

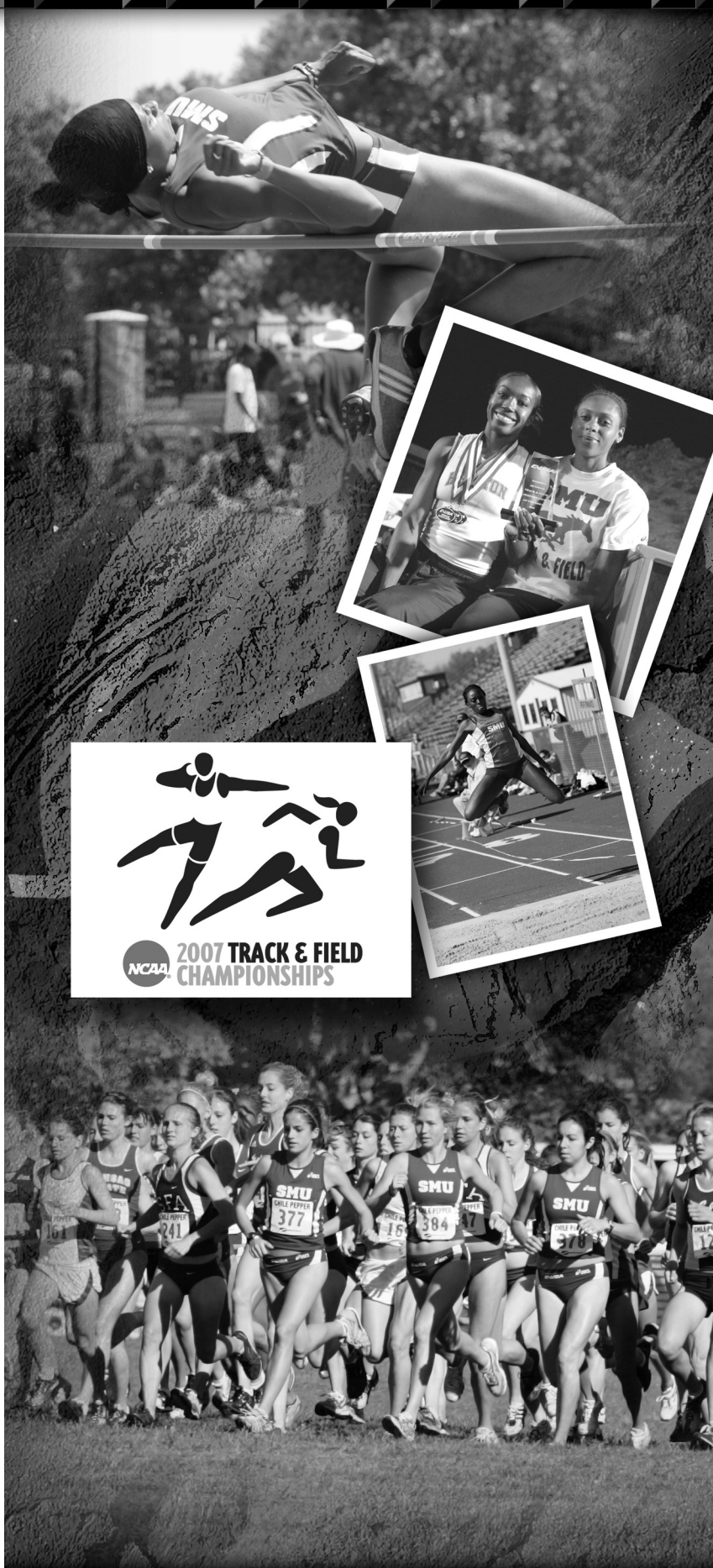
SCHEDULE 2007

INDOOR SCHEDULE

1/19	Texas Tech Invite (Lubbock, Texas)	All Day
1/20	Wes Kittley Invite (Lubbock, Texas)	All Day
2/2-3	Sooner Invite (Norman, Okla.)	All Day
2/9-10	Cyclone Invite (Ames, Iowa)	All Day
2/23-25	C-USA Indoor Championships (Houston, Texas)	All Day
3/3	Notre Dame Last Chance Meet (South Bend, Ind.)	All Day
3/9-10	NCAA Indoor Championships (Fayetteville, Ark.)	All Day

OUTDOOR SCHEDULE

3/17	CSUN Invite (Northridge, Calif.)	All Day
3/24	Dr. Pepper Baylor Invite (Waco, Texas)	All Day
3/30	Stanford Invite (Palo Alto, Calif.)	All Day
3/31	UTA Invite (Arlington, Texas)	All Day
4/4-7	Texas Relays (Austin, Texas)	All Day
4/13-14	OU Invite (Norman, Okla.)	All Day
4/21	TCU Invite (Ft. Worth, Texas)	All Day
4/26	North Texas Twilight (Denton, Texas)	All Day
4/27-28	Drake Relays (Des Moines, Iowa)	All Day
5/9-11	C-USA Outdoor Championships (Houston, Texas)	All Day
5/25-26	NCAA Regional Championships (Des Moines, Iowa)	All Day
6/6-9	NCAA Outdoor Championships (Sacramento, Calif.)	All Day



NCAA 2007 TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

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SMU QUICK FACTS

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Founded	1911
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Director of Athletics.....	Steve Orsini
University Athletic Representative.....	C. Paul Rogers
Chairman of the Athletic Council	Dan Orlovsky
Senior Woman Administrator.....	Koni Overstreet
Enrollment	10,901
Nickname.....	Mustangs
Mascot.....	Peruna VIII (a miniature horse)
Colors	Red and Blue
Conference.....	Conference USA (C-USA)
Returning Conference Champions	Gaelle Niare (high jump)

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SMUMustangs.com provides the most accurate and up-to-date track & field information including rosters, player bios, individual stats, schedules, recaps and team statistics. All of which is available to Mustang fans and media representatives.

Fans can buy tickets and renew season packages online through the virtual branch of the SMU Athletics Ticket Office. In addition, SMU supporters can learn about the numerous facets of the Athletics Department including staff directories, facility information, and camp sign-ups.

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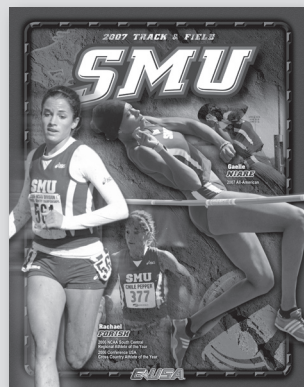
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Southern Methodist University strives for excellence in teaching, research and service. Within this mission, SMU's intercollegiate athletics program is an integral part of the institution and its educational programs. SMU is committed to maintaining an intercollegiate athletics program that reflects the attitudes and values underlying the University's overall mission: integrity, academic excellence, leadership, equity, diversity and success. An intercollegiate athletics program that reflects these values will contribute to the overall quality of the campus experience by fostering a sense of community and promoting institutional commitment on the part of student, faculty, staff and alumni.

SMU is committed to maintaining a successfully competitive intercollegiate athletics program that acts in concert with academic objectives and enriches the life of the institution. Accordingly, the intercollegiate athletics program should be conducted with respect, fairness, civility, honesty and responsibility. The student-athlete's activities are an integral part of the larger educational experience, enhancing his or her holistic development. The University will admit no student-athlete who does not demonstrate a reasonable likelihood of successfully completing a baccalaureate degree at SMU. To ensure that SMU's student-athletes have a reasonable opportunity to complete their baccalaureate degrees, the University will endeavor to provide the necessary and appropriate resources for academic support.



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2007 ROSTER

Name	Event	HT	Class	Hometown
Sierra Anderson	Distances	5-6	Sophomore	Breckenridge, Colo./Summit County
Rachel Barber	Middle Distances	5-9	Senior	Tulsa, Okla./Jenks
Meagan Berg	Hammer/Discus/Shot Put	5-4	Freshman	Phoenix, Ariz./Desert Vista
Nnenna Ejiesieme	Hurdles/Triple Jump	5-9	Sophomore	Garland, Texas/Garland
Tangela Feemster	IM Hurdles	5-8	Senior	Hurst, Texas/Trinity
Rachael Forish	Distances	5-2	Junior	Arlington, Texas/Lamar
Anne Gustafson	Distances	5-4	Junior	Brea, Calif./Brea Olinda
Sarah Hardwick	Distances	5-4	Freshman	Loudonville, N.Y./Phillips Exeter Academy
Kelsey Howard	Distances	5-5	Freshman	Plano, Texas/Plano Senior
Jessica Jackson	Distances	5-7	Senior	Corpus Christi, Texas/Incarinate Word
Lauren Kuhner	Discus/Javelin	5-9	Freshman	Houston, Texas/Cypress Creek
Andrea Kvetova	Javelin/Shot Put	6-0	Senior	Prague, Czech Republic/All Sports Grammar
Magan Moore	Distances	5-5	Junior	Wichita Falls, Texas/Archer City
Christina Mueller	Discus/Shot Put	5-10	Sophomore	San Antonio, Texas/Antonian College Prep
Gaelle Niare	High Jump	6-2	Senior	Montveil, France/INSEP/Vicennes
Ilyssa Pettigrew	Middle Distances	5-5	Junior	Rockwall, Texas/Rockwall
Krystal Rodriguez	Middle Distances	5-2	Junior	Grand Prairie, Texas/South Grand Prairie
Sarah Siddens	Shot Put/Discus	5-4	Freshman	Mesquite, Texas/Horn
Jessa Simmons	Distances	5-5	Sophomore	Portland, Texas/Gregory-Portland
Alesha Stegemoller	High Jump	6-0	Senior	Priddy, Texas/Priddy
Chelsea Wells	Hurdles	5-4	Freshman	Plano, Texas/Plano Senior

