

# **2016 TULSA VOLLEYBALL**

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4 NCAA Appearances • 6 Conference Championships • 7 All-Americans • 42 All-Conference Selections

#### **Looking Ahead**

Tulsa will play their first American Athletic Conference road matches this week, taking on Houston on Thursday before battling Tulane on Saturday. The Hurricane hold a 14-7 series advantage over the Cougars, splitting a pair of matches last season as both road teams emerged with wins away from home. Tulsa is tied in the all-time series with Tulane dating back to 1986, 13-13. The Hurricane and Green Wave split their matches last season while TU has taken three out of the last four from Tulane.

#### Last Time Out

The Hurricane opened up American Athletic Conference play at 1-1, dropping a five-set battle to preseason conference favorite Cincinnati before defeating East Carolina in four at the Reynolds Center. TU used a late run in the second set against Cincinnati to knot the match up at 1-1, outscoring the visitors 14-5 over the final half of the set. Tulsa won the fourth set to tie it up once again before falling in a tightly contested match-deciding fifth set, 15-13.

After a slow start against ECU in which they lost the first set, TU came out in the second set with a 9-2 run and never looked back on their way to taking the match, 3-1, outscoring the Pirates by 23 in the final three sets.

Erica Bohannon led the way against the Bearcats (6-7, 1-1 AAC) as one of four Hurricane to reach double-digit kills, racking up 22 kills for the third time this season. Rebecca Reeve provided a spark in the four-set win over ECU (10-2, 0-2 AAC), tallying 16 kills including six in the second set to knot the match at 1-1 while hitting .407 on the day.

#### 2,000 Club

Senior libero Brooke Berryhill became the second Hurricane player in program history to reach 2,000 career digs in the first set against Cincinnati on Thursday evening. Berryhill currently sits second on the all-time career digs list at TU with 2,032 digs, 405 digs behind Jessica Adams' (2009-12). With 18 guaranteed matches remaining on the Hurricane schedule, the senior will have to average 22.5 digs per match to surpass Adams.

#### **Defensive Dominance**

The Hurricane sit atop the national list for digs per set for the second straight week, leading the nation with 18.42 digs per set. Tulsa ranks 15th in the nation in opposing hitting percentage (.144) through 14 matches this season while Brooke Berryhill sits 21st in digs per set (5.22) and 25th in total digs (287).

#### **Hot Start**

Tulsa's 12-2 start to the season marks their best start since 2010 through this point in the season. The Hurricane have out-hit their opponents .211 to .144 to open the season while going 10-1 in matches that reach the fourth set. The 2010 squad opened the season 12-2 on the way to finishing 31-3 and earning an NCAA Tournament bid.

## 2016 TULSA SCHEDULE

Aug. 26 Aug. 26 Aug. 27	Incarnate Word Alabama South Dakota	W 3-1 W 3-2 L 0-3
Sep. 2 Sep. 2 Sep. 3 Sep. 9 Sep. 9 Sep. 10 Sep. 16 Sep. 17 Sep. 17 Sep. 22 Sep. 24	vs. Kennesaw State vs. Stephen F. Austin at Texas State vs. UT-Martin vs. Central Arkansas at Arkansas State Oral Roberts Northwestern State Louisiana Tech Cincinnati* East Carolina*	W 3-1 W 3-1 W 3-1 W 3-0 W 3-1 W 3-0 W 3-1 W 3-1 L 2-3 W 3-1
Oct. 2 Oct. 7 Oct. 9 Oct. 12 Oct. 16 Oct. 21 Oct. 23 Oct. 28 Oct. 30	at Houston*  at Tulane* Temple* Connecticut* at SMU* at Memphis* at UCF* at USF* Tulane* Houston*	7:00 pm 1:00 pm 12:00 pm 12:00 pm 6:00 pm 1:00 pm 6:00 pm 12:00 pm 7:00 pm 1:00 pm
Nov. 4 Nov. 6 Nov. 10 Nov. 12 Nov. 16 Nov. 18 Nov. 23 Nov. 25	at East Carolina* at Cincinnati" USF* UCF* SMU* Memphis* at Connecticut* at Temple*	6:00 pm 12:00 pm 7:00 pm 1:00 pm 6:00 pm 7:00 pm 11:00 am 12:00 pm

