoreless until the fifth.
- Purdue's Pitcher of the Year & Newcomer of the Year in 2013.
- 2013 Big Ten All-Freshman Team & two-time Big Ten Freshman of the Week honoree.
- Established new Purdue freshman records for strikeouts, innings pitched and games started in 2013.
- Became the first Purdue freshman to make 10-plus starts on the mound since 2007.
- Purdue was 6-8 when he started, 11-26 when any other pitcher did in 2013.
- Impressed at Mississippi State in his second career start, holding the eventual national runner-up scoreless until the sixth inning.
- Four-year all-conference & all-area performer as a four-time varsity letter winner at Highland High School in Northwest Indiana.
- Led the team in strikeouts in three of his four years.

NOTABLE CAREER OUTINGS							
<u>DATE</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>	<u>DEC</u>	<u>IP</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>R-ER</u>	<u>BB</u>	<u>K</u>
- 2014 -							
2/16/14	at Tennessee	L	4.2	6	2-2	2	3
2/22/14	at Rice	L	5.2	10	7-7	2	0
3/01/14	at Samford	L	6	5	3-3	3	2
3/07/14	at LSU	L	6+	8	7-7	3	2
- 2013 -							
2/22/13	at Miss. State	ND	6	4	1-1	3	5
3/09/13	at UIC	W	5.1	7	6-6	2	4
3/15/13	at Evansville	W	6	2	0-0	3	7
3/23/13	Ohio State	L	5	9	5-5	1	6
3/29/13	at Penn State	W	8	5	1-1	3	5
4/05/13	Northwestern	W	7.1	9	4-4	0	4
4/20/13	Nebraska	ND	7	4	1-1	2	8
4/27/13	at Michigan St.	W	7	9	2-2	2	3
5/04/13	Southern Illinois	ND	6.2	9	3-1	2	7
5/11/13	at Michigan	L	7	9	7-2	3	1
5/17/13	Iowa	ND	5.2	6	5-5	3	7
Purdue Record When He Starts: 6-12							

SEASON	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	BF	B/AVG
2014	7.66	0 -4	4	4	0	0/0	0	22 1/3	29	19	19	10	7	108	.326
2013	4.98	5 -5	16	14	0	0/0	0	81 1/3	92	58	45	35	63	377	.288
CAREER	5.56	5 -9	20	18	0	0/0	0	103 2/3	121	77	64	45	70	485	.296



GAVIN DOWNS
RS-SOPHOMORE RHP
FORT WAYNE, IND.
CARROLL HS

- Purdue's top pitcher so far in 2014, working at least five innings of quality relief in his first three outings.
- No. 4 LSU did not score while he was on the mound in first start of 2014
- Earned the win vs. Butler March 1 with 5 2/3 shutout innings, inducing three inning-ending ground ball double plays.
- True walk-on has been a part of the program since the fall of 2011 but redshirted in 2012 after not making the official 35-man roster.
- Worked 4 1/3 innings of scoreless two-hit relief in his team debut, a 2013 midweek game vs. Indiana State.
- Performance vs. ISU earned helped earn him four midweek starts, including shutout win vs. UIC.
- Also worked 4 2/3 innings of one-run ball as the starter in a 2013 game vs. Ball State that was rained out before becoming official.
- Helped Carroll High School win back-to-back 4A IHSAA state titles; was the winning pitcher in 2011 title game.
- All-conference & all-area honoree went 12-1 to tie the CHS wins record as a senior.

NOTABLE CAREER OUTINGS							
DATE	OPPONENT	DEC	IP	H	R-ER	BB	K
- 2014 -							
2/17/14	at Tennessee^	ND	5	4	1-1	2	0
2/21/14	at Rice^	L	5	4	2-2	1	1
3/01/14	vs Butler^	W	5.2	5	0-0	1	1
3/08/14	at LSU	ND	6.1	5	2-2	1	5
- 2013 -							
4/03/13	Indiana St.^	ND	4.1	2	0-0	1	2
4/24/13	UIC	W	5	6	0-0	1	5
5/08/13	at Ball State	ND	6.1	6	3-3	2	4
5/14/13	Eastern Mich.	L	1/3	2	5-4	2	0
^ Relief Appearance							
Purdue Record When He Starts: 1-3							

SEASON	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	BF	B/AVG
2014	2.05	1 -1	4	1	0	0/0	0	22	18	5	5	5	7	85	.257
2013	5.06	1 -1	5	3	0	0/0	0	16	18	10	9	6	11	69	.300
CAREER	3.41	2 -2	8	3	0	0/0	0	31 2/3	31	13	12	10	13	154	.277



CONNOR PODKUL
RS-SOPHOMORE RHP
LA PORTE, IND.
LA PORTE HS

- Redshirted in 2013 after offseason elbow surgery; continues to work his way back from a knee ailment as well.
- Coaching staff looking to have him back to 100 percent and fully stretched out in time for Big Ten play.
- As a freshman, joined the weekend rotation in April 2012 after starting the big midweek wins vs. Missouri St. & Louisville.
- Earned wins in starts at Northwestern & Nebraska, helping Purdue sweep the Northwestern series and win the rubber game of its first-ever series at Big Ten newcomer Nebraska.
- Helped Purdue complete a 2012 sweep of Illinois; started the game in which coach Doug Schreiber won his program-record 408th game.
- First Team All-State, Duneland Athletic Conference MVP & La Porte County Herald Argus Player of the Year as a high school senior.
- Compiled a 1.33 ERA while striking out 123 batters over 74 innings pitched in 2011 as a high school senior in Northwest Indiana.
- High school coach was Scott Upp, father of current Purdue teammate and classmate Kyle Upp.

NOTABLE CAREER OUTINGS							
DATE	OPPONENT	DEC	IP	H	R-ER	BB	K
- 2014 -							
2/16/14	at Tennessee	L	1+	1	3-3	2	0
2/23/14	at Rice^	ND	1	2	3-3	2	0
3/09/14	at LSU	L	3+	5	3-3	1	1
- 2012 -							
2/26/12	vs W. Carolina^	ND	1	0	0-0	1	0
3/13/12	at Missouri St.	ND	4.1	2	1-1	1	2
3/27/12	Louisville	ND	6	0	1-1	1	1
4/01/12	Penn State^	ND	2.2	4	1-1	0	4
4/08/12	at Northwestern	W	6	6	3-3	1	6
4/15/12	Illinois	ND	6.1	2	2-1	0	5
4/22/12	at Nebraska	W	5.1	5	3-3	2	1
4/29/12	Michigan St.	L	4	6	3-3	0	1
5/06/12	at UCLA	ND	3	6	3-3	1	3
5/13/12	Michigan	L	3.1	4	4-4	2	3
5/19/12	at Iowa	L	1.2	6	5-4	0	1
^ Relief Appearance							
Purdue Record When He Starts: 6-5							

SEASON	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	BF	B/AVG
2014	16.20	0 -2	3	2	0	0	0	5	8	9	9	5	1	28	.364
2013								- REDSHIRTED -							
2012	4.84	2 -3	12	9	0	0	0	44.2	42	26	24	9	28	187	.251
CAREER	5.98	2 -5	15	11	0	0	0	49.2	50	35	33	14	29	215	.265

MULTI-HIT GAMES: 2014

Player	2	3	4	5+	Total
Kyle Wood	4	-	-	-	4
Steve Maniago	3	-	-	-	3
Sean McHugh	3	-	-	-	3
Conner Hudnall	2	-	-	-	2
Jack Amaro	1	-	-	-	1
Brandon Krieg	1	-	-	-	1
Kyle Upp	1	-	-	-	1
Team	15	-	-	-	15

MULTI-HIT GAMES: 2013 BIG TEN PLAY

Player	2	3	4	5+	Total
Conner Hudnall	6	2	-	-	8
Kyle Johnson	5	2	-	-	7
Kyle Wood	5	2	-	-	7
Jack Picchioti	6	1	-	-	7
Sean McHugh	4	1	1	-	6
Cody Strong	3	1	-	-	4
Josh Estill	3	-	-	-	3
Brandon Krieg	3	-	-	-	3
Jack Amaro	1	-	-	-	1
Team	44	9	1	-	54

