

West florida softball

MARCH 17 // MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE

West Florida **Argonauts** 17-3 Overall 12-0 GSC Ashliegh McLean **Head Coach**

6	– Mississippi College Choctaws				
	11-9 Overall				
	4-5 GSC				
	Brooke O'Hair Head Coach				
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BA	.294
R	134
Н	169
2B	25
3B	9
HR	18
RBI	114
TB	266
OBP	.398
SLG	.463
BB	79
K	90
SB	22
E	29
FLD	.949
ERA	3.52
Н	134
R	82
SHO	2
BB	73
K	94
BA	.258
	R H 2B 3B HR RBI TB OBP SLG BB K SB E FLD ERA H R SHO BB K

ABOUT LAST WEEK

UWF's offense was explosive again last weekend, hitting .347 and slugging .684 with 8 home runs against West Alabama. The Argonauts swept the series, improving to 12-0 in conference play, with two come-from-behind wins on the road against the Tigers.

The highlight of the weekend came on Saturday, with the Argonauts trailing 13-11 in the top of the seventh with two outs. Following a Teala Howard single to left field, Kayla Mayo, Jessica Ford, and Madelyn Vasquez delievered back-to-back-to-back home runs to take a 15-13 lead and pick up the series sweep.

With another big offensive week, UWF has now scored at least eight runs in nine consecutive games.

ABOUT MISSISSIPPI COLLEGE

Mississippi College is always a tough matchup with West Florida. The Argonauts hold a 13-5 record against the Lady Choctaws since 2015 and have won six matchups in a row, but they haven't normally been easy wins.

MC is second in the GSC in runs per game, at 6.7, and the team will bring a well-rounded offense to go along with a strong pitching staff.

Catcher McCall Lee is MC's top bat, as she's hitting .413 and leads the team with 21 RBIs. Jenna Ergle and AnneMarie Peavy each have

Probable Starters

# Name	Pos.	Notes
5 Kelsey Sweatt	Р	Struck out 7 in complete game shutout at Christian Brothers
27 Jeya Prasad	Р	Leads GSC in OPP BA (.144) and ERA (1.49)
20 Montana Young	Р	Threw perfect game vs. Shorter on Saturday, 2/26 the 9th in UWF history
4 Angela Agurkis	C/DP	Sixth in GSC in slugging (.725), eighth in OBP (.481)
8 Erin Moon	C/DP	Hit .714 with two doubles and a triple in Shorter series
17 Madelyn Vasquez	1B	Hit 4 home runs in series against West Alabama
9 Teala Howard	3B	All-time leading hitter in the GSC (.457) 2nd in UWF history in SB (118)
1 Kayla Mayo	SS	Hit game-tying HR on Saturday against West Alabama in 7th inning
25 Laurynn Boggs	LF	Hitting .318 / .444 / .682 on the year with two home runs, 12 RBIs
24 Jessica Ford	CF	Hit .417 with 3 home runs last weekend Leads GSC in runs scored (23)

Home: 6-1 Away: 6-0 Neutral: 5-2

February

2/3	Barry	L, 1-5
2/5	Palm Beach Atlan	tic & W, 3-2
2/5	Union &	W, 5-4
2/6	#5 North Georgia	& L, 1-4
2/12	Bentley %	W, 8-2
2/12	No. 8 Saint Anselr	n % L, 0-1
2/13	Barry %	W, 3-2
2/13	Florida Tech %	W, 6-3
2/19	West Georgia *	W; 9-1, W; 11-3
2/20	West Georgia *	W, 5-0
2/26	Shorter *	W, 8-0; W, 10-0
2/27	Shorter *	W, 8-0

March

3/5	Christian Brothers *	W, 9-2; W, 8-4
3/6	Christian Brothers *	W, 16-3
3/11	West Alabama *	W, 13-9; W, 8-2
3/12	West Alabama *	W, 15-13
3/17	Mississippi College ([OH) Noon
3/23	Union (DH)	1 PM
3/26	#16 Auburn Montgome	ery * (DH) 1 PM
3/27	#16 Auburn Montgome	ry* 1 PM
3/30	Columbus State (DH)	1 PM ET

April

4/1	Montevallo *	6 PM
4/2	Montevallo * (DH)	1 PM
4/6	Spring Hill (DH)	2 PM
4/9	#24 UAH * (DH)	1 PM
4/10	#24 UAH *	1 PM
4/15	Delta State * (DH)	2 PM
4/16	Delta State *	Noon
4/23	#3 Valdosta State * (DH)	1 PM
4/24	#3 Valdosta State *	1 PM
4/30	Lee * (DH)	1 PM ET

