



# 2001 First-Ever NCAA Berth



VILLANOVA



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### QUICK FACTS

School	Villanova University
Location:	Villanova, PA. 19085
Founded	1842
Enrollment	6,295
President	Rev. Edmund J. Dobbin OSA
Athletics Director	Vince Nicaastro
Nickname	Wildcats
Colors	Blue & White
Conference	Big East
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Head Coach	Ann Clifton (East Stroudsburg '86)
Year/ Record at VU	sixth/ 55-39-5
Assistant Coaches	Paul Royal (Wisconsin-Milw., '96) Janel Schillig (Villanova, '02)
Home Field	Villanova Soccer Stadium
Surface/ Capacity	Grass/ 1,000
Soccer Office Phone	610-519-4135/ 610-519-4667
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2001 Overall Record	13-6-4
2001 Big East Record	2-2-2
2001 Big East Finish	4th Place - Big East Mid-Atlantic Division
Postseason Finish	NCAA/ Round of 32
Soccer All-Time Record	190-147-29 (1983-present)
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	14/9
Starters Returning/Lost	6/5
Newcomers	8
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HEAD COACH ANN CLIFTON



Ann Clifton begins her sixth season as head coach of the Villanova University women's soccer program in 2002. In her first five seasons on the Main Line, Clifton has helped the Wildcat women's soccer program reach success in the conference as well as the national scene. Her career record at Villanova currently stands at 55-39-5.

Last season was Clifton's most successful season to date as she guided the Wildcats to a 13-6-3 record and the program's first-ever trip to the NCAA Tournament. Villanova defeated the University of Pennsylvania, 2-0, in the first round of the NCAA Tournament, before falling to No. 7 Penn State, 3-0.

Two seasons ago in 2000, Clifton's Wildcats finished the season with an 11-8 record. It was the second consecutive season that Villanova reached double figures in victories.

In 1999, Clifton guided Villanova to one of its finest seasons in school history. The Wildcats won a school record 14 games, finishing the season with a 14-8-0 overall record.

Ending the regular season with a 4-2-0 mark in the Big East, Villanova earned the right to host its first-ever home Big East Tournament contest. The conference tournament appearance was the 'Cats' third in Clifton's three seasons at Villanova University.

Following the Big East Tournament, the Wildcats received a bid to the ECAC Tournament held at Yale University. With shutout victories over Cornell and St. John's, Villanova won the ECAC Championship title for the first time in Wildcat women's soccer history.

One season earlier, Clifton led the Wildcats to their fifth Big East Tournament appearance in six seasons with a 9-9-2 overall record and a 4-6-1 fourth place mark in conference play. During her first year at Villanova in 1998, she led the Wildcats to an 8-8-2 overall record. A third place 6-4-1 finish in the Big East during the 1998 season earned the 'Cats their third consecutive conference tournament berth.

In addition to Villanova women's soccer excellence on the field, Clifton has also steered the Wildcats to greatness off the field. In the classroom, women's soccer student-athletes have earned Big East Academic All-Star status



Entering her sixth season as the head coach at Villanova in 2002, Ann Clifton currently owns a 55-39-5 record at the helm of the Wildcats.

## CLIFTON NOTES

- Led the Villanova women's soccer program to its first-ever NCAA Tournament in 2001, where the Wildcats won their first NCAA Tournament game in school history, 2-0, over the University of Pennsylvania.
- Guided Villanova to its first-ever ECAC Championship title in 1999.
- Helped the Wildcats reach a school record 14 victories in 1999 (14-8-0).
- Has led Villanova to Big East Tournament appearances in four out of her first five seasons on the Main Line.
- 49 Big East Academic All-Stars in her first four seasons.
- Clifton's Wildcats won the NSCAA Team Academic Award in 1998, 1999, 2000, and 2001.
- Clifton at Randolph H.S. (N.J.) - Head girl's soccer coach:
  - Five State Championships.
  - 32 All-State Players.
  - 10 Regional All-Americans.
  - 3 NSCAA All-Americans.
- NSCAA Coach of the Year - 1994.
- NJGSA Coach of the Year - 1992 and 1993.

during Clifton's tenure. For the past four seasons, the Villanova women's soccer team won the NSCAA Team Academic Award.

Clifton came to Villanova from Randolph High School in Randolph, N.J., where she was the head girl's soccer coach from 1989-96. During her tenure at Randolph, she compiled an impressive 146-8-6 record, leading her team to five state championships in eight seasons. In addition to Randolph's team accomplishments, Clifton also guided 32 players to NJGSA All-State honors, 10 players to NSCAA Regional All-America distinction, and three players to NSCAA All-America accolades.

During the fall of 1995, Clifton coached Randolph to the No.1 ranking for secondary school teams in the United States. She has also garnered numerous individual honors, including being named the National Soccer Coaches Association of America Coach-of-the-Year in 1994, New Jersey Girl's Soccer Coaches Association Large School and State Coach of the Year in 1993 and New Jersey Girl's Soccer Coaches Association North II Coach of the Year in 1992.

Clifton is involved with numerous soccer organizations, including the New Jersey Olympic Development State Soccer Teams. She was the head coach of the under-19 state team in 1992 and headed up the under-16 squad from 1993-94. Clifton served as the Director of Coaching for the New Jersey Olympic Development Program in 1998. Recently, she serves as a member of the women's committee of the National Soccer Coaches of America. In addition, Clifton is also on the editorial staff of the magazine "All-Stater."

With the Philadelphia Charge calling Villanova Stadium home in 2001, Clifton added to her extensive soccer resumé. She is a member of the Philadelphia Charge Advisory Board, and also did the color announcing at the WUSA Philadelphia Charge Soccer games for Comcast.

Hailing from Randolph, N.J., Clifton received her bachelor's of science degree in health and physical education from East Stroudsburg University in 1986 and went on to receive her Master of Education with concentration in sports management from East Stroudsburg in 1988. Clifton was also honored by her alma mater as the East Stroudsburg Young Alumni Achievement Award recipient for the year 2000. On September 28, 2002, she will be inducted into the East Stroudsburg Athletics Hall of Fame. She currently resides in Royersford, Pa.



**ASSISTANT COACHES/SUPPORT STAFF**



**PAUL ROYAL**

**ASSISTANT COACH  
FIFTH SEASON**

Paul Royal begins his fifth season as an assistant coach for the Villanova University women's soccer team in 2002. He has served as the goal-keeper coach for the Wildcats since his arrival on the Main Line in 1998.

In 2002, Royal also began volunteering with the goalkeepers for the WUSA's Philadelphia Charge. Among those were former Villanova women's soccer goalkeeper Janel Schillig, who signed with the Charge prior to the 2002 season.

Royal attended the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, where he graduated in 1996 with a bachelor's degree in criminal justice. While at Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Royal played four years of varsity soccer and was the starting goalkeeper for the Panthers in each of his four seasons. He currently stands as the winningest goalkeeper in school history. During each of his four years at Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Royal led the Panthers into the the nation's top 25. Twice he was named to the All-Midwestern Collegiate Conference first team.

Royal was the eighth overall draft pick in 1995 by the NPSL's Milwaukee Wave. He played with the Wave for two seasons from 1995-96. Royal is currently a member of the NPSL's Philadelphia Kixx, where he has been since 1996. During the 2000-2001 season, he was a member of the Kixx team that went to the NPSL National Championship.

Royal has also spent time with the South Jersey Barons of the D3 Pro League. In 1998 while with the Barons, Royal received second team All-D3 Pro League honors. As the team captain for South Jersey in 1999, Royal helped lead the Barons to the D3 Regular Season National Championship. South Jersey finished the season as a National Finalist.

In addition to his playing accolades, Royal has spent time as the assistant varsity coach at Moorestown Friends High School. He was also the goalkeeper trainer for the New Jersey Olympic Development Program, and has served as the assistant director for the Villanova Soccer Camp since 1998.

With the WUSA's Philadelphia Charge calling Villanova Stadium home in 2001, Royal has been actively involved with the Charge serving as a volunteer goalkeeper trainer.

Royal currently resides in Collingswood, N.J., with his wife Shelby.



**JANEL SCHILLIG**

**ASSISTANT COACH  
FIRST SEASON**

Entering her first season as an assistant coach for the Villanova women's soccer program is Janel Schillig. She will be in charge of recruiting and will assist with daily office operations. Schillig wrapped up her collegiate career one season ago, leaving the Wildcats as one of the finest goalkeepers to ever step foot on the Main Line.

Schillig owns a number of Villanova records including saves in a season and best goals against average in a season. As a freshman in 1998, she earned Big East All-Rookie Team honors. One season later, Schillig was named the Big East Goalkeeper of the Year as well as receiving All-Conference first team status. As a senior in 2001, she helped lead the Wildcat women's soccer program to its first-ever NCAA Tournament appearance. For her play, Schillig was named to the All-Big East second team and the Soccer Buzz All-Mid Atlantic Region second team.

This past spring, Schillig signed with and played for the WUSA's Philadelphia Charge which plays its home games at Villanova Stadium.



*Assistant coach Paul Royal, entering his fifth season at Villanova, instructs former Wildcat goalkeeper Janel Schillig who is a first-year assistant in 2002.*

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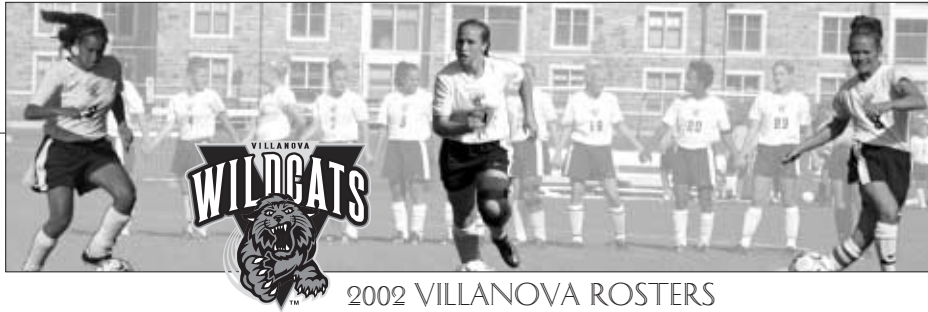
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## 2002 VILLANOVA ROSTERS

### 2002 Villanova Numerical Roster

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Yr</u>	<u>Pos</u>	<u>Hometown / High School</u>
00	Sara Stern	So	GK	Los Altos, Calif./ St. Francis
0	Chrissy Dolan	Jr	GK	New Hope, Pa./ Pennsbury
1	Christy Schillig	Fr	GK	Marlton, N.J./ Cherokee
2	Laura Johnson	So	F	Charlotte, N.C./ Providence Senior
3	Brittany Hunsaker	Fr	M/D	Laguna Niguel, Calif./ St. Margaret's Episcopal
4	Erica Stewart	So	M	Cranford, N.J./ Cranford
5	Candice MacDonald	Jr	M	Pleasanton, Calif./ Amador Valley
6	Kristin Anderson	Fr	M	Odenton, Md./ St. Mary's
7	Kelly Breslin	Fr	M/D	Medford, N.J./ Shawnee
8	Julie Battista	Sr	M/F	Marshfield, Mass. / Sacred Heart
9	Jennifer Carrigan	Sr	D/M	Allentown, Pa./ Parkland
10	Regina Villari	So	F	Woodbury Heights, N.J./ Gateway Regional
11	Lindsey Finnegan	Fr	F/M	Blackwood, N.J./ Gloucester Catholic
13	Michelle Biehl	Jr	D	Southampton, Pa./ Archbishop Wood
16	Jennifer Crawford	Fr	M	Pottstown, Pa./ Owen J. Roberts
17	Patricia Misciagna	So	D/M	Red Bank, N.J./ Red Bank Catholic
18	Janessa Jeltema	Jr	M/F	North Haledon, N.J./ Eastern Christian
19	Cary Morrell	Sr	D/M	Newport Beach, Calif./ Newport Harbor
20	Allison Wertz	Fr	D	St. Paul, Minn./ Cretin-Derham Hall
21	Elizabeth Dauble	Jr	M/D	Dumont, N.J./ Immaculate Heart Academy
22	Laura Koch	Fr	D/M	Blackwood, N.J./ Gloucester Catholic
24	Kristin Dunst	Sr	M	Marlton, N.J. / Cherokee

### 2001 Villanova Alphabetical Roster

<u>No.</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Yr</u>	<u>Pos</u>	<u>Hometown / High School</u>
6	Kristin Anderson	Fr	M	Odenton, Md./ St. Mary's
8	Julie Battista	Sr	M/F	Marshfield, Mass. / Sacred Heart
13	Michelle Biehl	Jr	D	Southampton, Pa./ Archbishop Wood
7	Kelly Breslin	Fr	M/D	Medford, N.J./ Shawnee
9	Jennifer Carrigan	Sr	D/M	Allentown, Pa./ Parkland
16	Jennifer Crawford	Fr	M	Pottstown, Pa./ Owen J. Roberts
21	Elizabeth Dauble	Jr	M/D	Dumont, N.J./ Immaculate Heart Academy
0	Chrissy Dolan	Jr	GK	New Hope, Pa./ Pennsbury
24	Kristin Dunst	Sr	M	Marlton, N.J. / Cherokee
11	Lindsey Finnegan	Fr	F/M	Blackwood, N.J./ Gloucester Catholic
3	Brittany Hunsaker	Fr	M/D	Laguna Niguel, Calif./ St. Margaret's Episcopal
18	Janessa Jeltema	Jr	M/F	North Haledon, N.J./ Eastern Christian
2	Laura Johnson	So	F	Charlotte, N.C./ Providence Senior
22	Laura Koch	Fr	D/M	Blackwood, N.J./ Gloucester Catholic
5	Candice MacDonald	Jr	M	Pleasanton, Calif./ Amador Valley
17	Patricia Misciagna	So	D/M	Red Bank, N.J./ Red Bank Catholic
19	Cary Morrell	Sr	D/M	Newport Beach, Calif./ Newport Harbor
1	Christy Schillig	Fr	GK	Marlton, N.J./ Cherokee
00	Sara Stern	So	GK	Los Altos, Calif./ St. Francis
4	Erica Stewart	So	M	Cranford, N.J./ Cranford
10	Regina Villari	So	F	Woodbury Heights, N.J./ Gateway Regional
20	Allison Wertz	Fr	D	St. Paul, Minn./ Cretin-Derham Hall

**Head Coach:** Ann Clifton  
**Assistant Coach:** Paul Royal, Janel Schillig  
**Captains:** Julie Battista, Michelle Biehl, Jennifer Carrigan  
**Assistant Captains:** Candice MacDonald

### WILDCATS BY CLASS

**Seniors** - 5 (Julie Battista, Jennifer Carrigan, Kristin Dunst, Cary Morrell).  
**Juniors** - 4 (Elizabeth Dauble, Chrissy Dolan, Janessa Jeltema, Candice MacDonald).  
**Sophomores** - 6 (Michelle Biehl, Laura Johnson, Patricia Misciagna, Sara Stern, Erica Stewart, Regina Villari).  
**Freshmen** - 8 (Kristin Anderson, Kelly Breslin, Jenny Crawford, Lindsey Finnegan, Brittany Hunsaker, Laura Koch, Christy Schillig, Allison Wertz).

