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WEST VIRGINIA VS. NO. 3 OKLAHOMA

WEST VIRGINIA

2021 Record0-1
 2021 Big 12 Record0-1
 Head CoachJason Butts
 Alma Mater.....Georgia '06
 Record at WVU.....121-86-1
 Season.....10th
 Overall Record.....121-86-1
 Season.....10th



vs.



MEET INFO

Date Sunday, Jan. 31
 Time 8 p.m. ET
 Location..... Norman, Okla.
 Arena..... Lloyd Noble Center
 Broadcast..... ESPN
 Stats StatBroadcast

2021 SCHEDULE

1/22 NO. 2 OKLAHOMA* L, 194.900-196.100
 1/31 at No. 3 Oklahoma* 8 p.m.
 2/7 IOWA STATE* 1 p.m.
 2/11 DENVER* 1 p.m.
 2/21 at Denver* 4 p.m.
 3/1 at Iowa State* 7:30 p.m.
 3/5 at Pitt 7 p.m.
 3/12 at Pitt 7 p.m.
 3/14 PITT 2 p.m.
 3/20 Big 12 Championship & TBA

NO. 3 OKLAHOMA

2021 Record 3-0
 2021 Big 12 Record 1-0
 Head CoachK.J. Kindler
 Alma Mater.....Iowa State '92
 Record at OU395-53-3
 Season.....15th
 Overall Record.....489-106-4
 Season.....20th

SERIES HISTORY

All-Time Record..... 1-20
 First Meeting..... 1989
 Last Meeting..... 2021
 Results..... L, 194.900-196.100
 Location..... Morgantown, W.Va.
 Last WVU Win 1990
 Results..... W, 185.55-185.10
 Location..... Salt Lake City, Utah

*Indicates Big 12 opponent
 & Morgantown, W.Va.

All times are Eastern and subject to change

TRACKING THE TUMBLERS

Media Services

The WVU athletics communications office will be available throughout the 2021 gymnastics season to accommodate any media requests. Members of the media wishing to interview a gymnast or member of the coaching staff during the week should contact the gymnastics SID Amy Salvatore at (304) 293-2821 or by email at alsalvatore@mail.wvu.edu.

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Big 12 Digital Media

Fans can track Big 12 gymnastics action on Twitter (@Big12Conference), Facebook (Facebook.com/Big12), Instagram (@Big12Conference) and Youtube (Youtube.com/Big12Conference).

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS BY EVENT

Vault
 Abbie Pierson | So.



AVG: 9.8
 RANK: T-83rd

Kiana Lewis | Fr.



AVG: 9.8
 RANK: T-83rd

Uneven Bars
 Kendra Combs | Jr.



AVG: 9.775
 RANK: T-123rd

Kianna Yancey | So.



AVG: 9.775
 RANK: T-123rd

Balance Beam
 McKenna Linnen | Sr.



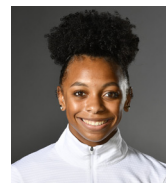
AVG: 9.825
 RANK: T-55th

Floor Exercise
 McKenna Linnen | Sr.



AVG: 9.85
 RANK: T-44th

Kendra Combs | Jr.



AVG: 9.85
 RANK: T-44rd

WVU BY THE NUMBERS

	Avg.	NQS	SH	Top Score	Gymnast	Date
Total	194.900	--	194.900	AA 38.65	Emily Holmes-Hackerd	1/22
V	48.575	--	48.575	V 9.8	A. Pierson/K. Lewis	1/22
UB	48.600	--	48.600	UB 9.775	K. Combs/K. Yancey	1/22
BB	48.825	--	48.825	BB 9.825	M. Linnen	1/22
FE	48.900	--	48.900	FE 9.85	M. Linnen/K. Combs	1/22

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Location.....Morgantown, W.Va.
Enrollment.....29,933
Nickname.....Mountaineers
Colors.....Old Gold (PMS 124) and Blue (PMS 295)
Conference.....Big 12
President.....Dr. E. Gordon Gee
Director of Athletics.....Shane Lyons (West Virginia '87)
NCAA Faculty Representative.....Dr. Jeff Neely

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach.....Jason Butts (10th Season)
Alma Mater.....Georgia '06
Record at WVU.....121-86-1 (10th Season)
Career Record.....Same
Associate Head Coach.....Travis Doak (13th Season, WVU '06)
Assistant Coach.....Zaakira Muhammad (1st Season, WVU '18)