CAREER MULTI-HIT GAMES*

Player	2	3	4	5+	Total
Sean McHugh	14	4	3	-	21
Conner Hudnall	13	2	1	-	16
Kyle Wood	11	3	-	-	14
Jack Picchioti	11	1	1	-	13
Kyle Johnson	8	2	-	-	10
Brandon Krieg	8	-	1	-	9
Cody Strong	6	1	-	-	7
Jack Amaro	3	1	-	-	4
Steve Maniago	4	-	-	-	4
Kyle Upp	1	-	-	-	1

MULTI-RBI GAMES: 2014

Player	2	3	4	5+	Total
Conner Hudnall	1	-	-	-	1
Brandon Krieg	1	-	-	-	1
Kyle Upp	1	-	-	-	1
Team	3	-	-	-	3

MULTI-RBI GAMES: 2013 BIG TEN PLAY

Player	2	3	4	5+	Total
Kyle Johnson	3	2	-	-	5
Sean McHugh	1	1	1	-	3
Jack Picchioti	1	2	-	-	3
Cody Strong	1	2	-	-	3
Conner Hudnall	-	1	1	-	2
Brandon Krieg	2	-	-	-	2
Jack Amaro	-	1	-	-	1
Kyle Wood	1	-	-	-	1
Team	11	10	2	-	23

CAREER MULTI-RBI GAMES*

Player	2	3	4	5+	Total
Sean McHugh	7	4	2	-	13
Conner Hudnall	3	2	1	-	6
Brandon Krieg	6	-	-	-	6
Jack Picchioti	2	3	-	-	5
Kyle Johnson	3	2	-	-	5
Kyle Wood	2	1	-	1	4
Cody Strong	1	2	-	-	3
Jack Amaro	2	1	-	-	3
Kyle Upp	1	-	-	-	1

*Active Multi-Year Purdue Letter-Winners Only

CAREER INDIVIDUAL HONORS

Kyle Johnson, Sophomore Outfielder

2013 Big Ten All-Freshman Team

Big Ten Player & Freshman of the Week, April 1, 2013

Jordan Minch, Sophomore Pitcher

2013 Big Ten Freshman Team

Big Ten Freshman of the Week, April 22, 2013

Big Ten Freshman of the Week, March 18, 2013

Kyle Wood, Sophomore First Baseman/Pitcher

2013 Big Ten Freshman Team

BOILERMAKERS FLY WEST TO SAN DIEGO FOR OPENING WEEKEND OF SPRING BREAK

• For the opening week of spring break, Purdue travels west to San Diego for a four-game wraparound series at first-time opponent San Diego State. The Boilermakers will be making their first trip to California since May 2012 (a series at UCLA) and their third trek to the West Coast during Doug Schreiber's 16-year tenure. Purdue also played in California during the 2001 and 2002 seasons. The 2001 spring break trip featured the Boilers' last game in San Diego, a loss at the University of San Diego.

• Purdue's current roster features four San Diego-area natives – **Hayden Grant, Kyle Johnson, Jordan Lewis and Michael Mullen**. The Boilers had as many as six players from San Diego on the roster during 2013 fall practice. Angelo Cianfrocco (2010-13) was another San Diego native that closed out his Purdue career last season. Johnson and Mullen were teammates at Torrey Pines High School.

• The Boilermakers have not played a four-game series against the same opponent since at Wichita State on the 2012 spring break trip. The remainder of Purdue's spring break schedule features the March 19 home opener against Butler and a weekend series at Southern Illinois (March 21-23). Meanwhile, the Boilers' next two weekend opponents (SIU and Illinois) are scheduled to play each other this weekend in Carbondale.

STARTED SLOW BUT STILL HAD A STRONG SEASON

• Purdue's 1-10 start is its poorest through 11 games since the 2005 team opened the season 1-12. But a turnaround is not unprecedented. Six times during Doug Schreiber's first 15 years as head coach, the Boilermakers got off to slow starts before turning it around and qualifying for the Big Ten Tournament. In fact, the hot starts by the 2011 (11-2 start) and 2012 (14-1) teams really were exceptions to the rule, especially when Purdue has to annually play its first 15-25 games away from home. Last year's team started the year 3-2 before enduring a seven-game losing streak that dropped the record to 3-9.

• However, each of the six teams listed in the graph to the right had winning records at home, where Purdue struggled last year (5-14). The 2005 (15-5), 2008 (18-8) and 2010 teams (15-6) that started slow compensated by cleaning up at home.

• Purdue ended up having a better winning percentage in true road games (.346) than at home (.263) last season. A 1-11 home mark in Big Ten play was almost inconceivable after the Boilers had been below .500 overall at home only twice in **Doug Schreiber's** first 15 seasons (10-11 in 2002 and 8-10 in 2007). The five home wins last season were Purdue's fewest since going 2-12 at Lambert in 1975.

PURDUE TEAMS THAT TURNED IT AROUND UNDER HEAD COACH DOUG SCHREIBER

Season	Started	Final Records
2010	3-8	33-24, 12-12 B1G
2009	2-7	25-26, 11-12 B1G
2008	0-9	32-26, 21-10 B1G
2005	1-12	27-30, 17-11 B1G
2004	3-8	29-28, 17-14 B1G
2001	4-12	32-24, 19-7 B1G

All Qualified for Big Ten Tournament

STACKED SCHEDULE

• Purdue is challenging itself with a 2014 schedule that features numerous quality programs. Indiana, LSU and Louisville all qualified for the 2013 College World Series and are preseason favorites in their conferences this year. Rice, San Diego State and Illinois were also NCAA Regional teams a year ago.

• The Boilermakers' strength of schedule ranked second nationally in the Boyd's World ISR as of March 11. Purdue's opponents have compiled a combined 168-111-1 (.602) early this year after posting a combined record of 618-460 (.573) last season.

DOWNS IMPRESSES IN GAME TWO AT #4 LSU

• **Gavin Downs** shined in his first start of the season, giving Purdue a very good chance to win in game two of the series at No. 4 LSU. The Boilermakers led 2-0 entering the bottom of the seventh inning and the Tigers did not score until after Downs left the mound with one out and two on in the frame. LSU went on to score three times in the inning en route to winning the game, 4-2.

• Downs struck out five and walked only one, surrendering just five singles. The sophomore has now pitched 22 innings of five-run ball over four appearances this year. Downs struck out LSU leadoff man Kramer Robertson looking three times after he entered the night having fanned only once this season. Downs is ranked seventh in the Big Ten this week with a 2.05 ERA.

• Despite getting swept in the series, Purdue played a cleaner brand of baseball again. Yes, the Boilers only scored five runs in 27 innings, but they also stayed out of big innings. After giving up four or more runs in an inning seven times over the first six games, the Boilers have not surrendered more than three runs in a frame in any of the last five games. Purdue was outscored 66-9 in its first six games, 27-11 in its last five.

BOILERMAKERS AMONG BIG TEN LEADERS IN FIELDING & DOUBLE PLAYS TURNED

• Purdue's solid play defensively has been one of the bright spots during the slow start to the new season. As of March 11, the Boilermakers were second in the Big Ten with a .975 fielding percentage, committing a conference-low 10 errors in their 11 games. Purdue has also turned 16 double plays in those 11 games. Around the Big Ten, only Indiana (17 in 14 games) has turned more double plays and Nebraska (.976) has a better fielding percentage.

• **Sean McHugh** has also impressed individually with his play behind the plate. The senior has thrown out eight of 17 would-be base stealers. Only Michigan St. (12-of-26) has thrown out more runners this year.

EARLY-SEASON STREAKS FOR McHUGH, STRONG & WOOD

• **Cody Strong's** season-opening streak of reaching base safely in each of the first 10 games came to an end Sunday in the finale of the series at No. 4 LSU. Despite hitting safely in only four of those 10 games, Strong found his way aboard safely thanks to eight free passes (6 walks, 2 HBP).

• **Sean McHugh** has hit safely in seven of the last eight games. He had reached base safely in eight consecutive games, a streak that ended in game two at LSU. He was 4-for-9 with a double, home run, two RBI and three runs scored in the Birmingham doubleheader. The senior drove in a run and scored a run in both games of the twin bill.

• **Kyle Wood** has reached base safely in eight of the first 11 games, highlighted by four two-hit games. He had a double in four straight games (Feb. 16 through Feb. 22) and had two hits and a run scored in both games of the Birmingham doubleheader.