### WILDCATS BY STATE

**California** - 4 (Brittany Hunsaker, Candice MacDonald, Cary Morrell, Sara Stern).  
**Pennsylvania** - 4 (Michelle Biehl, Jennifer Carrigan, Jennifer Crawford, Chrissy Dolan).  
**New Jersey** - 11 (Kelly Breslin, Elizabeth Dauble, Kristin Dunst, Lindsey Finnegan, Janessa Jeltema, Laura Koch, Patricia Misciagna, Christy Schillig, Erica Stewart, Regina Villari).  
**North Carolina** - 1 (Laura Johnson).  
**Massachusetts** - 1 (Julie Battista).  
**Maryland** - 1 (Kristin Anderson).  
**Minnesota** - 1 (Allison Wertz).

### WILDCAT WOMEN'S SOCCER PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Michelle Biehl	BEAL
Kelly Breslin	BREZ-lin
Jennifer Carrigan	CARE-ig-un
Brittany Hunsaker	HUN-sack-er
Janessa Jeltema	JELT-em-a
Laura Koch	COKE
Patricia Misciagna	mish-ON-ya
Christy Schillig	SHILL-ig
Regina Villari	vill-ARE-ee



## 2002 SEASON PREVIEW

The 2001 campaign was a season for the record books for the Villanova women's soccer program. The Wildcats won 13 games marking the second most victories in a season in school history. More importantly, Villanova received its first-ever berth in the NCAA Tournament. The Cats were not just satisfied with a "one and done" appearance. Villanova charged into the tournament blanking the University of Pennsylvania in the first round, 2-0, before losing one round later to the 10th ranked Penn State Lady Lions.

The Wildcats lost a number of key players from the 2001 team including goalkeeper Janel Schillig, defenders Dyane Noonan and Jill DiBerardino, and forward/midfielders Jessica Painchaud and Angela Scialdone.

Villanova does return 14 letterwinners from one season ago, however, including six starters. Returning a gifted group of performers with another year of experience now under its belt, the Wildcats have outstanding depth and talent across the board. Head coach Ann Clifton has also signed one of the nation's top recruiting classes making Villanova a team to be reckoned with in the conference as well as on the national scene.

### Forward

At the forward position, the Wildcats return a significant of their offensive production. One of the conference's top young players, sophomore Laura Johnson took the Big East by storm last season. She had eight goals and four assists for 20 points as a freshman in 2001 and earned Big East All-Rookie Team honors for her play.

Two other returners looking to make an impact up front are senior Julie Battista and sophomore Regina Villari. Battista is a key catalyst for the Wildcat offense, as she finished second on the team with seven assists last season in addition to finding the back of the net two times. Villari continued to show improvement throughout the 2001 season and finished the year with four goals and one assist for nine points. She also put together an outstanding spring season.

Freshman Lindsey Finnegan (Blackwood, N.J./ Gloucester Catholic HS) comes to Villanova as a highly decorated soccer player. Finnegan was named to the 2001 NSCAA All-American Team, and was named the Player of the Year by a number of publications, including the Philadelphia Inquirer, Camden Courier Post, The County Times, and the South Jersey High School Coaches Association. In addition, Finnegan was named an All-State performer by the NJGSA, Associated Press, Newark Star Ledger and the Gannett News



*Laura Johnson is the Wildcats' leading returning scorer in 2002, having tallied eight goals and four assists for 20 points last season.*



*Julie Battista is a tremendous leader as well as a key offensive catalyst for head coach Ann Clifton and the Wildcats.*

Service. She also played in the McDonald's All-American Game in June in South Carolina.

### Midfield

Villanova has tremendous talent and depth in the midfield both in the central midfield and on the flank. In the central midfield, juniors Candice MacDonald and Elizabeth Dauble and sophomore Erica Stewart will lead the way. MacDonald was the team's third leading scorer (3 g, 7 a, 13 pts) last season, while Stewart added 12 points on four goals and four assists during her freshman campaign. Dauble possesses the tremendous ability to break down defenders with her technical skill and brings strong playmaking abilities to the central midfield position.

A group of four freshmen will also make an impact in the central midfield, a list that includes Kelly Breslin, Laura Koch, Kristin Anderson and Brittany Hunsaker. Breslin (Medford, N.J./ Shawnee HS) was a member of the Region I Olympic Development Team for two seasons as well as a member of the USYSA National Team pool. Koch (Blackwood, N.J./ Gloucester Catholic HS) was named to the NJGSA All-State Team and was honored as the Senior All-State Game's Most Valuable Player. Anderson (Odenton, Md./ St. Mary's HS) was named to the Maryland All-State Team during the 2001 season and captained a St. Mary's team that finished 21-2-1 and was ranked No. 1 in the state by the Washington Post and Baltimore Sun, and No. 5 nationally by the NSCAA. She also played for the 2002 Club National Finalist, the Bethesda Fury. Hunsaker (Laguna Niguel, Calif./ St. Margaret's Episcopal HS) played club soccer for the Southern California Blues which won two national championships. In 2000 and 2002, she helped lead her club team to the California state title as well as the West Regional title.

Villanova is also loaded at the midfield flank position where Battista, senior Kristin Dunst and junior Janessa Jeltema return. Battista is outstanding on the ball and very dangerous when she gets in behind defenses. Dunst was the team's leader in assists last season, dishing out eight of them to go along with one goal. Another up and coming threat is Jeltema who uses a great cutback move and tremendous speed to fool defenders. She finished the 2001 season with four goals and five assists for 13 points. Other returners who will contribute in the midfield are Dauble and senior Cary Morrell. Freshmen Anderson, Hunsaker and Finnegan will also add depth in the flank.



## 2002 SEASON PREVIEW



*Michelle Biehl had a breakout season in 2001 making a name for herself both on the conference as well as the national scene.*

### Defense

The Wildcat defense was dominant in 2001 holding opponents to 0.68 goals against for overall games and 0.71 goals per game in Big East contests. The defense also helped hold opponents to just 258 shots in 22 games, 109 shots less than the total that the Villanova offense posted. The Cats lost Noonan and DiBerardino from last year's NCAA squad, but sophomore Michelle Biehl returns to anchor the defense.

After missing the entire 2000 season with a torn ACL, Biehl returned last season and immediately became one of the Big East most dominant defenders. She proved to be an all-around threat as she also tallied one goal and five assists for seven points. The honors came by the truckload for Biehl who was named to the Big East All-Rookie Team in addition to earning NSCAA All-Mid Atlantic Region third team status, and accolades by Soccer Buzz Magazine that included Freshmen All-America second team, All-Mid Atlantic second team, and Mid Atlantic Region All-Freshmen Team.

One of the unsung leaders of the Villanova team is senior captain Jennifer Carrigan. A versatile, experienced player, Carrigan is a four-year starter who has started all but one of 63 career games. She is an outstanding organizer of the defense who provides a solid playmaking ability from the back line.

Another young player who made an immediate impact as a freshman in 2001 was Patricia Misciagna. Misciagna was a consistent performer at the left back position who has a great read of the game. Morrell and Dauble will also see time in the back in addition to garnering minutes in the midfield, while Koch, Hunsaker and Finnegan will also add depth to the Wildcat defense.

### Goalkeeper

After losing a goalkeeper the caliber of Janel Schillig, most teams would be in a bind. A former Big East Goalkeeper of the Year, Schillig left Villanova with a number of all-time goalkeeping records and is currently a member of the WUSA's Philadelphia Charge.

The Wildcats had a goalkeeping tandem last season that few teams could boast of with Chrissy Dolan backing up Schillig in net. Heading her junior season, Dolan is now the team's starter and looks to continue to demonstrate to opponents the potential she has shown glimpses of the past two seasons. Last season, she recorded a 3-0-1 in net and posted three shutouts in her five starts.

Sophomore Sara Stern and freshman Christy Schillig will battle for

playing time as the team's backup goalkeeper. Stern is a hard worker who will be looked upon to push the goalkeeping core. The younger sister of Janel, Schillig (Marlton, N.J./ Cherokee HS) chose to join in her family footsteps and signed with Villanova. Like her sister did before her, she loaded up on the honors as a goalkeeper for Cherokee High School. Schillig was named to the All-South Jersey first team while at Cherokee, and also played for the Mount Laurel Shockwaves where she helped lead them to six state cup championships and one regional title.

### Head Coach Ann Clifton on the Wildcats

"As a team, we hope to come back and work hard to achieve our goals. Our off-season training was fierce because we want to prepare ourselves to go as far as we can. This team has a lot of experience with Julie Battista, Jen Carrigan, and a talented group of juniors. Some of these girls were counted on as freshmen. The experience of an NCAA Tournament was very valuable. In the second half of last season, this team proved they could battle. That was a huge step for the program."

"I don't think any of the girls will ever forget the Villanova name flashing on the screen at the NCAA selection show. Now we can look at it as us being one of the top 64 teams. We are in that pool and it is up to us to see how far we can go."

"We will just take it one day at a time. August 31st is the date we are looking at. It is our job to prepare, gel as a team and a unit and use that strength to continue to develop throughout the year."

"We have a diverse attack with the midfield leading the way. With our intense training environment, we are always prepared to challenge our opponents. But in the past, we have always been known for primarily having a well organized defense. Now we can throw a little danger at opponent's preparation wise with our diverse attack."

"Our ability to possess the ball has always been a strength. Last year we led the Big East in goals, and the Big East proved to be one of strongest conferences in the country with eight teams going to the NCAA Tournament last year. We will always respect teams like Notre Dame, Rutgers, and West Virginia, but I think we closed gap between our team and the upper echelon."

"This team must have the consistency to rise to every challenge on a daily basis. But I see that confidence starting to cultivate. We have a quiet arrogance about us."



*In five starts in net last season, Chrissy Dolan recorded three shutouts to go along with a 3-0-1 record.*



PLAYER PROFILES

JULIE BATTISTA

#8



SENIOR • MIDFIELD/FORWARD  
MARSHFIELD, MASS.  
SACRED HEART HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Experienced player...Four-year starter...Tremendous work ethic...Outstanding on the ball...Dangerous when she gets in behind defenses...Terrific leader on and off the field. **2001:** Played in 22 games, starting in 18...Scored two goals and finished tied for second on the team with seven assists...Recorded one goal and one assist in Big East

play...Assisted on one goal versus St. Bonaventure...Had one assist against UMBC...Scored the Wildcats' lone goal in a 1-0 win at Butler...Assisted on the game-winning goal versus Seton Hall...Posted one goal against Pittsburgh...Dished out a season-high two assists against Navy...Recorded one assist versus Boston College...Had the assist on the game-winning goal in the NCAA Tournament first round against Penn. **2000:** Started in 18 games...Set new career highs in goals (3), assists (6) and points (12)...Assisted on the game-winning goal in a 2-1 victory over Fairfield...Posted two assists against Manhattan...Had one goal and one assist versus UMBC...Tallied one goal against Mt. St. Mary's...Assisted on the game-winner versus Rutgers...Had one goal and one assist at UPenn. **1999:** Played in 22 games as a freshman, starting in 20 contests...Scored one goal and added four assists for six points...Had an assist in her first career game against Syracuse...Scored her first career goal versus JMU...Assisted on the game-winning goal against Wisconsin-Milwaukee. **SACRED HEART HIGH SCHOOL:** Earned four varsity letters in soccer...Received Brockton Enterprise Patriot Ledger All-League honors in each of her four seasons...An Eastern Massachusetts All-Star in 1996-98...Named All-State by the Boston Globe as a junior and senior...Scored 125 career goals. **PERSONAL:** Communications major...Youngest of three children of Gerald and Aida Battista...Born 11/29/80.

BATTISTA'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/ GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1999	22/20	15	1	4	6
2000	19/18	37	3	6	12
2001	22/18	32	2	7	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>63/57</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>29</b>



Julie Battista

JENNIFER CARRIGAN

#9



SENIOR • DEFENSE/MIDFIELD  
ALLEN TOWN, PA.  
PARKLAND HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Versatile, experienced player... Four-year starter...Outstanding technical ability... Wonderful organizer of the defense...Will provide a solid playmaking ability out of back line of defense...Well respected by her teammates...Team player...Has the ability to play three different positions...Possesses a tremendous flip throw. **2001:**

Started in 21 of 22 games on the season...Recorded one assist on the year...Tallied one assist in Big East action...Assisted on the game-winning goal against the University of Pittsburgh. **2000:** Started in every game for the second straight season...Tallied one assist in a 2-1 win over Fairfield...Dished out one assist against Georgetown. **1999:** Started in all 22 games for the Wildcats...Registered two assists on the year...Started in each of the team's six Big East games...Tallied her first career assist versus La Salle...Dished out one assist against James Madison.

**PARKLAND HIGH SCHOOL:** Earned four letters in soccer for head coach Chris Bleam...Two-time All-Conference performer (1998 and 1999)...Named to the All-Area Soccer Team in 1999...Received All-State honors in 1999...A Soccer Scholar Athlete Award recipient in 1999.

**PERSONAL:** Psychology major...Earned business institute degree this past summer...One of three children of Tom and Gail Carrigan...Born 10/31/81.

CARRIGAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/ GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1999	22/22	1	0	2	2
2000	19/19	5	0	2	2
2001	22/21	15	0	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>63/62</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>



Jennifer Carrigan



PLAYER PROFILES

KRISTIN DUNST

#24



SENIOR • MIDFIELD  
MARLTON, N.J.  
CHEROKEE HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Gifted athlete...Ability to penetrate behind defenses with well-textured services...Has been a main-stay on the flank the past four years...Will be looked upon to provide offensive (power) to the team. **2001:** Led the team in assists with eight...Among the Big East leaders in assists...Played in 21 games, starting in seven...Scored

one goal and added eight assists for 10 points on the year...Tallied one assist in season-opener versus St. Bonaventure...Scored one goal and added two assists against UMBC...Posted one assist at Virginia Tech...Assisted on the game-winning goal at Butler...Recorded one assist against Navy...Dished out one assist versus Boston College.**2000:** The Big East's Offensive Player of the Week on Sept. 11...Played in 18 games, starting in 14...Scored seven goals (2nd on team) and added two assists for 16 points (2nd on team)...Led the team with three goals in Big East games...Had one goal versus Manhattan...Tallied one goal and one assist in a 2-1 win at UMBC...Scored the game-winning goal at St. John's...Assisted on the game-winning goal versus Mt. St. Mary's...Scored once against Pittsburgh...Had two goals versus Georgetown...Had one goal against St. Francis. **1999:** Named to the Big East All-Rookie Team...Named the Big East Rookie of the Week on Sept. 13, and the Big East Offensive Player of the Week on Sept. 20...Earned Soccer Buzz Mid-Atlantic All-Rookie accolades...Played in 22 games on the year, starting 19 contests...Scored eight goals and added three assists for 19 points...Second on the team in both points and goals...Tied for fourth on the team in assists...Started all six Big East games, scoring two goals...Scored her first career goal against St. Francis...Had one goal against La Salle, and one goal and one assist versus Northeastern.