FACILITY INFORMATION

Home Gym.....WVU Coliseum
Capacity.....14,000
Opened.....1970

GYMNASTICS HISTORY

Season of Gymnastics.....48th
First Year of Gymnastics.....1974
All-Time Record.....770-351-5 (.684)
Affiliation.....NCAA Division I
Region.....NCAA Southeast
Conference.....Big 12 Conference
NCAA Championships Appearances (Last)... Four (2000); 3 NCAA, 1 AIAW
NCAA Regional Appearances (Last).....40 (2019)
Highest NCAA Finish.....12th (1995, 1999, 2000)
Highest AIAW Finish.....Third (1982)
EAGL Championships (Last).....Seven (2012)
Atlantic 10 Championships (Last).....Four (1995)

TEAM INFORMATION

2020 Record.....11-8, 0-2 Big 12
2020 Big 12 Finish.....N/A
Home Record.....6-1
Away Record.....1-6
Neutral Site Record.....4-1
Postseason.....N/A
Final Ranking.....No. 31, Road to Nationals Rankings
All-Americans.....None

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MEET MINUTES

- The Mountaineers (0-1, 0-1) travel to Norman, Oklahoma, for their second consecutive dual meet with the No. 3-ranked Sooners (3-0, 1-0) on Sunday, Jan. 31, inside the Lloyd Noble Center. Competition is set to begin at 8 p.m. ET, on ESPN.
- West Virginia is looking for its first conference regular-season win since Feb. 26, 2017, when the Mountaineers defeated Iowa State by a score of 195.95-195.725 in Morgantown. WVU is 1-20 all-time against OU.
- West Virginia opened its 2021 season with a 196.100-194.900 loss to then-No. 2 Oklahoma on Jan. 22, inside the WVU Coliseum, in Morgantown. Despite the loss, the Mountaineers hit 23-for-24 routines to split the event titles with the Sooners, finishing first on balance beam (48.825-48.625) and floor exercise (48.900-48.775), while the Sooners earned the vault (49.325-48.575) and uneven bars (49.375-48.600) team victories.
- Sophomore Emily Holmes-Hackerd finished second in the all-around with a score of 38.65. The meet marked her career debut in the all-around, as she also competed on vault and bars for the first time.
- Senior McKenna Linnen and junior Kendra Combs also landed on the podium in their season debuts, scoring matching 9.85s on floor to tie for third overall.
- Eleven Mountaineers earned time in at least one lineup last week, with five gymnasts competing in three or more events.
- Additionally, a trio of Mountaineers made their collegiate debuts, as Kiana Lewis was inserted into the vault lineup, Nicole Norris competed on bars and Chloe Asper made her debut on floor.
- Last season, OU earned a 198.4-195.575 win over WVU, at the Lloyd Noble Center, in Norman, Oklahoma, on Feb. 14, 2020.
- All nine returning Mountaineers earned time in at least one lineup last season, with eight reaching the podium. Classmates Abbie Pierson and Kianna Yancey paced WVU with 10 podium finishes each in their first season as a Mountaineer.
- West Virginia will follow the lead of two veterans this season: Michelle Waldron and Linnen. Combined, the duo has competed in 63 career meets.
- Linnen is the most experienced Mountaineer on the roster, having competed in 38 meets in four seasons at WVU. The Canton, Michigan, native surpassed the 500-point threshold on Jan. 26, 2019, and now shows 700.525 career points.
- West Virginia is scheduled to compete in six conference meets and will conclude its regular season with a trio of head-to-head competitions against Pitt.
- The Mountaineers' postseason slate starts with the 2021 Big 12 Gymnastics Championship, set for March 20, at the WVU Coliseum, in Morgantown. WVU was set to host last year's event, but its season was cut short just before the conference championship due to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- West Virginia previously hosted the event in 2014, with Hope Sloanhoffer becoming the first Mountaineer gymnast to win a Big 12 title in the all-around event.

QUICK TWISTS

The Mountaineers are 0-1 at the WVU Coliseum this season ... sophomore Emily Holmes-Hackerd paces the team with 38.65 season points, followed by junior Kendra Combs with 29.4 ... senior McKenna Linnen ranks third with 29.3, while sophomores Kianna Yancey and Abbie Pierson round out the top five with 29.225 and 28.65 points, respectively ... classmates Esperanza Abarca and Rachel Hornung will look to eclipse the 500 career-point mark as juniors ... Abarca is 23.15 points away from hitting the milestone, while Hornung is 23.575 points shy ... currently, a freshman or sophomore is featured in 13 of the Mountaineers' 24 lineup positions ... three of the 11 Mountaineers who have competed this season have reached the podium ... Holmes-Hackerd, Linnen and Combs each have one podium finish this season.

