



2016 SOUTH CAROLINA GAMECOCK SOFTBALL

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2016 Schedule/Results (8-1)

Date	Opponent	W	L	Score/Time
2/12	vs. No. 2/2 Michigan%		L	3-15 (5)
2/12	at USF%	W		7-1
2/13	vs. Virginia Tech%	W		6-0
2/14	vs. Illinois State%	W		3-0
2/17	North Carolina (SECN+)	W		9-1 (5)
2/19	UNC Greensboro# (SECN+)	W		11-3 (5)
2/20	Ohio# (SECN+)	W		8-0 (6)
2/21	Longwood# (SECN+)	W		2-0
2/21	Winthrop# (SECN+)	W		9-1 (6)
2/23	Coastal Carolina (SECN+)			5 p.m.
2/26	at UC Santa Barbara@			11:30 a.m.
2/26	vs. Southern Utah@			4 p.m.
2/27	at UC Santa Barbara@			11:30 a.m.
2/27	vs. Southern Utah@			1:30 p.m.
2/28	vs. Georgia Tech@			12 p.m.
3/1	Western Carolina (SECN+)			4 p.m.
3/1	Western Carolina (SECN+)			Game 2
3/4	Kennesaw State& (SECN+)			4 p.m.
3/5	Michigan State& (SECN+)			1:30 p.m.
3/5	Connecticut& (SECN+)			4 p.m.
3/6	TBD& (SECN+)			12:30/3 p.m.
3/8	SIU-Edwardsville (SECN+)			6 p.m.
3/11	Kentucky* (SECN+)			6 p.m.
3/12	Kentucky* (SECN)			1 p.m.
3/13	Kentucky* (SECN)			1 p.m.
3/16	Buffalo (SECN+)			4 p.m.
3/16	Buffalo (SECN+)			Game 2
3/19	Georgia* (SECN+)			3 p.m.
3/20	Georgia* (SECN)			7 p.m.
3/21	Georgia* (SECN)			7 p.m.
3/23	Charleston Southern (SECN+)			6 p.m.
3/25	at Auburn* (SECN+)			7 p.m.
3/26	at Auburn* (SECN+)			7 p.m.
3/27	at Auburn* (SECN+)			2 p.m.
3/30	at Charlotte			5 p.m.
4/2	Troy (SECN+)			3 p.m.
4/3	Troy (SECN+)			1 p.m.
4/5	UNC Wilmington (SECN+)			6 p.m.
4/8	at Arkansas* (SECN+)			7 p.m.
4/9	at Arkansas* (SECN+)			2 p.m.
4/10	at Arkansas* (SECN+)			2 p.m.
4/12	at USC Upstate			6 p.m.
4/15	Mississippi* (SECN+)			6 p.m.
4/16	Mississippi* (SECN+)			3 p.m.
4/17	Mississippi* (SECN)			2 p.m.
4/19	Georgia Southern			6 p.m.
4/22	at LSU*			7 p.m.
4/23	at LSU* (SECN+)			7 p.m.
4/24	at LSU* (SECN+)			2 p.m.
4/26	Furman (SECN+)			6 p.m.
4/29	Alabama* (SECN+)			6 p.m.
4/30	Alabama* (SECN)			12 p.m.
5/1	Alabama* (SECN+)			1 p.m.
5/6	at Missouri* (SECN+)			7:30 p.m.
5/7	at Missouri* (ESPNU)			3 p.m.
5/8	at Missouri* (SECN+)			1 p.m.
5/11-14	SEC Tournament			TBD
5/20-22	NCAA Regionals			TBD
5/27-29	NCAA Super Regionals			TBD
6/2-8	NCAA Women's College World Series			TBD

Bold indicates home game All times Eastern
 * - Southeastern Conference game
 % - USC Wilson-Demarinis Tournament (Tampa, Fla.)
 # - Carolina Classic
 @ - Gaucho Classic (Santa Barbara, Calif.)
 & - Gamecock Invitational
 ! - (Baton Rouge, La.)
 (SECN) - SEC Network (SECN+) - SEC Network +