Director of Track & Field, Cross Country: Dave Wollman (20th year at SMU)
Assistant Track & Field Coach/Cross Country Coach: Cathy Casey (6th year at SMU)



2006 CROSS COUNTRY REVIEW



Rachael Forish

The SMU women's cross country team, under the direction of coach **Cathy Casey**, continued to perform at high levels during the course of the 2006 season. The Mustangs competed in seven team events, placing in the top-10 in five of those events. After a strong showing at the Bear Relays, SMU placed second at the Rice Invitational, led by junior **Rachael Forish's** second-place finish. The following week, SMU once again finished in second while three Mustangs placed in the top 10. After a 14th-place finish at the prestigious Notre Dame Invitational, the Mustangs fared well at the Chile Pepper Festival with a ninth-place finish (out of 43 teams). Forish placed 10th individually out of 331 competitors. For her efforts, Forish earned Conference USA Cross Country Athlete of the Week honors.

For the second straight year, SMU took third place (72 points) in Conference USA

Championship behind league champion UAB (54 points) and Rice (55 points). Forish captured individual champion honors with a time of 17:14.54 - nearly 20 seconds faster than her nearest opponent. Forish earned first-team All-Conference USA honors while **Jessica Jackson** was named to the All-Conference USA second team after a sixth-place finish. **Jessa Simmons** placed 11th and earned All-Conference USA third-team honors.

In the NCAA South Central Regional race in Waco, Texas, Forish posted her second consecutive first-place finish, completing the race in a time of 20:30.4. She was named the NCAA South Central Regional Athlete of the Year and garnered All-Region first-team honors. As a team, SMU placed fifth in the 21-team regional with 149 points.

As SMU's lone representative at the 2006 NCAA Championships held at Indiana State, Forish claimed All-America honors with a 35th-place finish, posting a time of 21:24.5.



DAVE WOLLMAN

**Director of Track & Field, Cross Country
20th Season • Indiana Central, '79**

Since the beginning of his tenure in 1988, head coach Dave Wollman has built one of the very best NCAA track and field programs in the country. During the 10-year span between 1995-2005, no other program in the country has posted the across-the-board success that SMU has (NCAA top-5 finishes in both men's and women's track and field along with representatives in the NCAA Cross Country Championships). Under Wollman's guidance, the Mustangs have won eight top-four NCAA championship trophies.

Since his arrival on the Hilltop, SMU student-athletes have earned nearly 200 All-America awards, and in the last six years, his student-athletes have been honored as All-Americans 85 times. Wollman has also coached 34 NCAA Champions during his tenure - a number that very few coaches in NCAA history have attained. His athletes have broken seven NCAA collegiate records.

Wollman's reputation as a coach has attracted many premier performers to the SMU campus. Back in 1988, Wollman inherited a Mustang track and field program that had very few returning letterwinners. He immediately brought in an outstanding coaching staff, recruited several extremely talented athletes and built a closeness among team members. Wollman has been the architect of the SMU women's team, which was just a year old when he arrived in 1988.

As storied as Mustang track and field has been in the past, the exciting challenge of breaking new ground for SMU women's track and field lies ahead for Wollman. "What I know we can accomplish in the future is important," states Wollman. "We now have elite athletes in numerous events, and look to continue the excellence and tradition that attracts top-level talent from all over the world. Athletes choose to come to SMU because of the combination of quality coaching and quality academics that it offers. I honestly believe that SMU is one of the greatest opportunities for a young person from anywhere in the world."

Wollman's status as an elite coach was reinforced at the 2000 and 2004 Olympic Games. He coached multiple athletes at the games in four throwing events, including Bronze Medallist Aleksander Tammert and finalist Hannes Hopley.

In addition, Wollman earned the title of "Master Coach" by the U.S. Track & Field Coaches Association - the highest level that a coach can achieve and an honor based on success. He was tabbed to serve as coach of the U.S. team at a competition in the off-season.

"I am extremely proud of every student-athlete, present and past," said Wollman. "We continue to have exceptional talent at SMU, but the most amazing ingredient in the makeup of these young people is their personal qualities. Their parents should be proud."

Wollman's peers have taken notice of his coaching expertise, as he has been selected to speak at a variety of clinics all over the world and was selected to serve as an assistant coach for the 1995 Junior Pan Am Games in Santiago, Chile. He was enshrined into the prestigious Mt. SAC Relays Hall of Fame in 2004 - an honor bestowed upon the only best coaches in the United States. In 2005, Wollman was selected to the Indiana Track and Field Hall of Fame - his home state.

Wollman came to SMU after six years as an assistant at Stanford, where he coached two Olympians, four NCAA champions and 44 All-Americans.

Prior to Stanford, Wollman was an assistant at Purdue from 1981-82 and a

teacher and coach at Concord High School in Elkhart, Ind., from 1979-81.

Wollman received a bachelor's degree in physical education and business education from Indiana Central University in Indianapolis in 1979, and was later inducted into the school's Hall of Fame. He won the NCAA Division II shot put championship in 1977 and was runner-up the next two seasons. He also was a four-year starter at defensive end for the football team.

At Stanford, Wollman was very active in community relations. He and his wife, Shelley, were co-founders and directors of the Champs Foundation, the San Francisco 49ers football camp for underprivileged children in the Bay area. Shelley was a member of the 49ers' public relations staff for six years before moving to Dallas.

Born in Highland Park, Mich., Wollman graduated from Wawasee High School in Syracuse, Ind.





CATHY CASEY

**Assistant Track & Field Coach/
Cross Country Coach
6th Season • Texas, '97**

Cathy Casey is in her sixth season at SMU and second year as head cross country coach/assistant track and field coach. On the track, Casey specializes in the development of middle and long distance athletes. During her tenure on the Hilltop, Casey has played a pivotal role in the Mustangs' swift rise to national prominence, including SMU's first-ever NCAA South Central Regional title and women's first WAC Cross Country Championship since 1996.

In 2006, Casey guided Rachael Forish to her first ever NCAA Outdoor appearance in which she ran a personal best time of 16:27.5. Forish was also named to the All Midwest Region team in the 5000m. At the Conference USA Outdoor Championships, Forish, along with teammate Ilyssa Pettigrew earned individual All C-USA honors in the 1500m and 800m, respectively. During the indoor season, the distance medley relay team (Rachel Barber, Franz Lakomy, Ilyssa Pettigrew, and Jessica Jackson) ran to a second place finish at the Conference USA Indoor Championships. In addition, Jackson (Mile) and Pettigrew (800m) earned All-Conference USA honors.

Cathy Casey is also the head cross country coach in the fall. During the 2006 season, Casey led All-American Rachael Forish to one of the best individual seasons in SMU history. Forish made her way into the record books as she became the Mustangs' first-ever Conference USA (C-USA) Cross Country Conference Champion and C-USA Athlete of the Year. A few weeks later she raced her way to become the NCAA South Central Region Champion (20:30.4) and was named NCAA South Central Region Athlete of the Year. After finishing 35th at the NCAA Cross Country Championships she received All-America honors for her outstanding effort.

As a team, the Mustangs finished in the top 5 at the 2006 NCAA South Central Region Championships. At the 2006 Conference USA Cross Country Championships, the team placed in the top three for the second year in a row, with Senior Jessie Jackson, Junior Rachael Forish, and Sophomore Jessa Simmons receiving All-Conference USA honors.

During her first season as head cross country coach in 2005, Casey developed a talented group of athletes. Casey led the team to a top three finish at the Conference USA Cross Country Championships. Junior Jessie Jackson and Sophomore Rachael Forish earned All-Conference honors. Sophomore Rachael Forish was selected to the All-Region first team at with a 7th place finish at the NCAA South Central Region meet and qualified as an individual for the NCAA cross country championships.

During the 2002-2004 seasons, Casey assisted in the development of standout distance runner Karin van Rooyen, a two-time All-American, NCAA South Central Regional Champion, Western Athletic Conference (WAC) & SMU record holder, two-time WAC Athlete of the Year, and three-time WAC Champion. In the last six years at SMU, Casey has assisted with three WAC Freshmen of the Year, six All-Region cross country student-athletes, seven All-WAC performers and four school record holders.

A native of Carbondale, Illinois, Cathy Casey was a member of the cross country/track and field team at the University of Texas, earning her degree in 1997. Casey currently resides in Dallas with her husband Jim.



TONY MILLER

**Assistant Track & Field Coach
1st Season • Baylor, '96**

Tony Miller enters his first season as an assistant coach, responsible for the development of the Mustangs' sprint squad. Miller comes to the Hilltop after having spent two years developing the University of North Texas 400M, 800M and 4x400M relay runners.