Head Coach Jason Butts



- At WVU: 10th Season
- Record at WVU: 121-86-1 (.582)
- Career Record: 121-86-1 (.582)

Coaching Experience

- WVU Head Coach (2012-present)
- WVU Associate Head Coach (2011)
- WVU Assistant Head Coach (2010)
- WVU Assistant Coach (2007-09)

Career Coaching Highlights

- In 2019, coached Kirah Koshinski to her third career NACGC/W Regular-Season All-America Vault honor and first first-team recognition. She was named to the second team three times (2016-18) and is the first Mountaineer in program history to earn at least one All-America award in three consecutive seasons.
- Coached Zaakira Muhammad to an individual all-around qualification to the 2017 NCAA National Championships, WVU's first qualifier since 2014.
- In 2017, helped Koshinski (regular season, vault) and Muhammad (NCAA Championships, floor) attain All-America second-team accolades, just the second pair in program history to earn honors in the same season.
- Coached Koshinski to the 2016 Big 12 Newcomer of the Year honor.
- Led the Mountaineers to a program best second-place finish at the 2015 Big 12 Gymnastics Championship.
- Coached Hope Sloanhoffer to an individual all-around qualification at the 2014 NCAA National Championships, WVU's first qualifier since 2009.
- Ushered in a new era for WVU gymnastics, leading WVU to a 13-9 record in 2013, its first season in the Big 12 Conference. WVU scored 196.0 or better in each home meet, a program first.
- Led the Mountaineers to the 2012 EAGL title in his first season as head coach.
- Mountaineers finished 2012 ranked No. 21, the team's first season-ending ranking since 2009, and with a 21-5 record, the team's first 20-win mark since 2008.
- Coached five individual conference champions
- Coached 20 all-conference gymnasts
- Coached 70 NACGC/W Scholastic All-Americans
- Two-time Southeast Regional Assistant Coach of the Year

Education

Georgia, 2006

- Bachelor's degree (business administration and management)
- West Virginia, 2012
- Master's degree (athletic coaching education)

2021 MEET RECAPS

Meet 1: WVU vs. No. 2 Oklahoma (1/22)

West Virginia opened its 2021 season with a 196.100-194.900 loss to No. 2 Oklahoma on Jan. 22, inside the WVU Coliseum, in Morgantown ... despite the loss, the Mountaineers hit 23-for-24 routines to split the event titles with the Sooners, finishing first on balance beam (48.825-48.625) and floor exercise (48.900-48.775), while the Sooners earned the vault (49.325-48.575) and uneven bars (49.375-48.600) team victories ... sophomore Emily Holmes-Hackerd finished second in the all-around with a score of 38.65 ... the meet marked Holmes-Hackerd's career debut in the all-around, as she also competed on vault and bars for the first time ... senior McKenna Linnen and junior Kendra Combs also landed on the podium in their season debuts, scoring matching 9.85s on floor to tied for third overall ... eleven Mountaineers earned time in at least one lineup, with five gymnasts competing in three or more events ... additionally, a trio of Mountaineers made their collegiate debuts, as Kiana Lewis was inserted into the vault lineup, Nicole Norris competed on bars and Chloe Asper made her debut on floor.

Meet 2: WVU at No. 3 Oklahoma (1/31)

Meet 3: WVU vs. Iowa State (2/7)

Meet 4: WVU vs. Denver (2/11)

Meet 5: WVU at Denver (2/21)

Meet 6: WVU at Iowa State (3/1)

Meet 7: WVU at Pitt (3/5)

Meet 8: WVU at Pitt (3/12)

Meet 9: WVU vs. Pitt (3/14)

Meet 10: Big 12 Gymnastics Championship (3/20)

2021 ROSTER

Name	Yr.	Ht.	Hometown/Club Gym
Esperanza Abarca	Jr.	5-5	The Colony, Texas/World Olympic Gymnastics Academy
Chloe Asper	Fr.	5-1	Hanover, Pa./Hanover Gymnastics
Ellen Collins	Fr.	5-1	Clearfield, Pa./Centre Elite Gymnastics
Kendra Combs	Jr.	5-3	Windsor, Conn./Gymnastics Express Too
Gillian Fletcher	Fr.	5-3	Seneca, S.C./Upstate Gymnastics
Agatha Handono	Fr.	5-3	Gaithersburg, Md./Hill's Gymnastics
Emily Holmes-Hackerd	So.	5-4	Ipswich, Mass./Brestyan's Gymnastics
Rachel Hornung	Jr.	5-4	Pittsburgh, Pa./Pittsburgh Northstars
Kiana Lewis	Fr.	5-6	Hampton, Va./World Class Gymnastics
McKenna Linnen	Sr.	5-3	Canton, Mich./Gym America
Nicole Norris	Fr.	5-2	Hanover, Pa./Hanover Gymnastics
Abbie Pierson	So.	5-3	New Kensington, Pa./Gymkhana Inc
Michelle Waldron	Sr.	5-2	Sagamore Beach, Mass./Cape Cod Gymnastics Center
Kayla Yancey	So.	4-11	Hatfield, Pa./Montgomery County Sports Performance Center
Kianna Yancey	So.	5-4	Hatfield, Pa./Montgomery County Sports Performance Center