**CHEROKEE HIGH SCHOOL:** Lettered four times in soccer for head coach Jim Hanna...Named to the All-South Jersey first team as a senior...Received All-State and All-Group accolades...Team MVP as a senior...Second team All-County for track.

**PERSONAL:** Communications major...Youngest of three daughters of Karl and Cheryl Dunst...Father Karl is a Villanova alumni...Born 3/18/81.

DUNST'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/ GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1999	22/19	35	8	3	19
2000	18/14	30	7	2	16
2001	21/7	16	1	8	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>61/40</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>45</b>

CARY MORRELL

#19



SENIOR • DEFENSE/MIDFIELD  
NEWPORT BEACH, CALIF.  
NEWPORT HARBOR HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Tenacious player with outstanding physical ability...Dangerous left-sided player...Gives the team a tremendous physical edge...Coming off an off-season lower back surgery. **2001:** Played in 13 games on the season, including four in conference action. **2000:** Played in 15 games for the `Cats, starting in two contests...Dished out one assist on the sea-

son...Assisted on the game-winning goal against Fairfield on Sept. 1. **1999:** Played in 16 games as a freshman, making four starts...Scored one goal for two points on the year...Saw time in all six Big East contests, making two starts...First collegiate goal came on Sept. 22 versus Columbia in a 3-2 Villanova victory.

**NEWPORT HARBOR HIGH SCHOOL:** Earned team MVP honors in 1997-98 and 1998-99...Received All-League accolades in 1997-98 and 1998-99...Led club team to a league championship in 1997, a San Diego Surf Cup Championship in 1998 and a state semifinals appearance in 1998...A 1996 Scholar Athlete Award Recipient.

**PERSONAL:** Communications major...Younger of two children of Greg and Carol Morrell...Born 12/19/80.

MORRELL'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/ GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
1999	16/4	2	1	0	2
2000	15/2	1	0	1	1
2001	13/0	3	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>44/6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>



Kristin Dunst



PLAYER PROFILES

**ELIZABETH DAUBLE #21**



JUNIOR • MIDFIELD/DEFENSE  
DUMONT, N.J.  
IMMACULATE HEART ACADEMY

**VILLANOVA:** Tremendous touch with the ball... Ability to break down defenders with her technical skill... Strong playmaking abilities from central mid-field position... Has ability to provide a great rhythm for team possession... Played for the New Jersey Stallions and Kasbek Tambi during the summer. **2001:** Played in all 22 games on the year, starting in seven contests... Provided a defensive spark off the bench. **2000:** Started in six of the 19 games in which she played... Scored one goal and added one assist for three points... Scored her first career goal against Manhattan... Had one goal and one assist versus the Jaspers.

**IMMACULATE HEART ACADEMY:** Received first team All-State honors by the *Newark Star Ledger* and the New Jersey Girls Soccer Coaches Association in 1999... Led her Immaculate Heart team to a number one ranking in New Jersey and a number three ranking in the United States in both 1998 and 1999... A two-time first team All-League Performer.

**PERSONAL:** Civil Engineering major... Daughter of Steven and Sue Dauble... Born 2/6/82.

DAUBLE'S CAREER STATISTICS

<u>Year</u>	<u>GP/ GS</u>	<u>Shots</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Assists</u>	<u>Points</u>
2000	19/6	15	1	1	3
2001	22/7	17	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>41/13</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>



Elizabeth Dauble

**CHRISSY DOLAN #0**



JUNIOR • GOALKEEPER  
NEW HOPE, PA.  
PENNSBURY HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Very gifted athlete that has risen to challenge of taking over goalkeeping tasks... Will allow Villanova to continue tradition of great goalkeepers... Team player that will use her experience to help lead others. **2001:** Saw action in six games, starting five contests in net for the Wildcats... Recorded a 3-0-1 mark on the year, including three shutouts... Saved 12 shots and allowed only three goals in 458 minutes... Recorded a .800 save percentage and a 0.47 goals against average... Shutout St. Bonaventure in the season-opener, saving three shots... Saved two shots in a 1-1 tie at Manhattan... Made two saves in a shutout win versus Marist... Posted two saves in a win over UMBC... Amassed one save in a shutout victory against Robert Morris... Combined with Janel Schillig to shutout Navy. **2000:** Played in eight games in net, starting in two contests... Posted a 2-0-0 record, and had 2.5 shutouts... In 301 minutes in goal, she saved 21 shots (.955 save %) and allowed only one goal (0.30 goals against avg.)... Combined with starter Janel Schillig to shutout Manhattan... Saved four shots versus Pepperdine... Made her first career start versus Mt. St. Mary's, combining for a 2-0 shutout... Stopped two shots as she combined to blank Rutgers 4-0... Made three saves in a 3-0 combined shutout of Georgetown... Saved a career-high nine shots in win over Bucknell.

**PENNSBURY HIGH SCHOOL:** An All-State soccer team member from 1998-2000... Scored 1,000 points as a member of the girl's basketball team... Named to the 1999 All-State Volleyball Team... Garnered 12 varsity letters... Led the Falcons to the State soccer title in 1999... An All-District, All-Area and All-League player in soccer, volleyball and basketball.

**PERSONAL:** Commerce & Finance major... Daughter of Thomas and Marie Dolan... Born 9/5/81.

DOLAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

<u>Year</u>	<u>GP/GS</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>SV</u>	<u>GA</u>	<u>SV%</u>	<u>GAA</u>	<u>ShO</u>	<u>W-L-T</u>
2000	8/2	301	21	1	.955	0.30	2.5	2-0-0
2001	6/5	458	12	3	.800	0.59	3.0	3-0-1
<b>Total</b>	<b>14/7</b>	<b>759</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.892</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>5-0-1</b>



Chrissy Dolan



PLAYER PROFILES

JANESSA JELTEMA #18



JUNIOR • MIDFIELD/FORWARD  
NORTH HALEDON, N.J.  
EASTERM CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Great cutback move that can fool any defender...Has solidified herself as a starting player and will look to continue her contributions this season...Played in the U23 national championships during summer of 2002. **2001:** Made 17 starts in 22 games played...Scored five goals and added five assists for 13 points on the year...Dished out three

assists in Big East play...Scored her first goal of the season against Marist...Posted one goal versus UMBC...Tallied two assists in a win over Seton Hall...Had one assist versus Pittsburgh...Recorded one goal and added one assist against Navy...Scored the game-winning goal in a 2-1 win at Syracuse, also adding one assist. **2000:** Started in 12 of the 19 games in which she played...Scored one goal and added four assists for six points...Fourth on the team in assists...Had one assist in Big East play...Scored her first career goal versus Manhattan, finishing the contest with one goal and a game-high two assists...Assisted on the game-winning goal at Pittsburgh...Dished out one assist in a 2-1 victory against Bucknell.

**EASTERN CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL:** Named to the 1999 High School All-America Team...Regional All-American in 1998-99...Selected to the All-State Team three times...Set a school and county record for goals (129) and assists (57) during her career...Led her club team, the Wychoff Torpedos, to the U.S. Youth Soccer Region I Championships in Rhode Island.

**PERSONAL:** Human Services major...Daughter of Allan and Kathy Jeltema... Born 11/29/81.

JELTEMA'S CAREER STATISTICS

<u>Year</u>	<u>GP/ GS</u>	<u>Shots</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Assists</u>	<u>Points</u>
2000	19/12	27	1	4	6
2001	22/17	31	4	5	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>41/39</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>19</b>



Janessa Jeltema

CANDICE MACDONALD #5



JUNIOR • MIDFIELD  
PLEASANTON, CALIF.  
AMADOR VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Mentally tough...Tremendous fitness base...Great vision of the field...Wonderful competitor...Will be looked upon to provide leadership to midfield. **2001:** Played in all 22 games, starting in 17 contests...Scored three goals and dished out seven assists for 13 points on the year...Second on the Wildcat team with seven assists...Had one assist in

Big East play...Posted one goal versus St. Bonaventure in the season-opener...Tallied one assist against Marist...Registered one assist against UMBC...Had er first career two goal game versus Boston College...Assisted on the game-winning goal at Syracuse...Amassed two assists in a 2-1 win at George Mason...Posted one assist in the first round of the NCAA Tournament against Penn. **2000:** Played in all 19 games, starting in 17 contests...Posted one goal and six assists for eight points...Tied for first on the team in assists and fifth in points...Had two assists in Big East play...Scored her first career goal against Fairfield...Assisted on the game-winning goal at St. John's...Tallied one assist versus Rutgers...Recorded one assist against Georgetown...Registered a career-high two assists against St. Francis.

**AMADOR VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL:** Played for one of the top club team's in the country, the San Ramon Crunch...Led the Crunch to a spot as a National Championship Finalist in 1999...Named to the Northern California Olympic Development Team that competed in the Olympic Development National Tournament...Received Northern California All-State Team status as a senior.

**PERSONAL:** Political Science major...Daughter of Cliff and Cindy MacDonald...Born 7/4/82.

MACDONALD'S CAREER STATISTICS

<u>Year</u>	<u>GP/ GS</u>	<u>Shots</u>	<u>Goals</u>	<u>Assists</u>	<u>Points</u>
2000	19/17	20	1	6	8
2001	22/17	31	3	7	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>41/34</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>21</b>



Candice MacDonald



PLAYER PROFILES

MICHELLE BIEHL #13



SOPHOMORE • DEFENSE  
SOUTHAMPTON, PA.  
ARCHBISHOP WOOD

**VILLANOVA:** Proved to be one of the top defenders in the Big East...Will be looked upon to anchor the defense and be on the first line of the attack...Great competitor whose relentless pursuit to win drives entire team. **2001:** Named Big East Defensive Player of the Week twice during the season (Sept. 24 and Oct. 8)...Received Soccer Buzz Elite Feet National Team of the Week accolades on Sept. 26 and Oct. 10...Big East Conference All-Rookie Team performer...Named to the NSCAA All-Mid Atlantic Region third team...Received a number of post-season honors by Soccer Buzz including Freshman All-America second team, All-Mid Atlantic Region second team and Mid Atlantic Region All-Freshmen Team accolades...Started in all games on defense for the Wildcats...Scored one goal and dished out five assists for seven points in 2001...Posted one assist in Big East play...Tallied her first career assist at Manhattan...Scored the game-winning goal against Marist...Assisted on the game-winning goal at Butler...Posted the assist on the game-winning score versus Robert Morris...Had one assist against West Virginia...Tallied one assist versus Penn in the NCAA Tournament. **2000:** Missed the entire season with a torn ACL and earned a medical redshirt.

**ARCHBISHOP WOOD HIGH SCHOOL:** Captain of the 1999 Archbishop Wood team that captured the Philadelphia Catholic League Championship...Named the *Philadelphia Inquirer* Defensive Player of the Year as a senior...Selected to the Southeastern PA All-Star Team in 1999...Two-time first team All-Catholic League performer.

**PERSONAL:** Elementary Education major...Daughter of Frank and Patricia Biehl...Born 6/23/82.

BIEHL'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/ GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2000		Redshirted			
2001	22/22	8	1	5	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>22/22</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>



Michelle Biehl

LAURA JOHNSON #2



SOPHOMORE • FORWARD  
CHARLOTTE, N.C.  
PROVIDENCE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Had an outstanding spring and has developed into one of the strongest tactical forwards on the team...Tremendous work ethic...Has a relentless pursuit of perfection...Well-rounded student-athlete. **2001:** A Big East Conference All-Rookie Team performer...Played in all 22 games, starting in 12 contests...Second on the Wildcat team in goals (8) and points (20)...Scored eight goals and added four assists for 20 points on the season...Had one goal and two assists in Big East Conference play...Recorded two goals and one assist in her first collegiate game versus St. Bonaventure...Scored the game-winning goal at Virginia Tech...Tallied one assist at Notre Dame...Posted one goal versus Robert Morris...Registered one assist against Pittsburgh...Amassed one goal and one assist versus Navy...Scored one goal against Boston College...Scored one goal at George Mason...Had the game-winning goal against Penn in the opening round of the NCAA Tournament in State College, Pa.

**PROVIDENCE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL:** A member of the Region III Olympic Development Team for two seasons...Attended the Olympic Development National Camp in 2000...North Carolina Player of the Year...Named to the North Carolina All-State Team in 2000...Earned U.S. Olympic Development Academic All-America honors...Featured in ESPN Magazine as a U.S. Navy Scholastic first team All-America selection.

**PERSONAL:** Biology major...Second oldest of four children of Mark and Marnie Johnson...Comes from a long line of Villanova alum...Born 5/12/83.

JOHNSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/ GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2001	22/12	50	8	4	20
<b>Total</b>	<b>22/12</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>20</b>



Laura Johnson



PLAYER PROFILES

PATRICIA MISCIAGNA #17



SOPHOMORE • DEFENSE/MIDFIELD  
RED BANK, N.J.  
RED BANK CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Will solidify the defense... Dangerous left-sided player...Very sophisticated read of the game...Consistent performer at the left back position...Played for the South Jersey Banshees this past summer. **2001:** A key defender off the bench for the Wildcats as a freshman...Played in 21 games, starting in 10 contests...Dished out two assists on the

season...Tallied her first career assist at Virginia Tech...Recorded one assist at Georgetown.

**RED BANK CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL:** 2000 All-Parochial, All-State, and All-Shore performer...Shore Conference Officials Association Senior Excellence Award winner in both 1999 and 2000...Led Red Bank to a North Shore Conference title in 2000...Red Bank's third all-time leading scorer...A member of the New Jersey Olympic Development Team since 1999.