\* Indicates American Athletic Conference match

Matches played in Reynolds Center marked in **Bold** 



## **2016 STATISTICAL LEADERS**

Player	Kills	k/s	Pct.	Player	Digs	d/s	Player	Ast.	a/s	Player	Blocks
Erica Bohannoı	n 205	3.73	.220	Brooke Berryhill	287	5.22	Ashton Anderson	348	6.33	Rachel Moore	53
Rebecca Reeve	e 164	2.98	.202	Rebecca Reeve	149	2.71	Mariah Pardo	253	4.60	Jaime Rahilly	37
Trinity Alualu	112	2.04	.206	Taylor Horsfall	139	2.53	Brooke Berryhill	63	1.15	Rebecca Reev	e 30
Haley Coulter	98	2.00	.176	Ashton Anderso	n 133	2.42				Trinity Alualu	30
Jaime Rahilly	84	1.53	.259	Mariah Pardo	94	1.71				Erica Bohanno	n 23

## **QUICK FACTS**

GENERAL	
Location	Tulsa, Okla.
Enrollment	4,682
Founded	
Nickname	Golden Hurricane
	. Old Gold, Royal Blue, Crimson
	NCAA Division I
Conference	American Athletic Conference
	Donald W. Reynolds Center
Canacity	8,355
Press Room Phone	(918) 631-5403
	Dr. Steadman Upham
	Dr. Christopher Anderson
	Dr. Derrick Gragg
	NA Crista Troester
	TBA
	TBA
Strength/Conditioning Coord	IDA
COACHING STAFF	
	Ryan Wills
	(Tulsa, '08), Third Year
	37-26 (24-16 American)
	Same
ASSISTANT COACH	Megan Pendergast
A : 4 40 I	(Texas A&M, '12), Third Year
	Eli Sharping
	(Wisconsin '12), Second Year
HISTORY	
	1976
	643-685-5
First year of American Athletic	
Nembership	es (Last)
NCAA Tournament Appearanc	es (Last) 4 (2012)
2016 TEAM INFORMATION	
	45 47
	10-10/Fourth place
	5/1
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Newcomers	3

#### **Record Watch**

This season, senior outside hitter Erica Bohannon moved into second all-time on the TU career list for total attempts, currently sitting at 4,109 in her career and trailing three-time AVCA All-American Tyler Henderson's 5,425.

Bohannon needs just 30 kills to move into second all-time on TU's career kills list, as Kristien Van Lierop (1997-00) currently sits second at 1,510 while Henderson leads the way with 2,525 career kills.

#### **Tulsa Volleyball Invitational**

The Hurricane won their third tournament title in as many weeks, going 3-0 at the Reynolds Center as they wrapped up non-conference tournament play. On Friday evening, Tulsa defeated cross-town rival Oral Roberts 3-1 behind Erica Bohannon's matchhigh 22 kills and 30 digs from Brooke Berryhill. In their first match on Saturday morning, the Hurricane defense held Northwestern State to a .052 hitting-percentage while racking up 96 digs. In a battle for the weekend crown later in the day, Tulsa rallied from behind in the first two sets to jump out to a 2-0 lead in the match before closing Louisiana Tech out in a dominant fourth set, 25-14.

All-Tournament Team
Erica Bohannon, Tulsa - MVP
Brooke Berryhill, Tulsa
Trinity Alualu, Tulsa

#### Fresh Faces

This year's Golden Hurricane squad has a mix of youth and experience as three freshmen are providing impact along with six seniors. Newcomers Taylor Horsfall and Mariah Pardo have seen action in all 55 sets this season while Haley Coulter has played in 49. Horsfall is second on the team in digs (139), while Pardo and Coulter have added 253 assists and 98 kills, respectively.