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5/1 Lee *	1 PM ET
5/5-8	GSC Tournament
5/12-14	NCAA Regionals
5/19-20	NCAA South Super Regional
5/27-31	NCAA Championship

* Gulf South Conference Game & Gulf Shores Invitational % Florida Tech Invitational (DH) Doubleheader **BOLD** - Home Game

UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	CI.	B/T	Hometown	Previous School
1	Kayla Mayo	MI	5-3	Jr.	R/R	Minneola, Fla.	Lake Minneola HS
2	Kayanna Perez	OF	5-5	Sr.	L/R	Jacksonville, Fla.	Jacksonville Univ.
3	Ayana Powell	OF	5-3	Fr.	R/R	Windermere, Fla.	Windermere HS
4	Angela Agurkis	C	5-6	Sr.	R/R	Green Cove Springs, Fla.	Florida Atlantic
5	Kelsey Sweatt	Р	5-6	Sr.	R/R	Jacksonville, Fla.	USC Upstate
7	Morgan Zettle	OF	5-8	Sr.	L/R	Tallahassee, Fla.	Lincoln HS
8	Erin Moon	C	5-6	Fr.	L/R	Jacksonville, Fla.	Atlantic Coast HS
9	Teala Howard	UTIL	5-5	Sr.	L/R	Lake Butler, Fla.	Union County HS
10	Madilynne Webb	1B	5-8	So.	R/R	Chipley, Fla.	Chipley HS
11	Landry Dupont	OF	5-7	Fr.	R/R	Bogalusa, La.	Bowling Green School
12	Chelsea Dumas	UTIL	5-6	So.	R/R	Bonita Springs, Fla.	Estero HS
13	Kelsey Hodges	OF	5-5	Sr.	R/R	Milton, Fla.	Coastal Alabama CC
16	Mallory Vining	IF	5-8	Sr.	R/R	Ponchatoula, La.	Ponchatoula HS
17	Madelyn Vasquez	MI	5-4	So.	L/R	Milton, Fla.	Southern Mississippi
18	Halie Wetherington	P/UTL	5-5	Fr.	R/R	Madison, Fla.	Madison County HS
19	Harper Newlan	UTIL	5-7	Fr.	R/R	Flower Mound, Texas	Liberty Christian
20	Montana Young	Р	5-4	So.	R/R	Slidell, La.	Northshore HS
21	Brett Leiva	C	5-9	Jr.	R/R	Denham Springs, La.	Live Oak HS
22	Katelin Booker	P/1B	5-6	Fr.	L/L	Satsuma, Ala.	Satsuma HS
24	Jessica Ford	OF	5-9	Jr.	R/R	Stanardsville, Va.	Pensacola State
25	Laurynn Boggs	OF	5-7	So.	R/R	Longwood, Fla.	Lyman HS
27	Jeya Prasad	Р	5-6	R-Fr.	R/R	Pensacola, Fla.	Florida State

Head Coach: Ashliegh McLean **Graduate Assistant: Natalie Erwin**

Assistant Coach: Emma Johansen

By Position

Pitchers (3)

Kelsey Sweatt Jeya Prasad Montana Young

Catchers (3)

Angela Agurkis **Brett Leiva** Erin Moon

Utility (4)

Katelin Booker Teala Howard Harper Newlan Halie Wetherington

Infielders (5)

Chelsea Dumas Kayla Mayo Madelyn Vasquez **Mallory Vining** Madilynne Webb

Outfielders (7)

Laurynn Boggs **Landry Dupont** Jessica Ford **Kelsey Hodges** Kayanna Perez Ayana Powell Morgan Zettle

By Hometown

Alabama (1)

Katelin Booker

Louisiana (4)

Landry Dupont Brett Leiva Mallory Vining Montana Young

Texas (1)

Harper Newlan

Virginia (1) Jessica Ford

Florida (15)					
Tiorida (15)					
Angela Agurkis	Ayana Powell				
Laurynn Boggs	Jeya Prasad				
Chelsea Dumas	Kelsey Sweatt				
Kelsey Hodges	Madelyn Vasquez				
Teala Howard	Madil <mark>ynne We</mark> bb				
Kayla Mayo	Halie Wetherington				
Erin Moon	Morgan Zettle				
Kayanna Perez					