Head Coach: Jason Butts (10th season)

Associate Head Coach: Travis Doak (13th season)

Assistant Coach: Zaakira Muhammad (1st season)

Volunteer Assistant: Kristin Lang (2nd season)

Pronunciation Guide

Esperanza Abarca	ess-per-AHN-zuh uh-BARK-uh
Agatha Handono	hahn-DOE-no
Rachel Hornung	HOR-nun
Zaakira Muhammad.....	zuh-KEER-uh

TENTATIVE LINEUPS

	Class	Career High	Season High	Season Avg.	Season NQS	National Ranking (Top 100)	Regional Ranking (Top 50)	Big 12 Ranking (Top 25)
Vault								
Kianna Yancey	So.	9.8	9.65	--	--	--	36	24
Michelle Waldron	Sr.	9.8	9.7	--	--	--	T-30	T-20
Kiana Lewis	Fr.	9.8	9.8	--	--	T-83	T-17	T-13
Abbie Pierson	So.	9.9	9.8	--	--	T-83	T-17	T-13
McKenna Linnen	Sr.	9.775	9.625	--	--	--	T-37	25
Emily Holmes-Hackerd	So.	9.525	9.525	--	--	--	43	--
Uneven Bars								
Esperanza Abarca	Jr.	9.9	9.75	--	--	--	T-24	17
Kendra Combs	Jr.	9.85	9.775	--	--	--	T-18	T-15
Rachel Hornung	Jr.	9.775	9.65	--	--	--	T-32	T-21
Kianna Yancey	So.	9.875	9.775	--	--	--	T-18	T-15
Nicole Norris	Fr.	9.65	9.65	--	--	--	T-32	T-21
Emily Holmes-Hackerd	So.	9.625	9.625	--	--	--	T-35	24
Balance Beam								
Emily Holmes-Hackerd	So.	9.875	9.675	--	--	--	T-31	20
Abbie Pierson	So.	9.9	9.75	--	--	--	T-19	T-16
Rachel Hornung	Jr.	9.875	9.7	--	--	--	T-26	19
Kendra Combs	Jr.	9.875	9.775	--	--	--	T-13	T-14
McKenna Linnen	Sr.	9.85	9.825	--	--	T-55	11	T-9
Esperanza Abarca	Jr.	9.9	9.775	--	--	--	T-13	T-14
Floor Exercise								
McKenna Linnen	Sr.	9.875	9.85	--	--	T-44	T-5	T-4
Abbie Pierson	So.	9.925	9.1	--	--	--	46	--
Emily Holmes-Hackerd	So.	9.85	9.825	--	--	T-79	T-19	T-10
Kendra Combs	Jr.	9.9	9.85	--	--	T-44	T-5	T-4
Kianna Yancey	So.	9.875	9.8	--	--	--	T-24	15
Kiana Lewis	Fr.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

Tentative lineups for Sunday's meet (1/31)

Rankings based on the Road to Nationals Rankings (1/125)

NATIONAL RANKINGS - WEEK 3

Team	Avg.	High	Conference
1. Florida	197.392	197.500	SEC
2. LSU	197.008	197.275	SEC
3. Oklahoma	196.858	197.450	Big 12
4. Utah	196.842	197.075	PAC-12
5. Denver	196.800	197.000	Big 12
6. Arkansas	196.742	197.250	SEC
7. Michigan	196.538	197.225	Big Ten
8. Alabama	196.517	196.925	SEC
9. Iowa	196.500	196.550	Big Ten
10. Georgia	196.200	196.375	SEC
11. UCLA	196.150	196.150	PAC-12
12. BYU	196.067	196.250	MRGC
13. Minnesota	196.013	197.025	Big Ten
14. Kentucky	195.942	196.225	SEC
15. Arizona	195.650	195.650	PAC-12
15. Arizona State	195.650	196.275	PAC-12
17. Southern Utah	195.592	196.650	MRGC
18. Iowa State	195.500	195.500	Big 12
18. Illinois	195.500	195.525	Big Ten
20. Boise State	195.313	196.325	MRGC
21. Utah State	195.288	196.225	MRGC
22. Auburn	195.283	195.725	SEC
23. North Carolina	195.200	195.200	EAGL
24. Missouri	195.117	195.750	SEC
25. Maryland	195.088	195.300	Big Ten

Based on Road to Nationals Rankings (as of Jan. 25)

BOLD - 2021 Opponent

BIG 12 EVENT RANKINGS - WEEK 3

Team Total	Avg.	High
1. Oklahoma	196.858	197.450
2. Denver	196.800	197.000
3. Iowa State	195.500	195.500
4. West Virginia	194.900	194.900

Vault	Avg.	High
1. Oklahoma	49.267	49.325
2. Iowa State	49.175	49.175
3. Denver	48.900	49.025
4. West Virginia	48.575	48.575