#### **A-State Invitational**

Tulsa earned their second weekend tournament title in as many weeks, going 3-0 at the A-State Invitational in Jonesboro, Ark. on Sept. 9-10. The Hurricane swept UT-Martin on Friday morning before defeating Central Arkansas in four sets to set up the tournament deciding match on Saturday with host Arkansas State. Tulsa held off a push from the Red Wolves in the second set on their way to completing the sweep in a match in which all three sets were decided by two points.

All-Tournament Team - Brooke Berryhill, L, MVP - Trinity Alualu, OH

## 2016 TULSA VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	CI-Exp	Hometown (Previous School)
_1_	Taylor Horsfall	DS/L	5-8	Fr-HS	Houston, Texas (Alvin HS)
_2	Emily Thorson	OH	6-2	So-1L	The Woodlands, Texas (College Park HS)
_ 4	Alyssa LaMont	L	5-2	Sr-1L	Houston, Texas (Cy-Falls HS/Blinn JC)
_5	Erica Bohannon	OH	6-1	Sr-3L	Dallas, Texas (Coppell HS)
_8	Trinity Alualu	OH	5-11	Sr-1L	Honolulu, Hawaii (Farrington HS/Blinn JC)
_ 9	Haley Coulter	OH	6-1	Fr-HS	Brandon, Fla. (Manatee HS)
_10	Brooke Berryhill	DS/L	5-6	Sr-3L	Waco, Texas (Northwest HS)
_12	Jaime Rahilly	MB	6-2	Sr-2L	Tulsa, Okla. (Cascia Hall HS)
_15	Ashton Anderson	S/DS	5-6	Jr-2L	Kansas City, Mo. (Park Hill South HS)
_18	Rachel Moore	OH/MB	6-0	So-1L	Oklahoma City, Okla. (Heritage Hall HS)
_19	Rebecca Reeve	OH	6-0	Sr-1L	Adelaide, Australia (Brighton Secondary/Blinn JC)
_20	Ebony Carter	MB	5-11	Jr-2L	Rowlett, Texas (Sachse HS)
_25	Mariah Pardo	S	5-9	Fr-HS	League City, Texas (Clear Creek HS)

## 50+

Kills		
Player	Value	Match
Erica Bohannon	22	Alabama 8-26
Erica Bohannon	22	Oral Roberts 9-16
Erica Bohannon	22	Cincinnati 9-23
Dima		
Digs		
Player	Value	Match
Brooke Berryhill	20	Incarnate Word 8-26
Brooke Berryhill	25	Kennesaw State 9-2
Brooke Berryhill	33	Stephen F. Austin 9-2
Brooke Berryhill	21	Central Arkansas 9-9
Brooke Berryhill	30	Oral Roberts 9-16
Brooke Berryhill	22	Northwestern State 9-17
Brooke Berryhill	26	Louisiana Tech 9-17
Brooke Berryhill	20	Cincinnati 9-23

#### **Creeds and Crests Classic**

Tulsa won their first weekend tournament title of the season after going 3-0 at the Creeds and Crests Classic Sept. 2-3, earning wins over Kennesaw State, Stephen F. Austin, and Texas State. TU racked up 102 digs against Stephen F. Austin on Friday while senior libero Brooke Berryhill compiled 33 digs in the match on her way to being named The American Athletic Conference Defensive Player of the Week. Berryhill was named to the all-tournament team along with fellow seniors Erica Bohannon and Rebecca Reeve, who was named MVP of the weekend.

