



UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 2021-22 GAME NOTES

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SEVEN OVC CHAMPIONSHIPS • FOUR OVC TOURNAMENT TITLES • FOUR NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES • SIX WOMENS NIT QUALIFIERS

THE MATCHUP



UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS | 2-2, 0-0 OVC

Head Coach: Kevin McMillan (Rhodes College, 1989)
Career Record: 242-144 (13th season)
Record at UTM: Same

Points: Holly Forbes (12.0) **Steals:** Holly Forbes (2.0)
Rebounds: Holly Forbes (7.5) **Blocks:** 3 Tied (0.25)
Assists: Seygan Robins (2.5)

PPG..... 45.2
Opp. PPG..... 48.2
Margin..... -3.0
FG%..... 36.1
3PT FG%..... 25.7
FT%..... 78.0
RPG..... 29.8
APG..... 11.0
TPG..... 16.3
SPG..... 6.8
BPG..... 0.8

VS



ILLINOIS STATE REDBIRDS | 1-2, 0-0 MVC

Head Coach: Kristen Gillespie (NC State, 1999)
Career Record: 174-114 (10th season)
Record at ISU: 69-49 (4th season)

Points: Maya Wong (12.3) **Steals:** Juliunn Redmond (1.3)
Rebounds: DeAnna Wilson (5.7) **Blocks:** 5 Tied (0.3)
Assists: Maya Wong (2.3)

PPG..... 64.7
Opp. PPG..... 69.3
Margin..... -4.7
FG%..... 45.6
3PT FG%..... 38.0
FT%..... 78.4
RPG..... 28.3
APG..... 8.7
TPG..... 16.0
SPG..... 5.7
BPG..... 1.7

PROBABLE STARTING LINEUP



SEYGAN ROBINS
6.0 PPG • 3.8 RPG
2.5 APG • 1.7 SPG



KYANNAH GRANT
3.3 PPG • 4.3 RPG
2.5 APG • 0.5 SPG



PAIGE PIPKIN
10.3 PPG • 4.5 RPG
1.5 APG • 1.0 SPG



HAYLEY HARRISON
9.0 PPG • 2.8 RPG
1.7 APG • 0.7 SPG



HOLLY FORBES
12.0 PPG • 7.5 RPG
2.0 APG • 2.0 SPG

FULL COURT PRESS



PLAYER TO WATCH

#35 • PAIGE PIPKIN

5-10 • HENDERSON, TENN. • JR.

Junior guard Paige Pipkin has led the team in scoring in two of four games this season - scoring a season high 13 points vs. NC A&T.

Pipkin ranks second on the team by averaging 10.3 points per game while adding 4.5 rebounds, 1.5 assists and 1.0 steals per outing.

- The University of Tennessee at Martin women's basketball team will make its home debut on Saturday, Nov. 20 when playing host to Missouri Valley Conference foe Illinois State.
- The contest serves as a rematch of last year's season finale for both teams as UT Martin and Illinois State met in the consolation finals of the WNIT Memphis Regional in Collierville. In a game which featured eight ties and four lead changes, UT Martin scratched out the 64-59 victory. The Skyhawks made history with the win by becoming the first team in program and Ohio Valley Conference history to record multiple victories in a single postseason.
- The Skyhawks (2-2) enter the contest fresh of a lengthy four-game road swing which saw an appearance in the WNIT Preseason Classic and a true road matchup at No. 10 Louisville. UT Martin dropped its road contests to Kansas State (44-30) and Louisville (62-30) while picking up wins over North Carolina A&T (58-40) and Western Kentucky (63-47). During that stretch, the Skyhawks held their first three opponents below 45 points while limiting them to just 29.8 percent from the floor.
- Tasked with the challenge of replacing 70 percent of the team's offensive output from last season, the Skyhawks have seen three different players lead them in scoring in the first four games. Graduate transfer Holly Forbes sits as the team's leading scorer after earning OVC Newcomer of the Week honors earlier in the week, averaging 12.0 points and 7.5 rebounds per game. Junior guard Paige Pipkin ranks second on the team with 10.3 points and 4.5 rebounds per game while leading the team in scoring twice. Freshman wing Hayley Harrison has also been impressive, tallying 9.0 points per game - including a career-high 17 points against Western Kentucky on Monday.
- Illinois State (1-2) is coming off the program's first postseason appearance in eight years while returning nine players from last year's squad. The Redbirds boast two scorers averaging in double figures offensively, led by Maya Wong (12.3 ppg) and Juliunn Redmond (10.3 ppg). Meanwhile, DeAnna Wilson is averaging 9.3 points and 5.7 rebounds per game to round out the squad's top offensive threats.
- Saturday's matchup marks the seventh meeting between the two programs in series history with UT Martin holding a 4-2 advantage. This is just the second visit for Illinois State to Martin, with the last matchup coming back on Feb. 11, 1976 as UT Martin picked up a narrow 89-85 victory.