2014 BIG TEN CONFERENCE STANDINGS

As of MARCH 12	- BIG TEN -				- OVERALL -					
	W	L	Pct.	GB	W	L	T	Pct.	Last 10	Streak
Iowa	0	0	.000	—	9	4	0	.692	7-3	L-3
Nebraska	0	0	.000	—	9	6	0	.600	6-4	L-1
Minnesota	0	0	.000	—	7	5	0	.583	5-5	L-1
Ohio State	0	0	.000	—	8	6	0	.571	6-4	L-2
Indiana	0	0	.000	—	8	6	0	.571	7-3	W-3
Michigan State	0	0	.000	—	7	7	0	.500	4-6	L-1
Illinois	0	0	.000	—	6	7	0	.462	5-5	L-3
Michigan	0	0	.000	—	6	10	1	.382	5-5	W-1
Penn State	0	0	.000	—	4	10	0	.286	2-8	L-2
Northwestern	0	0	.000	—	3	10	0	.231	3-7	W-1
Purdue	0	0	.000	—	1	10	0	.091	1-9	L-4

2014 BIG TEN PRESEASON TOP SIX COACHES POLL

1. Indiana
 2. Nebraska
 3. Ohio State
 4. Michigan State
 - T-5. Illinois
 - T-5. Michigan
- Big Ten Tournament
May 21-25 at TD Ameritrade Park in Omaha

Weekend of March 14-16

Purdue at San Diego State
 Illinois at Southern Illinois
 #16 Indiana at Long Beach State
 Iowa at Snowbird Classic Tournament in Florida
 Michigan at College of Charleston Tournament
 Michigan State vs. Harvard (in Greenville, S.C.)
 Minnesota at Sacramento State
 Nebraska hosts UC Irvine
 Northwestern at RussMatt Invitational in Florida
 Ohio State hosts Siena
 Penn State at Santa Clara

Weekend of March 7-9

Purdue was swept in a 3-game series at #4 LSU
 Illinois was swept in a 3-game series at Western Kentucky
 #17 Indiana won 2-of-3 at Jacksonville
 Iowa was swept in a 3-game series at Kansas State
 Michigan split a 4-game series with Princeton (in Port St. Lucie, Fla.)
 Michigan State won 2-of-3 at #22 TCU
 Minnesota lost 2-of-3 at Coastal Carolina Tournament
 Nebraska swept a 3-game series vs. St. John's
 Northwestern lost 2-of-3 at South Florida
 Ohio State lost 2-of-3 at #9 Oregon
 Penn State lost 2-of-3 at St. Mary's (Calif.)

PURDUE'S MOST STRIKEOUTS SINCE 2009 & NO WALKS IN THE SERIES

- LSU's Friday night ace Aaron Nola impressed in the series opener March 7 in Baton Rouge. The 2013 SEC Pitcher of the Year and All-American struck out a career-high 12 over seven innings of two-hit ball. Purdue went on to strike out 13 times in the series-opening loss, its most since fanning 15 times in an April 2009 win at Penn State. The Boilers also struck out 14 times vs. Illinois State one game before that win at PSU.
- Purdue did not draw a walk in the LSU series. The series-opening loss at Michigan State in April 2013 marked the last time it had happened a single game. The May 2012 doubleheader at UCLA marked the last time it happened in back-to-back games. Purdue's only three-game losing streak of the 2012 Big Ten Championship season (series finale vs. Michigan State and the doubleheader at UCLA) marked the last time the Boilers did not draw a walk in three straight contests.

DOWNES & MINCH SOLID ON THE MOUND AS BOILERS SPLIT BIRMINGHAM DOUBLEHEADER

- Highlighted by a 3-2 victory against Butler that gave the Boilermakers their first win of the season, Purdue split a pair of one-run games in doubleheader action against two different teams March 1. Purdue also lost a 4-3 game to Samford Saturday. Both games were played at Samford's Joe Lee Griffin Field after Butler and Samford agreed to allow the Boilers to join the weekend series. Purdue's originally scheduled series at Missouri State this weekend was canceled due to winter weather.
- The Boilermakers turned five inning-ending double plays in the doubleheader, including three induced by **Gavin Downes** in the game one victory. Downes worked 5 2/3 innings of shutout ball against Butler, his third quality relief appearance of at least five innings this year.
- **Jordan Minch** put together the Boilers' first quality start of the season, working six innings of three-run ball against Samford. It was the longest outing of the young season by a Purdue pitcher. He kept the Bulldogs off the scoreboard until the fifth inning when three free passes (2 HBP and a walk) loaded the bases. The Samford catcher came through with a two-run single to break open the scoreless tie.

IRONMEN IN THE BULLPEN

- Relief pitchers **Mike Lutz** (9 appearances), **Tim McElroy** (7) and **Joe Eichmann** (7) have been busy this season. All three have appeared in more than half of the first 11 games. They've all pitched in the same game three times (games one and three at Rice and at Samford) this season. Lutz appeared in seven of the first eight games, including six straight from games three through eight. That was the longest streak for a Purdue pitcher since at least the beginning of the 2008 season. McElroy appeared in six of the first eight games. Lutz leads the Big Ten in appearances (9 of Purdue's 11 games) as of March 12. Nebraska's Jeff Chestnut has also pitched in nine games but Nebraska has played 15 already.
- Eichmann and Lutz both took the mound in all three games of the series at No. 11 Rice. Prior to last season when Brett Andrzejewski (3 times), McElroy (Michigan series) and Lutz (twice) each accomplished the feat, no Purdue pitcher had appeared in every game of a weekend series since May 2009 when Conner Sestak did so in all three games of a weekend set vs. Indiana.

BIG INNINGS BURN PURDUE EARLY IN GAMES DURING FIRST TWO WEEKENDS

- Purdue's 0-6 start had a lot to do with big innings by the opposition. The Boilermakers gave up four or more runs in an inning seven times in their first six games. Five of those seven extended rallies came in the first three innings of a game. No. 11 Rice scored 10 times against Purdue in the first inning of the series finale en route to a 23-3 finale. It was the first time the Boilers had allowed double-figure runs in an inning since February 2011 against Notre Dame as well as the most total runs allowed by Purdue since giving up 25 to Minnesota in the 1995 Big Ten Tournament.
- Big innings were also a problem for the Boilers a year ago, when they gave up four or more runs in a frame 31 times.

- SITUATIONAL STATISTICS: RETURNING TEAM LEADERS -

WITH RUNNERS ON

1. Kyle Wood, .375 (6-16)
 2. Conner Hudnall, .368 (7-19)
 3. Steve Maniago, .308 (4-for-13)
- Team:** .220 (29-132)

WITH RUNNERS IN SCORING POSITION

1. Kyle Johnson, .400 (2-5)
 2. Cody Strong, .333 (1-3)
 3. Kyle Upp, .286 (2-7)
- Team:** .167 (11-66)

WITH TWO OUTS

1. Steve Maniago, .385 (5-13)
 2. Conner Hudnall, .364 (4-11)
 3. Sean McHugh, .333 (5-15)
- Team:** .220 (18-82)

TWO-OUT RBIs

1. Conner Hudnall, 2
 2. Strong/Upp/Wood, 1
- Team:** 5

WEATHER IMPACTS TWO OF FIRST THREE WEEKENDS; FIRST MONDAY GAME SINCE 2010

- Two of Purdue's first three weekends of the new season were impacted by inclement weather. Nebraska-Omaha pulled out of the season-opening weekend in Knoxville, Tenn. Instead of playing two games apiece against UNO and Tennessee, the Boilers played a traditional three-game series against the Volunteers instead.
- The games against Nebraska-Omaha were the only neutral-site contests on Purdue's original regular-season schedule. It looked like the Boilers would have to qualify for the eight-team Big Ten Tournament, set for May 21-25 at TD Ameritrade Park in Omaha over Memorial Day Weekend, to play in a neutral-site game this season. But that changed when the replacement games against Butler and Samford (March 1 in Birmingham) were added to the schedule, taking the place of the canceled three-game series at Missouri State. Since 1970, only twice (1978 and 2007) has Purdue failed to play in at least one neutral-site game.
- The series finale at Tennessee was played on Monday after weather delayed first the start of the series and then Purdue's departure from campus. It was the Boilers' first Monday game since beating Michigan State in a rubber game at Lambert Field in May 2010. Purdue also played a Monday game during its 2010 season-opening weekend at the Big East/Big Ten Challenge. The Boilermakers also have a Monday game scheduled for March 17, the finale of their weekend wrap-around series at San Diego State.