**PERSONAL:** Undecided upon college major...Middle of three children of Sabino and Kathy Misciagna...Born 3/7/83.

MISCIAGNA'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2001	21/10	6	0	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>21/20</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>



Patricia Misciagna



Erica Stewart

SARA STERN #00



SOPHOMORE • GOALKEEPER  
LOS ALTOS, CALIF.  
ST. FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Will provide depth for `Cats at goal-keeper position...Will be looked upon to push the goalkeeping core...Will compete for time in net. **2001:** Saw limited playing time...Worked hard as a key reserve on the Wildcats' goalkeeping core.

**ST. FRANCIS HIGH SCHOOL:** Led team to the state semifinal playoffs...Lost in the Northern California Club Team State Cup Finals.

**PERSONAL:** Undecided upon college major...Second oldest of three daughters of Eric and Elizabeth Stern...Born 7/20/83.

STERN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	Min	SV	GA	SV%	GAA	ShO	W-L-T
2001	0/0	0	0	0	.000	0.00	0	0-0-0
<b>Total</b>	<b>0/0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0-0</b>

ERICA STEWART #4



SOPHOMORE • MIDFIELD  
CRANFORD, N.J.  
CRANFORD HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Adds a tremendous technical flair to the midfield...Plays the game with passion and desire...Consummate teammate with a great read of the game...Will be looked upon to dictate play in the midfield...Played for the New Jersey Stallions this past summer. **2001:** Played in 22 games on the year, starting in 12...Scored four goals and added four

assists for 12 points...Saw time in six Big East games, scoring one goal...Tallied two assists in her first career game versus St. Bonaventure...Scored her first career goal against Marist...Registered one goal at Virginia Tech...Dished out one assist versus Robert Morris...Posted one goal against Pittsburgh...Assisted on one goal at Syracuse...Scored one goal at George Mason.

**CRANFORD HIGH SCHOOL:** Led Cranford to a No. 2 national ranking in the *USA Today* and NSCAA high school polls...Her team was also ranked No. 1 in New Jersey and won the Group 2 State Championship...First Team All-Conference, All-County and All-State...A member of the New Jersey Olympic Development Team since 1996 and was twice named to the Olympic Development National Team Pool...Plays for the MC Dynamo Club Team that won the New Jersey State Cup Championship in 1998-2000.

**PERSONAL:** Liberal Arts major...Oldest of two children of Mike and Norine Stewart...Both parents work for the New Jersey Symphony...Born 4/13/83.

STEWART'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2001	22/12	19	4	4	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>22/12</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>



PLAYER PROFILES/ NEWCOMERS

REGINA VILLARI #10



SOPHOMORE • FORWARD  
 WOODBURY HEIGHTS, N.J.  
 GATEWAY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

**VILLANOVA:** Stretches defenses with her speed and athleticism...Will be looked greatly upon to provide offense for the `Cats...Gives a great air presence to team in the attacking third...Played for the South Jersey Banshees this past summer. **2001:** Played in 22 games on the year, making one start...Scored four goals and added one assist for nine points in 2001...Recorded one goal in her first career game against St. Bonaventure...Had one goal at home versus UMBC...Posted one goal against Seton Hall...Scored the game-tying goal in a 1-1 tie versus West Virginia...Assisted on one goal against Boston College.

**GATEWAY REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL:** 2000 All-Conference, All-County and All-State performer... Named the Courier Post Player of the Week a number of times during the 1999 and 2000 seasons...A member of the Mt. Laurel Shockwaves, coached by goalkeeper Janel Schillig's father, Frank Schillig...The shockwaves have won the New Jersey State Cup in each of the past six years.

**PERSONAL:** Undecided upon college major...Second oldest of four children of Salvatore and Donna Villari...One of five members of the Mt. Laurel Shockwaves currently on the Villanova team...Born 8/10/83.



Regina Villari

VILLARI'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/ GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
2001	22/1	19	4	1	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>22/1</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>

NEWCOMERS

KRISTIN ANDERSON #6



FRESHMAN • MIDFIELD  
 ODENTON, MD.  
 ST. MARY'S HIGH SCHOOL

**ST. MARY'S HIGH SCHOOL:** Named to the Maryland All-State Team during the 2001 season... Captain of a St. Mary's team that finished 21-2-1 and was ranked No. 1 in the state by the Washington Post and Baltimore Sun, and No. 5 nationally by the NSCAA...Two-year member of the Maryland State Olympic Development Program...Played for the 2001

USYSA National Champion and 2002 National Finalist club team, the Bethesda Fury.

**PERSONAL:** Commerce & Finance major...Second oldest of four children of Mike and Jennifer Anderson...Sister, Melissa, plays soccer for the University of Maryland...Born 3/10/84.

KELLY BRESLIN #7



FRESHMAN • MIDFIELD/DEFENSE  
 MEDFORD, N.J.  
 SHAWNEE HIGH SCHOOL

**SHAWNEE HIGH SCHOOL:** A member of the Region I Olympic Development Team for two seasons and a member of the USYSA National Team pool since 2001... Named to the All-Conference and All-State first teams since 1999...Garnered NJGSA All-Region and All-State accolades since 2000...Selected to the Associated Press All-State

Region Team in 2001 and was honored at the 2001 South Jersey Soccer Coaches Banquet as the Scholar-Athlete of the Year...Played for the Mount Laurel Shockwaves club team along with current Wildcat Regina Villari.

**PERSONAL:** Undecided upon college major...Older of two children of Kenneth and Kim Breslin...One of five member of the Mt. Laurel Shockwaves currently on the Villanova team...Born 1/7/84.



NEWCOMERS

JENNIFER CRAWFORD #16



FRESHMAN • MIDFIELD  
POTTSTOWN, PA.  
OWN J. ROBERTS HIGH SCHOOL

**OWEN J. ROBERTS HIGH SCHOOL:** Four-time PAC 10 first team performer...Named to the All-Southeastern Pennsylvania Team...Received All-Area honors...Participated in the Super 60 Showcase... Team leader in assists as a senior...Led her team to three PAC 10 titles, two state semifinals appearances, a district semifinals in 2001 and a district finals berth

in 2002....Played for Parkwood Club team in 2002 and helped lead the squad to a Jeff Cup Finals appearance.

**PERSONAL:** Commerce & Finance major... Younger of two children of Karl and Suzanne Crawford...Born 1/9/84.

LINDSEY FINNEGAN #16



FRESHMAN • FORWARD/MIDFIELD  
BLACKWOOD, N.J.  
GLOUCESTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

**GLOUCESTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL:** Named to the 2001 NSCAA All-American Team...Player of the Year by a number of publications, including the Philadelphia Inquirer, Camden Courier Post, The County Times, and the South Jersey High School Coaches Association...Played in the McDonald's All-American Game...Named an All-

State performer by the NJGSA, Associated Press, Newark Star Ledger and the Gannett News Service...Led her Gloucester team to a state title in 2001 and the girl's soccer program to an 80-7 record during her four years... Member of the Mount Laurel Shockwaves club team...Played for the South Jersey Banshees this past summer.

**PERSONAL:** Biology major...Youngest of four children of Bill and April Finnegan...Born 10/29/83.

BRITTANY HUNSAKER #3



FRESHMAN • MIDFIELD/DEFENSE  
LAGUNA NIGUEL, CALIF.  
ST. MARGARET'S EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL

**ST. MARGARET'S EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL:** Played club soccer for the Southern California Blues...Helped lead her club team to the California state title as well as the West Regional title in 2000 and 2002 and a USYSA National Championship...Member of the Southern California Olympic Development District Team.

**PERSONAL:** Commerce & Finance major...Oldest of five children of Brian and Nancy Hunsaker...Born 5/6/84.

LAURA KOCH #22



FRESHMAN • DEFENSE/MIDFIELD  
BLACKWOOD, N.J.  
GLOUCESTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

**GLOUCESTER CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL:** Named to the NJGSA All-State Team...Honored as the Senior All-State Game's Most Valuable Player... Named as the South Jersey Defensive Player of the Year...Helped lead Gloucester to an undefeated 25-0 state championship season in 2000...Served as the team captain for the Mount Laurel Shockwaves club team...Was teammates with fellow incoming freshmen Kelly Breslin, Lindsey Finnegan and Christy Schillig on that squad...Played with Finnegan on the Gloucester Catholic High School team...Holds school record in the shot put.

**PERSONAL:** Liberal Arts major...One of five children of John and Janet Koch...Sister plays soccer for Montclair State College...Born 12/8/83.

CHRISTY SCHILLIG #1



FRESHMAN • GOALKEEPER  
MARLTON, N.J.  
CHEROKEE HIGH SCHOOL

**CHEROKEE HIGH SCHOOL:** Named to the All-South Jersey first team while at Cherokee...Played for the Mount Laurel Shockwaves, coached by her father Frank Schillig...Helped lead the Shockwaves to six state cup championships and one regional title...One of the top goalkeepers to ever play at Cherokee.

**PERSONAL:** Biology major...Younger of two daughters of Frank and Janet Schillig... Her sister, Janel, was a four-year starter in goal for the Wildcats and is currently a member of the WUSA's Philadelphia Charge...Born 3/27/84.

ALLISON WERTZ #20



FRESHMAN • DEFENSE  
ST. PAUL, MINN.  
CRETIN-DERHAM HALL HIGH SCHOOL

**CRETIN-DERHAM HALL HIGH SCHOOL:** Team captain as a senior...Two-time All-Conference performer...Helped team to third place finish in state tournament in 1998...Led team to a conference title in each of her four seasons...Team was a 2001 state qualifier...Member of the St. Paul Blackhawks Club Team, on which she was a starting defender for the last five years.

**PERSONAL:** Marketing major...Younger of two children of Byron and Karen Wertz...Born 11/8/84.



## OPPONENTS

**GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY**  
*August 31, 2002 • 1:00 p.m.*  
 Villanova, Pa.



**Location:** Fairfax, Va.  
**Enrollment:** 23,408  
**Nickname:** Patriots  
**Colors:** Green & Gold  
**Conference:** Colonial Athletic Assoc.  
**Home Field:** George Mason Stadium  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 5,000  
**Head Coach:** Jac Cicala  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 120-76-16 (10)  
**Career Record (yrs):** Same  
**2001 Overall Record:** 9-11-1  
**League Record/Finish:** 4-1-0/ T-1st  
**Contact:** Carlton White  
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**LEHIGH UNIVERSITY**  
*September 4, 2002 • 5:00 p.m.*  
 Bethlehem, Pa.



**Location:** Bethlehem, Pa.  
**Enrollment:** 4,400  
**Nickname:** Mountain Hawks  
**Colors:** Brown & White  
**Conference:** Patriot League  
**Home Field:** Ulrich Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass  
**Head Coach:** Manny Oudin  
**Record @ School (yrs):** first season  
**Career Record (yrs):** first season  
**2001 Overall Record:** 5-13-0  
**League Record/Finish:** 2-5-0/ t-7th  
**Contact:** Jeff Tourial  
**Office Phone:** 610-758-6631  
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**LA SALLE UNIVERSITY**  
*September 6, 2002 • 4:00 p.m.*  
 Villanova, Pa.



**Location:** Philadelphia, Pa.  
**Enrollment:** 3,200  
**Nickname:** Explorers  
**Colors:** Blue & Gold  
**Conference:** Atlantic 10  
**Home Field:** McCarthy Stadium  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 7,500  
**Head Coach:** Jeanine Calhoun  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 35-37-2 (4)  
**Career Record (yrs):** Same  
**2001 Overall Record:** 10-9-0  
**League Record/Finish:** 8-3-0/ T-2nd  
**Contact:** Tom Emberley  
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**Office Fax:** 215-951-1694  
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**UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT**  
*September 11, 2002 • 3:00 p.m.*  
 Storrs, Conn.



**Location:** Storrs, Conn.  
**Enrollment:** 23,419  
**Nickname:** Huskies  
**Colors:** National Flag Blue & White  
**Conference:** Big East  
**Home Field:** Morrone Stadium  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 8,574  
**Head Coach:** Len Tsaniris  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 362-94-22 (21)  
**Career Record (yrs):** Same  
**2001 Overall Record:** 18-6-0  
**League Record/Finish:** 5-1-0/ 1st  
**Contact:** Kristine Henck  
**Office Phone:** 860-486-3531  
**Office Fax:** 860-486-5085  
**Email:** TBA

**TOWSON UNIVERSITY**  
*September 13, 2002 • 4:00 p.m.*  
 Towson, Md.



**Location:** Towson, Md.  
**Enrollment:** 16,000  
**Nickname:** Tigers  
**Colors:** Gold, Black & White  
**Conference:** Colonial Athletic Assoc.  
**Home Field:** Towson Center Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass  
**Head Coach:** Leslie Wray  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 24-26-4 (4)  
**Career Record (yrs):** Same  
**2001 Overall Record:** 6-9-3  
**League Record/Finish:** 5-5-1/ 6th  
**Contact:** Dan O'Connell  
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**U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY**  
*September 15, 2002 • 1:00 p.m.*  
 Annapolis, Md.



**Location:** Annapolis, Md.  
**Enrollment:** 4,000  
**Nickname:** Midshipmen  
**Colors:** Navy Blue & Gold  
**Conference:** Patriot League  
**Home Field:** Glenn Warner Facility  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 2,500  
**Head Coach:** Carin Gabarra  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 97-60-9 (9)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 103-70-9 (10)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 16-5-1  
**League Record/Finish:** 6-1-1/ 1st  
**Contact:** Stacie Michaud  
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**UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH**  
*September 20, 2002 • 7:00 p.m.*  
 Pittsburgh, Pa.



**Location:** Pittsburgh, Pa.  
**Enrollment:** 33,000  
**Nickname:** Panthers  
**Colors:** Blue & Gold  
**Conference:** Big East  
**Home Field:** Founders Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 1,000  
**Head Coach:** Roland Sturk  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 332-72-6 (6)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 91-144-11 (12)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 7-9-1  
**League Record/Finish:** 2-4-0/ 5th  
**Contact:** Brad Cuprik  
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**WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY**  
*September 22, 2002 • 1:00 p.m.*  
 Morgantown, W.V.



**Location:** Morgantown, W.V.  
**Enrollment:** 22,300  
**Nickname:** Mountaineers  
**Colors:** Old Gold & Blue  
**Conference:** Big East  
**Home Field:** Mountaineer Complex  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 1,000  
**Head Coach:** Nikki Izzo-Brown  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 71-39-8 (6)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 84-44-8 (7)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 15-5-1  
**League Record/Finish:** 4-1-1/ T-2nd  
**Contact:** Lainie Guiddy  
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**RUTGERS UNIVERSITY**  
*September 25, 2002 • 4:00 p.m.*  
 Villanova, Pa.