#### **Hurricane Classic**

Tulsa finished play at the Hurricane Classic on Aug. 26-27 with a 2-1 record, earning wins over Incarnate Word and Alabama before dropping the final game to South Dakota. TU's win over Incarnate Word in the season opener marked the seventh time in the last nine seasons that Tulsa has won their opening game. In the Friday nightcap, the Hurricane bested Alabama for the second consecutive year in a five-set thriller that saw TU win the fifth set of a tightly contested match, 17-15. Both squads were effective on the attack as Tulsa hit .303, including a .462 attacking percentage in the first set before hitting .447 in the third to grab a 2-1 match advantage. Senior Brooke Berryhill was named the all-tournament selection for the Hurricane.

#### **Home Sweet Home**

Tulsa returns home to the Donald W. Reynolds Center this weekend for the Tulsa Volleyball Invitational. TU has posted a 107-36 record at the Reynolds Center dating back to the 2005 season, helping to make it the most-winningest era in program history. In 2010, the Hurricane finished with a perfect 11-0 mark at home and followed it up with a 9-1 home record in 2011. Tulsa went 18-5 at the Reynolds Center in 2012 before tallying a 16-4 mark in 2013 and a 13-3 mark in 2014. The Golden Hurricane finished last season with a 5-10 record on their home floor.

## AMERICAN CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Team	AAC	Overall	Next Match
UConn	2-0	11-2	vs. Temple
UCF	2-0	12-3	@ ECU
SMU	2-0	9-5	@ Tulane
Tulsa	1-1	12-2	@ Houston
USF	1-1	10-4	@ Cincinnati
Temple	1-1	8-4	@ UConn
Tulane	1-1	9-5	vs. SMU
Cincinnati	1-1	6-7	vs. USF
East Carolina	0-2	10-2	vs. UCF
Memphis	0-2	8-6	vs. UConn
Houston	0-2	5-8	vs. Tulsa



## STATISTICAL RANKINGS

Statistic	Value	AAC	National
Digs Per Set	18.42	1	1
Team Digs	1,013	1	18
Kills Per Set	13.73	4	54
Match W/L Percentage	.857	1	15
Opp. Hitting Percentage	.144	2	15
Team Assists	707	2	63
Team Attacks Per Set	39.05	1	3
Team Kills	755	3	60
Team Service Aces	78	2	82
Team Total Attacks	2,148	1	46
Team Total Blocks	108.5	4	156
Individual	Stat (Value)	AAC	National
Erica Bohannon	Attacks/Set (10.02)	4	103
Brooke Berryhill	Digs/Set (5.22)	2	21
Erica Bohannon	Kills/Set (3.73)	7	87
Erica Bohannon	Points (222.5)	3	88
Erica Bohannon	Points/Set (4.05)	7	118
Erica Bohannon	Total Attacks (551)	4	97
Brooke Berryhill	Total Digs (287)	1	25
Erica Bohannon	Total Kills (205)	3	63

# **2016 SEASON STATISTICS**

### 2016 Golden Hurricane Volleyball Tulsa Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 24, 2016) All matches

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	12-2	6-2	2-0	4-0
CONFERENCE	1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	11-1	5-1	2-0	4-0