HUDNALL'S REACHED-SAFELY STREAK IN GAMES STARTED ENDS AT 29

- **Conner Hudnall** finished his junior season having reached base safely in the final 27 games of the year in which he started. After he doubled off the wall in right field in both games of the 2014 season-opening doubleheader at Tennessee, the streak was at 29 before it ended in the series finale. The outfielder hit safely in all three games of the Northwestern, Illinois and Michigan State series last year.
- Hudnall delivered arguably the biggest hit of the 2013 season when he came through with a bases-clearing double with two outs to cap Purdue's four-run rally in the ninth inning of the series finale at Michigan. It turned out to be the Boilers' final win of the year. Hudnall finished the season as the team leader with nine doubles and six outfield assists.
- **Cody Strong** also posted a 19-game streak in which he reached base safely from March 23 through May 8 of the 2013 season. He led the team with a .436 on-base percentage in 2013 thanks in part to 25 free passes (19 walks, 6 HBP). Strong's .492 on-base percentage in Big Ten play would have led the league but he fell six plate appearances shy of the minimum to qualify.
- **HUDNALL'S REACHED SAFELY STREAK: .328 (38-FOR-116), 10 2B, HR, 14 RBI, 15 R, 10 BB, .375 OBP**

McHUGH BACK AS PURDUE'S LONE FOUR-YEAR SENIOR, JOINED BY BROTHER

- Purdue has only three seniors on its 2014 roster, its fewest since also having three in 2011. **Sean McHugh** looks to close out his career on a high note as the program's only current four-year letter-winner. He was part of some of the most dramatic moments of the 2012 Big Ten championship season, including delivering the go-ahead single in the 10-run ninth inning rally at UCLA and the game-tying pinch hit home run with two outs in the ninth inning of the final game at Lambert Field.
- McHugh moved to third base for the first time as a Boilermaker last year. The Kansas City-area native went on to win team MVP honors after starting 50 of the 51 games, leading the team with a .298 average, 59 hits, nine doubles, 31 RBI and a .434 slugging percentage. He's expected to see action at the hot corner and behind the plate this year.
- McHugh's younger brother **Matthew** is now part of the team as well. Sean and Matthew McHugh are the third set of brothers to be teammates at the same time under head coach Doug Schreiber, who also played with two sets of brothers at Purdue in the mid-1980s. Matthew McHugh is expected to see action as a corner infielder and relief pitcher. The McHugh's' parents, Peter and Pam, along with their brother P.J. are also Purdue alumni.

RECENT SETS OF BROTHERS WHO WERE

TEAMMATES AT PURDUE

Sean & Matthew McHugh

Sean: 2011-14, Matthew: 2014-Pr

Matt & Kyle Bischoff

Matt: 2007-10, Kyle: 2010-13

Eric & Dane Wolfe

Eric: 2003-06, Dane: 2005-06

Rico & Jose Rossy

Rico: 1982-85, Jose: 1984-87

Dan, Mike & Les Hansen

Mike: 1983-86, Dan: 1983, Les: 1985-86

McHUGH, MINCH & WOOD AMONG BIG TEN PLAYERS TO WATCH

- For the Boilermakers to have a bounce back season and return to the winning ways that saw the program qualify for five consecutive Big Ten Tournaments from 2008-12, **Sean McHugh**, **Jordan Minch** and **Kyle Wood** will likely have to be among the team's top contributors. They were Purdue's highlighted trio among the Big Ten Players to Watch this year.
- Last season, the trio accounted for the team leaders in batting average, hits, RBI and slugging percentage (McHugh); strikeouts, wins and games started (Minch); and home runs and runs scored (Wood). All three have experienced a summer playing for the Yarmouth-Dennis Red Sox in the prestigious Cape Cod League. McHugh spent the summer of 2012 on the Cape while Minch and Wood were teammates there last summer.

BIG SOPHOMORE CLASS SHOULD BE KEY TO SUCCESS

- Following the 2012 Big Ten championship season, the Boilermakers graduated a 15-player senior class and also lost three juniors who were selected in the first nine rounds of the MLB Draft. A large freshman class replaced many of those players in 2013 and Purdue ranked among the national leaders with 13 freshmen and 17 total new players. A year later, sophomores dominate the Boilers' roster.
- After redshirt seasons for **Gavin Downs**, **Connor Podkul**, **Kyle Upp** and **Kyle Wood**, Purdue now has 14 sophomores on its 2014 roster. Of those 14 sophomores, **Kyle Johnson**, **Jack Picchiotti**, **Cody Strong** and **Wood** were all regulars in the lineup a year ago. Sophomores **Jordan Minch**, **Downs**, **Podkul** and **Wood** project as key starting pitchers for Purdue this season. **Eddie De LaRiva**, **Patrick Kenney**, **Mike Lutz** and **Tim McElroy** teamed up to make a combined 71 relief appearances as freshmen. If most of the sophomore class can enjoy better seasons after getting a chance to play a lot as freshmen, Purdue should see its overall record improve.
- Minch (63 strikeouts, 81 1/3 innings and 14 games started), Lutz (25 appearances) and Wood (14 hit by pitch) all set new Purdue freshman records in 2013.

POSITIONAL FLEXIBILITY DEMONSTRATED IN 2013

- **Jack Picchiotti**, **Cody Strong** and **Kyle Wood** all impressed with their positional flexibility in 2013. Picchiotti started games at five different positions (C, LF, RF, DH, 3B) and Strong saw action at five different spots (2B, 3B, RF, LF, C), starting at least once at every spot but catcher. Picchiotti also batted in eight of the nine spots in the lineup (all but cleanup). Meanwhile, Wood started games at four different positions (DH, P, 1B, RF). **Conner Hudnall** (RF, 3B, LF) and **Sean McHugh** (3B, C, SS) each started games at three different positions as juniors.

PODKUL RETURNS TO ACTIVE ROSTER

- **Connor Podkul** returns to the active roster this season after missing 2013 following Tommy John Surgery. The right-hander will look to return to the form that earned him a spot in the Boilers' weekend rotation during the 2012 Big Ten championship season. Purdue went 6-3 in his nine starts in 2012 and Podkul led the way in key victories against Missouri State, Louisville, Northwestern, Illinois and Nebraska. The MSU and Louisville (6 no-hit innings) wins were great resumé boosters for the Boilers in the first two months of the season.
- After joining the weekend rotation in time for the first weekend of April, Podkul struck out a season-high six in a quality start at Northwestern and worked 6 1/3 innings of two-hit ball as Purdue completed a sweep of defending Big Ten champ Illinois. But his most memorable performance (Win, 5 1/3 IP, 3 R) of the season may have been in the rubber game win at Nebraska in front of large crowd of Husker faithful.
- Podkul struggled down the stretch in 2012 and did not pitch more than four innings in any of his final four starts. He did not pitch in the Big Ten Tournament or NCAA Regional that Purdue hosted in Gary, Ind.
- **PODKUL'S 2012 STATS: 2-3, 12 APP, 9 GS, 44 2/3 IP, 42 H, 9 BB, 28 K, 4.84 ERA, .251 B/Avg**

– STARTING PITCHER BREAKDOWNS –

DATE	OPPONENT	DEC	IP	H	R-ER	BB	K
– Jordan Minch (So, LHP) –							
2/16/14	at Tennessee	L	4.2	6	2-2	2	3
2/22/14	at Rice	L	5.2	10	7-7	2	0
3/01/14	at Samford	L	6	5	3-3	3	2
3/07/14	at LSU	L	6+	8	7-7	3	2
2/16/13	vs USF	L	2/3	3	8-2	3	1
2/22/13	at Miss. State	ND	6	4	1-1	3	5
3/02/13	at Samford	L	6	7	4-4	5	2
3/09/13	at UIC	W	5.1	7	6-6	2	4
3/15/13	at Evansville	W	6	2	0-0	3	7
3/23/13	Ohio State	L	5	9	5-5	1	6
3/29/13	at Penn State	W	8	5	1-1	3	5
4/05/13	Northwestern	W	7.1	9	4-4	0	4
4/12/13	at Illinois	L	1/3	4	7-7	2	0
4/20/13	Nebraska	ND	7	4	1-1	2	8
4/27/13	at Michigan St.	W	7	9	2-2	2	3
5/04/13	Southern Illinois	ND	6.2	9	3-1	2	7
5/11/13	at Michigan	L	7	9	7-2	3	1
5/17/13	Iowa	ND	5.2	6	5-5	3	7