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QUICK FACTS

UNIVERSITY

University of West Florida Name Location Pensacola, Fla. 32514 **Founded** 1967 Enrollment 13,000 Nickname **Argonauts** Royal Blue (PMS 285) **Primary Colors** Kelly Green (PMS 3405 / 06B085) Affiliation NCAA Division II **Gulf South** Conference President Dr. Martha Saunders Athletic Director Dave Scott **Athletics Phone** (850) 474-3003 Athletics Fax (850) 474-3342 Athletics Web Site GoArgos.com

SEASON IN REVIEW

2021 Record		33-16
GSC Finish		4th
Highest 2021 Natio	onal Ranking	15th
Final 2021 National Ranking		15th
Starters Returning/Lost		6/6
Letterwinners Retu	urning/Lost	13/9
Home Facility	UWF Softball	Complex
Capacity		200

PROGRAM HISTORY

First Year of Softball		1986
All-Time Record	1,589-652-1	(.709)
NCAA Tournament App	pearances	14
Last NCAA Tournament	t Appearance	2021
Record		3-2
GSC Tournament Appe	arances	24
Last GSC Tournament A	Appearance	2021
Record		0-2
GSC East Division Chan	npionships	7
GSC Tournament Cham	pionships	4
Last GSC Championshi	р	2019

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NEWS AND NOTES

five home runs on the year, Brooke Fagan and Jordan LaFosse are both hitting well over .300.

Avery Sanders and Avery Barnett are two of the top pitchers in the league as well. Barnett is fifth in the GSC in ERA (2.43), while Sanders is eighth in ERA (2.76) and 11th in opponent batting average (.245).

A MADELYN VASQUEZ BREAKOUT

Sophomore Madelyn Vasquez has been one of the top hitters in the GSC and the country this season. She continued her tear through the conference last weekend at West Alabama with her best series yet – she hit .417 and slugged 1.417 with four home runs and eight RBIs at UWA.

The Milton, Florida, native ranks 12th in Division II with 8 home runs and is 17th in slugging percentage (.917) and 20th in RBIs (28). She also leads the GSC in OPS (1.415), is second in slugging, RBIs, and homers, and is third in doubled (7), fifth in on-base percentage (.500), and eighth in batting (.390).

Vasquez is riding a nine-game hitting streak and has at least one RBI in each of her last nine games, with seven home runs in her last nine as well.

JESSICA FORD'S OFFENSIVE EXPLOSION

Junior outfielder Jessica Ford has been on a hot streak through the Gulf South Conference, and she kept it going at West Alabama last weekend. A transfer from nearby Pensacola State, Ford hit .417 with three home runs and a double in the series in Livingston. Her final home run of the weekend turned out to be the game-winner on Saturday and was the second of three consecutive Argonaut homers in the seventh inning of that game.

On the year, Ford leads the GSC with 23 runs scored, is third with 5 home runs, and is in the top 10 in the conference in slugging, OPS, doubles, and RBIs.

SLUGGING AS USUAL

It took the UWF offense a couple of weeks to heat up, but the lineup has been about as good as ever since the start of conference play. West Florida is slugging .688 in GSC action and leads the league in slugging overall this season, at .535.

UWF's .535 slugging percentage would shatter the program record of .494 set last year. That is no surprise for an Ashliegh McLean-run team – in the four years that McLean has been UWF's head coach, the team has posted four of the top six slugging percentage marks in program history, including this season. Last year's team set the UWF record by slugging .494 and hit a program-best 51 home runs. The teams in 2019 and 2020 slugged .449 and .454, respectively, which currently rank as the fifth- and sixth-best slugging percentages in team history.

NFCA TOP 25

Rk.	School	Record
1	UT Tyler (12)	21-1
2	Concordia Irvine	24-0
3	Valdosta State	16-4
4	Indianapolis	17-1
5	Rogers State	20-2
6	West Texas A&M	13-6
7	Grand Valley State	12-1
8	Central Oklahoma	21-3
9	Texas A&M-Kingsville	22-3
10	Augustana (S.D.)	13-4
11	Chico State	22-4
12	West Florida	17-3
13	Tampa	17-8
14	Lubbock Christian	19-3
15	North Georgia	19-8
16	Auburn Montgomery	16-5
17	Angelo State	18-4
18	Carson-Newman	21-3
19	Lincoln Memorial	18-6
20	Texas A&M-Commerce	21-5
21	Minnesota State	13-4
22	Anderson (S.C.)	19-3
23	St. Mary's	20-4
24	UAH	15-7
25	Cal State San Marcos	23-3

OTHERS RECEIVING VOTES:

Oklahoma Christian (14), Harding (7), Seton Hill (7), Barry (1).