Uneven Bars	Avg.	High
1. Oklahoma	49.367	49.425
2. Denver	49.363	49.425
3. Iowa State	48.975	48.975
4. West Virginia	48.600	48.600

Balance Beam	Avg.	High
1. Denver	49.400	49.450
2. Oklahoma	49.083	49.400
3. West Virginia	48.825	48.825
4. Iowa State	48.600	48.600

Floor Exercise	Avg.	High
1. Oklahoma	49.142	49.350
2. Denver	49.138	49.175
3. West Virginia	48.900	48.900
4. Iowa State	48.750	48.750

WVU IN THE RANKINGS

WVU in the NCAA						WVU in the Southeast Region						WVU in the Big 12 Conference					
Date	Total	V	UB	BB	FE	Date	Total	V	UB	BB	FE	Date	Total	V	UB	BB	FE
Jan. 11	--	--	--	--	--	Jan. 11	--	--	--	--	--	Jan. 11	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 18	--	--	--	--	--	Jan. 18	--	--	--	--	--	Jan. 18	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 25	T-26	T-34	34	T-19	22	Jan. 25	5	T-6	6	4	6	Jan. 25	4	4	4	3	3
Feb. 1	--	--	--	--	--	Feb. 1	--	--	--	--	--	Feb. 1	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 8	--	--	--	--	--	Feb. 8	--	--	--	--	--	Feb. 8	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 15	--	--	--	--	--	Feb. 15	--	--	--	--	--	Feb. 15	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 22	--	--	--	--	--	Feb. 22	--	--	--	--	--	Feb. 22	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 1	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 1	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 8	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 8	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 8	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 15	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 15	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 15	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 22	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 22	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 22	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 29	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 29	--	--	--	--	--	Mar. 29	--	--	--	--	--
Apr. 5	--	--	--	--	--	Apr. 5	--	--	--	--	--	Apr. 5	--	--	--	--	--
Apr. 12	--	--	--	--	--	Apr. 12	--	--	--	--	--	Apr. 12	--	--	--	--	--

2021 POINT LEADERS

Point Leaders	Season Points (Career Total)
1. Emily Holmes-Hackerd	38.65 (67.975)
2. Kendra Combs	29.4 (400.025)
3. McKenna Linnen	29.3 (700.525)
4. Kianna Yancey	29.225 (282.8)
5. Abbie Pierson	28.65 (292.825)
6. Esperanza Abarca	19.525 (476.85)
7. Rachel Hornung	19.35 (476.425)
8. Kiana Lewis	9.8 (9.8)
9. Michelle Waldron	9.7 (242.55)
10. Nicole Norris	9.65 (9.65)
11. Chloe Asper	9.575 (9.575)

2021 PODIUM FINISHES

Name	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Kendra Combs	0	0	1	1
McKenna Linnen	0	0	1	1
Emily Holmes-Hackerd	0	1	0	1

MEET-BY-MEET (PLACEMENTS), SEASON AND CAREER STATISTICS



ESPERANZA ABARCA

Junior | 5-5
The Colony, Texas | The Colony High

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2019	14	0	252.65
2020	10	0	204.675
2021	1	0	19.525
2022	--	--	--
Career	25	0	476.85

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	--	9.75 (T-8th)	9.775 (T-5th)	--	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		--	9.75	9.775	--	--
Career High		9.8	9.9	9.9	9.7	--

Notes: Owns 10 career podium finishes and five event wins (four on uneven bars and one on balance beam) ... hit her career high on bars on Jan. 31, 2020 ... tallied beam career high on Feb. 23, 2020 ... competed on floor exercise for the first time in her collegiate career on Feb. 21, 2020 ... scored vault career high on March 2, 2019 ... two-time NACGC/W Scholastic All-America (2019-20) ... 2020 Academic All-Big 12 First Team ... 2019 Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team ... four-year level 10 gymnast out of World Olympic Gymnastics Academy ... majoring in exercise physiology.



CHLOE ASPER

Freshman | 5-1
Hanover, Pa. | Hanover Senior High

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2021	1	0	9.575
2022	--	--	--
2023	--	--	--
2024	--	--	--
Career	1	0	9.575

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	--	--	--	9.575 (9th)	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		--	--	--	9.575	--
Career High		--	--	--	9.575	--

Notes: made her collegiate debut on floor exercise in the 2021 season opener (Jan. 22) ... three-year level 10 gymnast out of Hanover Gymnastics, which is the same club that classmate Nicole Norris competed for ... two-time Junior Olympics National Championships qualifier ... most recently finished as high as fourth on balance beam and sixth in the all-around at the 2019 Region 7 Championships ... earned a third-place showing on beam, a fourth-place finish in the all-around and a fifth-place showing on floor at the 2019 Pennsylvania State Championships ... majoring in mechanical and aerospace engineering.



