



2017 AUBURN GYMNASTICS

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2017 GYMNASTICS SCHEDULE

3-15, 0-7 SEC

Date	Opponent	Time (CT)/Result
Jan. 6	OREGON STATE	L, 195.275-195.575
Jan. 13	GEORGIA*	L, 196.075-196.800
Jan. 20	at Kentucky*	L, 195.800-197.100
Jan. 27	at Florida*	L, 196.400-197.700
Jan. 29	vs. Alabama#	L, 194.675-195.850
Feb. 3	ARKANSAS*	L, 196.075-196.375
Feb. 10	vs. Oklahoma^	L, 195.725-198.075
Feb. 17	at Alabama*	L, 196.450-197.350
Feb. 24	LSU*	L, 196.100-197.675
March 3	at Missouri*	L, 195.350-197.200
March 10	PITTSBURGH	W, 196.300-194.200
March 18	SEC ChampionshipsS	6th/8, 196.550
April 1	NCAA Regional%	TBA
April 14-15	NCAA Championships&	TBA

* -- SEC meets

-- Elevate Meet at the Birmingham-Jefferson Convention Complex

^ -- Perfect 10.0 Challenge - Oklahoma City, Okla.

S -- Veterans Memorial Arena - Jacksonville, Fla.

% -- Seattle, Wash.; Gainesville, Fla.; Fayetteville, Ark.; Champaign,

Ill.; Lincoln, Neb.; Morgantown, W.V.

& -- Chaifetz Arena -- St. Louis, Mo.

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach Jeff Graba (Seventh Season)

Assistant Coach Kurt Hettinger (Ninth Season)

Assistant Coach Mary McDaniel (Second Season)

Athletic Trainer Janet Taylor (12th Season)

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Quick Facts

Location Auburn, Ala.

Nickname Tigers

Enrollment 25,469

Colors Burnt Orange and Navy Blue

Conference Southeastern

President Dr. Jay Gogue

Athletic Director Jay Jacobs

Facility Auburn Arena



NCAA REGIONAL

Saturday, April 1 • 4 p.m. CT
Barnhill Arena • Fayetteville, Ark.



Site Fayetteville, Ark.
Venue Barnhill Arena
Twitter AuburnGym
Last Season 1-1st, 196.525 (Ann Arbor, Mich.)

AUBURN
Rankings 21
2017 Record 3-15
Head Coach Jeff Graba
Record at AU (Year) 75-103-1 (7th)

PROBABLE LINEUP (CAREER STARTS IN EVENT)

VAULT

Katie Becker (11)
Emma Engler (15)
A' Miracal Phillips (15)
Taylor Krippner (26)
MJ Rott (52)
Gracie Day (12)
Alt: Kelsey Kopec

BARS

Katie Becker (5)
Kelsey Kopec (53)
Taylor Krippner (26)
Samantha Cerio (22)
Gracie Day (12)
Emma Engler (16)
Alt: Cara Stricklin

BEAM

Kullen Hlawek (32)
Samantha Cerio (16)
Katie Becker (10)
Emma Engler (17)
Emma Slappey (12)
Taylor Krippner (25)
Alt: Gracie Day

FLOOR

Katie Becker (10)
Gracie Day (8)
Lucia Scaglione (16)
Emma Slappey (10)
Kullen Hlawek (36)
MJ Rott (46)
Alt: Samantha Cerio

NO. 21 AUBURN AT NCAA FAYETTEVILLE REGIONAL

The No. 21 Auburn gymnastics team is ready for NCAA postseason as the fourth-seeded squad continues the year at the 2017 NCAA Fayetteville Regional, April 1, in Fayetteville, Ark. Action begins at 4 p.m. CT in Barnhill Arena and the top two teams at the conclusion of the meet will advance to the NCAA Championship.

"We have a good bit of confidence on the team right now," head coach Jeff Graba said. "However, this is the postseason and at the regional meet, you need to perform in order to move on. If you don't, you go home. This young team needs to learn how to handle that so that we can have a great meet."

Auburn is joined by No. 1 seed and the fourth-ranked team overall Utah. Denver and California will be the Nos. 2 and 3 seeds, while host Arkansas and Central Michigan are also set to compete.

The top two teams from each of the six regionals will advance to the NCAA Championships, April 14-15, in St. Louis.

IN THE RANKINGS

Auburn stands at No. 21 in the weekly RoadToNationals.com rankings, having an RQS score of 196.265.

The Tigers are coming off a season-high score at the 2017 SEC Championship, finishing sixth overall with a 196.550. That score tied for the third-highest team total in program history at the conference meet.

Auburn is in the Top 25 in all four events leading up to this weekend's meet. The youthful squad continues to excel on bars and comes in 16th with a 49.185 RQS. The Tigers are also 19th on beam at 49.095. AU upped its RQS to 49.175 on floor and rank 23rd overall. The squad's 49.050 on vault is 21st in the country.

A trio of Tigers are among the Top 50 nationally. Sophomore Taylor Krippner ranks 39th nationally on beam with a 9.885 RQS. Classmate Emma Engler it tied for 44th on bars (9.875), while senior MJ Rott is tied for 40th on vault (9.855).