NEWS AND NOTES

RISP-Y BUSINESS

West Florida leads the conference in runs per game this year, scoring more than 7 per contest. That fact makes the following less surprising: UWF is hitting .396 with runners in scoring position.

Naturally, the heart of the Argonauts order has been a big part of this. Jessica Ford leads the team with 10 hits in 19 at-bats with runners in scoring position, while Madelyn Vasquez is hitting .563 (9-for-16), and Angela Agurkis is hitting .583 (7-for-12).

Seemingly everyone has been productive in this situation. Even at the top of the lineup, Teala Howard is hitting .500 (7-for-14) and Kayla Mayo is hitting .357 (5-for-14).

THE CLASS OF THE GSC

With a 66-16 conference record since 2019, West Florida holds the best winning percentage (.805) in league play among all Gulf South Conference teams. The team's 66 conference wins -- as well as their 121 total wins -- since 2019 are the most in the GSC.

West Florida has hit a league-best .367 in 12 conference games this year, averaging 10 runs per game in GSC action. The pitching staff has been the best in the GSC in conference play, with a combined 2.76 ERA over 76.0 innings of work. The Argonauts pitchers hold a .191 opponent batting average in six conference games, more than 50 points better than AUM, which ranks second at .244.

West Florida has covered the GSC leaderboards as well. Madelyn Vasquez leads the league in OPS (on-base percentage plus slugging percentage) at a stunning 1.415, ranking second in the league in slugging (.915) and home runs (8). Jessica Ford leads the conference in runs (23) and is third in homers (5), while Teala Howard leads the league in hits (33), runs (23), and stolen bases (17), and she is a mere five points out of the batting average lead. There is at least one Argonaut -- and in many cases, multiple Argonauts -- in the top 15 of every batting category in the GSC.

And of course, the pitching. UWF's trio -- Jeya Prasad, Kelsey Sweatt, and Montana Young -- has been arguably the best in the conference this season. Prasad leads the league in ERA (1.49) and opponent batting average (.144), Sweatt is second in wins (8) and strikeouts (66), and Young is in the top 10 in the league in ERA (2.93; 10th) and opponent batting average (.236; 9th).

NEWS AND NOTES

IT'S A STREAK

West Florida is now on an 14-game winning streak, and the team could not be playing much better. The Argonauts are hitting .346 and slugging .641, with 23 home runs, and the pitching staff has thrown to a 2.69 ERA with 92 strikeouts in 91.0 innings of work, with opponents hitting just .188.

Madelyn Vasquez leads the team in batting (.463), home runs (8), RBIs (25), and on-base percentage (.574), and four more Argonauts are hitting .400 or better.

Jessica Ford (.444), Teala Howard (.444), Angela Agurkis (.412), and Erin Moon (.400) are each hitting .400 or better during the streak. Ford has five home runs and is slugging .956 over the last 14 games, Howard leads the team in hits (24) and stolen bases (13) in that time, and Agurkis leads UWF with 6 doubles during the streak.

WE'RE RANKED

Another three-game sweep over the weekend pushed UWF forward in the latest National Fastpitch Coaches Association poll, released on Tuesday. UWF is up one spot from last week, now at No. 12 nationally.

UWF, No. 3 Valdosta State, No. 16 Auburn Montgomery, and No. 24 Alabama Huntsville are the four GSC teams ranked in the poll. Tampa, at No. 13, is the only other South Region team in the top 25.

TEALA AND THE RECORD BOOKS

Teala Howard has continued her climb in the UWF record book. The senior utility player holds the GSC and UWF all-time batting average record, at .457, and she ranks among the top 10 in UWF history in several other categories.

Howard is also fifth in career slugging percentage at UWF (.592) and is second in career stolen bases (118). Her 16 triples and 118 stolen bases also rank inside the top 10 in GSC history. A little farther down the list, Howard ranks sixth in program history in hits (251), seventh in runs (176), and 11th in total bases (325).

And keep in mind – Howard has done this in a little over two-and-a-half years, having lost half of her sophomore season due to the COVID-19 outbreak.