ELLEN COLLINS

Freshman | 5-1
Clearfield, Pa. | Clearfield Area High

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2021	--	--	--
2022	--	--	--
2023	--	--	--
2024	--	--	--
Career	--	--	--

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		--	--	--	--	--
Career High		--	--	--	--	--

Notes: Three-year level 10 gymnast at Centre Elite Gymnastics ... qualified for the Level 10 Region 7 Championships every year, as well as the Pennsylvania State Championships ... most recently finished as high as 15th on vault at the 2019 Region 7 Championships ... earned a trio of top-10 finishes at the 2019 Pennsylvania State Championships, placing as high as seventh on floor exercise ... majoring in biology.



KENDRA COMBS

Junior | 5-3
Windsor, Conn. | Windsor High

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2019	11	0	107.325
2020	10	0	263.3
2021	1	0	29.4
2022	--	--	--
Career	22	0	400.025

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	--	9.775 (T-6th)	9.775 (T-5th)	9.85 (T-3rd)	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		--	9.775	9.775	9.85	--
Career High		--	9.85	9.875	9.9	--

Notes: Owns nine career podium finishes and three event wins (two on floor exercise and one on balance beam) ... competed on beam and floor in the 2020 season opener for the first time in her collegiate career ... hit beam career high on Feb. 23, 2020 ... tallied floor personal best on Jan. 26, 2020 ... set uneven bars career high twice in 2019 (Feb. 2 and Feb. 17) ... 2020 Academic All-Big 12 First Team ... 2019 Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team ... four-year level 10 gymnast out of Gymnastics Express Too ... majoring in sport management.

MEET-BY-MEET (PLACEMENTS), SEASON AND CAREER STATISTICS



GILLIAN FLETCHER

Freshman | 5-3
Seneca, S.C. | Seneca High

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2021	--	--	--
2022	--	--	--
2023	--	--	--
2024	--	--	--
Career	--	--	--

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		--	--	--	--	--
Career High		--	--	--	--	--

Notes: Three-year level 10 gymnast for Upstate Gymnastics ... was named an alternate for the 2019 Junior Olympic National Championships ... earned a trio of top-10 showings at the 2019 Region 8 Championships, including a tie for sixth place on vault, an eighth-place finish on balance beam and a 10th-place finish in the all-around ... majoring in human nutrition and foods.



AGATHA HANDONO

Freshman | 5-3
Gaithersburg, Md. | Colonel Zadok Magruder High

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2021	--	--	--
2022	--	--	--
2023	--	--	--
2024	--	--	--
Career	--	--	--

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		--	--	--	--	--
Career High		--	--	--	--	--

Notes: Three-year level 10 gymnast at Hill's Gymnastics, which is the same club that graduates Erica Fontaine and Robyn Bernard competed for ... most recently qualified for the 2019 Junior Olympic National Championships, placing fifth on balance beam ... earned a trio of top-six showings at the 2019 Region 7 Championships, including a runner-up finish on uneven bars, a fourth-place finish in the all-around and a sixth-place finish on beam ... captured the beam title at the 2019 Maryland State Championships and finished second on bars and third in the all-around ... majoring in exercise physiology.



EMILY HOLMES-HACKERD

Sophomore | 5-4
Ipswich, Mass. | Lexington Christian Academy

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2020	2	0	29.325
2021	1	1	38.65
2022	--	--	--
2023	--	--	--
Career	3	1	67.975

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	9.525 (12th)	9.625 (12th)	9.675 (10th)	9.825 (T-6th)	38.65 (2nd)
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		9.525	9.625	9.675	9.825	38.65
Career High		9.525	9.625	9.875	9.85	38.65

Notes: First career podium finish also was first career event win (balance beam) ... owns two career podium finishes (one on beam and one in the all-around) ... competed in the all-around for the first time in her collegiate career on Jan. 22, 2021, scoring 38.65 to place second ... competed on vault and the uneven bars for the first time in the 2021 season opener (Jan. 22) ... set career high on floor exercise on March 8, 2020 ... made her Mountaineer debut on floor on Feb. 23, 2020 ... 2020 NACGC/W Scholastic All-America ... 2020 Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team ... four-year level 10 gymnast out of Brestyan's Gymnastics ... majoring in exercise physiology.