During his tenure at UNT, Coach Miller contributed to the women's first Indoor Sun Belt Conference Championship and a fifth-place finish on the men's side by leading nine athletes to indoor All-Conference honors in five events. The highlight of his outdoor campaign at UNT was the men's Sun Belt conference championship 4x400 meter relay, which ran the second fastest time in school history, placing fourth and the NCAA Midwest Regional meet, just missing a berth to the NCAA National meet. The women's 4x400 meter relay squad set a new school record and qualified for the NCAA Regional meet, where they placed 10th. Miller led a total of eight athletes to All-Conference honors in five events and several athletes to personal bests in their individual events.

Miller had a stellar collegiate track & field career with the Baylor Bears, competing in the 400 meters, 4x400 and 4x100 meter relays. In addition to three NCAA national titles in the 4x400 meter relay, Miller earned seven Southwest Conference Championship titles. A 15-time All-American, Miller still tops Baylor's list for highest number of combined All-America honors earned in the history of Baylor's track and field program. Miller was a member of the 1995 US Pan-American 4x400 relay team, competed in two US Olympic Trials and was a semi-finalist in the 400 meters at the 1996 trials.

A 1996 graduate of Baylor University, Miller earned his Bachelor of Business Administration in Marketing and is a USATF Level II Certified Coach.

Miller and his wife, Toinette, reside in Frisco, Texas, and have a son, Cameron and a daughter, Candace.



RACHAEL FORISH

RETURNING ALL-AMERICAN
Distances • JR • 5-2
Arlington, Texas (Lamar)

2006 (Cross Country): Recipient of 2006 NCAA All-American honors with a 35th-place finish at the NCAA Championships, posting a time of 21:24.5...2006 NCAA South Central Regional Athlete of the Year after placing first in the Regional with a time of 20:30.4...2006 Conference USA individual champion (17:14.54) and earned All-Conference USA first team honors after placing first in the league's championship meet, running the event in a time of 17:14.54...posted four top-10 finishes prior to C-USA meet, including second-place finishes at the Rice Invitational (14:15.00) and Texas A&M Invitational (18:17), an eighth-place finish at the Notre Dame Invitational (17:02) and a 10th-place finish (20:40.8) at the Chile Pepper Festival.

2005-06 (Track and Field): (Indoor) - Took third in the 3,000-meter run (10:25.13) and sixth in the one-mile run at the Wes Kittley Invitational in a time of 5:13.31... placed 17th in the 5,000-meter run at the Iowa State Classic (17:21.40)...took fifth place in the 5,000-meter run (17:19.17) and fourth in the one-mile run (5:01.63) at the Conference USA Indoor Championships...(Outdoor) - Placed fifth in the 1,500-meter run at the Dr Pepper Invitational with a time of 4:38.29...claimed the individual title at the John Jacobs Invitational in the 1,500-meter run with a time of 4:47.31...captured first place at the Mean Green Twilight in the 1,500-meter run with a season-best time of 4:31.66...placed second at the Conference USA Outdoor Championships in the 1,500-meter run in a time of 4:35.73...took sixth place in the 5,000-meter run at the Midwest Regionals (17:13.06) - received an at-large bid to the NCAA Outdoor Championships...placed 20th in her qualifying heat (16.:27.52), just missing the finals.

2005 (Cross Country): Started the season placing seventh with teammate Rachel Collins at Baylor Relays...took medalist honors at Movin' Mavs Challenge...named C-USA Cross Country Athlete of the Week for her efforts...placed 44th at Roy Griak Invitational...claimed first place at North Texas Invitational... placed 55th at pre-national meet...took fourth place in 5k run at C-USA Championships...selected to the All-Conference USA first team...finished seventh at NCAA South Central Regional and was selected to the All-Region first team... lone Mustang runner at 6k race of NCAA Cross Country Championships, placing 104th.

2004-2005 (Track and Field): Placed seventh in 3000-meter run at Arlington Invite... finished ninth at Texas Relays in 1500-meter run... took seventh in 5000-meter run at WAC Outdoor Championships.

2004 (Cross Country): WAC Freshman of the Year selection...placed fifth in the Mean Green Opener - her collegiate debut...ninth-place finish at the Stanford Invite...placed fourth at the Murray Keating Invitational...finished in 13th-place in the Chili Pepper Invitational...took fourth place at the WAC Championships...first-team All-WAC selection....ran in the NCAA Championships, finishing in 204th place.

Prep: Graduated from Lamar High School in Arlington, Texas... also participated in soccer.

Personal: Majoring in accounting...parents are John Holzer and Anne Forish...has one sister, Samantha...likes to hang out with friends...favorite athlete is Vince Young...likes vacation in St. Thomas...enjoys watching football, both American and European.





GAELE NIARE

RETURNING ALL-AMERICAN
High Jump • SR • 6-2
Montreuil, France (INSEP/Vicennes)

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor)

- Took medalist honors in the high jump at the Iowa State Classic with a leap of 1.83 meters...Conference USA Indoor medalist in the high jump with a mark of 1.81 meters, winning her second straight league title...earned Conference USA Female Athlete of the Week honors (Feb. 14)...placed sixth at the NCAA Indoor Championships with a mark of 1.80 meters, earning All-America status... (Outdoor) - Placed first at the Stanford Invitational with a leap of 1.78 meters...took second place at the Texas Relays with a mark of 1.87 meters...placed first at the Mean Green Invitational with a jump of 1.83 meters...captured the high jump title at the Conference USA Championship meet with a record-setting mark of 1.92 meters (second-best mark in SMU history)...earned C-USA Co-Performance of the Meet...placed second at the NCAA Midwest Regionals with a jump of 1.90 meters...qualified for the NCAA Championship finals with a mark of 1.80 meters in prelims...tied for eighth place in the finals with a leap of 1.80 meters, earning 0.25 points for SMU and All-America honors.

2004-05 (Track and Field): Leaped into first place in high jump at Oklahoma Classic...took first place at the Wes Kittley Classic in high jump...claimed another first-place in high jump at Tyson Invite...took first place again in high jump at WAC Championships...finished second at her first-ever NCAA Indoor Championships, earning All-America status...tied for second in high jump at WAC Outdoor Championships.

Prep: French champion in high jump in high school...competed in European Championship 1999, 2000 and 2001...competed in Junior World Championship in France in 1998 and 2000...competed in Senior World Championship in 2003.

Personal: Parents are Namakoro and Martine...has one sibling, Yves...enjoys watching movies, surfing the internet, reading, writing and listening to music...favorite athlete is Tony Parker...majoring in corporate communications/public affairs with a minor in sociology.



MEET THE MUSTANGS



SIERRA ANDERSON

Distances
SO • 5-6
Breckenridge, Colo.
(Summit County)

2006 (Cross Country): Competed in all seven team events...placed 12th with a time of 30:45.38 in the Bear Relays with teammate Krystal Rodriguez...10th-place finish at the Rice Invitational (15:01.00)...ninth-place finish at the Texas A&M Invitational (19:10)...92nd-place finish at the Notre Dame Invitational (18:18)...89th-place finish at the Chile Pepper Festival (22:20.9)...17th-place finish at the Conference USA Championships (18:47.45)...31st-place finish at the NCAA South Central Regional (22:00.5).

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – Ran only one race, placing 55th in the 5,000-meter run (18:39.24) at the Iowa State Classic...(Outdoor) – Finished ninth in the 1,500-meter run at the Dr Pepper Invitational with a time of 4:43.46...posted a season-best mark in the 1,500-meter run at the Texas Relays with a time of 4:42.11 – good for fourth place...took second place in the 1,500-meter run at the John Jacobs Invitational with a time of 4:50.50...placed 14th in the 1,500-meter run at the TCU Invitational with a time of 4:48.83...claimed fourth place in the 1,500-meter run at the North Texas Twilight with a time of 4:46.47...placed eighth in the 1,500-meter run at the Conference USA Outdoor Championships with a time of 4:51.03.

2005 (Cross Country): Finished 11th at Movin' Mavs Challenge... competed at Roy Griak Invitational... finished 7th at North Texas Invitational... ran at the pre-national meet... placed 29th at C-USA Championships.

Prep: Lettered one year in cross country and track... graduated from Summit County High School... received Triple Threat Award for going to state in three events, was first to receive award in six years... MVP of Cross-country... also participated in Alpine Ski racing, figure skating and road racing.

Personal: Native of Breckenridge, Colo... general business major... parents are Dean and Susan Anderson... has three siblings, Shelby, Whitney and Memory... enjoys knitting and ice skating... favorite athlete is Kristi Yamaguchi.



RACHEL BARBER

Middle Distances
SR • 5-9
Tulsa, Okla. (Jenks)

2006 (Cross Country): Competed in six team events...placed 15th with teammate Kelsey Howard in the Bear Relays with a time of 32:02.28...30th-place finish at the Rice Invitational (16:15.00)...44th-place finish at the Texas A&M Invitational (20:31)...147th-place finish at the Notre Dame Invitational (19:32)...238th-place finish at the Chile Pepper Festival (24:08.3)...55th-place finish at the Conference USA Championships (20:37.93).