IN THE RECORD BOOKS

		Career Batting Average	
		(Min. 300 AB)	
1.	.457	Teala Howard	2019-present
2.	.455	Jill Burnett	1997-98
3.	.409	Karri Bisbee	2010-11
t-4.	.395	Blake Baskin	1998-2000
t-4.	.395	Adrienne Hauck	1992-94
6.	.383	Bonita Rushing	1989-91
		Career Slugging Percentage (Min. 300 AB)	
1.	.768	Jill Burnett	1997-98
2.	.686	Blake Baskin	1998-2000
3.	.641	Shannon Miles	2009-10
4.	.599	Nicky VanCamp	2007-08
<i>5</i> .	.592	Teala Howard	2019-present
6.	.581	Rhiannon Sassman	2016-present
		Stolen Bases	
1.	174	Misty Haynes	1990-94
2.	118	Teala Howard	2019-present
3.	107	Erin Smith	1995-98
4.	86	Tiffany Clary	1994-95
5.	85	Bonita Rushing	1989-91
6.	72	Meghan Toney	2015-18
		Strikeouts Per 7 Innings	
		(Min. 2 years & 200 IP)	
1.	7.52	Emily Burge	2006-09
2.	7.39	Taren Walton	2007-08
3.	6.87	Kelsey Sweatt	2019-present
4.	6.75	Jillian Lafrance	2008-10
5.	6.48	Kalyn Chapman	2015-16
6.	6.34	Heather Hansen	1990-91
		Hits Allowed Per 7 Innings (Min. 2 years & 200 IP)	
1.	1.55	Heather Hansen	1990-91
2.	4.66	Anne Ebinger	1992-93
3.	4.67	Kelsey Sweatt	2019-present
4.	4.80	Jackie Moore	2003-04
5.	4.87	Roxanne Arden	1986-87
6.	5.10	Leann Buneta	1994-98
		Strikeouts	
1.	731	Emily Burge	2006-09
2.	678	Sandy Morgan	1997-2000
3.	544	Leann Buneta	1994-98
4.	520	Jillian Lafrance	2008-10
5.	478	Krissy Styrna	1999-00
6.	435	Heather Hansen	1990-91
<i>7</i> .	413	Kelsey Sweatt	2019-present

AROUND THE LEAGUE

GSC LEADERS

Stat	Player (School)	No.
AVG	Teala Howard (UWF)	.452
SLG	Sierra Easterwood (MONT)	.918
OBP	Alyssa Branyan (DSU)	.576
Runs	Jessica Ford (UWF)	23
	Teala Howard (UWF)	23
Hits	Teala Howard (UWF)	33
RBI	Gia Martin (AUM)	31
2B	Alaina Hampton (UAH)	10
3B	Jordan LaFosse (MC)	4
HR	Sierra Easterwood (MONT)	9
SB	Teala Howard (UWF)	17
	Shelby Booker (UAH)	17

GSC LEADERS

Stat	Player (School)	No.
ERA	Jeya Prasad (UWF)	1.49
Wins	Samantha Richards (VSU)	12
CG	Samantha Richards (VSU)	10
Saves	Macy Ann McKnight (UWC	G) 3
	Kaley Dowdy (UWG)	3
IP	Samantha Richards (VSU)	79.1
SO	Samantha Richards (VSU)	107
SO/7	Samantha Richards (VSU)	9.4
BB/7	Elaina McGill (CBU)	0.86
Орр ВА	Jeya Prasad (UWF)	.144
H/7	Jeya Prasad (UWF)	3.64

PAST CHAMPIONS

Year	Tournament	Reg. Season
2021	AUM	AUM
2020	N/A	N/A
2019	West Florida	West Florida
2018	North Alabama	North Alabama
2017	Miss. College	Ala. Huntsville
2016	North Alabama	North Alabama
2015	Shorter	Valdosta State
2014	Valdosta State	Shorter
2013	Valdosta State	Ala. Huntsville
2012	Valdosta State	Valdosta State

GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE STANDINGS

School	GSC	Pct.	Overall	Pct.	Streak
West Florida	12-0	1.000	17-3	.850	W14
Valdosta State	8-0	1.000	16-4	.800	W3
Auburn Montgomery	7-2	.778	17-5	.773	W3
Montevallo	4-3	.571	12-10	.545	W5
Alabama Huntsville	5-4	.556	15-7	.682	L2
Lee	5-6	.455	11-11	.500	W2
Mississippi College	4-5	.444	11-9	.550	L3
West Alabama	4-5	.444	12-12	.500	L3
Delta State	4-6	.400	9-12	.429	L2
West Georgia	4-7	.364	10-12	.455	W2
Union	3-6	.333	8-13	.381	W3
Christian Brothers	1-9	.100	5-18	.217	L7
Shorter	1-10	.091	4-19	.174	L10

GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE BATTING STATISTICS

School	AVG	OBP	SLG	R	н	2B	3B	HR	BB	so	SB
Alabama Huntsville	.312	.381	.430	127	185	41	7	5	65	64	64
Valdosta State	.308	.391	.530	131	163	29	4	27	69	80	35
West Florida	.306	.388	.535	147	162	32	10	23	65	68	39
Mississippi College	.294	.398	.463	134	169	25	9	18	79	90	22
Union	.292	.360	.396	88	155	24	5	7	52	88	41
Auburn Montgomery	.290	.366	.452	127	170	27	4	20	64	73	30
Lee	.287	.377	.410	124	170	25	6	12	70	120	38
Delta State	.279	.369	.387	87	145	27	4	7	60	96	31
West Alabama	.275	.383	.432	133	167	33	7	16	94	128	64
Montevallo	.274	.343	.467	116	162	34	7	22	59	120	27
West Georgia	.273	.339	.417	101	155	30	5	14	52	115	38
Shorter	.254	.334	.335	64	135	24	5	3	63	95	28
Christian Brothers	.238	.369	.359	136	135	26	8	9	101	115	15

GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE PITCHING STATISTICS

School	ERA	W-L	IP	Орр. ВА	ВВ	so	SHO	SV
Valdosta State	2.29	16-4	131.2	.223	39	144	5	0
West Florida	2.73	17-3	131.0	.196	58	130	4	0
Mississippi College	2.74	11-9	135.1	.258	73	94	2	0
Auburn Montgomery	3.19	17-5	147.0	.254	50	97	4	3
Alabama Huntsville	3.36	15-7	141.2	.257	48	91	0	0
West Alabama	3.69	12-12	157.1	.248	92	107	1	0
Lee	4.00	11-11	145.1	.286	40	104	0	1
Delta State	4.34	9-12	130.2	.327	54	52	2	2
Union	4.55	7-13	129.1	.264	74	102	0	1
Montevallo	5.25	12-10	140.0	.303	80	104	2	1
West Georgia	5.33	10-12	134.0	.289	91	99	1	6
Christian Brothers	7.15	5-17	138.0	.337	102	90	1	0
Shorter	8.10	4-17	129.2	.382	63	61	0	1

GULF SOUTH CONFERENCE WEEKLY AWARDS

Date	Player of the Week	Pitcher of the Week	Freshman of the Week
2/8	Nikki Pennington (VSU)	Samantha Richards (VSU)	RJ Simpson (CBU)
2/15	McCall Lee (MC)	Olivia Burns (DSU)	Jeya Prasad (UWF)
2/22	Morgan Hill (VSU)	Samantha Richards (VSU)	Javaria Smith (Lee)
3/1	Katie Proctor (VSU)	Montana Young (UWF)	Chloe Derrick (AUM)
3/8	RJ Janke (UWG)	Samantha Richards (VSU)	Ana Macha (Lee)
3/15	Sierra Easterwood (MONT)	Mabry Norris (MONT)	Alexa Scalzo (Lee)

THE ASHLIEGH MCLEAN FILE



Ashliegh McLean was named head coach of the UWF softball program in May 2018, after four years as an assistant at UWF, and her first season has been nothing short of incredible.

It's tough to imagine a better possible start for the Argonauts during McLean's first year as head coach, as she led the team to a Gulf South Conference Championship, a South Region Title, and a trip to the NCAA Championship in Denver. The team also spent four weeks as the No. 1-ranked team in the country, on the way to earning the 1-seed in the South Region.

Awards flowed in for McLean and UWF, as Rhiannon Sassman, Teala Howard, and Kelsey Sweatt were each named All-Americans. Sassman was also the D2CCA South Region Player

of the Year and the GSC Player of the Year, Howard was named the GSC Freshman of the Year, and Sweatt earned D2C-CA South Region Pitcher of the Year honors, while McLean was named the GSC Coach of the Year.

West Florida finished the year at 54-11, and the team set the program record for fielding percentage (.977) and improved its record by 16.5 games. West Florida set several high-water marks this year, in many respects having the program's best season in over a decade. The team's 54 wins were the most for the program since 2005, their 1.80 ERA was the best since 2006, and their 5.6 runs per game were the most since 2010.