Upcoming Opponents

Coastal Carolina (4-6) Feb. 23 • 5 PM Carolina Softball Stadium Series History Trend Last Meeting	UC Santa Barbara (4-6) Feb. 26-27 • 11:30 AM Campus Diamond Series History Trend Last Meeting	Southern Utah (3-9) Feb. 26-27 • 4 & 1:30 PM Campus Diamond Series History Trend Last Meeting	Georgia Tech (0-5) Feb. 28 • 12 PM Campus Diamond Series History Trend Last Meeting
SC leads 51-8	UCSB leads 2-1	Never met	SC leads 22-0
SC won last 2	UCSB won last 2	N/A	SC won all 22
SC won 5-3 (4/10/13)	UCSB won 2-1 (3/10/93)	First meeting	SC won 1-0 (2/22/08)

Live Coverage

Video Coverage: SEC Network + on ESPN3
Play-by-Play: Brad Muller

Gametracker: GamecocksOnline.com
Analyst: Megan Matthews Buning

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South Carolina Pitching Staff (in order of innings pitched)

No.	Name	Ht.	Class	ERA	W-L	App-GS	Sv	IP	BB	SO	Avg.	Notes
33	Nickie Blue	6-1	Jr.	2.25	3-1	8-4	2	28.0	11	25	.248	'14 SEC All-Freshman Team
10	Jessica Elliott	5-8	Jr.	0.89	5-0	7-5	1	23.2	8	15	.175	'15 NJCAA P of the Year
4	Hayley Copeland	6-0	Fr.	18.00	0-0	2-0	0	2.1	9	3	.143	

Probable Starting Lineup (based on previous games)

Pos.	Name	B/T	Ht.	Class	Avg/OBP/SLG	Notes
C	Jordan Bizzell	R/R	5-4	Sr.	.200/.381/.200	Started seven games behind the plate
1B	Kaylea Snaer	R/R	5-9	Jr.	.360/.414/.560	Hit a pair of RBI doubles vs. Virginia Tech 2/13
2B	Lauren Masters	R/R	5-3	Sr.	.267/.353/.333	Senior started all 60 games at 2B in '14
3B	Taylor Williams	R/R	5-9	Jr.	.111/.333/.222	Tied for second on '14 Gamecocks in home runs
3B	Kamryn Watts	L/R	5-6	So.	.273/.385/.273	Slapper had good weekend at USF
SS	Kenzi Maguire	R/R	5-3	Fr.	.381/.536/.429	Went 3-for-3 in debut vs. No. 2/2 Michigan 2/12
LF	Alaynie Page	R/R	5-6	Sr.	.269/.400/.538	Owns SC's single-season HR & total base records
CF	Ansley Ard	R/R	5-9	Sr.	.500/.533/.714	Went 3-for-3 vs. No. 2/2 Michigan 2/12
RF	Kennedy Clark	L/L	5-4	Fr.	.435/.576/.870	Hit two home runs in the Ohio win 2/20
DP	Victoria Williams	L/R	5-6	Jr.	.417/.517/.792	Posted six doubles through nine games

2016 Coaching Staff

Head Coach	Beverly Smith	Volunteer Assistant	Tina Plew Whitlock
Associate Head Coach	Lisa Navas	Director of Operations	Kacey Friedman
Assistant Coach	Calvin Beamon		



Smith's South Carolina Record

Year	Record	SEC Record	SEC Finish
2011	26-30	6-22	5th SEC East
2012	23-32	3-25	5th SEC East
2013	34-25	8-16	6th SEC East*
2014	36-22	11-13	T-8th SEC*
2015	38-22	10-14	T-9th SEC*
2016	8-1	-	?
5 years	165-132	38-90	3 NCAA Regionals

*NCAA Tournament

South Carolina Coaching Highlights

- Led Gamecocks to 3 NCAA Tournaments in 5 years
- 2nd winningest coach in SC Softball history
- Recruited and coached 2015 First-Team All-American Alaynie Page
- Coached five All-Region and three All-SEC players
- Team has improved its power numbers in each of the last four years and its win total the last three

Coaching Timeline

2011-present.....Head coach, South Carolina
 2008-10.....Associate head coach, North Carolina
 2005-2008.....Assistant head coach, North Carolina
 1998-2002, 2004.....Assistant coach, North Carolina
 1997.....Assistant coach, Tampa Bay FireStix (WPSL)
 1996-1998.....Head coach, Episcopal High School (Bellaire, Texas)