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kitley Invitational, placed fourth in the 1,000-meter run (3:07.72) and was a member of the distance medley relay team which finished third (13:10.20)...at the Iowa State Classic, ran her mile event heat in a time of 5:20.8 and placed 73rd in the finals with a time of 5:16.70...member of the distance medley relay team which placed second at the Conference USA Championships (11:55.85) and placed 15th in the mile event with a time of 5:15.87...(Outdoor) – At the Dr Pepper Invitational, finished in 14th place in the 1,500-meter run (4:50.10)...at the Arlington Invitational, placed third in the 3,000-meter run (10:37.00)...at the John Jacobs Invitational, finished fifth in the 3,000-meter run in a time of 10:44.46...at the TCU Invitational, placed 17th in the 1,500-meter run (4:54.40)...at the Conference USA Championships, took 10th place in the 1,500-meter run with a time of 4:55.50.

2005 (Cross Country): Started the season placing ninth with teammate Jessa Simmons at Baylor Relays...finished 14th at Movin' Mavs Challenge...competed at Roy Griak Invitational...finished 11th at North Texas Invitational... ran at the pre-national meet.

2004-05 (Track and Field): Placed second in 1000-meter run at Wes Kitley Classic... finished in 24th place at the Tyson Invite in the one-mile run...placed 28th in 3000-meter run at WAC Championships...took ninth in 1500-meter run at WAC Outdoor Championships.

2003 (Cross Country): Finished eighth at the Movin' Mavs Cross Country Challenge with a time of 11:40.19...finished 19th at the UNT Invite.

2003-04 (Track and Field): Placed ninth in the one-mile race at the WAC Indoor Championships...placed third in the 1500 meter and eighth in the 800 meter at the Tulsa Invite...placed 11th in the 1500-meter run at the WAC Outdoor Championships with a time of 4:53.51.

Prep: Lettered four years in both cross country and track at Jenks...was the AAU National Cross Country champion in 2002.

Personal: Hobbies include sewing and collecting antiques...geophysics major with minors in mathematics, mechanical engineering, and studio art...favorite athlete is Michael Jordan...daughter of Michael and Julia Barber...has three sisters, Atalie, Anna and Grace.



Rachel Barber



MEAGAN BERG

Hammer/Discus/Shot Put
FR • 5-4
Phoenix, Ariz. (Desert Vista)

Prep: Four-year letterwinner...ranked second nationally in the hammer (2006)...2006 state, region, and city discus and shot put champion...2005 state and region discus champion as well as region shot put champion...earned 2005 city shot put title...2005 Southwest Track and Field hammer champion...named the 2005 and 2006 Tempe All-City athlete...holder of the Arizona Young Women's hammer record...coached by Shawn Hanrahan.

Personal: Undeclared major...enjoys foreign languages, playing the violin, reading, writing, and weight lifting...is active in her school's symphony orchestra...favorite dessert are brownies...favorite non-track athlete is Lance Armstrong...enjoys watching hockey, track and field on TV...has four younger siblings...parents are Joseph and Tami Berg...full name is Meagan Anne Berg.



NNENNA EJESIEME

Hurdles/Triple Jump
SO • 5-9
Garland, Texas (Garland)

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kitley Invitational, placed 23rd in the 400-meter run (1:04.36) and 28th in the 200-meter dash (28.45)...at the Iowa State Classic, finished 18th in the 400-meter run (1:07.93), 61st in the 60-meter hurdles (9.57), and 42nd in the triple jump (11.04 meters)...at the Conference USA Championships, placed 11th in the triple jump (11.45 meters)...(Outdoor) – at the Dr Pepper Invitational, took fourth place in the triple jump (11.14 meters) and 14th in the 100-meter hurdles (15.59)...at the Arlington Invitational, finished tied for seventh place in the triple jump (11.64 meters) and 21st in the 100-meter hurdles (15.26)...at the John Jacobs Invitational, finished in eighth place in the triple jump (11.53 meters) and ninth in the 100-meter hurdles (15.79)...at the TCU Invitational, placed eighth in the triple jump (11.29 meters) and 16th in the 100-meter



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hurdles (15.70)...at the North Texas Twilight, placed fifth in the triple jump (11.68 meters) and 11th in the 100-meter hurdles (15.29)...at the Conference USA Championships, tied for 13th in the triple jump with a mark of 11.86 meters.

Prep: Graduated from Garland High School...lettered two years in high school...received many awards...also participated in dance.

Personal: Undeclared major...parents are Sunday and Bridget Ejesieme... enjoys dancing.



Nnenna Ejesieme



TANGELA FEEMSTER

IM Hurdles
SR • 5-8
Hurst, Texas (Trinity)

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kittley Invitational, placed ninth in the 800-meter run (2:36.57), was a member of the distance medley relay team which finished third (13:10.20) and the 4x400-meter relay team which placed sixth (4:16.61)...at the Iowa State Classic, finished 125th in the 200-meter dash (27.82)...(Outdoor) – At the Dr Pepper Invitational, placed 28th in the 400-meter run (63.26)...at the Arlington Invitational, took 16th place in the 400-meter hurdles (68.76)...at the John Jacobs Invitational, took sixth place in the 400-meter hurdles (1:09.79)...at the TCU Invitational, placed 15th in the 400-meter hurdles (1:08.23)...at the North Texas Twilight, placed seventh in the 400-meter hurdles (1:05.50).

2004-05 (Track and Field): Ran for 21st place at Wes Kittley Classic in 400-meter dash...finished 49th in 400-meter dash at Tyson Invite...placed 22nd in 400 meter dash at WAC Championships...took eighth place in 400-meter hurdles at WAC Outdoor Championships.

Prep: Graduated from Trinity High School...lettered four years...attended regionals freshman and senior year.

Personal: Parents are Kenneth and Tracy Rhone...biological sciences major...has one sibling, Jamaar...enjoys watching ESPN, shopping, dancing and playing trivia games.



Tangela Feemster



ANNE GUSTAFSON

Distances
FR • 5-4
Brea, Calif. (Brea Olinda)

2006 (Cross Country): Competed in five team events...28th-place finish at the Texas A&M Invitational (19:50)...116th-place finish at the Notre Dame Invitational (18:39)...143rd-place finish at the Chile Pepper Festival (22:56.9)...40th place finish at the Conference USA Championships (19:56.66)...70th-place finish at the NCAA South Central Regional (23:19.7).

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kittley Invitational, placed 11th in the mile run (5:19.82)...at the Iowa State Classic, placed 46th in the 3,000-meter run (10:23.66)...at the Conference USA Championships, placed 10th in the 5,000-meter run (18:13.92)...(Outdoor) – At the Stanford Invitational, ran the 5K in a time of 18:53.16...at the John Jacobs Invitational, finished in sixth place in the 3,000-meter run (10:54.11)...at the TCU Invitational, finished in 16th place in the 1,500-meter run (4:53.57)...at the North Texas Twilight, placed 11th in the 5,000-meter run (18:30.00)...at the Conference USA Championships, placed fourth in the 10,000-meter run (39:07.97).

2005 (Cross Country): Started the season placing fifth with teammate Magan Moore in Baylor Relays...finished seventh at Movin' Mav Challenge...competed at Roy Griak Invitational...took 10th place at North Texas Invitational...ran at the pre-national meet...placed 54th at NCAA South Central Cross Country Championships...finished 32nd at C-USA Championships.

Prep: Graduated from Brea Olinda High School...lettered all four years...was named John Wooden scholar athlete, CIF Champion 3200 freshman and sophomore year, Athlete of the Year...holds five school records...participated in Hano City 5K road race in Japan.

Personal: Born to Everett and Jeaninne Gustafson...has one brother, Eric...enjoys praising God, traveling, flying, dancing in the rain and reading...favorite athlete is Danny Way...likes to vacation in London...undecided on a major.



SARAH HARDWICK

Distances
FR • 5-4
Loudonville, N.Y.
(Phillips Exeter Academy)

Prep: Four-year letterwinner...earned the New York state championship in cross country in 2002 and in track (4x800) in 2003...AP Scholar with Distinction...a ski and snowboard instructor.

Personal: Looks to hold a double major in business and biology...enjoys yoga, baking and scuba diving...favorite vacation spot is Norway...favorite dessert is chocolate peanut butter cookie dough anything...has one younger sister and one younger brother...parents are Martin and Lesli Hardwick.



KELSEY HOWARD

Distances
FR • 5-5
Plano, Texas (Plano Senior)

Prep: Four-year letterwinner at Plano Senior...placed third in the 800-meter run in the District Championships...posted best times of 2:15.00 (800-meters), 5:31.00 (1,500-meters) and 12:36.00 (2,400-meters)...graduated with honors.

Personal: Looks to major in business...enjoys ice skating...favorite vacation spot is Jamaica...enjoys anything chocolate...favorite sport to watch on TV is football...has one younger brother...parents are Steve and Carla Howard.



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JESSICA JACKSON

Distances
SR • 5-7
Corpus Christ, Texas
(Incarnate Word)

2006 (Cross Country): Competed in all seven team events...teamed with Magan Moore to finish in 10th place at the Bear Relays (29:45.3)...sixth-place finish at the Rice Invitational (14:52.00)...12th-place finish at the Texas A&M Invitational (19:12)...77th-place finish at the Notre Dame Invitational (18:03)...51st-place finish at the Chile Pepper Festival (21:45.1)...sixth-place finish at the Conference USA Championships (18:18.36), earning All-Conference USA second-team honors...33rd-place finish at the NCAA South Central Regional (22:07.6).