					Attack			S	et ,		Serve			, D	ig ,		В	locking				
##	Player	sp	k	k/s	е	ta	pct	а	a/s	sa	se	sa/s	re	dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s	be	bhe	points
5	BOHANNON, Erica	55	205	3.73	84	551	.220	3	0.05	2	0	0.04	0	50	0.91	8	15	23	0.42	1	0	222.5
19	REEVE,Rebecca	55	164	2.98	66	486	.202	18	0.33	14	20	0.25	5	149	2.71	1	29	30	0.55	2	1	193.5
8	ALUALU, Trinity	55	112	2.04	45	325	.206	3	0.05	16	28	0.29	1	54	0.98	2	28	30	0.55	6	0	144.0
9	COULTER, Haley	49	98	2.00	45	301	.176	3	0.06	0	0	0.00	1	41	0.84	5	11	16	0.33	2	0	108.5
12	RAHILLY, Jaime	55	84	1.53	27	220	.259	5	0.09	0	0	0.00	0	23	0.42	5	32	37	0.67	8	1	105.0
2	THORSON, Emily	7	9	1.29	5	38	.105	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	4	0.57	1	0	1	0.14	0	0	10.0
18	MOORE,Rachel	55	69	1.25	21	168	.286	5	0.09	10	19	0.18	0	37	0.67	3	50	53	0.96	1	0	107.0
25	PARDO, Mariah	55	10	0.18	0	23	.435	253	4.60	11	4	0.20	0	94	1.71	0	0	0	0.00	0	18	21.0
15	ANDERSON, Ashton	55	2	0.04	2	5	.000	348	6.33	12	14	0.22	0	133	2.42	1	0	1	0.02	1	10	15.0
1	HORSFALL, Taylor	55	2	0.04	4	17	118	6	0.11	0	0	0.00	9	139	2.53	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	2.0
4	LAMONT, Alyssa	2	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	2	1.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
10	BERRYHILL, Brooke	55	0	0.00	1	13	077	63	1.15	13	18	0.24	9	287	5.22	0	0	0	0.00	0	3	13.0
	TEAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	TULSA	55	755	13.73	301	2148	.211	707	12.85	78	104	1.42	42	1013	18.42	26	165	108.5	1.97	21	34	941.5
	Opponents	55	646	11.75	337	2141	.144	612	11.13	42	106	0.76	78	947	17.22	18	188	112.0	2.04	31	13	0.008

Team Statistics	TLS	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	755	646
Errors	301	337
Total Attacks	2148	2141
Attack Pct	.211	.144
Kills/Set	13.7	11.7
SET		
Assists	707	612
Assists/Set	12.9	11.1
SERVE		
Aces	78	42
Errors	104	106
Aces/Set	1.4	8.0
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	42	78
Errors/Set	0.8	1.4
DEFENSE		
Digs	1013	947
Digs/Set	18.4	17.2
BLOCKING		
Block Solo	26	18
Block Assist	165	188
Total Blocks	108.5	112.0
Blocks/Set	2.0	2.0
Block Errors	21	31
Ball handling errors	34	13
ATTENDANCE		
Total	2655	1211
Dates/Avg Per Date	8/332	2/606
Neutral site #/Avg	4/0	
Current win streak	1	-
Home win streak	1	-

Date	Opponent		Score	Score by set	Att.
Aug 26	INCARNATE WORD	W	3-1	25-18.25-19.23-25.25-17	230
Aug 26	ALABAMA	W	3-2	28-30,29-27,25-21,22-25,17-15	715
Aug 27	SOUTH DAKOTA	L	0-3	21-25,19-25,19-25	290
Sep 02	vs Kennesaw State	W	3-1	25-23,23-25,25-12,27-25	0
Sep 02	vs Stephen F. Austin	W	3-1	25-14,21-25,25-16,25-18	0
Sep 03	at Texas State	W	3-1	15-25,25-23,25-14,25-17	794
Sep 09	vs UT Martin	W	3-0	25-15,25-16,25-18	0
Sep 09	vs Central Arkansas	W	3-1	25-17,21-25,25-20,25-22	0
Sep 10	at Arkansas State	W	3-0	25-23,25-23,30-28	417
Sep 16	ORAL ROBERTS	W	3-1	25-12,25-23,23-25,26-24	556
Sep 17	NORTHWESTERN STATE	W	3-1	25-15,25-22,22-25,25-15	202
Sep 17	LOUISIANA TECH	W	3-1	25-23,25-19,22-25,25-14	214
*Sep 22	CINCINNATI	L	2-3	22-25,25-19,15-25,25-23,13-15	206
*Sep 24	EAST CAROLINA	W	3-1	19-25,25-17,25-18,25-17	242

Record in 3-set matches: 2-1 Record in 4-set matches: 9-0 Record in 5-set matches: 1-1