– Gavin Downs (So, RHP) –

3/08/14	at LSU	ND	6.1	5	2-2	1	5
3/13/13	UIC	W	5	6	0-0	1	5
5/8/13	at Ball State	ND	6.1	6	3-3	2	4
5/14/13	Eastern Mich.	L	1/3	2	5-4	2	0

– Connor Podkul (So, RHP) –

2/16/14	at Tennessee	L	1+	1	3-3	2	0
3/09/14	at LSU	L	3+	5	3-3	1	1
3/13/12	at Missouri St.	ND	4.1	2	1-1	1	2
3/27/12	Louisville	ND	6	0	1-1	1	1
4/08/12	at Northwestern	W	6	6	3-3	1	6
4/15/12	Illinois	ND	6.1	2	2-1	0	5
4/22/12	at Nebraska	W	5.1	5	3-3	2	1
4/29/12	Michigan St.	L	4	6	3-3	0	1
5/06/12	at UCLA	ND	3	6	3-3	1	3
5/13/12	Michigan	L	3.1	4	4-4	2	3
5/19/12	at Iowa	L	1.2	6	5-4	0	1

– Patrick Kenney (So, RHP) –

2/21/14	at Rice	ND	1	2	1-1	2	0
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– Brett Haan (Jr, RHP) –

3/01/14	vs Butler	ND	1.1	2	1-1	1	0
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– Kyle Wood (So, LHP) –

2/16/14	at Tennessee	L	1/3	3	4-4	2	0
2/23/14	at Rice	L	0+	6	7-7	1	0
2/17/13	vs Louisville	ND	7	9	4-4	2	2
2/24/13	vs Samford	ND	1.1	2	1-1	0	2
4/21/13	Nebraska	L	2	3	2-2	3	1
4/28/13	at Michigan St.	ND	4	6	1-1	2	3
5/5/13	Southern Illinois	ND	4	5	4-4	3	1
5/12/13	at Michigan	ND	4	3	3-1	4	3
5/18/13	Iowa	L	3.2	5	5-2	3	4

– Eddie De LaRiva (So, RHP) –

3/16/13	at Evansville	L	2.1	6	5-4	2	0
4/2/13	Butler	L	1.1	3	5-4	2	0

– Mike Lutz (So, RHP) –

3/13/13	at Louisville	L	4	3	2-2	3	1
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– Mike Gaglianese (Jr, RHP) –

4/3/13	Indiana St.	ND	2.2	1	2-2	3	1
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– Joe Eichmann (Jr, RHP) –

4/3/13	at Indiana St.	L	2	7	5-5	0	0
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– RECORDS WHEN HE STARTED –

PLAYER	STARTS	TEAM	PITCHER	RELIEF
– 2014 –				
Jordan Minch	3	0-3	0-3	0-0
Kyle Wood	2	0-2	0-2	0-0
Brett Haan	1	1-0	0-0	0-0
Patrick Kenney	1	0-1	0-0	0-0
Connor Podkul	1	0-1	0-1	0-0

– 2013 –

Jordan Minch	14	6-8	5-5	0-0
Kyle Wood	7	2-4	0-2	0-0
Gavin Downs	3	1-2	1-1	0-0
Eddie De LaRiva	2	0-2	0-2	2-1
Mike Lutz	1	0-1	0-1	1-4
Mike Gaglianese	1	0-1	0-0	0-0
Joe Eichmann	1	0-1	0-1	0-0

– 2012 –

Connor Podkul	9	6-3	2-3	0-0
Mike Gaglianese	1	1-0	0-0	0-0

– MULTI-YEAR CAREER AS STARTER –

Jordan Minch	18	6-12	5-9	0-0
Connor Podkul	11	6-5	2-5	0-0
Kyle Wood	9	2-6	0-4	0-0
Gavin Downs	4	1-3	1-1	0-0
Mike Gaglianese	2	1-1	0-0	0-0

– 2014 INHERITED RUNNERS STRANDED/SCORED RECAP –

PITCHER	INHERITED	SCORED	PERCENTAGE	RELIEF APP
Jordan Bickle	0	0	—	1
Eddie De LaRiva	1	1	1.000	3
Gavin Downs	6	2	.333	3
Joe Eichmann	9	0	.000	7
Matt Frawley	4	2	.667	4
Matt Gibbs	1	0	.000	2
Brett Haan	2	0	.000	3
Patrick Kenney	5	5	1.000	2
Mike Lutz	10	4	.400	9
Matthew McHugh	1	1	1.000	1
Tim McElroy	6	2	.333	7
Connor Podkul	1	0	.000	1
Kyle Wood	1	1	1.000	1
Team	47	18	.383	44

– GROUND BALL DOUBLE PLAYS INDUCED –

– 2014 –

PITCHER	GDPs	INNINGS	GDPs	INNINGS
Jordan Bickle	0	1/3	0	1/3
Gavin Downs	4	22	6	38
Eddie De LaRiva	0	2 1/3	1	21
Joe Eichmann	1	7	2	26 2/3
Matt Frawley	1	4	1	4
Mike Gaglianese	—	—	2	16 1/3
Matt Gibbs	1	2 1/3	1	8 1/3
Brett Haan	2	5	2	5
Kyle Johnson	—	—	0	3 2/3
Patrick Kenney	1	2	3	14 1/3
Mike Lutz	0	8 2/3	1	59 1/3
Tim McElroy	0	3 2/3	0	17
Matthew McHugh	0	1	0	1
Jordan Minch	2	22 1/3	9	103 2/3
Connor Podkul	0	5	3	49 2/3
Kyle Wood	0	1 2/3	2	28 2/3
Team	12	89		

– TWO-OUT RBI BREAKDOWN –

– 2014 SEASON –

PLAYER	TWO-OUT RBIs	TOTAL RBIs	PCT	TWO-OUT RBIs	TOTAL RBIs	PCT
Jack Amaro	0	0	—	6	14	.429
Conner Hudnall	2	6	.333	10	26	.391
Kyle Johnson	0	1	.000	10	26	.385
Brandon Krieg	0	2	.000	9	21	.429
Steve Maniago	0	0	—	1	1	1.000
Sean McHugh	0	2	.000	32	63	.508
Jack Picchiotti	0	0	—	7	26	.269
Cody Strong	1	2	—	8	18	.438
Kyle Upp	1	3	.333	1	4	.250
Kyle Wood	1	1	1.000	8	25	.320
Team	5	17	.294			

– PURDUE CAREER –

– REACHED SAFELY TO BEGIN AN INNING: 2014 –

PLAYER	REACHED	OPPORTUNITIES	PERCENTAGE
Jack Amaro	1	1	1.000
Jeff Evak	0	3	.000
Conner Hudnall	2	12	.167
Kyle Johnson	0	5	.000
Brandon Krieg	1	15	.067
Steve Maniago	1	7	.143
Matthew McHugh	0	2	.000
Sean McHugh	2	6	.333
Michael Mullen	0	1	.000
Jack Picchiotti	1	5	.200
Ted Snidanko	3	8	.375
Cody Strong	6	17	.353
Kyle Upp	3	6	.500
Kyle Wood	6	12	.500
Team	26	100	.260

– HIT SAFELY IN EVERY GAME OF A WEEKEND/SERIES –

2 – Sean McHugh: Rice (3-for-10), Birmingham DH (4-for-9) • 1 – Kyle Wood: Birmingham DH (4-for-8)

2013 Team Leaders

5 – Sean McHugh: Big Ten/Big East (6-for-15), UIC (7-for-14), Illinois (4-for-11), Michigan (4-for-14) & Iowa (6-for-12)

4 – Conner Hudnall: UIC (4-for-14), Northwestern (4-for-12), Illinois (4-for-13) & Michigan State (7-for-16)

4 – Kyle Johnson: Penn State (6-for-11), Illinois (4-for-13), Nebraska (4-for-11) & Michigan (5-for-9)

3 – Brandon Krieg: Samford (4-for-13), UIC (3-for-13) & Michigan (3-for-8) • 2 – Kyle Wood: UIC (5-for-11) & Illinois (6-for-10) • 1 – Jack Picchiotti: Penn State (6-for-13) • 1 – Cody Strong: Southern Illinois (4-for-12)