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kittley Invitational, member of the distance medley team which placed second (12:57.46); took first in the mile run (5:05.48)...at the Iowa State Classic, finished 12th in the 3,000-meter run (9:52.77)...at the Conference USA Championship, placed third in the mile run (4:59.28) and was a member of the distance medley relay team which finished second (11:55.85)...(Outdoor) – At the Dr Pepper Invitational, took eighth place in the 1,500-meter run (4:43.45)...at the Stanford Invitational, placed eighth in the 5,000-meter run (17:14.44)...at the TCU Invitational, finished in 11th place in the 1,500-meter run (4:45.56)...at the North Texas Twilight, took fourth place in the 5,000-meter run (17:14.00)...at the Conference USA Championship, claimed fourth place in the 1,500-meter run (4:48.77).

2005 (Cross Country): Started the season placing third with teammate Krystal Rodriguez in Baylor Relays...finished 79th at Roy Griak Invitational...claimed third place North Texas Invitational...finished 87th at pre-national meet...placed seventh in 5k run at C-USA Championships...finished 20th at NCAA South Central Regional.

2004-05 (Track and Field): Finished seventh in 5000-meter run at WAC Championships...in outdoor action, started the season with personal best time of 4:32.44...placed fourth in 3000-meter run at Arlington Invite...finished fourth at WAC Outdoor Championships in 1500-meter run.

2004 (Cross Country): Placed 10th in the Mean Green Opener...ran for a third-place finish at the Stanford Invite...took seventh in the Murray Keating Invitational...placed 20th at the Chili Pepper Invite...10th-place finish at the WAC Championships...second-team All-WAC selection...finished in fourth place at the NCAA South Central Regional, earning All-Region honors...placed 146th in the NCAA Championships.

2003-04 (Track and Field): Placed third in the one-mile event at the WAC Indoor Championships...finished first in the 800-meter run at the College Station Relays...placed fourth in the 1500-meter run at the Arlington Invite...placed sixth in the 1500-meter run at the A&M Invite...took first in the 1500-meter run at the Tulsa Invite...finished sixth in the 1500-meter event at the WAC Outdoor Championships (4:33.65).

2003 (Cross Country): Placed 11th in the 6k at the A&M Invite...placed 15th in the 5k at the WAC Championships...competed at the Cowboy Jamboree, UTA Invite, Chili Pepper Invite, and UNT Invite.

Prep: Lettered four years at Incarnate Word...holds several school records at Incarnate Word...won second place at the AAV National Junior Olympics...won first place in TAPPS state competition in the one- and two-mile races in 2003...also lettered in basketball.

Personal: Enjoys reading...daughter of Jimmy and Gloria Jackson...has one brother, Colton...majoring in Markets and Culture with a minor in Spanish.



Jessica Jackson



LAUREN KUHNER

Discus/Javelin
FR • 5-9
Houston, Texas (Cypress Creek)

Prep: Four-year letterwinner in track and field...placed third in the state in the discus (2006) and was a state finalist in 2005...two-time shot put district champion...two-time regional qualifier in the hurdles...three-time Cypress Creek track MVP...two-year letterwinner in volleyball...team captain her senior year...two-time All-District first team selection...Homecoming Queen...named Miss Cy Creek...selected Most Athletic in senior class...recipient of the Mark of Excellence award.

Personal: Undecided on a major...enjoys music and movies...favorite vacation spot is Cancun...favorite sport to watch on TV is football...has one younger sister and one younger brother...parents are Heinz and Dru Kuhner.



ANDREA KVETOVA

Javelin/Shot Put
SR • 6-0
Prague, Czech Republic
(All Sports Grammar)

2005-06 (Track and Field): (Outdoor) - Threw an NCAA automatic qualifying mark of 52.10 meters (second-best in SMU history and personal-best mark) at the Dr Pepper Invitational - good for first-place honors...placed 12th at the Texas Relays with a mark of 42.51 meters...won the javelin event at the John Jacobs Invitational with a throw of 47.23 meters...took fourth place at the Conference USA Outdoor Championships with a toss of 46.89 meters...finished in fourth place at the NCAA Midwest Regionals with a throw of 51.19 meters...earned Conference USA Female Athlete of the Week honors (March 28)...placed 24th in qualifying action at the NCAA Championships with a toss of 43.63 meters - did not advance to the finals.

2004-05 (Track and Field): Threw for second place in shot put at Oklahoma Classic...finished in seventh place at Wes Kittley Classic in shot put...grabbed first in javelin throw at Arlington Invite...tossed into ninth place in javelin throw at NCAA Regionals.

Prep: Placed third in the 2001 World Championships and eighth in the 2002 World Championships...placed ninth in the European Junior Championships in 2001 and 2003.



Personal: Enjoys movies and music...majoring in finance with a minor in economics...daughter of Jaroslav and Zita Kvetova...has one brother, Jaroslav.



Andrea Kvetova



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MAGAN MOORE
Distances
JR • 5-5
Wichita Falls, Texas
(Archer City)

2006 (Cross Country): Competed in all seven team events... teamed with Jessica Jackson to finish in 10th place at the Bear Relays (29:45.3)... 19th-place finish at the Rice Invitational (15:26.00)... 21st-place finish at the Texas A&M Invitational (19:33)... 134th-place finish at the Notre Dame Invitational (19:10)... 181st-place finish at the Chile Pepper Festival (23:25.4)... 38th-place finish at the Conference USA Championships (19:47.85)... 59th-place finish at the NCAA South Central Regional (23:01.1).
2006 (Track and Field): (Outdoor) – At the TCU Invitational, placed 12th in the 5,000-meter run (19:26.34)... at the North Texas Twilight, placed 12th in the 5,000-meter run (18:51.88)... at the Conference USA Championship, finished in ninth place in the 10,000-meter run (40:21.15).
2005 (Cross Country): Started the season placing fifth with teammate Anne Gustafson at Baylor Relays... finished fourth at Movin' Mavs Challenge... competed at Roy Griak Invitational... finished fourth at North Texas Invitational... placed 21st at C-USA Championships.
2004-05 (Track and Field): Took 16th at Wes Kittley Classic in 3000-meter run... finished 25th in 3000-meter run at Tyson Invite... placed 20th at WAC Championships in 3000-meter run.
Personal: Psychology major.



Magan Moore




CHRISTINA MUELLER
Discus/Shot Put
SO • 5-10
San Antonio, Texas
(Antonion College Prep)

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kittley Invitational, threw for a distance of 10.78 meters in the shot put... (Outdoor) – At the Dr Pepper Invitational, placed seventh in the discus (39.86 meters)... At the Arlington Invitational, placed third in the discus (47.72 meters)... at the Texas Relays, placed ninth in the discus (44.67 meters)... at the John Jacobs Invitational, claimed first-place honors in the discus (49.60 meters)... at the TCU Invitational, placed third in the discus (44.88 meters)... at the North Texas Twilight, placed fifth in the discus (49.60 meters)... at the Conference USA Championship, placed fourth in the discus (44.91 meters)... finished in 17th place at the NCAA South Central Regionals (47.39 meters).
Prep: Graduated from Antonion College Prep... lettered all four years... won state in TAPPS three years... holds school and city record... All-City field athlete in 2005... All-American in discus... also participated in soccer.
Personal: Parents are Brett and Cynthia Mueller... has five siblings (Paige, Pilar, Brett, Chelby and Bryan)... enjoys finding new bands, listening to music and taking pictures... favorite athlete is Mia Hamm... enjoys watching college football... undeclared major.




ILYSSA PETTIGREW
Middle Distances
JR • 5-5
Rockwall, Texas (Rockwall)

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kittley Invitational, placed first in the 800-meter run (2:16.88) and was a member of the 4x400-meter relay team which finished in sixth place (4:16.60)... at the Iowa State Classic, finished in 26th place in the 800-meter run (2:12.41)... at the Conference USA Championship, placed fifth in her heat of the 800-meter run (2:15.17) and posted a third-place finish in the finals (2:12.32); member of the distance medley team which finished in second (11:55.85)... (Outdoor) – At the Dr Pepper Invitational, took fourth place in the 400-meter run (56.18)... at the John Jacobs Invitational, placed third in the 800-meter run (2:13.46)... at the TCU Invitational, placed second in the 800-meter run (2:10.81)... at the North Texas Invitational, claimed first-place honors in the 800-meter run (2:11.38)... at the Conference USA Championships, ran a time of 2:12.97 in the 800-meter prelims and placed fourth in the finals (2:12.43).
2004-05 (Track and Field): Finished in 14th place in 200-meter dash and eighth place in 400-meter dash at Wes Kittley Classic... placed 16th in 800-meter run at WAC Championships... took fourth place at WAC Outdoor Championships in 800-meter run.
Prep: Graduated from Rockwall High School and lettered four years... holds five high school records... was *Who's Who in Sports* (2002)... named to the *Dallas Morning News* All-Area Team... 2004 State Champion... third at State in 2003... sixth at State in 2002... also participated in cross country for three years.
Personal: Parents are Ronnie and Teresa Pettigrew... has three siblings, R.J., Thorne and Jordyn... enjoys writing poems, watching movies and reading the Bible... majoring in sociology with a minor in history.