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TEAM SCHEDULE AND MEDIA AVAILABILITY » WEEK OF MARCH 27 - APRIL 2

MONDAY March 27	TUESDAY March 28	WEDNESDAY March 29	THURSDAY March 30	FRIDAY March 31	SATURDAY April 1	SUNDAY April 2
PRACTICE 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. McWhorter Center	PRACTICE 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. McWhorter Center MEDIA INTERVIEWS 4:30 p.m. McWhorter Center	PRACTICE 6 - 8 a.m. Workout McWhorter Center	TRAVEL TO FAYETTEVILLE	PRACTICE 4 - 6 p.m. CT Barnhill Arena	MEET 4 p.m. NCAA REGIONAL	TRAVEL TO AUBURN

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INTERVIEW POLICY

Coach Graba, assistant coaches and all athletes are available for phone and personal interviews by contacting Kendra Willard in the media relations office. Post-meet interviews will be conducted in the media room following a 10-minute cooling-off period.

CREDENTIALS

Anyone wishing to cover an Auburn gymnastics meet should contact Kendra Willard in the communications office at least one day in advance in order to make the proper arrangements. Credentials are required for attendance.

MATCH DAY SERVICES

Notes for both teams and lineup sheets will be provided prior to the meet. Stats will be distributed between each rotation and after the meet. Wireless internet is available in the Arena; ask Kendra Willard for the password.

VIDEO SERVICES

FTP feeds of selected Auburn gymnastics highlights are available for the media. A number of studio and satellite services may be arranged for electronic media by calling Andrew Aaron in the Auburn video services office at 334.750.7133 or by emailing aba0016@auburn.edu.

PHOTO SERVICES

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GAMEDAY EXPERIENCE: AUBURN ARENA

» The Auburn gymnastics program has enjoyed five sellouts (7,424) in the last three seasons at Auburn Arena. The Tigers have reached new heights already in 2017 as season ticket holder numbers have risen yet again.



2016 NCAA ANN ARBOR REGIONAL

Auburn advanced to the NCAA Championship for the second straight year after the Tigers finished tied for first with a 196.525 in the NCAA Ann Arbor Regional in the Crisler Center on the campus of the University of Michigan.

Auburn and Stanford finished tied for first with a 196.525 and the Tigers will advance as a top seed after the tie break. The regional win is the first in program history.

Highlighting the night was the team's performance in the fifth rotation on floor. Following its second bye, Auburn put together a 49.400 and were led by Kait Kluz, Lexus Demers and Caitlin Atkinson. The trio finished tied for first overall as each earned a 9.9. MJ Rott and Abby Milliet chipped in a pair of 9.85s for the Tigers.

After a first round bye to start the night, Auburn opened with a 49.125 on bars. A trio of Tigers in Kluz, Milliet and Taylor Krippner led the way with a 9.85 each. Atkinson added a 9.8, while Samantha Cerio led off the rotation with a 9.775.

The Tigers headed to beam next and totaled a 48.850. Demers finished tied for third overall in the meet with a 9.875 to lead the Orange and Blue. Atkinson added a 9.8 and Milliet followed with a 9.750. Cerio finished her night with a 9.725 on the apparatus and Kullen Hlawek made her regional debut with a 9.7.

Auburn closed out the meet on vault with a 49.150 and were led by Rott's 9.9. Her score gave her first in the event. Atkinson and Demers chipped in a pair of 9.85s, while Krippner earned a 9.8. Sarah Garcia and Kluz each totaled a 9.750 for the Tigers.

Atkinson finished the all-around in fifth with a 39.350.

AUBURN LINEUP

Auburn will feature 18 routines from sophomores and freshmen Saturday, while the other six will come from the team's four seniors. In addition, 14 routines will come from student-athletes who have never competed in the postseason. Freshman Katie Becker will once again compete in all four rotations for the Tigers as the Boone, N.C., product is set to make her fifth start in the all-around for Auburn. Becker has competed in all events at Alabama (Feb. 17), at Missouri (March 3), vs. Pittsburgh (March 10), and at the SEC Championship (March 18). She finished with a season-best 38.950 in Tuscaloosa, while taking the all-around title vs. the Panthers with a 38.925.

Auburn kicks things off on a bye before heading to bars where

the squad has enjoyed success in the event this season. Making her 54th start in the event will be redshirt senior Kelsey Kopec. Becker will kick things off in the leadoff spot for the Tigers with Kopec following. Sophomore Taylor Krippner and Samantha Cerio and freshman Gracie Day will go in spots 3-5, while sophomore Emma Engler is set to anchor for the fourth-straight meet.

The squad moves on to beam and the team's youth shines through as three spots are held by sophomores (Cerio, Engler, Krippner). Becker and redshirt freshman Emma Slappey are also set to compete. Senior Kullen Hlawek will lead things off for the Tigers.

Auburn goes on one more bye before floor follows and brings the most experience for Auburn as seniors Lucia Scaglione and MJ Rott joins Hlawek in the lineup. A trio of freshmen in Becker, Slappey, and Day will also compete for points for Auburn.

The Tigers close out the regional meet on vault in the final rotation of the day and Rott will guide the youthful lineup as she is set to compete in her 53rd career meet in this event. Sophomores Engler, A'Miracal Phillips, and Krippner join Rott, while Becker and Day are also set to go in the rotation.

LAST TIME OUT - SEASON-HIGH SCORE AT SECS

Auburn put together its best performance of the season, finishing sixth at the 2017 SEC Championship with a season-best score of 196.550 in the Veterans Memorial Arena in Jacksonville, Fla.

The team total tied the program's third-best score in SEC Championship history. In addition, six Tigers earned All-SEC honors, marking the most conference honors for Auburn in a single season.