**Location:** New Brunswick, N.J.  
**Enrollment:** 33,500  
**Nickname:** Scarlet Knights  
**Colors:** Scarlet  
**Conference:** Big East  
**Home Field:** Yurcak Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 5,000  
**Head Coach:** Glenn Crooks  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 23-17-3 (2)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 68-72-12 (9)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 14-8-1  
**League Record/Finish:** 4-1-1/ T-2nd  
**Contact:** Heather Brocius  
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**Email:** hbrocius@scarletknights.com

**UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME**  
*September 27, 2002 • 4:00 p.m.*  
 Villanova, Pa.



**Location:** Notre Dame, Ind.  
**Enrollment:** 10,301  
**Nickname:** Fighting Irish  
**Colors:** Gold & Blue  
**Conference:** Big East  
**Home Field:** Alumni Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 2,500  
**Head Coach:** Randy Waldrum  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 61-8-3 (3)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 244-113-22 (20)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 17-3-1  
**League Record/Finish:** 5-1-0/ 1st  
**Contact:** Pete LaFleur  
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**SAINT JOSEPH'S UNIVERSITY**  
*September 29, 2002 • 4:00 p.m.*  
 Villanova, Pa.



**Location:** Philadelphia, Pa.  
**Enrollment:** 3,500  
**Nickname:** Hawks  
**Colors:** Crimson & Gray  
**Conference:** Atlantic 10  
**Home Field:** Finnesey Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Turf/ 1,000  
**Head Coach:** Jessica Reynolds  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 5-10-2 (1)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 15-19-3 (2)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 5-10-2  
**League Record/Finish:** 2-7-2/ 10th  
**Contact:** Kevin Bonner  
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**GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY**  
*October 2, 2002 • 3:00 p.m.*  
 Storrs, Conn.



**Location:** Washington D.C.  
**Enrollment:** 6,418  
**Nickname:** Hoyas  
**Colors:** Blue & Gray  
**Conference:** Big East  
**Home Field:** Harbin Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 2,000  
**Head Coach:** Diane Drake  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 27-26-5 (3)  
**Career Record (yrs):** Same  
**2001 Overall Record:** 11-7-1  
**League Record/Finish:** 1-4-1/ 6th  
**Contact:** Rachel Loya  
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## OPPONENTS

**FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIV.**  
*October 11, 2002 • 4:00 p.m.*  
 Miami, Fla.



**Location:** Miami, Fla.  
**Enrollment:** 32,196  
**Nickname:** Golden Panthers  
**Colors:** Blue & Gold  
**Conference:** Sun Belt  
**Home Field:** University Park  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 1,500  
**Head Coach:** Everton Edwards  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 145-123-24 (17)  
**Career Record (yrs):** Same  
**2001 Overall Record:** 11-4-2  
**League Record/Finish:** 6-1-1/ 2nd  
**Contact:** David Gladow  
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**UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI**  
*October 13, 2002 • 1:00 p.m.*  
 Coral Gables, Fla.



**Location:** Coral Gables, Fla.  
**Enrollment:** 13,963  
**Nickname:** Hurricanes  
**Colors:** Orange, Green & White  
**Conference:** Big East  
**Home Field:** Cobb Stadium  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 500  
**Head Coach:** Trisha Taliaferro  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 0-0 (1st season)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 38-24-3 (3)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 10-9-1  
**League Record/Finish:** 3-2-1/ 3rd  
**Contact:** Kiersten Coleman  
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**PRINCETON UNIVERSITY**  
*October 16, 2002 • 4:00 p.m.*  
 Villanova, Pa.



**Location:** Princeton, N.J.  
**Enrollment:** 4,500  
**Nickname:** Tigers  
**Colors:** Orange & Black  
**Conference:** Ivy League  
**Home Field:** Lourie Love Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 2,000  
**Head Coach:** Julie Shackford  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 74-43-6 (6)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 116-64-11 (10)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 14-3-2  
**League Record/Finish:** 5-1-1/ T-1st  
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**ST. JOHN'S UNIVERSITY**  
*October 20, 2002 • 1:00 p.m.*  
 Villanova, Pa.



**Location:** Jamaica, N.Y.  
**Enrollment:** 18,300  
**Nickname:** Red Storm  
**Colors:** Red & White  
**Conference:** Big East  
**Home Field:** Belson Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 3,000  
**Head Coach:** Ian Stone  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 73-66-11 (9)  
**Career Record (yrs):** Same  
**2001 Overall Record:** 6-11-0  
**League Record/Finish:** 3-3-0/ 4th  
**Contact:** Allison Rubin  
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**SETON HALL UNIVERSITY**  
*October 23, 2002 • 3:00 p.m.*  
 South Orange, N.J.



**Location:** South Orange, N.J.  
**Enrollment:** 9,498  
**Nickname:** Pirates  
**Colors:** Blue & White  
**Conference:** Big East  
**Home Field:** Owen T. Carroll Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 1,800  
**Head Coach:** Betty Ann Kempf  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 70-69-7 (8)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 110-153-16 (16)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 5-10-2  
**League Record/Finish:** 0-5-1/ 7th  
**Contact:** Marie Wozniak  
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**HOWARD UNIVERSITY**  
*October 27, 2002 • 2:00 p.m.*  
 Villanova, Pa.



**Location:** Washington D.C.  
**Enrollment:** 10,500  
**Nickname:** Lady Booters  
**Colors:** Blue, White & Red  
**Conference:** Independent  
**Home Field:** Green Stadium  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 10,000  
**Head Coach:** Michelle Street  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 25-44-1 (6)  
**Career Record (yrs):** Same  
**2001 Overall Record:** 10-7-0  
**League Record/Finish:** n/a  
**Contact:** Romanda Noble  
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**MT. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE**  
*October 29, 2002 • 1:00 p.m.*  
 Villanova, Pa.



**Location:** Emmitsburg, Md.  
**Enrollment:** 1,400  
**Nickname:** Mountaineers  
**Colors:** Blue & White  
**Conference:** Northeast Conference  
**Home Field:** MSM College Soccer Field  
**Surface/ Capacity:** Grass/ 750  
**Head Coach:** Paul Wood  
**Record @ School (yrs):** 17-48-4 (4)  
**Career Record (yrs):** 17-48-4 (4)  
**2001 Overall Record:** 1-15-1  
**League Record/Finish:** 1-8-1/ 11th  
**Contact:** Andy Warner  
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## 2002 BIG EAST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS

*Big East Quarterfinals*  
*November 2, 2002*  
*@ Higher Seed*

*Big East Championships*  
*November 8-10, 2002*  
*@ Notre Dame, Ind.*





## ALL-TIME RECORD VERSUS OPPONENTS

Adelphi	0-3-3	Kean College	2-0-0	Richmond	0-1-0
American	2-1-0	Lafayette	4-0-0	Robert Morris	1-0-0
Barry	0-1-0	La Salle	11-1-0	Rochester	0-1-0
Boston College	4-10-0	Lehigh	12-1-0	Rutgers	11-11-4
Brown	1-2-0	Loyola	1-0-0	Scranton	4-1-0
Bucknell	3-0-1	Maine	1-0-0	Seton Hall	4-4-0
Buffalo State	1-0-0	Manhattan College	1-0-1	Slippery Rock	0-0-1
Butler University	1-0-0	Manhattanville	4-1-0	St. Bonaventure	2-0-0
Canisius	2-0-0	Marist College	1-0-0	St. Francis	2-0-0
Central Florida	0-1-0	Maryland	3-5-0	St. John's	12-2-0
Cincinnati	0-0-1	Mary Washington	1-0-0	St. Joseph's	1-0-0
Colgate	5-4-1	Mercer CC	4-0-1	SUNY Stony Brook	4-0-2
Columbia	1-0-1	Miami (Fla.)	0-1-0	Swarthmore	10-2-1
Connecticut	0-12-1	Monmouth	3-4-1	Syracuse	4-1-0
Cornell	2-1-0	Mt. St. Mary's	1-0-0	Temple	3-0-2
Dayton	0-1-0	Navy	2-1-0	Texas A&M	0-1-0
Delaware	6-1-2	New Hampshire	0-1-0	Tulane	1-0-0
Dickinson	2-0-0	Niagra	1-0-0	UCLA	0-1-0
Duke	0-2-0	North Carolina	0-1-0	UC Santa Barbara	1-0-0
Fairfield	1-1-0	North Carolina Ashville	1-0-0	UMBC	2-0-1
Florida Atlantic	1-0-0	North Carolina Greensboro	0-1-0	Vermont	1-1-0
Florida International	2-0-0	North Carolina State	0-3-0	Virginia	2-6-1
Franklin & Marshall	12-4-1	Northeastern	1-0-0	Virginia Tech	1-0-0
George Mason	2-11-1	Notre Dame	0-9-0	Wake Forest	0-2-0
Georgetown	7-1-0	Penn State	3-7-0	West Chester	7-1-0
George Washington	6-3-0	Pennsylvania	12-0-2	Westfield State	1-0-0
Hartford	1-1-1	Pepperdine	0-1-0	West Virginia	2-2-2
Harvard	0-2-0	Pittsburgh	3-2-0	William & Mary	0-4-0
Hawaii	0-1-0	Princeton	7-14-0	Wisconsin-Milwaukee	1-0-0
High Point	1-0-0	Providence	9-7-1		
Holy Cross	2-3-0	Radford	0-0-1		
James Madison	0-5-0	Rhode Island	1-0-0		



*Former Villanova goalkeeping standout Janel Schilling posted 22.5 shutouts during her Main Line career (1998-2001).*



*The 2001 Villanova women's soccer team recorded the second highest single-season win total in school history (13) and earned the program's first-ever NCAA Tournament berth.*



## 2001 STATISTICS & RESULTS

### STATISTICS & RESULTS FOR OVERALL GAMES (13-6-3 OVERALL, 2-2-2 BIG EAST CONFERENCE MID-ATLANTIC DIVISION)

No.	Name	GP/GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
20	Quinn Sellers	20/19	29	10	2	22
2	Laura Johnson	22/12	50	8	4	20
18	Janessa Jeltema	22/17	31	4	5	13
5	Candice MacDonald	22/17	31	3	7	13
22	Jessica Painchaud	22/15	36	4	4	12
4	Erica Stewart	22/12	19	4	4	12
8	Julie Battista	22/18	32	2	7	11
24	Kristin Dunst	21/7	16	1	8	10
10	Regina Villari	22/1	19	4	1	9
13	Michelle Biehl	22/22	8	1	5	7
7	Angela Scialdone	21/11	21	3	1	7
6	Alison Bimba	12/1	17	1	2	4
23	Jill DiBerardino	20/20	5	0	2	2
17	Patricia Misciagna	21/10	6	0	2	2
9	Jennifer Carrigan	22/21	15	0	1	1
3	Dyane Noonan	20/20	3	0	0	0
21	Elizabeth Dauble	22/7	17	0	0	0
16	Meaghan Frawley	11/0	5	0	0	0
19	Cary Morrell	13/0	3	0	0	0
12	Tracy Naida	4/0	2	0	0	0
11	Colleen Keneally	1/0	1	0	0	0
14	Katie Shesgreen	5/0	1	0	0	0
<b>VILLANOVA</b>		<b>22/22</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>145</b>
<b>OPPONENT TOTALS</b>		<b>22/22</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>49</b>

#### Goalkeeping Statistics

No.	Name	GP/GS	Min	SV	GA	SV%	GAA	ShO	W-L-T
1	Janel Schillig	18/17	1648	101	13	.886	0.71	7	10-6-2
0	Chrissy Dolan	6/5	458	12	3	.800	0.59	3	3-0-1
<b>VILLANOVA TOTALS</b>		<b>22/22</b>	<b>2106</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>.876</b>	<b>0.68</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13-6-3</b>
<b>OPPONENT TOTALS</b>		<b>22/22</b>	<b>2106</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>.767</b>	<b>1.92</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6-13-3</b>

#### Game-By-Game Results

Date	Opponent	Result	Attendance	Overall	Big East
8/30	St. Bonaventure University	W, 6-0	225	1-0-0	0-0-0
9/4	at Manhattan College	T, 1-1 (2OT)	200	1-0-1	0-0-0
9/7	Marist College	W, 4-0	258	2-0-1	0-0-0
9/9	Maryland Baltimore County	W, 5-2	407	3-0-1	0-0-0
9/17	at Virginia Tech	W, 2-0	169	4-0-1	0-0-0
9/21	at Notre Dame (#4)	L, 2-1 (2OT)	1,113	4-1-1	0-1-0
9/23	at Butler University	W, 1-0	60	5-1-1	0-1-0
9/26	at Georgetown	L, 2-1 (OT)	100	5-2-1	0-2-0
9/28	Robert Morris College	W, 3-0	75	6-2-1	0-2-0
10/3	Seton Hall	W, 3-0	237	7-2-1	1-2-0
10/5	Pittsburgh	W, 4-0	211	8-2-1	2-2-0
10/7	West Virginia (#22)	T, 1-1 (2OT)	450	8-2-2	2-2-1
10/10	Rutgers	T, 0-0 (2OT)	750	8-2-3	2-2-2
10/14	U.S. Naval Academy	W, 4-0	535	9-2-3	2-2-2
10/17	at Princeton	L, 1-0	400	9-3-3	2-2-2
10/19	Boston College	W, 3-0	270	10-3-3	2-2-2
10/21	Providence College	L, 1-0	613	10-4-3	2-2-2
10/26	at Syracuse	W, 2-1	366	11-4-3	2-2-2
10/30	at George Mason	W, 2-1	111	12-4-3	2-2-2
11/4	*at Connecticut (#9)	L, 1-0	572	12-5-3	2-2-2
11/16	\$vs. Pennsylvania	W, 2-0	607	13-5-3	2-2-2
11/18	\$at Penn State (#10)	L, 3-0	505	13-6-3	2-2-2

\* Big East Tournament Quarterfinals

\$ NCAA Tournament at Penn State University



## 2001 BIG EAST SEASON IN REVIEW

### 2001 FINAL BIG EAST CONFERENCE STANDINGS

	BIG EAST				OVERALL		
	W	L	T	Pts.	W	L	T
<b>Northeast</b>							
#Connecticut (10th)	5	1	0	15	18	6	0
*Boston College	3	2	1	10	11	10	1
*Miami	3	2	1	10	10	9	1
*St. John's	3	3	0	9	6	11	0
Syracuse	3	3	0	9	12	7	0
Providence	1	4	1	4	7	9	2
Virginia Tech	1	4	1	4	8	9	3
<b>Mid-Atlantic</b>							
#Notre Dame (17th)	5	1	0	15	17	3	1
*West Virginia	4	1	1	13	15	5	1
*Rutgers (14th)	4	1	1	13	14	8	1
*Villanova	2	2	2	8	13	6	3
Pittsburgh	2	4	0	6	7	9	1
Georgetown	1	4	1	4	9	7	1
Seton Hall	0	5	1	1	5	10	2#