Ilyssa Pettigrew




KRYSTAL RODRIGUEZ
Middle Distances
JR • 5-2
Grand Prairie, Texas
(South Grand Prairie)

2006 (Cross Country): Competed in three team events... teamed with Sierra Anderson in the Bear Relays for 12th place (30:45.38)... 55th-place finish at the Texas A&M Invitational (21:02)... 61st-place finish at the NCAA South Central Regional (23:06.0).
2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kittley Invitational, member of the distance medley relay team which finished in second place (12:57.46)... at the Iowa State Classic, took 17th in the mile run prelims (5:33.59) and 87th in the finals (5:30.49) and was a member of the 4x400-meter relay team which finished in sixth place (4:16.61)... (Outdoor) – At the Dr Pepper Invitational, placed 19th in the 1,500-meter run (4:59.49)... at the



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2006 (Cross Country): Competed in three team events...teamed with Sierra Anderson in the Bear Relays for 12th place (30:45.38)...55th-place finish at the Texas A&M Invitational (21:02)...61st-place finish at the NCAA South Central Regional (23:06.0).

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kittley Invitational, member of the distance medley relay team which finished in second place (12:57.46)...at the Iowa State Classic, took 17th in the mile run prelims (5:33.59) and 87th in the finals (5:30.49) and was a member of the 4x400-meter relay team which finished in sixth place (4:16.61)...(Outdoor) - At the Dr Pepper Invitational, placed 19th in the 1,500-meter run (4:59.49)...at the Arlington Invitational, placed sixth in the 3,000-meter run (11:20.00)...at the John Jacobs Invitational, placed 10th in the 1,500-meter run (5:18.17)...at the TCU Invitational, placed 21st in the 1,500-meter run (5:03.25)...at the North Texas Twilight, placed 10th in the 1,500-meter run (5:05.34).

2005 (Cross Country): Started the season placing third with teammate Jessica Jackson at Baylor Relays...competed at Roy Griak Invitational...finished fifth at North Texas Invitational...placed 47th at C-USA Championships.

2004-05 (Track and Field): Took eighth in 800-meter run and fourth in 600-yard run at Wes Kittley Classic...placed 29th in one-mile run at Tyson Invite...finished 12th in 800-meter run at WAC Championships...ran the 1500-meter run at Coca-Cola Florida Relays with personal best time of 4:36.77...finished sixth at Arlington Invite in 3000-meter run.



SARAH SIDDENS

Shot Put/Discus
FR • 5-4
Mesquite, Texas (Horn)

Prep: Four-year letterwinner at Horn High School...specializes in shot put and discus...recipient of the Dale Hansen Scholar Athlete of the Week honor and Town East Ford Scholar Athlete honor...also lettered one year in softball.

Personal: Looks to major in international studies or pre-med...enjoys photography, sleeping, and doing aerobic or spinning classes at the gym...favorite non-track athlete is Dirk Novitzki...favorite dessert is ice cream...enjoys watching the Winter Olympic games on TV...has one younger brother...parents are Terry and Linda Siddens...full name is Sarah Linda Siddens.



JESSICA SIMMONS

Distances
SO • 5-5
Portland, Texas
(Gregory-Portland)

2006 (Cross Country): Competed in six team events...11th-place finish at the Rice Invitational (15:02.00)...sixth-place finish at the Texas A&M Invitational (19:00)...68th-place finish at the Notre Dame Invitational (17:55)...68th-place finish at the Chile Pepper Festival (22:06.1)...11th-place finish at the Conference USA Championship (18:32.78), earning All-Conference USA third-team honors...25th-place finish at the NCAA South Central Regional (21:47.2).

2006 (Track and Field): (Outdoor) – At the John Jacobs Invitational, placed ninth in the 3,000-meter run (11:27.78)...at the TCU Invitational, placed 10th in the 5,000-meter run (19:18.32)...at the North Texas Twilight, placed 15th in the 5,000-meter run (19:18.57).

2005 (Cross Country): Started the season placing ninth with teammate Rachel Barber in Baylor Relays...placed 13th at Movin' Mavs Challenge...finished 15th at North Texas Invitational...ran at the pre-national meet.

Prep: Graduated from Gregory-Portland High School...lettered four years...holds two school records...fourth in State in 2002 for cross country...team was Regional Champs in 2004...All-State Scholar Athlete in 2004.

Personal: Parents are Brad and Hollis Simmons...has two siblings, Hunter and Addie...enjoys painting...favorite athlete is Mia Hamm...likes to watch basketball...double major in mathematics and advertising.



ALESHA STEGEMOLLER

High Jump
SR • 6-0
Priddy, Texas (Priddy)

2006 (Track and Field): (Indoor) – At the Wes Kittley Invitational, tied for third in the high jump (1.68 meters)...at the Iowa State Classic, placed third in the high jump prelims (1.73 meters) and finished tied for 11th place in the high jump (1.73 meters)...at the Conference USA Championship, took fourth place in the high jump (1.73 meters)...(Outdoor) – At the Dr Pepper Invitational, placed eighth in the high jump (1.60 meters)...at the Texas Relays tied for 12th place in the high jump (1.70 meters)...at the John Jacobs Invitational, captured first place in the high jump (1.75 meters)...at the TCU Invitational, placed third in the high jump (1.70 meters)...at the North Texas Twilight, placed sixth in the high jump (1.75 meters)...at the Conference USA Championship, tied for third place in the high jump (1.70 meters).

2004-05 (Track and Field): At the Oklahoma Classic, took seventh place in high jump...tied for third place at Wes Kittley Classic in high jump...took sixth place in high jump at Tyson Invite...placed third at Arlington Invite in high jump...finished 11th at Texas Relays in high jump...tied for second in high jump at WAC Outdoor Championships...tied for eighth place in high jump at NCAA Regionals.

2003-04 (Track and Field): Placed fourth in the high jump (1.73m) at the Texas Tech Quad...finished seventh in the high jump at the WAC Indoors...placed second in the high jump at the College Station Relays...finished fifth in high jump at the Arlington Invite...placed second in high jump at the A&M Invite...finished third in high jump at Tulsa Invite...tied for seventh (1.68m) in high jump at the WAC Outdoor Championships.

Prep: 2001 State Champion in high jump...runner-up at 2003 State high jump competition...MVP of 1A state basketball tournament...four-time state qualifier in high jump.

Personal: Salutatorian of high school class...class president...Honor Society president...has three older siblings...double major in psychology and sociology.



Alesha Stegemoller



CHELSEA WELLS

Hurdles
FR • 5-4
Plano, Texas (Plano Senior)

Prep: Three-year letterwinner at Plano Senior...posted her best time of 15.42 in the 100-meter hurdles...graduated with honors.

Personal: Undeclared major...enjoys shopping, spending time with friends, working out, and trying new things...favorite dessert is carrot cake...favorite non-track athlete is Reggie Bush...enjoys watching football on TV...has one older and one younger sibling...full name is Chelsea Ann Wells...parents are Bruce Wells and Nancy Hale.



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Florence Ezeh

Kajsa Bergqvist

Sollentuna, Sweden
High Jump

Two-time NCAA Champion in the high jump (1997, 1999)... Five-time All-American... Outdoor collegiate record holder (6-6, 1.98)... 1996, 2000 Olympian... Bronze medalist at the 2000 Sydney Games... 2005 world champion... current world record holder.

Windy Dean

Roseburg, Oregon
Javelin/Hammer

Three-time NCAA Champion in the javelin (1996-98)... Seven-time All-American in the hammer and javelin... First woman in the history of the NCAA to win three consecutive NCAA javelin titles... Four-time Southwest Conference and WAC Champion in the hammer and javelin... 1998 U.S. Champion in the hammer and meet record holder (210-4)... 1998 Goodwill Games... 1995 U.S. Jr. Champion in the javelin.

Florence Ezeh

Sartrouville, France
Hammer/Weight Throw

A five-time national champion... Six-time All-American... Only three-time NCAA hammer champion... Six-time WAC champion... Set NCAA indoor and outdoor records in the weight throw and hammer, respectively... Named winner of the Joe Kearney Award as the WAC Female Athlete of the Year.

JoAnn Hacker

San Antonio, Texas
Shot Put

Five-time NCAA All-American (1990-93)... SMU's first female track & field All-American... elected to the Southwest Conference All-Decade track & field team in 1992... Three-time SWC Champion... 1993 SMU Outstanding Female Athlete Award.

Katie Swords

Brisbane, Australia
Distance Events/Cross Country

First female SMU track & field member to win an NCAA title... Two-time NCAA champion... Seven-time All-American in track and field and cross country... Won 10 SWC titles, including two cross country titles... SWC High Point Award winner in 1995 and 1996... First and only athlete ever in the history of the Southwest Conference win four individual events (1500, 3000, 5000 and 10,000 meters)... *Dallas Morning News* Collegiate Female Athlete of the Year in 1996... GTE Academic All-American in 1996.

Teri Steer

Crete, Nebraska
Shot Put/Discus

2000 USA Olympian... Two-time NCAA Champion in the shot put... Indoor collegiate record holder (61-9 1/2)... Two-time NCAA runner-up in the shot put (1996 indoor, 1998 outdoor)... Eight-time All-American in shot put and discus... Two-time SWC Champion in the shot put and discus... Two-time WAC Champion in the shot put... 1994 World Junior Championships... 1998 SMU Outstanding Female Athlete award... 1999 World Championships bronze medalist... Ranked number eight on the all-time world list in 2000.