SERIES HISTORY

UT Martin leads series 4-2

Last Meeting	March 22, 2021
Game Result	W, 64-59
Streak	UTM W1
First Meeting	Jan. 12, 1974
UTM vs. ISU in Martin	1-0
UTM vs. ISU in Normal	1-1
McMillan vs. Illinois State	2-1

2021-22 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

BREAKDOWN	OVERALL RECORD:	2-2
	OVC	0-0
	NON-CONFERENCE	2-2
	HOME	0-0
	AWAY	0-2
	NEUTRAL	2-0

NOVEMBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
12	Fri	at Kansas State [#]	Big12NOW	L, 44-30
14	Sun	vs. North Carolina A&T [#]	YouTube	W, 58-40
15	Mon	vs. Western Kentucky [#]	YouTube	W, 63-47
17	Wed	at #10 Louisville	ACCNX	L, 63-30
20	Sat	ILLINOIS STATE	ESPN+	2 pm
26	Fri	vs. George Washington ⁵	FloHoops	12:15 pm
27	Sat	vs. #25 Virginia Tech ⁵	FloHoops	10 am

DECEMBER

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
5	Sun	SAINT LOUIS	ESPN+	2 pm
12	Sun	MISSISSIPPI STATE	ESPN+	2 pm
15	Wed	SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	ESPN+	7 pm
20	Mon	vs. Akron [%]	-	7 pm
21	Tue	vs. Bowling Green [%]	-	7 pm
30	Thur	at Austin Peay [*]	ESPN+	5 pm

JANUARY

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
1	Sat	SIUE [*]	ESPN+	1 pm
6	Thur	at Tennessee State [*]	ESPN+	TBA
8	Sat	BELMONT [*]	ESPN+	1 pm
12	Wed	at Morehead State [*]	ESPN+	4 pm
15	Sat	TENNESSEE TECH [*]	ESPN+	1 pm
20	Thur	AUSTIN PEAY [*]	ESPN+	1 pm
22	Sat	at Murray State [*]	ESPN+	5 pm
27	Thur	EASTERN ILLINOIS [*]	ESPN+	5:30 pm
29	Sat	at Belmont [*]	ESPN+	4 pm

FEBRUARY

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
3	Thur	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI [*]	ESPN+	5:30 pm
5	Sat	TENNESSEE STATE [*]	ESPN+	1 pm
10	Thur	at SIUE [*]	ESPN+	5:30 pm
12	Sat	at Eastern Illinois [*]	ESPN+	1 pm
16	Wed	MOREHEAD STATE [*]	ESPN+	5:30 pm
19	Sat	MURRAY STATE [*]	ESPN+	1 pm
24	Thur	at Southeast Missouri [*]	ESPN+	5 pm
26	Sat	at Tennessee Tech [*]	ESPN+	5:30 pm