RACHEL HORNUNG

Junior | 5-4
Pittsburgh, Pa. | Hampton High

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2019	14	1	388.6
2020	5	0	68.475
2021	1	0	19.35
2022	--	--	--
Career	20	1	476.425

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	--	9.65 (T-10th)	9.7 (9th)	--	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		--	9.65	9.7	--	--
Career High		9.8	9.775	9.875	9.9	38.6

Notes: First career podium finish also was first career event win (balance beam) ... owns two career wins and five career podium finishes, all on beam ... hit vault career high on Feb. 17, 2019, and matched on March 17, 2019 ... competed on uneven bars once as a freshman, scoring 9.675 on Jan. 12 ... scored 9.875 on beam for a career high on March 17, 2019 ... set floor exercise career high on Feb. 2, 2019 ... competed in the all-around for the first time in her collegiate career on Jan. 12, 2019, scoring 38.6 ... 2020 NACGC/W Scholastic All-America ... 2020 Academic All-Big 12 First Team ... 2019 Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team ... four-year level 10 gymnast out of Pittsburgh Northstars ... majoring in exercise physiology.

MEET-BY-MEET (PLACEMENTS), SEASON AND CAREER STATISTICS



KIANA LEWIS

Freshman | 5-6
Hampton, Va. | Bethel High

Year	Meets	AA	Total	Points
2021	1	0		9.8
2022	--	--		--
2023	--	--		--
2024	--	--		--
Career	1	--		9.8

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	9.8 (T-5th)	--	--	--	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		9.8	--	--	--	--
Career High		9.8	--	--	--	--

Notes: Made her collegiate debut on vault in the 2021 season opener (Jan. 22) ... three-year level 10 gymnast at World Class Gymnastics ... two-time Junior Olympics National Championships qualifier ... has captured a state title on every event except for balance beam as a level 10 gymnast ... earned a pair of top-10 finishes at the 2019 Region 7 Championships, placing seventh on vault and eighth on beam ... won titles on floor exercise and uneven bars and finished second on vault and in the all-around at the 2019 Virginia State Championships ... majoring in exercise physiology.



MCKENNA LINNEN

Senior | 5-3
Canton, Mich. | Plymouth High

Year	Meets	AA	Total	Points
2018	13	0		175.2
2019	14	0		282.6
2020	10	0		213.425
2021	1	0		29.3
Career	38	0		700.525

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	9.625 (11th)	--	9.825 (4th)	9.85 (T-3rd)	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		9.625	--	9.825	9.85	--
Career High		9.775	--	9.85	9.875	--

Notes: Owns six career podium finishes (four on floor exercise and two on balance beam) and one event win (beam) ... hit floor career high on Feb. 17, 2019, and matched on Jan. 26, 2020 ... scored vault career high on Feb. 23, 2020, and matched on March 1, 2020 ... set beam career high on Feb. 10, 2019, and matched on March 17, 2019 ... did not drop a floor score in 2018 ... three-time NACGC/W Scholastic All-America (2018-20) ... two-time Academic All-Big 12 First Team (2019-20) ... 2018 Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team ... two-year level 10 gymnast out of Gym America ... majoring in marketing.



NICOLE NORRIS

Freshman | 5-2
Hanover, Pa. | South Western High

Year	Meets	AA	Total	Points
2021	1	0		9.65
2022	--	--		--
2023	--	--		--
2024	--	--		--
Career	1	0		9.65

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	--	9.65 (T-10th)	--	--	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		--	9.65	--	--	--
Career High		--	9.65	--	--	--

Notes: Made her collegiate debut on uneven bars in the 2021 season opener (Jan. 22) ... three-year level 10 gymnast at Hanover Gymnastics, which is the same club that classmate Chloe Asper competed for ... qualified for regionals every year as a level 10 gymnast ... earned a pair of top-15 finishes at the 2019 Region 7 Championships, placing 14th on bars and tying for 14th on balance beam ... earned a fifth-place finish on bars and placed ninth on beam and in the all-around at the 2019 Pennsylvania State Championships ... majoring in biology.



ABBIE PIERSON

Sophomore | 5-3
New Kensington, Pa. | Saint Joseph High

Year	Meets	AA	Total	Points
2020	10	0		264.175
2021	1	0		28.65
2022	--	--		--
2023	--	--		--
Career	11	0		292.825

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	9.8 (T-5th)	--	9.75 (8th)	9.1 (12th)	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		9.8	--	9.75	9.1	--
Career High		9.9	--	9.9	9.925	--

Notes: Owns 10 career podium finishes (four on vault and three each on balance beam and floor exercise) and four event wins (two on vault and one each on beam and floor) ... set floor career high on March 8, 2020 ... matched vault career high on Feb. 21, 2020 ... made her Mountaineer debut in the 2020 season opener (Jan. 11), posting career-high 9.9 scores on vault and beam ... 2020 NACGC/W Scholastic All-America ... 2020 Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team ... four-year level 10 gymnast from Gymkhana Inc ... majoring in exercise physiology.