Marika Tuliniemi

Raisio, Finland
Shot Put

1999 NCAA Indoor shot put champion... Five-time All-American.



SMU AT THE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS

1990

Indoor

JoAnn Hacker (7th, shot put, 48-7 1/2)

Outdoor (t37th place, 4 points)

JoAnn Hacker (5th, shot put, 50-7 1/2)

1992

Indoor (t34th place, 2 points)

JoAnn Hacker (5th, shot put, 51-6 1/2)

Outdoor (t43rd place, 4 points)

JoAnn Hacker (5th, shot put, 52-2)

1993

Outdoor (t36th place, 4 points)

JoAnn Hacker (5th, shot put, 52-6 1/2)

1994

Outdoor (t55th place, 2 points)

Teri Tunks (7th, shot put, 51-1)

1995

Indoor (37th place, 4 points)

Teri Tunks (6th, shot put, 51-3)

Sabine Krieger (8th, high jump, 5-11 1/4)

Outdoor (t6th place, 27 points)

Katie Swords (1st, 10,000 meters, 34:28.46)

Windy Dean (3rd, javelin, 172-3)

Katie Swords (4th, 5,000 meters, 16:32.10)

Sabine Krieger (5th, heptathlon, 5,712 points)

Teri Tunks (7th, shot put, 52-8 1/4)

1996

Indoor (21st place, 9 points)

Teri Tunks (2nd, shot put, 56-4 1/2)

Katie Swords (8th, 5,000 meters, 16:15.56)

Outdoor (3rd place, 50 points)

Windy Dean (1st, javelin, 186-1)

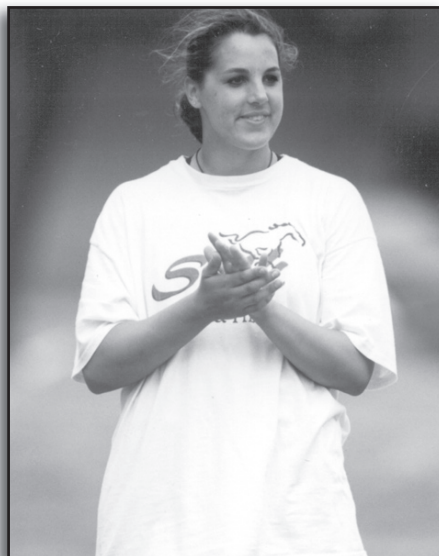
Katie Swords (1st, 10,000 meters, 32:56.63)

Teri Tunks (1st, shot put, 59-0)

Kajsa Bergqvist (2nd, high jump, 6-3 1/4)

Katie Swords (2nd, 5,000 meters, 16:11.42)

Windy Dean (5th, hammer, 195-0)



Teri Tunks

1997

Indoor (t23rd place, 8 points)

Marika Tuliniemi (2nd, shot put, 57-5 1/2)

Outdoor (4th place, 34 points)

Kajsa Bergqvist (1st, high jump, 6-4)

Windy Dean (1st, javelin, 191-2)

Marika Tuliniemi (2nd, shot put, 58-6 3/4)

Windy Dean (3rd, hammer, 200-9)

Bianca McKell (9th high jump, 5-10 1/4)

1998

Indoor (7th place, 23 points)

Teri Tunks (1st, shot put, 60-5 1/4)

Kajsa Bergqvist (2nd, high jump, 6-4 1/4)

Marika Tuliniemi (5th, shot put, 55-7 3/4)

Bianca McKell (8th, high jump, 5-11 1/2)

Outdoor (t3rd place, 45 points)

Windy Dean (1st, javelin, 184-8)

Kajsa Bergqvist (2nd, high jump, 6-4)

Teri Tunks (2nd, shot put, 60-10 3/4)

Windy Dean (3rd, hammer, 203-5)

Liza Randjelovic (5th, javelin, 173-10)

Marika Tuliniemi (5th, shot put, 56-6 3/4)

Teri Tunks (5th, discus, 185-8)

Tytti Reho (8th, 800 meters, 2:07.45)

1999

Indoor (3rd place, 25 points)

Marika Tuliniemi (1st place, shot put, 54-11 1/4)

Florence Ezeh (2nd, 20lb. Weight, 68-5 3/4)

Tytti Reho (3rd place, 800 meters, 2:03.67)

Bianca McKell (8th place, high jump, 6-0)

Outdoor (6th place, 29 points)

Kajsa Bergqvist (1st, high jump, 6-2 3/4)

Florence Ezeh (1st, hammer, 207-2)

Tytti Reno (4th, 800 meters, 2:04.99)

Grete Etholm (5th, discus, 181-4)

2000

Indoor (10th place, 16 points)

Florence Ezeh (1st, 20lb. Weight, 69-11 1/2)

Tytti Reho (3rd, 800 meters, 2:03.38)

Tracey Ball (10th, 200 meters, 23.74)

Outdoor (12th place, 20 points)

Florence Ezeh (1st, hammer, 211-10)

Tytti Reho (1st, 800 meters, 2:01.43)

2001

Indoor (t14th place, 14 points)

Florence Ezeh (1st, weight throw, 69-10 1/4)

Diana Nikitina (5th, triple jump, 42-10 1/4)

Outdoor (13th place, 19 points)

Florence Ezeh (1st, hammer, 219-4)

Nancy Guillen (6th, hammer, 201-10)

Liza Randjelovic (3rd, javelin, 168-4)

2003

Indoor (17th place, 10 points)

Nevena Lendel (1st, high jump, 6-2 1/2)

2004

Indoor (38th place, 3 points)

Nevena Lendel (6th, high jump, 5-11 3/4)

Outdoor (T48th place, 4 points)

Nevena Lendel (7th, high jump, 6-0 1/2)

2005

Indoor (27th place, 45 points)

Gaelle Niare (2nd, high jump, 6-3 1/2)

Outdoor (did not place, 0 points)

Karin van Rooyen (9th, 10,000-meter run, 33:42.56)

2006

Indoor (50th place, 2.5 points)

Gaelle Niare (T6th, high jump, 5-10 3/4)

Outdoor (77th place, 0.25 points)

Gaelle Niare (T8th, high jump, 5-10 3/4)



Katie Swords

NCAA Indoor Champions

1998	Teri Tunks, shot put	60-5 1/4
1999	Marika Tuliniemi, shot put	54-11 1/4
2000	Florence Ezeh, weight	69-11 1/2
2001	Florence Ezeh, weight	69-10 1/4
2003	Nevena Lendel	6-2 1/4

NCAA Outdoor Champions

1995	Katie Swords, 10,000 meters	34:28.46
1996	Windy Dean, javelin	186-1
	Teri Tunks, shot put	59-0
	Katie Swords, 10,000 meters	32:56.63
1997	Kajsa Bergqvist, high jump	6-4
	Windy Dean, javelin	191-2
1998	Windy Dean, javelin	184-8
1999	Kajsa Bergqvist, high jump	6-2 3/4
	Florence Ezeh, hammer	207-2
2000	Florence Ezeh, hammer	211-10
2001	Florence Ezeh, hammer	219-4



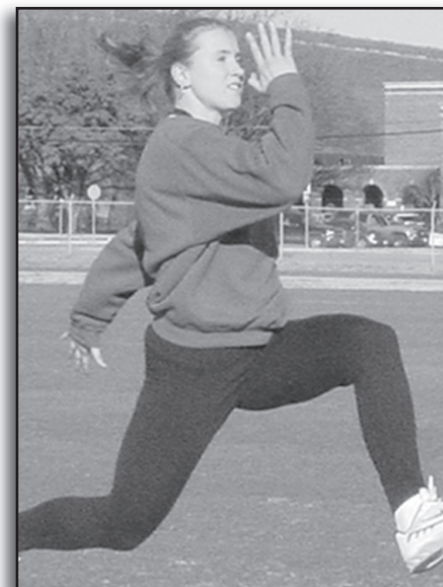
ALL-AMERICANS



Bianca McKell

- Tracey Ball (1)**
200 Meters 2000
- Kajsa Bergqvist (5)**
High jump 1996-99
- Windy Dean (7)**
Hammer 1996-98
Javelin 1995-98
- Grete Etholm (1)**
Discus 1999

- Florence Ezeh (6)**
20 lb. Weight 1999-2001
Hammer 1999-2001
- Rachael Forish (1)**
Cross Country 2006
- Nancy Guillen (1)**
Hammer 2001
- JoAnn Hacker (5)**
Shot put 1990, 1992-93
- Sabine Krieger (2)**
Heptathlon 1995
High jump 1995
- Nevena Lendel (1)**
High Jump 2003
- Bianca McKell (3)**
High jump 1997-99
- Gaelle Niare (2)**
High jump 2005, 2006
- Diana Nikitina (1)**
Triple Jump 2001
- Liza Randjelovic (2)**
Javelin 1998, 2001
- Tytti Reho (5)**
800 meters 1998-2000
- Katie Swords (7)**
Cross Country 1994
Cross Country 1995