Auburn, competing in the afternoon session, opened the day on beam and put together a solid 49.050 to get things started. Emma Slappey set a career-best score in the event, leading the Tigers with a 9.875. Taylor Krippner anchored AU with a 9.85, while Kullen Hlawek led things off with a solid score of 9.8. Katie Becker added a 9.775 and Emma Engler chipped in a 9.75.

The Tigers moved on to floor for rotation two and added a 49.125 to their score. MJ Rott earned All-SEC honors as she led all afternoon session competitors with a 9.875. Hlawek and Slappey also picked up All-SEC nods as the pair scored a pair of 9.85s. Gracie Day finished her energetic routine with a 9.825, while Lucia Scaglione was given a 9.725.

GYMNAST TO WATCH: KULLEN HLAWEK

» Senior Kullen Hlawek had an outstanding SEC Championship for the Tigers. She earned her first-ever All-SEC nod as she finished second on floor in the afternoon session with a 9.85. She also chipped in a 9.8 for AU on beam to kick off the meet.



SEC STANDINGS & SCHEDULE

	<i>(as of March 29)</i>						
	SEC Meets			All Meets			RQS
	W	L	Pct.	W	L-T	Pct.	
LSU	7	0	1.000	20	1	.952	197.865
Florida	5	2	.714	14	4	.824	197.635
Alabama	4	3	.571	12	6	.667	197.355
Georgia	4	3	.571	11	9	.550	197.005
Kentucky	3	4	.429	13	8-1	.614	196.750
Missouri	3	4	.429	11	13	.458	196.540
AUBURN	0	7	.000	3	15	.167	196.265
Arkansas	2	5	.286	4	14	.222	195.775

THIS WEEK'S MEETS

Saturday April 1
 Auburn, Arkansas at Fayetteville Regional
 Florida, Georgia, Missouri at Gainesville Regional
 LSU at Lincoln Regional
 Alabama at Morgantown Regional
 Kentucky at Seattle Regional

AUBURN IN THE RANKINGS

TEAM (as of March 20)				
EVENT	RQS	NAT'L	REG.	
Vault	49.050	21st	5th	
Bars	49.185	16th	5th	
Beam	49.095	t-19th	4th	
Floor	49.175	23rd	6th	
Team Total	196.265	21st	4th	

INDIVIDUAL RANKS (Top 50 National :: Top 25 Region)

<i>(as of March 20)</i>				
GYMNAST	EVENT	RQS	NAT'L	REG.
Samantha Cerio	Bars	9.865	-	t-17th
Gracie Day	Vault	9.840	-	t-18th
	Bars	9.860	-	t-19th
Emma Engler	Bars	9.875	t-44th	t-10th
Kullen Hlawek	Floor	9.865	-	t-22nd
Taylor Krippner	Beam	9.885	39th	t-11th
MJ Rott	Vault	9.855	t-40th	t-12th
	Floor	9.870	-	t-18th

NATIONAL RANKINGS

(March 20)

Rk	Team	RQS	High
1	Oklahoma	198.010	198.350
2	LSU	197.865	198.150
3	Florida	197.635	197.975
4	Utah	197.550	197.925
5	UCLA	197.500	198.125
6	Alabama	197.355	197.825
7	Michigan	197.135	197.825
8	Oregon State	197.115	197.475
9	Denver	197.040	197.150
10	Georgia	197.005	197.325
11	Boise State	196.910	197.675
12	Kentucky	196.845	197.475
13	Washington	196.735	197.175
14	Nebraska	196.725	197.175
15	Missouri	196.540	197.200
16	California	196.515	197.075
17	Iowa	196.510	196.725
18	Southern Utah	196.380	197.025
19	Illinois	196.365	196.875
20	George Washington	196.340	196.725
21	AUBURN	196.265	196.550
22	Eastern Michigan	195.970	196.500
23	West Virginia	195.920	196.300
24	Utah State	195.915	196.300
25	Arizona	195.880	196.275

BOLD - 2017 regular season opponents

Inside the Matchup

Auburn at NCAA Regional

2003	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	2nd	196.350
2004	Baton Rouge, La.	4th	195.750
2005	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	3rd	194.800
2006	Ann Arbor, Mich.	3rd	193.050
2007	Morgantown, W.V.	4th	193.950
2008	State College, Pa.	4th	195.150
2009	Seattle, Wash.	4th	195.250
2010	Salt Lake City, Utah	6th	194.925
2011	Tuscaloosa, Ala.	4th	195.850
2012	Auburn, Ala.	4th	196.100
2013	Gainesville, Fla.	3rd	196.700
2014	Baton Rouge, La.	5th	195.050
2015	Auburn, Ala.	2nd	196.900
2016	Ann Arbor, Mich.	1-1st	196.525

The squad tied a season-best on vault, coming away with a 49.150. A trio of Tigers in Rott, Day, and A' Miracal Phillips led the squad with 9.85 apiece. That score tied a career best for both Phillips and Day. Krippner and Engler added a pair of 9.8s and that score tied Engler's season high.

Auburn ended the day on bars, putting up one of its best scores of the season with a 49.225. Engler and Samantha Cerio picked up All-SEC honors as the duo each tied career bests with 9.9s. Day followed with a 9.875, while Krippner secured a solid score of 9.8. Kelsey Kopec added a 9.75 for the Tigers.

ALL-SEC SELECTIONS

Six student-athletes on the No. 21 Auburn gymnastics team earned All-SEC recognition, the league announced Thursday. That set a new program-best total for the Tigers and was the most by any SEC school this year.

To earn All-SEC recognition, gymnasts must finish in the top two spots (including ties) per event in each SEC championship session.