– SCORED A RUN* OR DROVE IN A RUN* IN EVERY GAME OF A WEEKEND –

Sean McHugh* (2 RBI in Birmingham DH) • Kyle Wood* (2 Runs in Birmingham DH) • Sean McHugh* (2 Runs in Birmingham DH)

2013 Occurrences

Kyle Johnson* (4 RBI at Penn State) • Jack Picchiotti* (5 RBI vs Northwestern) • Kyle Wood* (4 RBI at Illinois) • Sean McHugh* (3 Runs vs Nebraska) • Cody Strong* (3 Runs vs Southern Illinois) • Kyle Johnson* (7 Runs vs Michigan)

- 2014 HITTING STREAKS -

PLAYER	2014		CAREER	'13 BIG TEN	
	LONG	CURRENT		LONG	CURRENT
Kyle Johnson	—	—	10	8	1
Conner Hudnall	—	2	9	9	—
Jack Picchiotti	—	—	8	6	—
Sean McHugh	6	1	6	8	8
Kyle Wood	4	—	6	3	—
Brandon Krieg	—	—	5	5	2
Jack Amaro	3	3	3	—	2
Steve Maniago	3	2	3	—	1
Ted Snidanko	3	—	3	NA	NA
Cody Strong	—	—	3	4	1

- 2014 REACHED BASE SAFELY STREAKS -

PLAYER	2014		CAREER	'13 BIG TEN	
	LONG	CURRENT		LONG	CURRENT
Cody Strong	10	—	16	13	1
Sean McHugh	8	1	14	11	8
Kyle Johnson	3	—	12	13	1
Brandon Krieg	—	1	10	5	1
Conner Hudnall	—	2	9	11	4
Jack Picchiotti	—	—	8	6	—
Kyle Wood	4	1	8	10	10
Jack Amaro	5	5	5	—	2
Ted Snidanko	5	—	5	NA	NA
Kyle Upp	4	2	4	NA	NA
Steve Maniago	4	2	4	—	1

REACHING BASE SAFELY IS EITHER VIA A HIT, WALK OR HIT BY PITCH.

A STREAK IS DEFINED AS 3 OR MORE CONSECUTIVE GAMES.

- 2014 HOME RUN TALLY -

PLAYER (SEASON #)	OPPONENT	ON	OUT	INNING
Sean McHugh (1)	Samford	0	0	8
Conner Hudnall (1)	LSU	1	1	2

Team Total: 2

- TEAM RECORD WHEN HE HOMERS -

PLAYER (CAREER HR)	2014	CAREER
Sean McHugh (10)	0-1	5-4
Kyle Wood (5)	—	1-4
Conner Hudnall (3)	0-1	2-1
Brandon Krieg (3)	—	1-2
Kyle Johnson (2)	—	1-1
Jack Picchiotti (1)	—	1-0
Cody Strong (1)	—	0-1

- 2014 DOUBLE PLAYS TURNED -

OPP. (SERIES GAME)	FIELDERS	INNING	L-E*	PITCHER
Tennessee (2)	6-4-3	1st	Yes	Haan
Tennessee (3)	1-6-3	4th	No	Downs
Rice (2)	4-6-3	5th	Yes	Minch
Rice (3)	5-4-3	3rd	No	Haan
Rice (3)	5-4-3	8th	Yes	Gibbs
Butler	6-4-3	2nd	Yes	Downs
Butler	6-4-3	3rd	Yes	Downs
Butler	4-3	5th	Yes	Downs
Samford	6-4-3	5th	Yes	Minch
Samford	P 2-6-1	7th	Yes	Eichmann
LSU (1)	6-4-3	7th	No	Kenney
LSU (2)	F 8-5	2nd	Yes	Downs
LSU (2)	4-3	8th	Yes	Frawley
LSU (3)	L 4-3	3rd	No	Podkul
LSU (3)	2-3	5th	Yes	Eichmann
LSU (3)	L 5-3	7th	Yes	Eichmann

Total Double Plays Turned: 16

* Inning-Ending Double Play

- PITCHED IN EVERY GAME OF A SERIES -

Mike Lutz (So. RHP)

2014 at Rice (2 2/3 IP, 13 BF, 4 H, 2 R, BB, 0 K)

2013 at Michigan State (3 1/3 IP, 18 BF, 5 H, 4 R, BB, K)

2013 at Penn State (6 1/3 IP, 27 BF, 6 H, 0 R, 2 BB, K)

Joe Eichmann (Jr. RHP)

2014 at Rice (1+ IP, 8 BF, 4 H, 3 R, 1 BB, 0 K)

Tim McElroy (So. LHP)

2013 at Michigan (1 2/3 IP, 8 BF, 3 H, 3 R, 0 BB, 0 K)

THE LAST TIME PURDUE

TEAM/PLAYER/PITCHER...

• Had 7 at-bats (7-Ties PUR record)

7 - Cameron Perkins (Michigan St., 4-28-12)

• Had 5 hits (5-Ties PUR record)

5 - Kevin Plawecki (at Tenn. Tech, 3-20-11)

• Scored 5 runs (5-Ties PUR record)

5 - David Blount (at Morehead St., 2-27-11)

• Had 7 RBIs (9-Ties PUR record)

7 - Josh Estill (Illinois-Chicago, 4-24-13)

• Hit 3 doubles (4-Ties Purdue record)

3 - Kevin Plawecki (at Michigan St., 5-8-11)

• Hit 2 triples (2-Ties Purdue record)

2 - Tyler Spillner (Chicago State, 3-27-10)

• Hit 2 home runs

2 - Sean McHugh (vs Iowa, 5-17-13)

• Hit 3 home runs (3-Ties PUR record)

3 - Dan Black (vs Indiana, 5-24-08)

• Hit a grand slam

Sean McHugh (at Michigan, 5-12-13)

• Hit a pinch hit home run

Sean McHugh (Indiana State, 5-15-12)

• Hit a lead off home run to begin a game

Tyler Spillner (at Tennessee Tech, 3-19-11)

• Homered in both games of a doubleheader

Cameron Perkins (at Morehead St., 2-27-11)

• Recorded 10 total bases

12 - Sean McHugh (Iowa, 5-17-13)

• Recorded 10 strikeouts

10 - Lance Breedlove (at Ohio St., 3-24-12)

• Pitched a 9-inning complete game

Robert Ramer (vs Connecticut, 2-17-13)

• Pitched a 9-inning CG shutout

Joe Haase (Michigan, 5-11-12)

• Pitched more than 9 innings

10 2/3 - Robert Ramer (vs Iowa, 5-16-13)

• Shutout an opponent

Won 20-0 vs Illinois-Chicago (4-24-13)

• Played an extra-innings game

Lost 9-5 in 10 vs Iowa (5-17-13)

• Won an extra-innings game

5-4 in 10 at Penn State (3-30-13)

• Scored 20 runs (Purdue record, 37)

20 - Illinois-Chicago (4-24-13)

• Recorded 20 hits (Purdue record, 30)

20 - at Illinois-Chicago (3-9-13)

• Recorded 20 RBIs (Purdue record, 27)

21 - at Murray State (3-10-12)

• Hit 7 doubles (Purdue record, 10)

8 - at Morehead State (2-27-11)

• Hit 3 triples (Purdue record, 4)

3 - at Ohio (3-19-10)

• Hit 3 home runs (Purdue record, 6)

4 - at Iowa (5-17-12)

• Struck out 12 batters (Purdue record, 17)

13 - vs Cincinnati (2-18-12)

• Turned 4 double plays (Purdue record, 5)

4 - at Murray State (3-10-12)

• Purdue scored 10+ runs in an inning

15 - 2nd Inning vs Illinois-Chicago (4-24-13)

• Purdue batter did not strikeout

at Nebraska (4-22-12)

- CAREER-HIGH PERFORMANCES -

PLAYER	HITS (MINIMUM 3)		OPPONENT & DATE
	TOTAL		
Conner Hudnall	4		vs Samford (2/22/13)
Brandon Krieg	4		vs Samford (2/22/13)
Sean McHugh	4		on Three Occasions
			Most Recently: Iowa (5/17/13)
Jack Picchiotti	4		at Illinois-Chicago (3/9/13)
Jack Amaro	3		at Illinois-Chicago (3/9/13)
Kyle Johnson	3		on Two Occasions
			Most Recently: Northwestern (4/6/13)
Cody Strong	3		at Illinois (4/12/13)
Kyle Wood	3		on Three Occasions
			Most Recently: Illinois-Chicago (4/24/13)