After a COVID-shortened 2020 campaign, the 2021 season provided more accolades and excitement for McLean and the Argonauts. With a 33-16 record, McLean lead UWF to its fifth season with 30 or more wins in the last five full years, and the 2021 squad set program records in slugging percentage (.494) and home runs (51).

Teala Howard earned All-American status from the NFCA and D2CCA again, while she, Courtney McLellan, Ally Merrill, Jacquelynne Poling, Kelsey Sweatt, and Kara Wilson each picked All-Region honors.

McLean also earned her 100th career win during the 2021 season, on May 1 against Lee. Her 104-36 record through three seasons gives her a .743 career winning percentage -- better than any other current coach in the GSC through their first three seasons at their respective schools. The offense took another step forward in the 2021 season, setting program records in home runs (51) and slugging percentage (.494).

McLean first joined the UWF coaching staff after spending two-years as a pitcher for the Argonauts softball program in 2011 and 2012. She started 39 games for the Argos in the circle and over 30 games in right field being a key utility player for West Florida and was listed as one of the GSC's top newcomers in 2011.

ASSISTANT COACH EMMA JOHANSEN

Emma Johansen joined the West Florida softball staff in July 2018, after spending four years on staff at Alabama State in Montgomery.

The Argonaut offense has taken big strides in Johansen's first three years with the program, setting UWF records in slugging percentage (.494) and home runs (51) in 2021. In Johansen's first season with the offense in 2019, West Florida totaled the third-most extra-base hits, fourth-most total bases, and fifth-most doubles in program history, to go along with the third-best slugging percentage (.449) in the Argonaut record books.

Johansen also helped coach ASU to its first SWAC championship, which helped clinch an NCAA Tournament berth. Before ASU, Johansen served as the assistant softball coach for Auburn University at Montgomery and played a role in leading the team to the 2014 NAIA National Championship. In the summer of 2017, Johansen also coached the Swedish National Team in the European National Championships.

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2022 UWF Softball Games Summary for West Florida (as of Mar 12, 2022) (All games)

Score by innings West Florida Opponents	1 18 15	2 15 5	3 39 17	4 16 8	5 21 7	6 18 7	7 15 1	8 5 0	Total 147 60		
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Longest winning streak:											

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2022 UWF Softball Miscellaneous Stats for West Florida (as of Mar 12, 2022) (All games)

Multiple Hit Games	2	3	4	5+	Total	Multiple RBI Games	2	3	4	5+	Total
9 Teala Howard	8	3	-	-	11	17 Madelyn Vasquez	5	3	1	-	9
24 Jessica Ford	3	2	-	-	5	24 Jessica Ford	1	2	-	1	4
8 Erin Moon	4	1	-	-	5	9 Teala Howard	2	1	-	-	3
17 Madelyn Vasquez	4	1	-	-	5	25 Laurynn Boggs	-	1	1	1	3
4 Angela Agurkis	4	-	-	-	4	7 Morgan Zettle	2	1	-	-	3
10 Madilynne Webb	2	-	-	-	2	4 Angela Agurkis	-	-	2	-	2
1 Kayla Mayo	-	2	-	-	2	8 Erin Moon	2	-	-	-	2
25 Laurynn Boggs	2	-	-	-	2	13 Kelsey Hodges	-	2	-	-	2
7 Morgan Zettle	1	1	-	-	2	1 Kayla Mayo	1	1	-	-	2
21 Brett Leiva	1	-	-	-	1	10 Madilynne Webb	1	-	-	-	1
12 Chelsea Dumas	1	-	-	-	1	21 Brett Leiva	-	1	-	-	1
TEAM	30	10	0	0	40	TEAM	14	12	4	2	32

Hitting Streaks	Longest	Current	Reached Base Streaks	Longest	Current
9 Teala Howard	10	9	17 Madelyn Vasquez	19	19
17 Madelyn Vasquez	9	9	24 Jessica Ford	15	15
24 Jessica Ford	7	7	9 Teala Howard	10	9
8 Erin Moon	7	4	10 Madilynne Webb	7	7
7 Morgan Zettle	5	2	7 Morgan Zettle	7	2
4 Angela Agurkis	4	4	8 Erin Moon	7	4
10 Madilynne Webb	3	3	4 Angela Agurkis	7	5
25 Laurynn Boggs	3	-	25 Laurynn Boggs	6	1
12 Chelsea Dumas	3	-	1 Kayla Mayo	5	3
2 Kayanna Perez	3	-	12 Chelsea Dumas	4	4
1 Kayla Mayo	2	2	2 Kayanna Perez	3	1
13 Kelsey Hodges	2	-	13 Kelsey Hodges	2	-
21 Brett Leiva	1	-	16 Mallory Vining	2	2
			21 Brett Leiva	1	1