MARCH

Date	Day	Opponent	TV	Time (CT)
2	Wed	vs. OVC Championship	ESPN+	TBA
3	Thur	vs. OVC Championship	ESPN+	TBA
4	Fri	vs. OVC Championship	ESPN+	TBA
5	Sat	vs. OVC Championship	ESPN+	TBA

[#] WNIT Preseason Classic - Manhattan, Kan.
⁵ San Juan Shootout - San Juan, Puerto Rico
[%] Holiday Hoops Classic - Las Vegas, Nevada

Home games in **BOLD CAPS** in Elam Center
^{*} Ohio Valley Conference game

UT MARTIN SKYHAWKS (2-2, 0-0 OVC)

HEAD COACH: KEVIN McMILLAN (13TH SEASON)

ASSISTANTS: WILLIE TREVATHAN, DARBY MAGGARD AND STACIE EVANS

#	NAME	HOMETOWN	FIELD GOAL	3PT. FGS	FREE THROWS	FOULS	POINTS
0	EMMA DAVIS	G, 5-10, JR. HARRODSBURG, KY.					
2	ELLA THOMPSON	F, 5-11, FR. BARDSTOWN, KY.					
5	SEYGAN ROBINS	G, 5-8, SO. HARRODSBURG, KY.					
10	RAEGAN JOHNSON	F, 6-2, SO. MARTIN, TENN.					
11	SHAE LITTLEFORD	G, 5-7, FR. CHARLESTON, ILL.					
12	MIA HURST	G, 5-10, FR. HENDERSON, TENN.					
22	TAYLOR DUPREE	F, 6-2, FR. BRANDON, MISS.					
23	HAYLEY HARRISON	G, 5-10, FR. WINCHESTER, KY.					
25	SHANICE SIMPSON-WHITELEY	F, 6-1, FR. TORONTO, CANADA					
31	KYANNAH GRANT	G, 5-7, JR. CHOCTAW, MISS.					
32	GABI MELBY	G, 5-6, FR. NAPERVILLE, ILL.					
34	HOLLY FORBES	F, 5-10, GR. BONNE TERRE, MO.					
35	PAIGE PIPKIN	G, 5-10, JR. HENDERSON, TENN.					
44	HALEY NICHOLS	F, 6-0, FR. AVON, IND.					

ILLINOIS STATE REDBIRDS (1-2, 0-0 MVC)

HEAD COACH: KRISTEN GILLESPIE (FIFTH SEASON)

ASSISTANTS: JESSICA KELLER, MARIYAH BRAWNER-HENLEY, SCOTT GILLESPIE, STEHANIE KUZMANIC, BENJI MASTANDREA

#	NAME	HOMETOWN	FIELD GOALS	3PT. FGS	FREE THROWS	FOULS	POINTS
0	JADA STINSON	G, 5-8, GR. FAYETTEVILLE, NC					
1	JASMINE MCGINNIS-TAYLOR	F, 6-3, SO. OMAHA, NEB.					
3	MARY CROMPTON	G, 5-8, R-JR. IOWA CITY, IOWA					
4	LAUREN COHEN	G, 5-8, FR. WHEATON, ILL.					
5	LEXY KOUDELKA	F, 6-2, SR. NEVADA, IOWA					
11	KENZIE BOWERS	G, 5-9, FR. KENT CITY, MICH.					
12	MAYA WONG	G, 5-8, R-SO. NORMAL, ILL.					
13	KAYEL NEWLAND	G, 5-10, SR. KANSAS CITY, MO.					
22	CHLOE VAN ZEELAND	F, 6-1, FR. KAUKAUNA, WIS.					
23	JULIUNN "JUJU" REDMOND	G, 5-11, 5TH CHICAGO, ILL.					
24	DEANNA WILSON	F, 6-2, JR. ST. LOUIS, MO.					
25	LEXI BOLES	F, 6-3, FR. DES MOINES, IOWA					
32	KATE BULLMAN	F, 6-2, SO. GRAYSLAKE, ILL.					
33	HANNAH KELLE	F, 6-1, JR. LINCOLN, NEB.					