A trio of Tigers garnered All-SEC nods on floor. Senior MJ Rott led all afternoon session competitors in the event with a 9.875, while classmate Kullen Hlawek and redshirt freshman Emma Slappey came in second with a pair of 9.85s. The conference recognition is the second of Rott's career, while Hlawek and Slappey pick up the first of theirs.

Three more first-time, All-SEC honors came on bars as sophomores Emma Engler and Samantha Cerio finished first in the afternoon with a pair of 9.9s. That total tied a career best for each. Freshman Gracie Day was close behind at 9.875 to pick up All-SEC recognition.

In addition, Slappey and Day were placed on the SEC All-Freshman team for their performances on floor and bars, respectively.

SUCCESSFUL SWINGING ON BARS

Auburn has had success on the uneven bars this year, ranking in the Top 20 in the event nationally with a 49.185.

Auburn's season-best score came vs. the Razorbacks in February as the team finished with a 49.375. The Tigers capped the regular season vs. Pittsburgh with another solid score, earning a 49.225 as a group. The squad earned that same score at SECs.

GYMNAST TO WATCH: EMMA SLAPPEY

» Redshirt freshman Emma Slappey put together solid performances on beam and floor for Auburn at the SEC Championship. She was placed on the All-SEC and SEC All-Freshman team for her performance on floor where she earned a 9.85 in the afternoon session. She also led AU on beam with a career-high 9.875.

Sophomore Emma Engler has been very steady in the event for Auburn and is ranked tied for 44th nationally at 9.875. That RQS is also tied for 10th in the central region. Sophomore Samantha Cerio has also been very steady in the event for AU and it tied for 17th in the central region at 9.865. Freshman Gracie Day stands tied for 19th regionally at 9.86.

CONTINUED GROWTH ON FLOOR

Auburn has seen its floor scores continue to rise behind the solid contributions of three of its seniors - Kullen Hlawek, MJ Rott, and Lucia Scaglione

The team has set new season-highs on floor in the last two regular season meets, scoring a 49.250 at Missouri (March 3) before capping the season with a 49.325 vs. Pitt (March 10).

Scaglione has scored a career best 9.875 on floor on two occasions and has an RQS of 9.85. Hlawek's scores have continued to rise as she earned back-to-back 9.9s to conclude the regular season. Rott captured the event title vs. the Panthers, tying a career best with a 9.95. Rott and Hlawek are tied for 18th and 20th, respectively, in the central region.

STRENGTH OF SCHEDULE

In a poll on RoadtoNationals.com, Auburn's 2017 schedule ranks the second toughest schedule in the nation.

Ten of Auburn's 11 regular season meets are against teams ranked in top 25. Those include match ups with five teams who competed in last year's Super Six - Oklahoma (Feb. 10), LSU (Feb. 24), Alabama (Jan. 29, Feb. 17), Florida (Jan. 27), Georgia (Jan. 13).

UP NEXT

Auburn hopes to secure one of two spots that will advance out of the regional to the NCAA Championship. The two-day meet is slated for April 14-15 and will be held in Chaifetz Arena in St. Louis.



2017 AUBURN GYMNASTICS ROSTER

NAME	EVENT	HT	CL	HOMETOWN/CLUB
Katie Becker	AA	5-4	Fr.	Boone, N.C./Everest Gymnastics
Telah Black	AA	5-3	So.	Helena, Ala./Jamjev Gymnastics
Samantha Cerio	AA	5-0	So.	Huntersville, N.C./KPAC
Gracie Day	AA	5-4	Fr.	San Antonio, Texas/Aerial Athletics
Emma Engler	AA	5-3	So.	Raleigh, N.C./Sunshine Gymnastics
Kennedy Finister	AA	5-1	Jr.	Magnolia, Texas/Champion Gymnastics
Sarah Garcia	AA	5-3	Jr.	Temecula, Calif./SCEGA
Kullen Hlawek	AA	5-1	Sr.	Fulshear, Texas/Champion Gymnastics
Kelsey Kopec	AA	5-7	RS Sr.	Alpharetta, Ga./Ultimate Gymnastics
Taylor Krippner	AA	5-1	So.	Cypress, Texas/World Champions
Abby Milliet	AA	5-1	Jr.	Denton, Texas/Denton Gymnastics Academy
Kendal Moss	AA	5-4	Fr.	Cornelius, N.C./Everest Gymnastics
A' Miracal Phillips	AA	5-6	So.	Enterprise, Ala./Alabama Elite
MJ Rott	AA	5-0	Sr.	Stillwater, Minn./Rising Stars Gymnastics
Lucia Scaglione	FX/VT	5-0	Sr.	Tampa, Fla./Lafleurs Tampa
Emma Slappey	AA	5-2	RS Fr.	Jacksonville, Fla./Starlight Gymnastics
Cara Stricklin	AA	5-5	Jr.	Mandeville, La./Cypress Pointe Gymnastics

Head Coach:	Jeff Graba (Seventh year at Auburn)
Assistant Coach:	Kurt Hettinger (Ninth year at Auburn)
Assistant Coach:	Mary McDaniel (Second year at Auburn)
Director of Operations:	Dawn Schueller (Sixth year at Auburn)
Volunteer Assistant:	Rachel Inniss (First year at Auburn)
Athletic Trainer:	Janet Taylor (12th year at Auburn)
Graduate Assistant:	Corrie Lathrop (First year at Auburn)
Student Managers:	Alexa Moates, Blake Jones