PLAYER	RBIs (MINIMUM 3)		OPPONENT & DATE
	TOTAL		
Kyle Wood	5		Illinois-Chicago (4/24/13)
Sean McHugh	4		on Two Occasions
			Most Recently: at Michigan (5/12/13)
Jack Amaro	3		at Michigan (5/11/13)
Conner Hudnall	4		at Michigan (5/12/13)
Kyle Johnson	3		on Two Occasions
			Most Recently: at Illinois (4/14/13)
Jack Picchiotti	3		on Three Occasions
			Most Recently: at Michigan (5/12/13)
Cody Strong	3		Northwestern (4/6/13)
			Most Recently: at Illinois (4/12/13)

MULTI-HOMER GAMES

PLAYER	HRs	OPPONENT & DATE
Sean McHugh	2	vs Iowa (5/17/13)

INNINGS PITCHED (MINIMUM 5)

PLAYER	TOTAL	OPPONENT & DATE
Jordan Minch	8	at Penn State (3/29/13)
Joe Eichmann	7 2/3	Butler (4/2/13)
Kyle Wood	7	vs Louisville (2/17/13)
Gavin Downs	6 1/3	on Two Occasions
		Most Recently: at LSU (3/8/14)
Connor Podkul	6 1/3	Illinois (4/15/12)

STRIKESOUTS (MINIMUM 5)

PLAYER	TOTAL	OPPONENT & DATE
Jordan Minch	8	Nebraska (4/20/13)
Connor Podkul	6	at Northwestern (4/8/12)
Gavin Downs	5	on Two Occasions
		Most Recently: at LSU (3/8/14)

- BIG-INNING BREAKDOWN -

(MINIMUM 4 RUNS SCORED)

PURDUE IN 2013

RUNS	OPPONENT	INNING	DATE	WON GAME
15	UIC	B-2nd	4/24/13	Yes, 20-0
8	at UIC	T-2nd	3/09/13	Yes, 17-10
7	at Illinois	T-8th	4/12/13	No
7	vs Connecticut	T-4th	2/15/13	Yes, 11-8
6	Northwestern	B-2nd	4/05/13	Yes, 13-4
6	at UIC	T-8th	3/09/13	Yes, 17-10
5	at Michigan	T-6th	5/12/13	Yes, 12-9
5	at Michigan	T-7th	5/11/13	No
5	Southern Illinois	B-2nd	5/05/13	Yes, 10-5
5	vs Samford	T-8th	2/22/13	Yes, 9-4
4	on 9 Occasions			

Purdue Big Innings: 19

OPPONENTS

RUNS	OPPONENT	INNING	DATE	LOST GAME
- 2014 -				
10	Rice	B-1st	2/23/14	Yes, 23-3
7	Rice	B-6th	2/23/14	Yes, 23-3
7	Tennessee	B-2nd	2/17/14	Yes, 8-2
5	Rice	B-2nd	2/22/14	Yes, 9-1
5	Tennessee	B-5th	2/16/14	Yes, 20-2
7	Tennessee	B-3rd	2/16/14	Yes, 20-2
4	Tennessee	B-1st	2/16/14	Yes, 20-2

- 2013 -				
9	vs South Florida	T-1st	2/16/13	Yes, 20-2
8	Eastern Mich.	T-1st	5/14/13	Yes, 20-2
8	at Illinois	B-8th	4/14/13	Yes, 17-6
8	at Illinois	B-1st	4/12/13	Yes, 17-12
7	Butler	T-2nd	4/02/13	Yes, 8-4
6	at Evansville	B-8th	3/16/13	Yes, 15-1
5	on 5 Occasions			
4	on 20 Occasions			
Opponent Big Innings in 2013: 31				

2014 INNING-BY-INNING SCORING SUMMARY: ALL GAMES

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	EX	Total
PURDUE	1	4	6	1	2	2	1	3	0	—	20
OPPONENTS	16	15	14	2	13	14	12	6	1	—	93
DIFFERENCE	-15	-11	-8	-1	-11	-12	-11	-3	-1	—	-73

2014 Purdue Baseball
Team Game-by-Game for Purdue (as of Mar 09, 2014)
Batting (All games)

Date	Opponent	ab	r	h	rbi	2b	3b	hr	tb	bb	ibb	sb	cs	hbp	sac	sf	gdp	k	po	a	e	lob	avg
Feb 16	at Tennessee	24	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	4	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	5	24	11	0	3	.042
Feb 16	at Tennessee	31	2	6	2	2	0	0	8	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	5	24	4	0	8	.127
Feb 17	at Tennessee	32	2	8	1	2	0	0	10	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	6	24	11	1	6	.172
Feb 21	at Rice	33	1	7	1	1	0	0	8	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	8	24	14	1	9	.183
Feb 22	at Rice	32	1	7	1	1	0	0	8	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	5	24	13	1	9	.191
Feb 23	at Rice	30	3	5	2	2	0	0	7	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	5	24	10	2	4	.187
Mar 01	vs Butler	36	3	9	2	1	0	0	10	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	8	27	16	1	10	.197
Mar 01	at Samford	33	3	7	3	2	0	1	12	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	5	24	8	1	7	.199
Mar 07	at LSU	30	0	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	13	24	10	1	4	.192
Mar 08	at LSU	33	2	6	2	2	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	24	10	0	5	.191
Mar 09	at LSU	32	3	7	3	1	0	1	11	0	0	2	0	3	0	1	0	5	24	9	2	6	.194
Totals		346	20	67	17	15	0	2	88	21	0	6	3	16	4	1	6	71	267	116	10	71	.194

2014 Purdue Baseball
Team Game-by-Game for Purdue (as of Mar 09, 2014)
Pitching (All games)

Date	Opponent	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	wp	bk	hbp	dp	ibb	score	w-l	sv	era
Feb 16	at Tennessee	8.0	10	3	3	3	5	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0-3	0-1	0	3.38
Feb 16	at Tennessee	8.0	23	20	20	9	4	5	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	2-20	0-2	0	12.94
Feb 17	at Tennessee	8.0	7	8	8	9	2	1	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	2-8	0-3	0	11.62
Feb 21	at Rice	8.0	7	3	3	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1-3	0-4	0	9.56
Feb 22	at Rice	8.0	12	9	9	5	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1-9	0-5	0	9.68
Feb 23	at Rice	8.0	20	23	17	10	2	4	1	1	1	0	2	2	0	3-23	0-6	0	11.25
Mar 01	vs Butler	9.0	9	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	3-2	1-6	1	9.79
Mar 01	at Samford	8.0	7	4	4	5	3	1	0	1	1	0	3	2	0	3-4	1-7	1	9.14
Mar 07	at LSU	8.0	13	10	7	3	5	4	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0-10	1-8	1	9.00
Mar 08	at LSU	8.0	9	4	4	1	6	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	2-4	1-9	1	8.56
Mar 09	at LSU	8.0	12	7	6	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	3-7	1-10	1	8.39
Totals		89.0	129	93	83	53	33	23	4	3	6	4	15	16	1	20-93	1-10	1	8.39



2014 Purdue Baseball
Miscellaneous Stats for Purdue (as of Mar 09, 2014)
(All games)



Starting Lineup By Position
(Team W-L record when starter)

PITCHER:		
28 MINCH, Jordan	4	(0-4)
34 PODKUL, Connor	2	(0-2)
14 WOOD, Kyle	2	(0-2)
42 DOWNS, Gavin	1	(0-1)
37 KENNEY, Patrick	1	(0-1)
43 HAAN, Brett	1	(1-0)
CATCHER:		
17 McHUGH, Sean	10	(1-9)
31 PICCHIOTTI, Jack	1	(0-1)
FIRST BASE:		
14 WOOD, Kyle	7	(1-6)
30 HUDNALL, Conner	4	(0-4)
SECOND BASE:		
16 STRONG, Cody	11	(1-10)
THIRD BASE:		
3 MANIAGO, Steve	10	(1-9)
17 McHUGH, Sean	1	(0-1)
SHORTSTOP:		
9 KRIEG, Brandon	11	(1-10)
LEFT FIELD:		
36 SNIDANKO, Ted	8	(1-7)
44 AMARO, Jack	3	(0-3)
CENTER FIELD:		
22 JOHNSON, Kyle	8	(0-8)
8 EVAK, Jeff	2	(1-1)
36 SNIDANKO, Ted	1	(0-1)
RIGHT FIELD:		
30 HUDNALL, Conner	7	(1-6)
19 UPP, Kyle	2	(0-2)
8 EVAK, Jeff	1	(0-1)
26 LEWIS, Jordan	1	(0-1)
DESIGNATED HITTER:		
19 UPP, Kyle	5	(1-4)
14 WOOD, Kyle	4	(0-4)
31 PICCHIOTTI, Jack	2	(0-2)