North Carolina Coaching Highlights

- Helped UNC to eight NCAA Tournament appearances
- Recruited and coached five All-Americans
- Coached 32 All-Region and 37 All-ACC players
- That includes three-time ACC Player of the Year Danielle Spaulding

Playing Timeline

1991-1994.....North Carolina
 1997.....Tampa Bay FireStix (WPSL)

Playing Career Highlights

- 1994 ACC Player of the Year, first in UNC history
- 1994 All-Southeast Region Player
- ACC 50th Anniversary Team
- Tossed two career no-hitters
- Tied for 17th in NCAA Division I history in triples (27)
- Still ranks in the top 10 at UNC in 11 career stats (seven offensive, four pitching)

Education

North Carolina, 1994
 B.A., Speech communications & Political science

South Carolina has seen its star rise again in the collegiate softball world, and head coach Beverly Smith has guided that process since arriving as head coach in July of 2010. She oversees all aspects of the program and works most closely on the field with the pitchers. As a head coach, Smith's overall record is 157-131, becoming only the second Gamecock softball coach with over 100 career wins.

The Gamecocks improved their record for the third-consecutive season in 2015, the only SEC program that can stake that claim. They also appeared in the NCAA Tournament for the third time under Smith. Three more offensive team records fell, including the home-run mark for the fourth-straight season. Now 20 team program marks have either been broken or re-broken by one of her squads. In per-game stats, Smith's teams now hold eight of the 16 categories tracked in the record book.

Smith's squad also produced its first NFCA All-American, as left fielder Alaynie Page garnered a first-team spot after setting five single-season school records and making the All-SEC First Team. Freshman Tiara Duffy also picked up SEC All-Freshman Team honors for South Carolina, who went 38-22 and finished tied for ninth in the grueling SEC.

For the second-consecutive season in 2014, South Carolina played in the NCAA Tournament, going 36-22 on the year. The Gamecocks saw four individual awards come their way after finishing eighth in the Southeastern Conference, led by Ashlyn Masters' second-team NFCA All-Southeast Region accolades. She posted 15 marks in the program's single-season charts, leading the team in 10 offensive categories. Nickie Blue and Kaylea Snaer made the SEC All-Freshman Team, with Blue also garnering recognition the inaugural NFCA Division I Freshman of the Year top-25 listing. Blue tied for the nation's lead in saves, while also topping the squad in innings and appearances.

The 2013 Gamecocks advanced into postseason play for the first time under Smith, earning spots in both the SEC and NCAA Tournaments. The Gamecocks set six team offensive records during the 34-25 campaign. The team scored a record 338 runs, held a .384 on-base percentage and slugged at a .450 clip. Closing the regular season with six wins in nine games, five coming on the road in SEC play, South Carolina defeated Kentucky in the first round. From there, the Gamecocks went to the Austin Regional, where they advanced to championship Sunday with two wins.

Samie Garcia became the second Gamecock under Smith to garner Easton All-America accolades, taking a first-team spot in 2013. Garcia also made the All-SEC second team, joining Lauren Lackey as Gamecocks under Smith to earn both honors. Garcia also garnered a selection in the fourth round of the National Pro Fastpitch Draft, the first Gamecock under Smith to receive that distinction.

Prior to coming to South Carolina, Smith served as the top assistant at North Carolina, working mostly with the pitchers and catchers. The final three years, she was the associate head coach after nine as an assistant. Smith helped the Tar Heels to two Atlantic Coast Conference titles in 2001 and 2008 and eight of their nine NCAA Tournament appearances. She served as the lead recruiter for the Tar Heels during that time, helping to bring in five All-Americans into the UNC program. She also helped North Carolina achieve a top-25 ranking in the USA Today/NFCA Coaches Poll at least once per season from 2006-10.

She coached a pitching staff that ranked in the top 10 in the nation in ERA in three of her final four seasons at North Carolina. Her top pupil was three-time All-American and two-time ACC Player of the Year Danielle Spaulding. During her final three seasons, Spaulding finished in the nation's top six in strikeouts per seven innings. In 2010, Spaulding was the toughest pitcher in the country to hit against, as she yielded just 2.61 hits per seven innings. In 2009, Spaulding led the country with 14.3 strikeouts per seven innings.

Smith's catchers also stood out in the ACC, with three claiming all-conference honors. Ally Blake and Brittany McKinney claimed spots in 2010 and 2009, respectively, while Natalie Anter made the list four times from 1999-2002. Anter also played in the 2004 Athens Olympics with the Italian national team.