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

TELAH Black	TAY-lah
Samantha CERIO	SAIR-ee-oh
KULLEN HLAWEK	KULL-in LAUW-ick
Kelsey KOPEC	CO-peck
Abby MILLIET	mill-AYE
A' MIRACAL Phillips	uh-MIRacle
MJ ROTT	WROTE
LUCIA SCAGLIONE	lou-CHEE-uh scag-lee-OH-knee
Jeff GRABA	GRAY-buh



Head Coach Jeff Graba

at Auburn & Overall : 75-103-1 (7th)



Hometown:
Forest Lake, Minn.
Education:
Minnesota, 1992

COACHING EXPERIENCE

Flips Gym Head Coach (1988-1995)
 • White Bear Lake, Minn.
 Hamline University Assistant Coach (1992-1998)
 • St. Paul, Minn.
 Midwest Gym Head Coach (1995-2003)
 • Little Canada, Minn.
 Utah State Assistant Coach (2004-2005)
 • Logan, Utah
 Utah Assistant Coach (2006-2010)
 • Salt Lake City, Utah
 Auburn Head Coach (2010-)
 • Auburn, Ala.

Three-time SEC Coach of the Year Jeff Graba enters his seventh season at the helm of the Auburn gymnastics program in 2017 and has guided the Tigers record heights during his time on The Plains.

For his efforts over the past six seasons, the Minnesota native was named SEC Coach of the Year in 2014 and 2015 and SEC co-Coach of the Year in 2012.

Most recently, Graba and the 2016 team added to the list of firsts for the program under his guidance. The Tigers snapped the 117-meet losing skid to Alabama in February of that season, defeating the Crimson Tide at home (197.275-197.250). Auburn also defeated Georgia in Athens for the first time in program history, setting a new program-high road score on the way (197.325).

In addition, the Tigers earned the program's first No. 1 NCAA regional seed and captured the NCAA Ann Arbor Regional title with a 196.525.

Auburn enjoyed a breakout season in 2015 as Graba led the Tigers to the NCAA Championship Super Six for the first time in 22 years. That season, Auburn broke or tied 52 program records that season.

Auburn's sixth place finish at the Super Six was the Tigers' second best in history and highest since 1993 with a NCAA nationals record score of 197.075. The Tigers also had a program record Super Six score of 195.625.

Auburn reached the 2015 NCAA Championship for the first time since 2003 and for only the fourth time overall as the Tigers tied a school-best with a runner-up finish at the NCAA Regional with a regional record score of 196.900.

Graba was named Auburn head coach on August 16, 2010. He came to The Plains after spending five years as an assistant coach at Utah. While with the Utes, he was named the 2009 West Region Assistant Coach of the Year while coaching bars, collaborating on floor routines and serving as the recruiting coordinator.

2017 MEET-BY-MEET RESULTS

DATE	MEET	RESULT	VAULT	BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	TEAM	OPP. 1	OPP. 2	OPP. 3
1/6	OREGON STATE	L	48.900	48.900	48.800	48.675	195.275	195.575	---	---
1/13	GEORGIA	L	48.900	49.125	48.825	49.225	196.075	196.800	---	---
1/20	at Kentucky	L	48.800	49.125	48.950	48.925	195.800	197.100	---	---
1/27	at Florida	L	49.025	49.050	49.150	49.175	196.400	197.700	---	---
1/29	vs. Alabama	L	48.900	49.150	47.600	49.025	194.675	195.850	---	---
2/3	ARKANSAS	L	49.050	49.375	49.075	48.575	196.075	196.375	---	---
2/10	vs. Oklahoma	L	49.150	48.425	49.050	49.100	195.725	198.075	---	---
2/17	at Alabama	L	49.025	49.200	49.175	49.050	196.450	197.350	---	---
2/24	LSU	L	48.800	49.125	49.150	49.025	196.100	197.675	---	---
3/3	at Missouri	L	49.000	48.350	48.750	49.250	195.350	197.200	---	---
3/10	PITTSBURGH	W	48.875	49.225	48.875	49.325	196.300	194.200	---	---
3/18	at SEC Championship	6th/8	49.150	49.225	49.050	49.125	196.550	196.625	195.825	194.900
4/1	at NCAA Regional	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
4/17-18	at NCAA Championships	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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SEC WEEKLY TEAM RANKINGS
(as of March 20)

Team Total Rank	Team	RQS	High
1.	LSU	197.865	198.150
2.	Florida	197.635	197.975
3.	Alabama	197.355	197.825
4.	Georgia	197.005	197.325
5.	Kentucky	196.845	197.475
6.	Missouri	196.540	197.200
7.	AUBURN	196.265	196.550
8.	Arkansas	195.775	196.375

SEC WEEKLY INDIVIDUAL RANKINGS
(as of March 20)

All-Around Rank	Name, School	A-A RQS	High
1.	Kiana Winston, UA	39.560	39.700
2.	Alicia Boren, UF	39.530	39.725
3.	Myia Hambrick, LSU	39.515	39.625
4.	Amelia Hundley, UF	39.490	39.625
5.	Mollie Korh, UK	39.470	39.625

Vault Rank	Team	AVG	High
1.	LSU	49.540	49.625
2.	Florida	49.465	49.550
3.	Alabama	49.340	49.500
4.	Kentucky	49.245	49.425
5.	Georgia	49.225	49.375
6.	Missouri	49.205	49.425
7.	AUBURN	49.050	49.150
8.	Arkansas	48.940	49.000