BIG EAST Division Champion

\* - earned a berth in the BIG EAST Championship

(rankings in parentheses are from the NSCAA Poll - Nov. 12)

### 2001 BIG EAST CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### Quarterfinals - Sunday, November 4

Quarterfinal 1

No. 1 Mid-Atlantic Notre Dame 2, No. 4 Northeast St. John's 0

Quarterfinal 2

No. 2 Northeast Boston College 4, No. 3 Mid-Atlantic Rutgers 3

Quarterfinal 3

No. 1 Northeast Connecticut 1, No. 4 Mid-Atlantic Villanova 0

Quarterfinal 4

No. 2 Mid-Atlantic West Virginia 2, No. 3 Northeast Miami 0

#### Semifinals - Friday, November 9

Game 1

No. 1 Mid-Atlantic Notre Dame 3, No. 2 Northeast Boston College 0

Game 2

No. 2 Mid-Atlantic West Virginia 1, No. 1 Northeast Connecticut 0

#### Championship - Sunday, November 11

Notre Dame 2, West Virginia 1

### VILLANOVA FINAL BIG EAST CONFERENCE STATISTICS (2-2-2 CONFERENCE RECORD)

No. Name	GP/GS	Shots	Goals	Assists	Points
20 Quinn Sellers	6/6	6	3	2	8
22 Jessica Painchaud	6/4	9	2	0	4
10 Regina Villari	6/0	4	2	0	4
18 Janessa Jeltema	6/4	4	0	3	3
8 Julie Battista	6/6	6	1	1	3
2 Laura Johnson	6/2	9	1	2	2
4 Erica Stewart	6/3	7	1	0	2
6 Alisin Bimba	5/0	3	1	0	2
13 Michelle Biehl	6/6	1	0	1	1
17 Patricia Misciagna	6/4	0	0	1	1
9 Jennifer Carrigan	6/6	7	0	1	1
5 Candice MacDonald	6/4	6	0	1	1
7 Angela Scialdone	5/3	2	0	1	1
3 Dyane Noonan	5/5	0	0	0	0
21 Elizabeth Dauble	6/2	7	0	0	0
23 Jill DiBerardino	4/4	0	0	0	0
24 Kristin Dunst	6/1	3	0	0	0
11 Colleen Keneally	1/0	1	0	0	0
16 Meaghan Frawley	3/0	1	0	0	0
19 Cary Morrell	4/0	0	0	0	0
14 Katie Shesgreen	2/0	1	0	0	0
12 Tracy Naida	1/0	0	0	0	0
<b>VILLANOVA TOTALS</b>	<b>6/6</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>OPPONENT TOTALS</b>	<b>6/6</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>16</b>

#### Goalkeeping Statistics

No. Name	GP/S	Min	SV	GA	SV%	GAA	ShO	W-L-T
1 Janel Schillig	6/6	636	44	5	.898	0.71	3	2-2-2
<b>VILLANOVA TOTALS</b>	<b>6/6</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>.898</b>	<b>0.71</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2-2-2</b>
<b>OPPONENT TOTALS</b>	<b>6/6</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>.737</b>	<b>1.42</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2-2-2</b>

#### Game-By-Game Results

Date	Opponent	Result	Big East
9/21	at Notre Dame (#4)	L, 2-1 (2OT)	0-1-0
9/26	at Georgetown	L, 2-1 (OT)	0-2-0
10/3	Seton Hall	W, 3-0	1-2-0
10/5	Pittsburgh	W, 4-0	2-2-0
10/7	West Virginia (#22)	T, 1-1 (2OT)	2-2-1
10/10	Rutgers	T, 0-0 (2OT)	2-2-2

### WILDCATS IN THE 2001 BIG EAST WEEKLY HONORS

Michelle Biehl	Big East Defensive Player of the Week (Sept. 24) Big East Defensive Player of the Week (Oct. 8)
Janel Schillig	Big East Co-Goalkeeper of the Week (Oct. 8)



Michelle Biehl



Janel Schillig



A 2002 Villanova graduate and former Wildcat midfielder, Jessica Painchaud had two goals for the 'Cats in Big East play last season



## HISTORY & RECORDS

### WOMEN'S SOCCER HISTORY (1976-2001)

Year	Record	Pct.	Big East
1976	3-2-0	(.600)	
1977	2-3-0	(.400)	
1978	4-6-1	(.409)	
1979	4-6-1	(.409)	
1980	6-3-3	(.625)	
1981	11-3-1	(.767)	
1982	10-3-0	(.769)	
1983	12-6-0	(.667)	
1984	10-11-1	(.477)	
1985	10-5-1	(.656)	
1986	12-4-3	(.711)	
1987	13-6-2	(.667)	
1988	7-7-4	(.500)	
1989	8-10-0	(.444)	
1990	7-8-2	(.471)	
1991	9-7-2	(.556)	
1992	5-12-3	(.325)	
1993	12-9-0	(.571)	Big East
1994	11-6-1	(.639)	2-4-0
1995	11-6-2	(.632)	4-3-1
1996	8-11-1	(.425)	5-4-0
1997	8-8-2	(.500)	6-4-1
1998	9-9-2	(.500)	4-6-1
1999	14-8-0	(.636)	4-2-0
2000	11-8-0	(.579)	2-4-0
2001	13-6-3	(.659)	2-2-2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>190-147-29*</b>	<b>(.559)</b>	<b>29-29-5</b>

\*All-Time record begins in 1983 - first season as varsity sport

### VILLANOVA WOMEN'S SOCCER INDIVIDUAL RECORDS (1976-PRESENT)

#### Individual

Most goals in a game:	5, Ann Brennan vs. Pennsylvania (9/29/83)
Most goals in a season:	23, Cathy Ford (1984)
Most goals in a career:	67, Cathy Ford (1982-85)
Most assists in a game:	4, Ann Kempf vs. Pennsylvania (9/29/83)
Most assists in a season:	10, Cathy Ford (1983)
	10, Ann Brennan (1986)
	10, Marcy Micek (1993)
Most assists in a career:	28, Cathy Ford (1982-85)
Most points in a game:	10, Ann Brennan vs. Pennsylvania (9/29/83)
Most points in a season:	54, Cathy Ford, 1984
Most points in a career:	153, Cathy Ford (1982-85)
Most saves in a game:	28, Sue Onnembo vs. Mercer County CC (10/30/82)
Most saves in a season:	181, Janel Schillig (1999)
Most saves in a career:	576, Sue Onnembo (1981-84)
Highest save % in a season:	.924 (172 saves, 14 goals), Sue Onnembo
Highest save % in a career:	.868 (420 saves, 64 goals), Lynn McCale
Best GAA in a season:	0.71 (13 goals in 18 games), Janel Schillig 2001
Best GAA in a career:	.941 (64 goals in 68 games), Lynn McCale (1984-87)
Most shutouts in a season:	9, Lynn McCale (1987)
Most shutouts in a career:	29, Lynn McCale (1984-87)

### ALL-TIME VILLANOVA WOMEN'S SOCCER HEAD COACHING RECORDS (1976-PRESENT)

Name	Years	Record
Don Paxson	1984-91	73-58-15 (.551)
Ann Clifton	1997-present	55-39-7 (.579)
Lee Stevens	1978-83	47-27-6 (.625)
Shelly Chamberlain	1992-96	47-44-7 (.515)



Don Paxson



Ann Clifton

#### Team

Most goals in a game:	13, vs. LaSalle (9/17/86)
Most goals in a season:	58 (1983)
Most goals against in a game:	9, vs. North Carolina (9/25/83)
Most goals against in a season:	55 (1996)
Most assists in a game:	7, vs. Pennsylvania (9/29/83)
Most assists in a season:	41 (1984 and 1991)
Most points in a game:	28, vs. LaSalle (9/17/86)
Most points in a season:	153 (1984)
Most saves in a game:	28, vs. Mercer County CC (10/30/82)
Most saves in a season:	197 (1998)
Most shutouts in a season:	9 (1987)
Most wins in a season:	14 (1999)
Fewest wins in a season:	2 (1977)
Most losses in a season:	2 (1976, in only five games)
	3 (1977, 1980, 1981, 1982)
	6 (1981, 1983, 1995)
Longest win streak:	6 (1981, 1983, 1992)
Most consecutive games without a loss:	8 (1986)
Longest losing streak:	6 (1981, 1983, 1992)
Best winning percentage:	.769 (10-3 in 1982)
Fewest games held scoreless:	0 (1976)
Highest scoring average:	3.8 (1982)
Lowest scoring average:	0.5 (1979)
Most ties:	4 (1988)
Most overtime games:	6 (1998)



## VILLANOVA CAREER & SEASON LEADERS

### VILLANOVA CAREER LEADERS

#### Points

1. Cathy Ford (1982-85)	153
2. Ann Brennan (1983-86)	116
3. Jean Hajjar (1985-88)	88
4. Tina Conti (1988-91)	81
5. Maura McGhee (1995-97)	69
6. Lauren Sellers (1996-99)	67
7. Beth McMahon (1987-90)	66
8. Rachel Moreau (1990-93)	63
9. Ann Beirne (1985-88)	61
10. Jeannine McLees (1986-89)	59

#### Goals

1. Cathy Ford (1982-85)	67
2. Ann Brennan (1983-86)	45
3. Jean Hajjar (1985-88)	36
4. Maura McGhee (1995-97)	28
Rachel Moreau (1990-93)	28
6. Tina Conti (1988-1991)	27
7. Ann Beirne (1985-88)	25
8. Beth McMahon (1987-1990)	24
9. Cathleen Roman (1993-96)	23
Jeannine McLees (1986-89)	23
Quinn Sellers (1999-)	23

#### Assists

1. Cathy Ford (1982-85)	28
2. Tina Conti (1988-91)	27
3. Ann Brennan (1983-86)	26
4. Lauren Sellers (1996-99)	25
5. Allison Maue (1992-95)	19
6. Beth McMahon (1987-90)	18
7. Lisa Morgan (1982-85)	17
Julie Battista (1999-)	17
9. Jean Hajjar (1985-88)	16
10. Marcy Micek (1991-94)	15

#### Saves

1. Sue Onnembo (1981-84)	576
2. Janel Schillig (1998-)	530
3. Karen Del Sarto (1988-91)	479
4. Jeanne Hennessy (1995-98)	463
5. Lynn McCale (1984-87)	420

#### Shutouts

1. Lynn McCale (1984-87)	29
2. Sue Onnembo (1981-84)	25
3. Janel Schillig (1998-)	22.5
4. Karen Del Sarto (1988-91)	18
5. Jeanne Hennessy (1995-98)	13

#### Victories

1. Sue Onnembo (1981-84)	41
2. Janel Schillig (1998-)	39
3. Lynn McCale (1984-87)	36
4. Karen Del Sarto (1988-91)	31
5. Jeanne Hennessy (1995-98)	27

#### SV% (Minimum - 2,500 minutes)

1. Lynn McCale (1984-87)	.868
2. Janel Schillig (1998-2001)	.859
3. Sue Onnembo (1981-84)	.858
4. Karen Del Sarto (1988-91)	.845
5. Jeanne Hennessy (1995-98)	.817

#### GAA (Minimum - 2,500 minutes)

1. Lynn McCale (1984-87)	0.95
2. Janel Schillig (1998-)	1.17
3. Karen Del Sarto (1988-91)	1.32
4. Sue Onnembo (1981-84)	1.62
5. Jeanne Hennessy (1995-98)	1.94

### VILLANOVA SEASON LEADERS

#### Points

1. Cathy Ford	54	1984
2. Cathy Ford	36	1982
3. Nina Wieczoriek	31	1983
4. Ann Brennan	29	1983

#### Goals

1. Cathy Ford	23	1984
2. Cathy Ford	17	1983
3. Cathy Ford	16	1982
4. Nina Wieczoriek	14	1981
5. Ann Brennan	12	1983

#### Assists

1. Cathy Ford	10	1983
Ann Brennan	10	1986
Marcy Micek	10	1993
4. Kristin Dunst	8	2001
5. Julie Battista	7	2001
Candice MacDonald	7	2001
7. Denise Finn	6	1982

#### Saves

1. Janel Schillig	181	1999
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#### Best Save % Season

1. Sue Onnembo	.924	1981 (172 saves, 14 goals)
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#### Best GAA Season

1. Janel Schillig	0.71	2001 (13 goals in 18 games)
2. Lynn McCale	0.84	1986 (16 goals in 19 games)

#### Most Shutouts Season

1. Lynn McCale	9	1987
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*Ann Brennan is among the top five in the Villanova career record books in points, goals and assists.*



## HONORS & AWARDS

### NSCAA ALL-AMERICANS

1988, Ann Beirne, second team  
 1990, Tina Conti, second team  
 1995, Allison Maue, third team  
 1995, Rose Marie Miller, third team

### NSCAA ALL-REGION

1986, Ann Beirne (All-Northeast Region first team)  
 1987, Ann Beirne (All-Northeast Region first team)  
 1988, Jeanine McLees (All-Northeast Region second team)  
 1988, Ann Beirne (All-Northeast Region first team)  
 1989, Tina Conti (All-Northeast Region first team)  
 1990, Tina Conti (All-Northeast Region first team)  
 1997, Maura McGhee (All-Mid Atlantic Region third team)  
 2001, Michelle Biehl (All-Mid Atlantic Region third team)

### BIG EAST POST-SEASON HONORS

**1995**

Allison Maue (First Team)

**1996**

Maura McGhee (First Team)

Kara Stanislawczyk (Second Team)

Briar MacAdams (All Rookie)

**1997**

Maura McGhee (First Team)

Beth McCaffery (Second Team)

**1998**

Janel Schillig (All Rookie)

Keri Lages (All Rookie)

**1999**

Janel Schillig (Big East Goalkeeper of the Year, All-Big East first team)

Kristin Dunst (All-Rookie)

**2001**

Janel Schillig (Second Team)

Quinn Sellers (Second Team)

Michelle Biehl (All-Rookie)

Laura Johnson (All-Rookie)

### SOCCER BUZZ AWARDS

**1997**

Maura McGhee All Mid-Atlantic Region second team

**1998**

Janel Schillig All Freshmen Mid-Atlantic Region

**1999**

Lauren Sellers All-Mid Atlantic Region third team

Kristin Dunst All-Freshmen Mid-Atlantic Region

**2001**

Michelle Biehl Freshman All-America second team

All-Mid Atlantic Region second team

Mid Atlantic Region All-Freshmen Team

Janel Schillig All-Mid Atlantic Region second team

### BIG EAST ACADEMIC ALL-STARS

**1993**

Sarah Levendusky, Rose Miller.