MEET-BY-MEET (PLACEMENTS), SEASON AND CAREER STATISTICS



MICHELLE WALDRON

Senior | 5-2

Sagamore Beach, Mass. | Sturgis Charter Public School

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2018	4	0	38.7
2019	14	0	135.875
2020	6	0	58.275
2021	1	0	9.7
Career	25	0	242.55

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	9.7 (9th)	--	--	--	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		9.7	--	--	--	--
Career High		9.8	--	--	--	--

Notes: Set vault career high three times (last on March 1, 2020) ... four-year level 10 gymnast out of Cape Cod Gymnastics Center ... majoring in marketing.



KAYLA YANCEY

Sophomore | 4-11

Hatfield, Pa. | North Penn High

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2020	10	0	165.5
2021	--	--	--
2022	--	--	--
2023	--	--	--
Career	10	0	165.5

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		--	--	--	--	--
Career High		9.775	9.85	--	--	--

Notes: Owns two career podium finishes, all on uneven bars ... set career highs on vault and bars on March 8, 2020 ... made her collegiate debut on vault and bars in the 2020 season opener (Jan. 11) ... 2020 Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team ... four-year level 10 gymnast out of Montgomery County Sports Performance Center ... graduated early from North Penn High to join her sister, Kianna ... majoring in human nutrition and foods.



KIANNA YANCEY

Sophomore | 5-4

Hatfield, Pa. | North Penn High

Year	Meets	AA	Total Points
2020	10	1	253.575
2021	1	0	29.225
2022	--	--	--
2023	--	--	--
Career	11	1	282.8

Date	Place	Vault	Bars	Beam	Floor	AA
Jan. 22	West Virginia	9.65 (10th)	9.775 (T-6th)	--	9.8 (8th)	--
Jan. 31	Oklahoma	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 7	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 11	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Feb. 21	Denver	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 1	Iowa State	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 5	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 12	Pitt	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 14	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
Mar. 20	West Virginia	--	--	--	--	--
2021 NQS		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Average		--	--	--	--	--
2021 Season High		9.65	9.775	--	9.8	--
Career High		9.8	9.875	9.625	9.875	39.15

Notes: Owns 10 career podium finishes (five on uneven bars, three on vault and one each on floor exercise and in the all-around) and two event wins (one on bars and one in the all-around) ... competed in the all-around for the first time in her collegiate career on Jan. 26, 2020, posting career highs on balance beam, bars and floor ... debuted on floor for the first time on Jan. 17, 2020 ... hit her career high on vault four times (last on Feb. 14, 2020) ... made her collegiate debut on vault and bars in the 2020 season opener (Jan. 11) ... 2020 NACGC/W Scholastic All-America ... 2020 Academic All-Big 12 Rookie Team ... six-year level 10 gymnast from Montgomery County Sports Performance Center ... majoring in psychology.

2021 VAULT LINEUP MEET-BY-MEET

Meet	1	2	3	4	5	6
Jan. 22 (48.575)	Kianna Yancey (9.65)	Michelle Waldron (9.7)	Kiana Lewis (9.8)	Abbie Pierson (9.8)	McKenna Linnen (9.625)	Emily Holmes-Hackerd (9.525)
Jan. 31						
Feb. 7						
Feb. 11						
Feb. 21						
Mar. 1						
Mar. 5						
Mar. 12						
Mar. 14						
Mar. 20						

2021 UNEVEN BARS LINEUP MEET-BY-MEET

Meet	1	2	3	4	5	6
Jan. 22 (48.6)	Esperanza Abarca (9.75)	Kendra Combs (9.775)	Rachel Hornung (9.65)	Kianna Yancey (9.775)	Nicole Norris (9.65)	Emily Holmes-Hackerd (9.625)
Jan. 31						
Feb. 7						
Feb. 11						
Feb. 21						
Mar. 1						
Mar. 5						
Mar. 12						
Mar. 14						
Mar. 20						

2021 BALANCE BEAM LINEUP MEET-BY-MEET

Meet	1	2	3	4	5	6
Jan. 22 (48.825)	Emily Holmes-Hackerd (9.675)	Abbie Pierson (9.75)	Rachel Hornung (9.7)	Kendra Combs (9.775)	McKenna Linnen (9.825)	Esperanza Abarca (9.775)
Jan. 31						
Feb. 7						
Feb. 11						
Feb. 21						
Mar. 1						
Mar. 5						
Mar. 12						
Mar. 14						
Mar. 20						

2021 FLOOR EXERCISE LINEUP MEET-BY-MEET

Meet	1	2	3	4	5	6
Jan. 22 (48.9)	McKenna Linnen (9.85)	Abbie Pierson (9.1)	Emily Holmes-Hackerd (9.825)	Kendra Combs (9.85)	Kianna Yancey (9.8)	Chloe Asper (9.575)
Jan. 31						
Feb. 7						
Feb. 11						
Feb. 21						
Mar. 1						
Mar. 5						
Mar. 12						
Mar. 14						
Mar. 20						

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