Vault Rank	Name, School	Vault RQS	High
1.	Ashleigh Gnat, LSU	9.970	10.000
2.	Alex McMurtry, UF	9.950	10.000
3.	Rachel Sloucum, UF	9.945	9.975
4.	Alicia Boren, UF	9.925	9.950
†5.	Britney Ward, MO	9.915	9.950
†5.	Syndey Snead, UG	9.915	9.950

Bars Rank	Team	AVG	High
1.	LSU	49.415	49.500
2.	Florida	49.410	49.575
3.	Alabama	49.340	49.400
4.	Kentucky	49.235	49.325
5.	Georgia	49.230	49.425
6.	AUBURN	49.185	49.375
7.	Missouri	49.145	49.350
8.	Arkansas	48.960	49.200

Bars Rank	Name, School	Bars RQS	High
1.	Alex McMurtry, UF	9.930	10.000
†2.	Lexie Priessman, LSU	9.925	9.950
†2.	Amelia Hundley, UF	9.925	9.975
4.	Kiana Winston	9.910	9.950
5.	Kennedi Edney, LSU	9.900	9.950

Beam Rank	Team	AVG	High
1.	LSU	49.505	49.575
2.	Alabama	49.425	49.600
3.	Florida	49.400	49.525
4.	Kentucky	49.285	49.425
5.	Georgia	49.245	49.425
6.	Missouri	49.175	49.500
7.	AUBURN	49.095	49.175
8.	Arkansas	49.055	49.150

Beam Rank	Name, School	Beam AVG	High
†1.	Sarah Finnegan, LSU	9.945	9.950
†1.	Nickie Guerrero, UA	9.945	9.975
3.	Kiana Winston, UA	9.935	9.975
4.	Ashleigh Gnat, LSU	9.930	9.950
†5.	Britney Ward, MO	9.925	9.975
†5.	Alex McMurtry, UF	9.925	9.950

Floor Exercise Rank	Team	AVG	High
1.	LSU	49.545	49.625
2.	Alabama	49.505	49.650
3.	Florida	49.440	49.675
4.	Georgia	49.375	49.600
5.	Kentucky	49.265	49.525
6.	Missouri	49.210	49.400
7.	AUBURN	49.175	49.325
8.	Arkansas	48.990	49.325

Floor Rank	Name, School	Floor AVG	High
1.	Ashleigh Gnat, LSU	9.950	9.975
†2.	Kennedy Baker, UF	9.945	10.000
†2.	Alicia Boren, UF	9.945	9.950
†2.	Kiana Winston, UA	9.945	10.000
†5.	Myia Hambrick, LSU	9.930	9.950
†5.	Aja Sims, UA	9.930	9.975
†5.	GiGi Marino, UG	9.930	9.950

AUBURN SCORING RECORDS**TOP TEAM SCORES - OVERALL**

	SCORE	OPPONENT	DATE
1.	197.750	vs. Georgia	2/27/15
2.	197.325	at Georgia	3/4/16
3.	197.300	vs. LSU	2/13/15
4.	197.275	vs. Alabama	2/12/16
5.	197.200	vs. Missouri	2/26/16

TOP TEAM SCORES - HOME ONLY

	SCORE	OPPONENT	DATE
1.	197.750	vs. Georgia	2/27/15
2.	197.300	vs. LSU	2/13/15
3.	197.275	vs. Alabama	2/12/16
4.	197.200	vs. Missouri	2/26/16
5.	197.175	vs. LSU	2/22/13
	197.175	vs. Arizona State	3/11/16

TOP TEAM SCORES - AWAY ONLY

	SCORE	OPPONENT	DATE
1.	197.325	at Georgia	3/4/16
2.	197.125	at LSU	2/19/16
3.	196.875	at Missouri	2/20/15
4.	196.850	at LSU	1/25/14
5.	196.825	at Alabama	2/6/15
	196.825	at TWU	2/5/16

TOP TEAM SCORES - VAULT

	SCORE	OPPONENT	DATE
1.	49.500	vs. LSU	2/13/15
	49.500	at Denver	3/2/08
3.	49.425	vs. North Carolina	3/13/15
	49.425	at LSU	1/25/14
5.	49.400	vs. Florida	1/17/14
	49.400	vs. Illinois-Chicago	3/11/07
	49.400	at NCAA Regional (Auburn)	4/4/15

TOP TEAM SCORES - BARS

	SCORE	OPPONENT	DATE
1.	49.525	vs. Arkansas	1/23/15
2.	49.500	vs. Centenary	3/5/00
3.	49.475	vs. Florida	2/17/12
4.	49.450	vs. Georgia	2/27/15
	49.450	vs. Maryland	3/20/10

TOP TEAM SCORES - BEAM

	SCORE	OPPONENT	DATE
1.	49.600	at Centenary	2/29/04
2.	49.425	at Denver	3/2/08
	49.425	at Alabama	2/15/13
4.	49.400	at LSU	2/8/08
	49.400	at Arkansas	2/2/08
	49.400	at Alabama	2/6/15
	49.400	at SEC Championship	3/21/15

TOP TEAM SCORES - FLOOR

	SCORE	OPPONENT	DATE
1.	49.600	vs. Florida	2/13/04
	49.600	vs. Arizona State	3/11/16
3.	49.550	vs. Georgia	2/27/15
4.	49.525	vs. Maryland	3/1/13
5.	49.500	vs. Missouri	2/26/16

PROGRAM BESTS**TEAM**

EVENT	SCORE	DATE
TOTAL	197.750	February 27, 2015
VAULT	49.500	February 13, 2015
	49.500	March 2, 2008
BARS	49.525	January 23, 2015
BEAM	49.600	February 29, 2004
FLOOR	49.600	February 13, 2004
	49.600	March 11, 2016