**1994**

Sarah Levendusky, Rose Miller, Debbie Pickrel.

**1995**

Diana Anes, Jessica Baratta, Molly Bushman, Allison Maue, Beth McCaffery, Maura McGhee, Rose Miller, Erin O'Toole, Debbie Pickrel, Amy Poplawski, Stephanie Shields, Kara Stanislawczyk.

**1996**

Diana Anes, Jessica Baratta, Molly Bushman, Allison Maue, Beth McCaffery, Maura McGhee, Kelly McGrady, Kathryn Minnich, Erin O'Toole, Debbie Pickrel, Erica Rauchut, Erin Ross, Stephanie Shields, Kara Stanislawczyk.

**1997**

Diana Anes, Jessica Baratta, Ann Marie Fallow, Briar MacAdams, Beth McCaffery, Maura McGhee, Kelly McGrady, Kathryn Minnich, Erin O'Toole, Erica Rauchut, Stephanie Shields.

### Big East Academic All-Stars continued

**1998**

Jessica Baratta, Meaghan Frawley, Susan Lubbers, Briar MacAdams, Gretchen Miller, Kathy Minnich, Dyane Noonan, Erin O'Toole, Erica Rauchut

**1999**

Kristin Borchard, Jennifer Carrigan, Kristin Dunst, Meaghan Frawley, Claire Letourneau, Susan Lubbers, Briar MacAdams, Stephanie Martell, Gretchen Miller, Kathy Minnich, Cary Morrell, Dyane Noonan, Erica Rauchut, Janel Schillig, Angela Scialdone, Lauren Sellers

**2000-2001**

Julie Battista, Jennifer Carrigan, Jill DiBerardino, Chrissy Dolan, Kristin Dunst, Janessa Jeltema, Candice MacDonald, Stephanie Martell, Cary Morrell, Dyane Noonan, Janel Schillig, Angela Scialdone, Kelly Stewart

### NSCAA AWARDS

1998, NSCAA Team Academic Award

1999, NSCAA Team Academic Award

2000, NSCAA Team Academic Award

2001, NSCAA Team Academic Award

### VERIZON ACADEMIC AWARD

**2001**

Dyane Noonan Verizon All-District II Team,  
 Second Team Verizon Academic All-America

### GTE DISTRICT II ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICA TEAM

**1987**

Lynn McHale GTE District II Academic All-America Team

### BIG EAST SCHOLAR-ATHLETE AWARD

1997, Beth McCaffery

2001, Janel Schillig

### SISTER MARY MARGARET CRIBBEN AWARD (HIGHEST TEAM GPA/ VILLANOVA ATHLETICS)

2002, Women's Soccer



*Tina Conti earned NSCAA second team All-America honors in 1990 and was twice named to the NSCAA All-Region Team.*



## TOURNAMENT HISTORY

### BIG EAST TOURNAMENT BERTHS

**1993 Semifinals**

#1 Connecticut 3, #4 Villanova 0

**1995 Semifinals**

#1 Connecticut 3, #4 Villanova 1

**1996 Semifinals**

#1 Notre Dame 7, #4 Villanova 0

**1997 Semifinals**

#1 Notre Dame 7, #4 Villanova 0

**1998 Semifinals**

#1 Connecticut 5, #4 Villanova 0

**1999 Quarterfinals**

#3 Boston College (Northeast) 2, #2 Villanova (Mid-Atlantic) 1 (2OT)

**2001 Quarterfinals**

#4 Villanova (Mid-Atlantic) 0, #1 Connecticut (Northeast) 1

### ECAC TOURNAMENT BERTHS

**1999 ECAC CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Semifinals - Nov. 13, 1999**

Villanova 2, Cornell 0

**Finals - Nov. 14, 1999**

Villanova 1, St. John's 0

**MVP:** Lauren Sellers

**1987 ECAC CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Semifinals - November 6, 1987**

Villanova 3, Monmouth 0

**Finals - November 7, 1987**

Villanova 3, Hartford 2 (3OT)

**MVP:** Ann Beirne

**1984 ECAC CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Semifinals - November 2, 1984**

Colgate 1, Villanova 0

**1983 ECAC CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Semifinals - November 4, 1983**

Vermont 2, Villanova 0

**Consolation Game - November 5, 1983**

Villanova 2, Colgate 0



Jean Hajjar (left) and Jeannine McLees (right) helped lead the Villanova women's soccer program to its first-ever ECAC title in 1987.

### NCAA TOURNAMENT BERTHS

**2001 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**First Round - Nov. 16, 2001**

Villanova 2, Pennsylvania 0

**Second Round - Nov. 18, 2001**

#10 Penn State 3, Villanova 0



**FIRST-EVER  
NCAA TOURNAMENT  
APPEARANCE  
IN 2001**



Ann Beirne earned Most Valuable Player honors at the 1987 ECAC Championships.



Lauren Sellers was the MVP of the Wildcats ECAC Tournament title run in 1999.



## WILDCATS IN THE COMMUNITY

In addition to its stellar play on the field, the Villanova University women's soccer team has also been involved in a number of successful projects off the field. The Wildcats are involved with such organizations as PAWS (Providing Athletes With Support), SAAC (Student Athlete Advisory Committee), and CATS (Community Action Through Sports). Together with the many other Villanova varsity sports, the Villanova women's soccer team has worked hard to make a difference in the community.

Since Ann Clifton took over as head coach of the women's soccer program in 1997, she has made academics a top priority as displayed by the Wildcats' consecutive NSCAA Team Academic Awards. In addition, Clifton has made sure that the Wildcat players have continued to give back to the surrounding community.

The Villanova women's soccer team has gone to visit sick children at St. Christopher's and participated in a number of other fulfilling programs. Here are just some of the programs that the Wildcats have been a part of during Ann Clifton's tenure:

### SOCCER ON THE STREETS

The Wildcats collect used soccer equipment for *Soccer on the Streets*. This program is aimed at giving children the chance to play soccer. In addition to the collection of used soccer equipment, the Villanova women's soccer team also conducted clinics for underprivileged youths.

### ATHLETES ADOPT-A-FAMILY

The Villanova women's soccer team was one of 10 Wildcat teams to take part in the Athlete Adopt-A-Family program. In this program, members of the team donated items for needy families during the Christmas season. These items included toys, clothes, kitchen supplies, toiletries, make-up, food, gift certificates and other presents.

### PEN PAL PROGRAM

Over 100 athletes, including a number of women's soccer players, took part in a Pen Pal Program with fifth and sixth graders at Evans Computer Magnet Elementary School in Yeadon, Pa. Letters were exchanged each month between the Villanova athletes and elementary school students. During the spring semester, the kids came to Villanova to visit their pen pal in person and experience the life of a college student. One of the many experiences included the opportunity to eat in the University's South Campus dining hall.

### SPECIAL OLYMPICS

Villanova women's soccer athletes were among the many to give back to the community by volunteering their time annually for the Special Olympics. The Special Olympics was held on the campus of Villanova University.

### JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM

The Junior Achievement Program comprised 100 athletes from Villanova University. These student-athletes prepared and trained to go into elementary school settings, where they worked hands on with the students in such activities as economic education. These Wildcat student-athletes taught five weekly 40-50 minute lessons at local schools.

### SNEAKER COLLECTION

The women's soccer 'Cats were among many Villanova athletes to donate their old sneakers to the poor and underprivileged. Over 100 pairs of sneakers were collected in the office of Athletic Student Services and were given to Campus Ministry to deliver to needy families.

### READING ACROSS AMERICA PROGRAM

During Dr. Seuss's birthday in 2000, the Villanova women's soccer team traveled to a local elementary school and read several Dr. Seuss books to the students.

### PHILADELPHIA FIT FEST

A number of women's soccer athletes participate in the Philadelphia Fit Fest. Soccer is just one of the many sports being taught at the fit fest. Wildcat players and coaches help teach the fundamentals of the game to inter-city kids from the Philadelphia area.

### NCAA WOMEN'S FINAL FOUR IN PHILADELPHIA

Two years ago, several Villanova University women's soccer players gave their time this past spring to the NCAA Final Four in Philadelphia. Former players Dyane Noonan and Jessica Painchaud, and senior Cary Morrell helped the Philadelphia community share in the fun and excitement of NCAA Final Four basketball.

### SHRINERS HOSPITAL VISIT

During the fall of 2001, the Villanova women's soccer team visited the children at the Shriners Hospital in Philadelphia. While they were there, the team helped the patients paint pumpkins and make masks for Halloween.

### YOUTH CLINICS AND GIRL SCOUTS DAY

The Villanova women's soccer program brought youth teams in and gave a clinic to teach them about the finer points of the game of soccer. Our team also spoke to the Girl Scouts about our program and about the importance of getting a good education.

"When we discuss our community service programs with the Villanova women's soccer team, we remind them of a William Penn quote: 'I expect to pass through life but once. If therefore there be any kindness I can show or any good thing I can do to any fellow being, let me do it now and not defer or neglect it, as I shall not pass this way again.' (William Penn, 1644-1718)."

-Villanova Head Coach Ann Clifton



The 2002 women's soccer senior class poses with the coaching staff at the 2002 Senior Banquet. (L-R): Jill DiBerardino, Jessica Painchaud, assistant coach Paul Royal, Dyane Noonan, Janel Schillig, Angela Scialdone, Meghan Frawley and head coach Ann Clifton.



## VILLANOVA ATHLETIC FACILITIES

### THE JOHN "JAKE" NEVIN FIELD HOUSE

Officially opened on April 1, 1932 as the Villanova Field House, the Field House was renamed to honor long-time Wildcat athletic trainer John "Jake" Nevin on November 22, 1985. Once the home of both the Wildcat men's and women's basketball teams, the building is currently home to the women's volleyball squad, as well as administrative offices and training facilities. Originally built at a cost of \$350,000, the field house has hosted Villanova's commencement exercises, numerous high school commencements, as well as concerts, lectures, funerals, masses, dances and plays.

### THE PAVILION

Officially opened in February 1986, The Pavilion is the current home of the Wildcat men's and women's basketball teams. With a seating capacity of 6,500, the Pavilion also has hosted commencements, receptions, banquets, dances and concerts since the opening. Also included in The Pavilion is a 200-meter indoor track, tennis courts and batting cages for the baseball and softball teams.

### VILLANOVA STADIUM, GOODREAU FIELD & THE JUMBO ELLIOTT TRACK

Dedicated on October 8, 1927, and built at a cost of \$500,000, numerous improvements and additions have been made to the original home of the Wildcats since then. The structure is officially known as Villanova Stadium and seats 12,000 spectators. It has hosted football, field hockey, men's and women's lacrosse, men's and women's soccer, and international track meets, as well as commencements and other functions. The playing field was dedicated to the memory of Leo J. Goodreau, a football player who died due to injuries in practice, on May 7, 1930. On September 27, 1980, the running track was dedicated to Villanova's legendary track & field coach, James "Jumbo" Elliott. In the summer of 1992, new surfaces were placed on the playing field (Astroturf-8) and track (Rekortan S). During the summer of 1997, state-of-the-art lights were installed, improving the quality of all Wildcat night contests. In the summer of 1999, a Stadium Renovation project took place with the addition of a press facility that includes two, a 100-person meeting room for all athletic department members to utilize, along with a first-class facility for all media members to use.

### VILLANOVA SOCCER COMPLEX

Located behind St. Mary's Hall on the ever-growing West Campus is the Villanova Soccer Complex. It was established in the fall of 1992 as the new home for the Wildcat men's and women's soccer programs and was recently leveled and re-sodded for a top-notch facility. During the summer of 1999, new bleachers were added to the facility that seats 1,000 people. In the fall of 2001, a new locker room facility and a video conference room for the men's and women's soccer teams were in full use. This facility will also contain an athletic training room, as well as a laundry facility.

### ATHLETIC TRAINING ROOM

Villanova's Jake Nevin Field House features a full-service athletic training room. The facility contains state-of-the-art equipment specifically for the treatment and rehabilitation of athletic injuries. This facility now contains 2,200 square feet of training space. All advanced treatment and rehabilitation is performed under the supervision of four full-time National Athletic Training Association Certified personnel. In the cases requiring physical therapy needs, or subspecialized medical evaluation, outside consultants are utilized.

### WEIGHT TRAINING & CONDITIONING FACILITIES

Under the direction of Strength & Conditioning Coach Jeff Watson, Villanova University offers one main weight training & conditioning facility underneath Villanova Stadium for all Wildcat student-athletes. Recently, the weight room was renovated to a 5,900 square foot training center with weight training and cardiovascular machines. There are also other weight training and conditioning facilities for the general Villanova University community on the South Campus and the West Campus. The South Campus facility was also renovated in the summer of 1998 to fit the needs of the general student body.

### ACADEMIC SUPPORT CENTER

Located within the Jake Nevin Field House is the Villanova Athletic Support Center. Working in conjunction with Dr. Dan Regan, Villanova's Academic Advisor for Athletics, Associate Director of Academic Support Nancy White administers the daily operations of this full-service facility. In addition to an on-line computer which monitors the academic progress of all Wildcat student-athletes, the center includes work space for student-athletes and computer workstations with word-processing and laserjets for use by student-athletes. Also, various computer programs are offered, such as a resumé writing program. Also within this suite of offices are Senior Associate Athletic Director Dave White, Associate Athletic Director for Compliance/Program Development John Robinson and Senior Women's Administrator Lynn Tigue.

### ACADEMIC RESOURCE CENTER

The Villanova Department of Athletics expanded Academic Support's domain into the newly renovated stadium. With the addition of a new infrastructure during the summer of 1999, the department's new Academic Resource Center was formed. The benefits of the ARC include:

- Improved efficiency of academic support services to student-athletes.
- Expansion and consolidation of several academic resources, such as freshmen-mentoring and tutoring programs.
- Ability to offer a more personally tailored academic support system to those student-athletes in need.

#### The ARC includes:

- Private and semi-private tutoring areas.
- Computer equipped study hall housing 50-60 laptop computers.
- Increased space for freshmen-mentoring.
- Conference area for lectures and studyhall.



*During the summer of 1999, the Villanova Soccer Complex got a new look with permanent bleachers being added to seat up to 1,000 people.*



*An in-game look at the scenic Villanova Soccer Complex*



## AROUND CAMPUS

### THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA IS JUST A SHORT TRIP AWAY

Villanova University is located just 12 miles west of the city of Philadelphia, Pa., birthplace of American independence. Philadelphia is an absolutely indispensable resource easily accessible for Villanova's student community. Buses and trains stop regularly on our campus, and you can be in Center City in a matter of minutes.