A standout player for head coach Donna Papa before joining her staff, Smith was the 1994 ACC Player of the Year. A dual threat, Smith still ranks ninth in Tar Heel history in slugging percentage, second in triples, third in RBI, fifth in shutouts and seventh in ERA. Smith was honored as one of the top 50 softball players in ACC history during the league's 50th-anniversary celebration in 2002.

In addition to her coaching, Smith has been a speaker/clinician at many camps and conventions. She graduated from North Carolina in 1994 with a double major in speech communications and political science.

SOUTH CAROLINA AND COASTAL CAROLINA MEET FOR 60TH TIME TUES.

- Winners of eight straight, South Carolina closes its first home stand of 2016 with a Tuesday afternoon affair against longtime rival Coastal Carolina at 5 p.m.
- The game will be broadcast on SEC Network + on Watch ESPN, with Brad Muller and Megan Matthew Buning on the call.

SOUTH CAROLINA TEAM NOTES

- South Carolina is the only SEC team to improve its win total in each of the past three seasons, going from 23 wins in 2012 to 38 in 2015.
- Fledgling outlet College Sports Madness honored senior Alaynie Page on its Preseason All-America second team, while she also made the Preseason All-SEC team from the site and the league's coaches.
- In a preseason poll of SEC coaches, the Gamecocks ranked 11th of 13. It's a prediction South Carolina has bettered in each of the previous two seasons.

OFFENSIVE RECORDS FALLING REGULARLY FOR GAMECOCKS UNDER SMITH

- In head coach Beverly Smith's first five years, the Gamecocks have broken team offensive records 24 times (tracked on page 14 in these notes).
- South Carolina broke four more team offensive records in 2015: home runs (60), HR per game (1.00), on-base percentage (.391) and slugging percentage (.473).
- Smith's teams have set the home run and slugging percentage records now in four-straight seasons and the on-base percentage mark in each of the last three.
- While not a record, the Gamecocks have hit .291 over the past four seasons, 75 points higher than the year before Smith came to Columbia.

GAMECOCK PITCHING MAKING STRIDES

- Smith's pupils in the circle have also improved greatly in her first five seasons.
- Gamecock pitching has improved its strikeout-to-walk ratio in each of the past three seasons.
- Junior Nickie Blue, who led the nation in saves as a freshman, posted over 200 innings in the circle and an ERA under 2.00 in 2015, one of two in the SEC to post such numbers (Lauren Haeger of Florida the other).
- Blue's 165 strikeouts last season rank 14th in Gamecock history.
- Graduate Julie Sarratt put her name in the career top 10 for pitchers in eight major categories, including a tie for third in appearances (142).

SOME OF LAST YEAR'S MILESTONES IN SEC PLAY

- For the second-consecutive year, South Carolina won at least half of its SEC three-game series, marking the seventh time it's happened since the advent of the three-game series in 2001 (2001-03, '05, '07, '14).
- The five series wins in 2015 was last done in 2005, when the team took six of eight three-game sets.
- That included series wins over No. 9 Tennessee and No. 14 Kentucky.
- The victories at Kentucky marked the first SEC series victory for the Gamecocks on the road at a ranked team.
- South Carolina won its final four series, including two road series triumphs at Kentucky and Mississippi.

2016 ACCOLADES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS FOR ALAYNIE PAGE

- Senior Alaynie Page has already moved up in many career lists, found on page 8 of the notes.
- Notably, she's seven homers from matching the career record set by McKenna Hughes (2004-07).
- Page is one of 30 candidates for the Senior CLASS Award, which stands for Celebrating Loyalty and Achievement for Staying in School®
- The returning first-team All-American also ranked as 50 players placed on the USA Softball National Player of the Year watch list.
- She reached base at a .550 clip last week in five home games, stealing four bases, posting six RBI and hitting her second homer of the season.

BLUE STARTING TO CLIMB GAMECOCK PITCHING CHARTS

- Junior Nickie Blue enters 2016 with her name already showing up in South Carolina's career top 15 in many pitching categories (see page 8).
- She will once again anchor South Carolina's staff with her heavy drop ball producing ground outs at a 65 percent rate (506-269) in her first two years on campus.
- Blue picked up two saves and a win while throwing in all four games of the USF Wilson Demarini Tournament, helping the Gamecocks shut out Virginia Tech and Illinois State.
- She also tossed her first shutout of the year with a complete-game blanking of Longwood on Feb. 21.