INDIVIDUAL

EVENT	SCORE	GYMNAST, YEAR
ALL AROUND	39.750	Caitlin Atkinson, 2015
VAULT	9.975	MJ Rott, 2015
	9.975	MJ Rott, 2014
	9.975	Julie Dwyer, 2008
BARS	10.0	Sarah Wentworth, 2000
BEAM	10.0	Rachael Tarantino, 2004
	10.0	Sally Cantrell, 2002
FLOOR	10.0	Becky Erwin, 1993

2017 INDIVIDUAL TOP SCORES**VAULT**

1.	9.900	MJ Rott	ARKANSAS (Feb. 3)
2.	9.875	MJ Rott	at Alabama (Feb. 17)
t-3.	9.850	10 times	

BARS

t-1.	9.900	Samantha Cerio	ARKANSAS (Feb. 3)
t-1.	9.900	Emma Engler	at Alabama (Feb. 17)
t-1.	9.900	Emma Engler	LSU (Feb. 24)
t-1.	9.900	Gracie Day	PITTSBURGH (March 10)
t-1.	9.900	Samantha Cerio	at SEC Championship (March 18)
t-1.	9.900	Emma Engler	at SEC Championship (March 18)

BEAM

1.	9.925	Taylor Krippner	LSU (Feb. 24)
t-2.	9.900	Emma Engler	at Florida (Jan. 27)
t-2.	9.900	Taylor Krippner	ARKANSAS (Feb. 3)
t-2.	9.900	Taylor Krippner	vs. Oklahoma (Feb. 10)
t-2.	9.900	Taylor Krippner	at Alabama (Feb. 17)

FLOOR

t-1.	9.950	MJ Rott	GEORGIA (Jan. 13)
t-1.	9.950	MJ Rott	PITTSBURGH (March 10)
t-3.	9.900	Emma Slappey	at Florida (Jan. 27)
t-3.	9.900	Samantha Cerio	ARKANSAS (Feb. 3)
t-3.	9.900	Kullen Hlawek	at Missouri (March 3)
t-3.	9.900	Kullen Hlawek	PITTSBURGH (March 10)

2017 SEASON BESTS**TEAM**

EVENT	SCORE	DATE
TOTAL	196.550	at SEC Championship (March 18)
VAULT	49.150	vs. Oklahoma (Feb. 10)
	49.150	at SEC Championship (March 18)
BARS	49.375	Arkansas (Feb. 3)
BEAM	49.175	at Alabama (Feb. 17)
FLOOR	49.325	Pittsburgh (March 10)

INDIVIDUAL

EVENT	SCORE	GYMNAST (DATE)
TOTAL	38.950	Katie Becker (Feb. 17)
VAULT	9.900	MJ Rott (Feb. 3)
BARS	9.900	Samantha Cerio (Feb. 3, March 18)
	9.900	Emma Engler (Feb. 17, Feb. 24, March 18)
	9.900	Gracie Day (March 10)
BEAM	9.925	Taylor Krippner (Feb. 24)
FLOOR	9.950	MJ Rott (Jan. 13)
	9.950	MJ Rott (March 10)

2017 TEAM TOP SCORES**TEAM TOTAL**

1.	196.550	at SEC Championship	March 18
2.	196.450	at Alabama	Feb. 17
3.	196.400	at Florida	Jan. 27
4.	196.300	PITTSBURGH	March 10
5.	196.100	LSU	Feb. 24

VAULT

t-1.	49.150	vs. Oklahoma	Feb. 10
t-1.	49.150	at SEC Championship	March 18
3.	49.050	ARKANSAS	Feb. 3
t-4.	49.025	at Florida	Jan. 27
t-4.	49.025	at Alabama	Feb. 17

BARS

1.	49.375	ARKANSAS	Feb. 3
t-2.	49.225	PITTSBURGH	March 10
t-2.	49.225	at SEC Championship	March 18
4.	49.200	at Alabama	Feb. 17
5.	49.150	vs. Alabama	Jan. 29

BEAM

1.	49.175	at Alabama	Feb. 17
t-2.	49.150	at Florida	Jan. 27
t-2.	49.150	LSU	Feb. 24
4.	49.075	ARKANSAS	Feb. 3
t-5.	49.050	vs. Oklahoma	Feb. 10
t-5.	49.050	at SEC Championship	March 18

FLOOR

1.	49.325	PITTSBURGH	March 10
2.	49.250	at Missouri	March 3
3.	49.225	GEORGIA	Jan. 13
4.	49.175	at Florida	Jan. 27
5.	49.125	at SEC Championship	March 18

INDIVIDUAL SEASON AND CAREER SCORES

A'MIRACAL PHILLIPS :: SOPHOMORE

2017	VAULT	BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	AA
OREGON STATE	---	---	---	---	---
GEORGIA	9.550	---	---	---	---
at Kentucky	---	---	---	---	---
at Florida	9.725	---	---	---	---
vs. Alabama	9.750	---	---	---	---
ARKANSAS	9.800	---	---	---	---
vs. Oklahoma	9.750	---	---	---	---
at Alabama	9.750	---	---	---	---
LSU	9.750	---	---	---	---
at Missouri	9.800	---	---	---	---
PITTSBURGH	9.800	---	---	---	---
at SEC	9.850	---	---	---	---
NCAA Regional	---	---	---	---	---
NCAA National	---	---	---	---	---
Season RQS	9.780	---	---	---	---
Season High	9.850	---	---	---	---
Career High	9.850	---	---	---	---