Diana Nikitina

- 5,000 1995-96
10,000 1995-96
- Marika Tuliniemi (5)**
Shot put 1997-99
- Teri Tunks (8)**
Discus 1998
Shot put 1994-96, 1998
- Karin van Rooyen (2)**
Cross Country 2002
Cross Country 2004



Windy Dean



ALL-TIME TOP FIVE PERFORMANCES

Indoor

55 Meters

7.11	LaVada Hill	2002
7.20	Quaniqua Ragsdale	1999
7.30	Kristina Grooms	1999
7.57	Iman James	2004
7.60	April Brown	1999

60 Meters

7.70	LaVada Hill	2003
7.79	Tracey Ball	1999
7.80	Antra Higgins	2000
7.99	Quaniqua Ragsdale	1999
	Isabel Rossauw	2001

55-Meter Hurdles

8.04	LaVerne Hypolite	1988
8.57	Ellen Bergin	1995
8.70	Sabine Krieger	1995

200 Meters

23.74	Tracey Ball	2000
25.09	Isabel Rossauw	2001
25.95	Antra Higgins	2000
25.97	Zivile Pukstiene	2003
26.12	LaVada Hill	2000

400 Meters

53.76	Tracey Ball	2001
55.15	Miriam Masekova	2001
55.50	Ilyssa Pettigrew	2005
58.73	Ellen Bergin	1996

800 Meters

2:03.38	Tytti Reho	2000
2:08.85	Heather Murrell	1993
2:09.38	Miriam Masekova	2000
2:12.32	Ilyssa Pettigrew	2006
2:14.71	Natalie Burnham	1998

Mile

4:53.43	Leah Rogers	1995
4:53.44	Danielle Beardsell	1996
4:55.53	Katie Swords	1996
4:56.53	Rika Feuth	2003
4:57.93	Jessica Jackson	2004

3,000 Meters

9:33.58	Andrea Marquardt	1993
9:45.35	Danielle Beardsell	1996
9:48.85	Katie Swords	1994
9:50.66	Karin van Rooyen	2005
9:52.70	Simone Shepherd	1994

5,000 Meters

16:15.56	Katie Swords	1996
16:37.82	Andrea Marquardt	1993
16:47.26	Karin van Rooyen	2004
16:50.34	Karin van Rooyen	2005
17:18.42	Rika Feuth	2003

1,600-Meter Relay

3:50.58	T. Ball • L. Hill • M. Masekova • S. Johnson	2000
3:52.70	E. Bergin • J. Claiborne • N. Burnham • T. Reho	1998

3,200-Meter Relay

9:14.07	K. Woolheater • A. Marquardt • L. Guerra • H. Murrell	1993
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Distance Medley Relay

11:45.78	N. Burnham • S. Krieger • E. Hieblinger • K. Swords	1996
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Shot Put

18.83 meters	Teri Tunks	1998cr
17.73	Marika Tuliniemi	1997
16.19	JoAnn Hacker	1993
15.96	Karen Freberg	2002
15.95	Ruta Rakstyte	2003

20-Lb. Weight Throw

22.24 meters	Florence Ezeh	2001
18.39	Nancy Guillen	2002
18.06	Lianne Coombe	2001
16.66	Windy Dean	1998
16.53	Eva Charfreitag	2001

High Jump

1.95 meters	Kajsa Bergqvist	1997c
1.92	Gaelle Niare	2005
1.89	Nevena Lendel	2003
1.84	Gaelle Niare	2006
1.83	Bianca McKell	1999
1.83	Sabine Krieger	1995

Long Jump

6.34 meters	LaVada Hill	2003
5.79	Diana Nikitina	2001
5.61	Franziska Lakomy	2004
5.43	Sabine Krieger	1996

Triple Jump

13.33 meters	Zivile Pukstiene	2003
12.88	LaVada Hill	2001
12.74	Diana Nikitina	2001
11.69	Bianca Taylor	2001

Outdoor

100 Meters

11.88	LaVada Hill	2004
11.94	Tracey Ball	2002
12.04	LaVerne Hypolite	1987
12.21	Kristina Grooms	1999
12.22	Antra Higgins	2000
	Iman James	2003

200 Meters

23.43	Tracey Ball	2000
24.86	Miriam Masekova	2001
25.02	Sabine Krieger	1995
25.14	Antra Higgins	2000
25.20	LaVada Hill	2003

400 Meters

53.20	Tracey Ball	2002
54.68	Miriam Masekova	2001
55.87	Tytti Reho	1999
56.18	Ilyssa Pettigrew	2006
56.65	Miriam Masekova	2000

800 Meters

2:01.29	Tytti Reho	1999c
2:06.52	Heather Murrell	1993
2:07.26	Miriam Masekova	1999
2:10.81	Ilyssa Pettigrew	2006
2:10.97	Jamille Claiborne	1997

1,500 Meters

4:13.38	Tytti Reho	2000
4:24.85	Karin van Rooyen	2002
4:26.82	Karin van Rooyen	2005
4:29.12	Rika Feuth	2003
4:29.71	Katie Swords	1996

3,000 Meters

9:27.88	Karin van Rooyen	2005
9:34.41	Katie Swords	1996
9:48.58	Simone Shepherd	1994
9:48.80	Rika Feuth	2003
10:03.79	Jessica Jackson	2005

5,000 Meters

16:03.40	Karin van Rooyen	2002
16:11.42	Katie Swords	1996
16:18.43	Karin van Rooyen	2005
16:27.52	Rachael Forish	2006
16:59.06	Simone Shepherd	1995

10,000 Meters

32:56.63	Katie Swords	1996
33:42.56	Karin van Rooyen	2005
35:29.60	Simone Shepherd	1995
37:14.61	Jennifer Max	1994

100-Meter Hurdles

13.3	LaVerne Hypolite	1988+
14.38	Stefanie Rombach	2002
14.49	Marthe Liff	1995
14.5	Ellen Bergin	1996+
14.65	Sabine Krieger	1995

400-Meter Hurdles

61.57	Ellen Bergin	1998
62.96	Daphne Roscoe	1992

4X100 Meter Relay

48.01	Q. Ragsdale • T. Ball • K. Grooms • D. Nikitina	1999
48.09	Q. Ragsdale • K. Grooms • A. Green • T. Ball	1999

4X400 Meter Relay

3:46.14	T. Ball • M. Masekova • L. Hill • S. Johnson	2000
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3:48.76

E. Bergin • T. Reho • N. Burnham • J. Claiborne	1998
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3:50.68

M. Masekova • T. Ball • K. Grooms • N. VanTol	1999
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4X800 Meter Relay

8:57.01	N. Burnham • M. Masekova • N. VanTol • T. Reho	1999
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8:58.33

H. Murrell • L. Guerra • T. Veenker • A. Carter	1992
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Distance Medley Relay

11:40.25	T. Reho • T. Ball • M. Masekova • Y. Buitedag	2000
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11:40.35

J. Clarke • I. Pettigrew • K. Rodriguez • K. van Rooyen	2005
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Shot Put

18.56 meters	Teri Tunks	1998c
18.09	Marika Tuliniemi	1997
16.60	Irache Quintanal	2002
16.33	JoAnn Hacker	1992
16.23	Ruta Rakstyte	2002

Discus

56.78 meters	Grete Etholm	1999
56.60	Teri Tunks	1998
52.74	Irache Quintanal	2002
51.62	Allison Franke	1990
49.60	Christina Mueller	2006

Hammer

66.84 meters	Florence Ezeh	1999
64.12	Windy Dean	1998
61.90	Nancy Guillen	2001
61.42	Julianna Tudja	2000
57.42	Eva Charfreitag	2004

Javelin (New Model)

55.18 meters	Liza Randjelovic	1999
52.10	Andrea Kvetova	2006
48.44	Andrea Kvetova	2005
46.08	Catherine Betz	2003
44.10	Ruta Rakstyte	2003

Javelin (Old Model)

58.28 meters	Windy Dean	1997
54.10	Liza Randjelovic	1998
47.84	Allison Franke	1990
42.20	Sabine Krieger	1995
42.14	Teri Tunks	1996

High Jump

1.98 meters	Kajsa Bergqvist	1999cr
1.92	Gaelle Niare	2006
1.86	Nevena Lendel	2004+
1.85	Gabrielle Conroy	1999
1.84	Bianca McKell	1999

Long Jump

6.42 meters	LaVada Hill	2003
6.08	Diana Nikitina	2000
5.78	Sabine Krieger	1995
5.77	Marthe Liff	1995
5.70	Ashley Green	2001

Triple Jump

13.54 meters	LaVada Hill	2003
13.21	Diana Nikitina	2001
12.14	Bianca Taylor	2001
11.86	Nnenna Ejiesieme	2006
11.74	Kajsa Bergqvist	1998

Heptathlon

5,712 pts.	Sabine Krieger	1995
5,193	Franziska Lakomy	2006
5,112	Franziska Lakomy	2005
5,268	Stefanie Rombach	2002
4,872	Ellen Bergin	1996

Key
 * Converted from yards to metric equivalent
 ^ Converted from hand timing to automatic timing
 # Converted from yards & hand timing to metric & automatic timing
 + Hand Timing
 c WAC All-Time Record
 cr Collegiate Record