There, the cultural attractions of one of the nation's most historic areas are yours to choose from. Independence Hall, where the Declaration of Independence was adopted and the U.S. Constitution was written, is just one of the exciting and historic sites that Philadelphia has to offer. Other attractions include the Academy of Music, home of the world-renowned Philadelphia Orchestra; the Liberty Bell; the Franklin Institute; the Philadelphia Museum of Art, the country's third-largest art museum; and countless theaters, galleries, nightclubs and historical sites.

Philadelphia is also home to some of the country's most exciting professional sports teams. You can watch the Philadelphia Phillies play baseball at Veterans Stadium, which is also home to the NFL's Philadelphia Eagles. Just across the street is the First Union Center, home to the NBA's Philadelphia 76ers and the NHL's Philadelphia Flyers. The Major Indoor Lacrosse League's Philadelphia Wings play at the First Union Spectrum. The First Unions Center, the First Union Spectrum and Veterans Stadium are home to numerous other events, concerts and festivals.

There is also Philadelphia's famous South Street for shopping and strolling. Philadelphia's excellent restaurants are world-famous; equally famous is the city's more casual cuisine, like cheesesteaks, hoagies and soft pretzels.

Philadelphia also contains one of the country's largest concentrations of colleges, with over 30 campuses located within a 15 mile radius of Villanova. This gives students an opportunity to take advantage of libraries, cultural offerings, and other facilities, as well as giving them thousands of students and peers with whom to share good times.

Philadelphia collegiate sport's rivalries are another luxury that the city has to offer. Whether observing or playing, the heated battles that take place on the fields of play go unmatched. The resurrection of the full Big Five men's basketball schedule has helped continue to make Philadelphia one of the greatest sports cities in the country.



*Philadelphia provides Villanova University students with a big city atmosphere*

### THE WUSA'S PHILADELPHIA CHARGE CALLS VILLANOVA HOME

Philadelphia charged into its first Women's United Soccer Association (WUSA) season in 2001. At a league news conference in New York City on November 2, 2000, the Philadelphia entry in the new WUSA announced its name will be the Charge. The team also revealed that its home field would be the 11,800-seat Villanova Stadium on the campus of Villanova University.

The Philadelphia Charge train on the Villanova Soccer Complex and share the women's soccer lockerroom facilities. It is an outstanding relationship and provides a unique opportunity for Villanova student-athletes to observe and train beside some of the top players in the world.

The WUSA, the first women's professional soccer league in the United States, was formed in February 2000 and began play in April 2001 in eight team markets: Atlanta, Boston, Carolina, New York, Philadelphia, San Diego, the San Francisco Bay Area and Washington, D.C.

To make season ticket reservations or for more information on the Philadelphia Charge, call 215-952-5499. Check out the team's official web site at [www.wusaphiladelphia.com](http://www.wusaphiladelphia.com) for current WUSA news and announcements, information on season tickets, and bios on team players.

*-Philadelphia Charge*



### FOR MORE INFORMATION ON VILLANOVA:

For information on admissions and campus tours, contact the Villanova University Office of Undergraduate Admissions at 1-800-338-7927, Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.

For information on Villanova University's Athletic Schedules, contact the Athletic Department at 610-519-4090.



*A view from the center of Villanova's beautiful Main Line campus.*



*A look at the front of the Villanova campus with the Church of St. Thomas of Villanova in the background.*



## NOVA NOTABLES

### VILLANOVA HAS 16 NCAA TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS TO ITS CREDIT

**Men's Cross Country:** 1966, 1967, 1968, 1970  
All four teams coached by James "Jumbo" Elliott.

**Women's Cross Country:** 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1998; 1989-93 coached by Marty Stern; 1994 coached by John Marshall; 1998 coached by Marcus O'Sullivan

**Men's Indoor Track and Field:** 1968, 1971, 1979  
All three teams coached by James "Jumbo" Elliott.

**Men's Outdoor Track and Field:** 1957  
Coached by James "Jumbo" Elliott.

**Men's Basketball:** 1985  
Coached by Rollie Massimino.

### WILDCAT ECAC/IC4A CHAMPIONSHIP TEAMS

*ECAC = Eastern College Athletic Conference*

*IC4A = Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America*

Men's Cross Country (IC4A): 1962, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1983, 1996

Men's Indoor Track (IC4A): 1957, 1958, 1960, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1974, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1984, 1985, 1986

Men's Outdoor Track (IC4A): 1957, 1958, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1967, 1968, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1978, 1979, 1984

Women's Cross Country (ECAC): 1982, 1984, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1996

Women's Indoor Track (ECAC): 1983, 1984, 1985, 1987, 1988, 1990

Women's Softball (ECAC): 1996

Women's Soccer (ECAC): 1987, 1999

### WILDCAT YANKEE CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIP FOOTBALL TEAMS

*Villanova joined the football-only Yankee Conference in 1988.*

Co-Champions: 1989, 1991 - Both teams coached by Andy Talley.

### WILDCAT ATLANTIC 10 CHAMPIONSHIP FOOTBALL TEAMS

Champions: 1997, 2001 - Coached by Andy Talley

### OTHER VILLANOVA TEAM TITLES

#### WILDCAT NIT CHAMPIONSHIP TEAMS

Men's Basketball: 1994 - Coached by Steve Lappas

#### WILDCAT BIG EAST CHAMPIONSHIP TEAMS

Baseball (regular season titles): 1988, 1993, 1996 (National Division title)

Baseball (Tournament titles): 1989, 1991

Men's Basketball (regular season titles): 1981-82, 1982-83 (tied), 1983-84 (tied), 1996-97

Men's Basketball (Tournament titles): 1995

Women's Basketball (regular season titles): 1983-84, 1984-85, 1986-87

Women's Basketball (Tournament titles): 1986, 1987

Men's Cross Country: 1983, 1993

Women's Cross Country: 1984, 1986, 1987, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1998

Field Hockey: 1990

Golf: 1985, 1990

Men's Swimming & Diving: 1981, 1993

Women's Swimming & Diving: 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996

Men's Indoor Track & Field: 1983, 1985, 1986

Women's Indoor Track & Field: 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1990, 1991, 1993, 1997, 2000

Men's Outdoor Track & Field: 1981, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986

Women's Outdoor Track & Field: 1983, 1984, 1985, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1997, 2000

*Villanova University joined the Big East Conference in men's sports in the 1980-81 academic year. The Big East Conference added women's sports in the 1982-83 academic year.*

### FORMER WILDCAT STAR SCHILLIG CHARGES INTO THE WUSA

Following a standout career as a member of the Villanova women's soccer program that saw her develop into one of the top goalkeepers in the Big East and help lead the Wildcats to their first-ever NCAA Tournament berth in 2001, Janel Schillig charged into the WUSA this spring when she signed to play with the Philadelphia Charge. Not only was she able to stay local, but was also able to remain right here on the Main Line as the Charge plays its home games in Villanova Stadium. "I think playing in the WUSA for the Philadelphia Charge will be a good experience for me," said Janel Schillig. "I am getting a new insight and a whole different look at the game that I have not seen before. Hopefully I will be able to provide the Villanova players with a different vantage point and teach them what I have learned. I never thought it would happen because there was not this opportunity to play professionally a few years ago. But now it has happened and this is a great opportunity for both myself and for women's sports in general. These are the best players in the world, not just Division I and it is an honor to be able to play with some of the best players the game has to offer."





## ABOUT THE BIG EAST CONFERENCE

As The BIG EAST Conference enters the 2002-03 season, only the 24th in its history, it takes pride in its long list of accomplishments. Providing opportunities to excel amongst the nation's best, both athletically and academically, continues to be its mission.

There was plenty of evidence of that mission being accomplished during the 2001-02 season. The BIG EAST had undefeated national champions in football and women's basketball, 32 student-athletes who earned Academic All-America honors, and two student-athletes who were named the national player of the year in their sports.

Miami won the Rose Bowl to cap a perfect 12-0 season for its fifth national title and second for the league. The Connecticut women's basketball team garnered its third national title with a record-setting 39-0 mark. That national championship gave the Conference a three-peat in women's basketball following the Huskies' second title in 2000 and Notre Dame's crown in 2001. BIG EAST teams have won 10 national championships since 1995 in six different sports.

UConn's Sue Bird was the consensus women's basketball player of the year and Erin Elbe of Georgetown was honored with the women's lacrosse player of the year award. The Notre Dame baseball team became the first conference team to play in the College World Series. The BIG EAST was the only conference to have eight teams compete in the NCAA Women's Soccer Championship.

The BIG EAST has always been able to boast that some of its best students are also some of its best athletes. Notre Dame softball standout Jarrah Myers, the 2001-02 BIG EAST/Aéropostale Female Scholar-Athlete of the Year, was honored as the Verizon/CoSIDA Academic All-American Team Member of the Year in addition to earning All-America honors for her accomplishments on the diamond.

For three of the last eight years, a BIG EAST student-athlete has won the Honda-Broderick Cup as Collegiate Woman of the Year. Notre Dame soccer player Cindy Daws won in 1997-98. She followed Connecticut basketball players Rebecca Lobo ('94-95) and Jennifer Rizzotti ('95-96).

BIG EAST student-athletes have continued their success after leaving the classrooms and playing fields. Former Connecticut women's basketball standout Dr. Leigh Curl was inducted into the Verizon Academic All-America Hall of Fame in 1999. Former Georgetown men's basketball star Dikembe Mutumbo was named a winner of the President's Service Award, the highest honor in the U.S. for volunteer service.

Whether it's the student-athletes or the league as a whole, moving forward successfully and exploring new horizons have been the norm rather than the exception for the conference that opened its doors in 1979.

Most recently the league welcomed Virginia Tech as its 14th full member in 2000-01. In the spring of 2001, the BIG EAST added women's lacrosse to its growing list of sports.

When the 1990s began, The BIG EAST Conference had just completed its eighth season with nine members. The league was arguably as healthy as a conference could be. The BIG EAST was a headline-grabber immediately, especially in men's basketball, its signature sport. The BIG EAST Football Conference did not exist.

The '90s was a decade of enormous change in college athletics with conferences adding new members and new leagues beginning. The BIG EAST was no different than most groups. The league has had four separate expansions in the past 11 years. The BIG EAST Football Conference, with eight members, became a major player in college football immediately after its inception in 1991.

The BIG EAST became a reality on May 31, 1979, following a meeting of athletic directors from Providence College, St. John's, Georgetown and Syracuse Universities. Seton Hall, Connecticut and Boston College completed the original seven-school alliance.

While the membership has increased, the focus of the BIG EAST remains unchanged. It is a group that reflects a tradition of broad-based programs, led by administrators and coaches who place a constant emphasis on academic integrity. The BIG EAST Conference has enjoyed a leadership role nationally. Its student-athletes own significantly high graduation rates and their record of scholastic achievement notably reflect a balance between intercollegiate athletics and academics.

BIG EAST sports attract the interest of followers in the nation's largest media markets including New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Washington, D.C., Miami, Pittsburgh and Hartford. The league has long been considered a leader in innovative concepts in promotion and publicity, particularly regarding television. Those efforts have resulted in unparalleled visibility for BIG EAST student-athletes. Exclusive long-range television contracts with CBS, ESPN, Inc. and ABC provide BIG EAST basketball and football with more television exposure.

More than 475 BIG EAST athletes have earned All-America recognition and dozens have won individual NCAA national championships. The BIG EAST has been well-represented in U.S. or foreign national and Olympic teams, with several athletes earning gold medals in the summer Olympiads in Sydney in 2000, Atlanta in '96, Barcelona in '92, Seoul in '88 and Los Angeles in '84.

The BIG EAST has its headquarters in Providence where the conference administers to more than 5,000 athletes in 22 sports.

## BIG EAST CONFERENCE STAFF DIRECTORY



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# A GLIMPSE OF VILLANOVA

## THE UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1842 by the priests and brothers of the Order of St. Augustine, Villanova University is a comprehensive Roman Catholic institution that welcomes students of all faiths. The University offers a wide variety of degree programs through four colleges: the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, the College of Commerce and Finance, the College of Engineering and the College of Nursing.

## A SOLID ACADEMIC REPUTATION

The oldest and largest Catholic university in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Villanova is one of 225 institutions-and one of 18 Catholic colleges and universities-in the nation to have a chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, the prestigious national liberal arts honor society. Recently, U.S. News & World Report ranked Villanova first in the North for the tenth time.

## THE STUDENTS

Villanova's more than 6,295 undergraduate students come from 48 states, plus Puerto Rico and 52 foreign countries. Ninety-nine percent of the 2001 freshmen ranked in the top 30 percent of their high school classes.

## THE FACULTY

Villanova's 499 full-time faculty, 90 percent of whom hold the highest degree in their field, teach classes that average 23 students. The student/faculty ratio is 13:1

## THE CAMPUS

Located in a suburban community 12 miles west of Philadelphia, the picturesque 254-acre campus features more than 60 buildings, including a library with more than 800,000 volumes and over a million microform items, a 12,000-seat stadium and 26 residence halls.

## THE EXPERIENCE

Villanova students may choose to study abroad for a summer, a semester or a year; compete on one or more of 11 men's and 13 women's sports teams at the NCAA Division I level (football is Division I-AA); and take part in any of more than 130 registered student organizations.

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

In 2000-2001, Villanova offered more than \$4.8 million in merit based academic scholarships to prospective freshmen. Villanova also offered over \$17 million in need-based financial aid to prospective freshmen through the Villanova Grant Program. This funding is provided by the University and does not include federal, state, and/or private assistance, which our students also receive.

## ACCREDITATION

Villanova and its programs have received accreditation from the Middle States Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the AACSB/International Association for Management Education, the American Chemical Society, the American Bar Association, the Association of American Law Schools, the Pennsylvania State Board of Nurse Examiners, the National League for Nursing Accreditation Commission, the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology, the National Catholic Education Association, and the Computing Sciences Accreditation Board. Villanova is a member in good standing of the National Association for College Admission Counseling.

## ENROLLMENT STATISTICS

### *2001 Accepted Freshman Class*

Freshman applications received:10,895 - Enrolled Freshman:1,575 • Percentage of accepted freshman applicants who ranked in the top 10 percent of their high school class (where rank is given):67 • Percentage of accepted freshman applicants who ranked in the top 20 percent of their high school class: 89 - Percentage of accepted freshman applicants who ranked in the top 30 percent of their high school class:99 - The middle 50 percent range of SAT I scores for the typical accepted applicant was 1270-1390 - The GPA range for the typical accepted applicant:3.63-4.0.

### *Of those who applied*

56 percent from public schools - 44 percent from private schools - 47 percent are men - 53 percent are women - 23 percent of freshman have alumni/alumnae affiliation