2022 UWF Softball Overall Statistics for West Florida (as of Mar 12, 2022) (All games Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 17-3 Home: 6-1 Away: 6-0 Neutral: 5-2 GSC: 12-0

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b :	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so g	dp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	ро	а	е	fld%
9 Teala Howard	.446	20-20	74	23	33	3	3	2	11	48	.649	0	6	4	0	.488	0	0	17-19	29	31	3	.952
17 Madelyn Vasquez	.390	20-20	59	20	23	7	0	8	28	54	.915	12	2	6	0	.500	1	0	3-5	72	5	2	.975
24 Jessica Ford	.359	20-20	64	23	23	6	1	5	21	46	.719	9	0	4	0	.427	2	0	7-9	25	0	1	.962
4 Angela Agurkis	.350	17-15	40	13	14	6	0	3	12	29	.725	11	0	7	0	.481	1	1	0-0	9	2	0	1.000
8 Erin Moon	.339	18-18	56	7	19	6	1	0	10	27	.482	2	1	2	0	.373	0	0	0-0	77	7	0	1.000
7 Morgan Zettle	.324	13-12	34	9	11	1	3	0	10	18	.529	3	0	6	0	.378	0	1	1-1	9	0	1	.900
1 Kayla Mayo	.196	17-17	51	11	10	2	1	1	9	17	.333	5	0	5	0	.263	1	3	1-1	27	15	2	.955
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25 Laurynn Boggs	.304	15-8	23	15	7	0	1	2	12	15	.652	5	0	1	0	.429	0	1	5-6	16	0	1	.941
10 Madilynne Webb	.280	11-8	25	3	7	0	0	1	4	10	.400	5	1	4	0	.406	1	0	0-0	23	0	2	.920
12 Chelsea Dumas	.227	13-9	22	7	5	0	0	0	0	5	.227	2	0	5	0	.292	0	2	0-0	14	9	4	.852
21 Brett Leiva	.176	7-6	17	3	3	1	0	1	3	7	.412	1	0	5	0	.222	0	0	0-0	46	6	0	1.000
2 Kayanna Perez	.154	15-12	26	2	4	0	0	0	1	4	.154	3	0	4	0	.233	1	2	1-1	23	0	2	.920
13 Kelsey Hodges	.130	11-8	23	3	3	0	0	0	7	3	.130	3	0	5	0	.231	0	0	1-1	8	1	0	1.000
16 Mallory Vining	.000	8-7	14	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	.000	4	0	8	0	.222	0	1	1-1	10	5	1	.938
19 Harper Newlan	.000	2-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
3 Ayana Powell	.000	8-0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	2-2	0	0	0	.000
18 Halie Wetherington	.000	1-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
11 Landry Dupont	.000	2-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	.305	20	532	147	162	32	10 2	23	130	283	.532	65	10	68	0	.386	7	11	39-46	393	93	20	.960
Opponents	.196	20	480	60	94	17	1	6	49	131	.273	58	22	130	0	.309	3	12	18-22	377	148	27	.951

LOB - Team (101), Opp (123). DPs turned - Team (1), Opp (4).

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-l	app gs	сg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b/avg	wp hp	bk	sfa	sha_
27 Jeya Prasad	1.49	5-0	11 5	2	1/1	0	42.1	22	11	9	20	38	4	0	0	.144	3 3	0	0	2
20 Montana Young	2.93	4-0	7 5	2	1/1	0	28.2	25	15	12	9	26	2	0	4	.236	0 7	0	2	4
5 Kelsey Sweatt	3.50	8-3	15 10	6	1/1	0	60.0	47	34	30	29	66	11	1	2	.213	3 12	0	1	6
Totals	2.73	17-3	20 20	10	4/1	0	131.0	94	60	51	58	130	17	1	6	.196	6 22	0	3	12
Opponents	6.74	3-17	20 20	7	1/0	0	125.2	162	147	121	65	68	32	10	23	.305	34 10	0	7	11

PB - Team (2), E. Moon 2, Opp (5). SBA/ATT - E. Moon (12-15), M. Young (7-8), K. Sweatt (7-8), J. Prasad (4-6), B. Leiva (3-4), A. Agurkis (3-3).