EMMA SLAPPEY :: REDSHIRT FRESHMAN

2017	VAULT	BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	AA
OREGON STATE	---	---	---	9.700	---
GEORGIA	---	---	---	9.800	9.850
at Kentucky	---	---	---	9.775	9.825
at Florida	---	---	---	9.800	9.900
vs. Alabama	---	---	---	9.850	9.775
ARKANSAS	---	---	---	9.325	9.050
vs. Oklahoma	---	---	---	9.825	9.800
at Alabama	---	---	---	9.800	9.650
LSU	---	---	---	9.850	---
at Missouri	---	---	---	9.800	9.875
PITTSBURGH	---	---	---	9.825	9.775
at SEC	---	---	---	9.875	9.850
NCAA Regional	---	---	---	---	---
NCAA National	---	---	---	---	---
Season RQS	---	---	---	9.830	9.840
Season High	---	---	---	9.850	9.900
Career High	---	---	---	9.850	9.900

MJ ROTT :: SENIOR

2017	VAULT	BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	AA
OREGON STATE	9.825	---	---	9.825	---
GEORGIA	9.800	---	---	9.950	---
at Kentucky	9.800	---	---	9.750	---
at Florida	9.850	---	---	9.800	---
vs. Alabama	9.700	---	---	9.825	---
ARKANSAS	9.900	---	---	9.875	---
vs. Oklahoma	9.850	---	---	9.825	---
at Alabama	9.875	---	---	9.825	---
LSU	9.825	---	---	9.850	---
at Missouri	9.825	---	---	9.800	---
PITTSBURGH	9.850	---	---	9.950	---
at SEC	9.850	---	---	9.875	---
NCAA Regional	---	---	---	---	---
NCAA National	---	---	---	---	---
Season RQS	9.855	---	---	9.870	---
Season High	9.900	---	---	9.950	---
Career High	9.975	9.825	9.900	9.950	38.925

CARA STRICKLIN :: JUNIOR

2017	VAULT	BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	AA
OREGON STATE	---	---	---	---	---
GEORGIA	---	---	---	---	---
at Kentucky	---	---	---	---	---
at Florida	---	---	---	---	---
vs. Alabama	---	---	---	---	---
ARKANSAS	---	---	---	---	---
vs. Oklahoma	---	---	---	---	---
at Alabama	---	---	---	---	---
LSU	---	---	---	---	---
at Missouri	---	---	---	---	---
PITTSBURGH	---	---	---	---	---
at SEC	---	---	---	---	---
NCAA Regional	---	---	---	---	---
NCAA National	---	---	---	---	---
Average	---	---	---	---	---
Season High	---	---	---	---	---
Career High	---	---	---	---	---

LUCIA SCAGLIONE :: SENIOR

2017	VAULT	BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	AA
OREGON STATE	---	---	---	9.725	---
GEORGIA	---	---	---	9.800	---
at Kentucky	---	---	---	9.800	---
at Florida	---	---	---	9.825	---
vs. Alabama	---	---	---	9.800	---
ARKANSAS	---	---	---	9.850	---
vs. Oklahoma	---	---	---	9.850	---
at Alabama	---	---	---	9.875	---
LSU	---	---	---	9.800	---
at Missouri	---	---	---	9.875	---
PITTSBURGH	---	---	---	9.850	---
at SEC	---	---	---	9.725	---
NCAA Regional	---	---	---	---	---
NCAA National	---	---	---	---	---
Season RQS	---	---	---	9.850	---
Season High	---	---	---	9.875	---
Career High	---	---	---	9.875	---

2017 EVENT TITLES

MEET	VAULT	BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	ALL-AROUND
#13 OREGON STATE	Day	---	---	Rott	---
GEORGIA	---	---	---	Rott	---
at #9 Kentucky	---	---	---	---	---
at #3 Florida	---	---	---	---	---
vs. #5 Alabama (Elevate Meet)	---	Kopec	---	---	---
ARKANSAS	Rott	Cerio	Krippner	Rott	---
vs. Oklahoma (Perfect 10 Challenge)	---	---	---	---	---
at Alabama	Rott	Engler	---	---	---
LSU	---	---	---	---	---
at Missouri	---	---	---	---	---
PITTSBURGH	Rott	Day	Slappey/Cerio	Rott	Becker
at SEC Championship	---	---	---	---	---
NCAA Regional Championship	---	---	---	---	---
NCAA Championship	---	---	---	---	---
NCAA Super Six	---	---	---	---	---
	4	4	2	4	1



KATIE BECKER
Fr. • AA • 5-4



TELAH BLACK
So. • AA • 5-3



SAMANTHA CERIO
So. • AA • 5-0



GRACIE DAY
Fr. • AA • 5-4



EMMA ENGLER
So. • AA • 5-3



KENNEDY FINISTER
Jr. • AA • 5-1



SARAH GARCIA
Jr. • VT • 5-3



KULLEN HLAWEK
Sr. • AA • 5-1



KELSEY KOPEC
R-Sr. • AA • 5-7



TAYLOR KRIPPNER
So. • AA • 5-1



ABBY MILLIET
Jr. • AA • 5-1



KENDAL MOSS
Fr. • AA • 5-4



A'MIRACAL PHILLIPS
So. • AA • 5-6



MJ ROTT
Sr. • AA • 5-0



LUCIA SCAGLIONE
Sr. • FX • 5-0



EMMA SLAPHEY
R-Fr. • AA • 5-2



CARA STRICKLIN
Jr. • AA • 5-5



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