Starting Lineup By Lineup Spot
(Team W-L record when starter)

LEADOFF:		
9 KRIEG, Brandon	6	(0-6)
16 STRONG, Cody	5	(1-4)
2ND SPOT:		
16 STRONG, Cody	5	(0-5)
17 McHUGH, Sean	5	(1-4)
3 MANIAGO, Steve	1	(0-1)
3RD SPOT:		
17 McHUGH, Sean	6	(0-6)
14 WOOD, Kyle	5	(1-4)
CLEANUP:		
14 WOOD, Kyle	6	(0-6)
30 HUDNALL, Conner	3	(1-2)
19 UPP, Kyle	2	(0-2)
5TH SPOT:		
30 HUDNALL, Conner	5	(0-5)
19 UPP, Kyle	4	(1-3)
22 JOHNSON, Kyle	2	(0-2)
6TH SPOT:		
30 HUDNALL, Conner	3	(0-3)
22 JOHNSON, Kyle	3	(0-3)
9 KRIEG, Brandon	2	(1-1)
36 SNIDANKO, Ted	2	(0-2)
19 UPP, Kyle	1	(0-1)
7TH SPOT:		
36 SNIDANKO, Ted	5	(1-4)
31 PICCHIOTTI, Jack	3	(0-3)
44 AMARO, Jack	2	(0-2)
22 JOHNSON, Kyle	1	(0-1)
8TH SPOT:		
8 EVAK, Jeff	3	(1-2)
22 JOHNSON, Kyle	2	(0-2)
36 SNIDANKO, Ted	2	(0-2)
3 MANIAGO, Steve	2	(0-2)
9 KRIEG, Brandon	1	(0-1)
16 STRONG, Cody	1	(0-1)
9TH SPOT:		
3 MANIAGO, Steve	7	(1-6)
9 KRIEG, Brandon	2	(0-2)
26 LEWIS, Jordan	1	(0-1)
44 AMARO, Jack	1	(0-1)

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2014 Purdue Baseball
Overall Statistics for Purdue (as of Mar 09, 2014)
(All games Sorted by Batting avg)



Record: 1-10 Home: 0-0 Away: 0-10 Neutral: 1-0 Big Ten: 0-0

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so	gdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	po	a	e	fld%
14 WOOD, Kyle	.282	11-11	39	4	11	5	0	0	1	16	.410	2	3	4	0	.364	0	0	1-1	69	4	0	1.000
17 McHUGH, Sean	.262	11-11	42	4	11	3	0	1	2	17	.405	2	1	4	2	.311	0	0	0-1	32	15	0	1.000
19 UPP, Kyle	.240	8-7	25	1	6	0	0	0	3	6	.240	4	0	7	0	.345	0	0	0-0	6	1	0	1.000
3 MANIAGO, Steve	.235	11-10	34	1	8	0	0	0	0	8	.235	0	1	9	2	.257	0	1	2-2	11	24	2	.946
36 SNIDANKO, Ted	.217	9-9	23	1	5	0	0	0	0	5	.217	1	2	8	0	.308	0	1	0-1	19	0	0	1.000
30 HUDNALL, Conner	.214	11-11	42	1	9	4	0	1	6	16	.381	1	0	5	1	.233	0	0	0-0	37	1	0	1.000
16 STRONG, Cody	.125	11-11	32	3	4	1	0	0	2	5	.156	6	2	5	0	.293	1	0	1-1	19	25	3	.936
22 JOHNSON, Kyle	.120	8-8	25	1	3	0	0	0	1	3	.120	1	0	9	1	.154	0	0	0-1	29	1	0	1.000
9 KRIEG, Brandon	.079	11-11	38	2	3	1	0	0	2	4	.105	2	2	9	0	.167	0	0	1-1	16	24	2	.952

44 AMARO, Jack	.364	6-3	11	2	4	0	0	0	0	4	.364	0	3	2	0	.500	0	0	0-0	8	0	0	1.000
26 LEWIS, Jordan	.167	3-1	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	.333	0	0	1	0	.167	0	0	0-0	1	0	0	1.000
8 EVAK, Jeff	.143	5-3	14	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	.143	0	0	5	0	.143	0	2	1-1	11	1	0	1.000
31 PICCHIOTTI, Jack	.000	4-3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	2	2	0	.300	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
2 MULLEN, Michael	.000	4-0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	.250	0	0	0-0	1	2	0	1.000
15 McHUGH, Matthew	.000	3-0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	1	0	2	.333
10 GRANT, Hayden	.000	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	2	1	0	1.000
Totals	.194	11	346	20	67	15	0	2	17	88	.254	21	16	71	6	.271	1	4	6-9	267	116	10	.975
Opponents	.359	11	359	93	129	23	4	3	90	169	.471	53	15	33	12	.455	6	11	9-17	297	107	5	.988

LOB - Team (71), Opp (84). DPs turned - Team (16), Opp (9). IBB - Team (0), Opp (1). Picked off - LEWIS 1.

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app	gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp	hp	bk	sfa	sha
42 DOWNS, Gavin	2.05	1-1	4	1	0	0/0	0	22.0	18	5	5	5	7	1	0	0	.257	1	4	0	1	5
28 MINCH, Jordan	7.66	0-4	4	4	0	0/0	0	22.1	29	19	19	10	7	5	0	2	.326	0	5	2	1	3

25 McELROY, Tim	0.00	0-0	7	0	0	0/0	1	3.2	4	1	0	4	2	0	0	0	.333	0	1	0	1	1
23 LUTZ, Mike	3.12	0-1	9	0	0	0/0	0	8.2	13	6	3	2	3	2	0	0	.371	0	0	0	1	1
6 De LaRIVA, Eddie	3.86	0-0	3	0	0	0/0	0	2.1	5	4	1	1	2	2	0	0	.385	0	0	0	0	0
46 FRAWLEY, Matt	4.50	0-0	4	0	0	0/0	0	4.0	7	5	2	3	4	2	0	0	.368	1	2	1	0	0
33 EICHMANN, Joe	5.14	0-0	7	0	0	0/0	0	7.0	7	4	4	2	4	2	0	0	.280	1	0	0	0	0
27 GIBBS, Matt	7.71	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	2.1	2	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	.250	1	0	0	0	0
34 PODKUL, Connor	16.20	0-2	3	2	0	0/0	0	5.0	8	9	9	5	1	2	0	0	.364	0	0	0	1	0
43 HAAN, Brett	16.20	0-0	4	1	0	0/0	0	5.0	10	9	9	5	1	2	1	0	.435	1	2	0	0	0
45 DRESSLER, Adam	21.60	0-0	2	0	0	0/0	0	1.2	2	4	4	2	1	0	0	1	.286	0	1	0	0	0
37 KENNEY, Patrick	22.50	0-0	3	1	0	0/0	0	2.0	5	5	5	5	0	1	0	0	.500	0	0	1	0	0
15 McHUGH, Matthew	27.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	1.0	3	3	3	3	0	0	1	0	.600	1	0	0	1	0
14 WOOD, Kyle	75.60	0-2	3	2	0	0/0	0	1.2	14	14	14	3	1	3	2	0	.778	0	0	0	0	1
32 BICKLE, Jordan	81.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0	0	0.1	2	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	.667	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	8.39	1-10	11	11	0	0/0	1	89.0	129	93	83	53	33	23	4	3	.359	6	15	4	6	11
Opponents	1.82	10-1	11	11	0	2/2	4	99.0	67	20	20	21	71	15	0	2	.194	1	16	1	1	4

PB - Team (1), McHUGH 1, Opp (2). Pickoffs - Team (1), McELROY 1, Opp (1). SBA/ATT - McHUGH (9-17), MINCH (5-7), LUTZ (1-4), DOWNS (1-4), FRAWLEY (1-1), PODKUL (1-1).