SCHOOL QUICK FACTS

Location	Columbia, S.C.
Founded	1801
Enrollment	31,288
Colors	Garnet (PMS 202C) and Black
Nickname	Gamecocks
Affiliation	Southeastern (Eastern Division)
President	Dr. Harris Pastides
Athletic Director	Ray Tanner
Senior Associate AD/SWA	Judy Van Horn
Senior Associate AD (Sport Supervisor)	Charles Bloom
Faculty Athletics Representative	Dr. Zach Kelehear

HOME FIELD/PROGRAM HISTORY

Home Field	Carolina Softball Stadium at Beckham Field
Capacity	1,480
Dimensions	L-200, C-220, R-200, Alleys-210
NCAA Tournament Appearances	18
NCAA Super Regional Appearances	1
NCAA College World Series Appearances	3
AIAW College World Series Appearances	5
SEC Championships	1
SEC Eastern Division Championships	4
SEC Tournament Championships	2

2015 RESULTS/ROSTER INFO

2015 Record	38-22
2015 Conference Record	10-14
2015 Conference Finish	T-9th
Postseason	NCAA Regionals
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	14/7
Position Starters Returning/Lost	7/4
Pitchers Returning/Lost	2/1
Newcomers	7

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INTERVIEWS/PRACTICE SCHEDULE

South Carolina practices in the weekday afternoons at Carolina Softball Stadium at Beckham Field, located in the Athletics Village. Mondays are normally off days. Interviews are preferred around practice times, either before 2 p.m. or after 5 p.m. Please contact Koby Padgett at least 24 hours before to schedule your interview.

PREFERRED ABBREVIATIONS

When needing to abbreviate South Carolina for your scoreboard or broadcast boxes, the preferred short-enings are S. Carolina or SC. Please refrain from using USC or SCAR when referring to the University of South Carolina. Proper logos and wordmarks can be emailed for use by any media outlet upon request. Thanks for your help.

GAMECOCK AWARD WINNERS

Ansley Ard	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2013-14-15
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2013-14-15
Jordyn Augustus	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2015
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2015
Jordan Bizzell	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2015
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2014-15
Nickie Blue	2014 SEC All-Freshman Team
.....	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2014-15
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2014-15
.....	SEC Pitcher of the Week (3/16/15)
.....	SEC Freshman of the Week (2/24/14)
Hayley Copeland	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2015
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2015
Tiara Duffy	SEC All-Freshman Team 2015
.....	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2015
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2015
Effie Manahan	SEC Honor Roll 2014-15
Lauren Masters	SEC Honor Roll 2014-15
Alaynie Page	NFCA 1st-team All-America 2015
.....	1st-team All-SEC 2015
.....	NFCA 1st-team All-Southeast Region 2015
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2013-14
Kaylea Snaer	2014 SEC All-Freshman Team
.....	2014 NFCA All-Southeast Region Third Team
.....	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2014-15
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2014-15
Kamryn Watts	SEC Honor Roll 2015
Macey Webb	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2014-15
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2014-15
.....	2015 SEC Softball Community Service Team
Krystan White	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2015
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2015
Taylor Williams	SEC Honor Roll 2015
Victoria Williams	CoSIDA Academic All-District 4 2015
.....	NFCA Scholar-Athlete 2014-15
.....	SEC Honor Roll 2014-15

Italics indicate current season's honors

MAXPREPS HIGH SCHOOL ALL-AMERICANS

Jordan Bizzell	2nd Team Medium Schools 2012
Hayley Copeland	Overall 2nd Team 2014
.....	Sophomore 2012
Cayla Drotar*	Overall 2nd Team 2015
.....	Medium Schools 2015
.....	Junior 2015
.....	Sophomore 2014
.....	Freshman of the Year 2013
Alexis Mack	Overall 2nd Team 2015
Kenzi Maguire	1st Team Medium Schools 2014
Alaynie Page	Junior 2011
Kaylea Snaer	Overall 2nd Team 2012
.....	Junior 2012
Taylor Williams	1st Team Small Schools 2012-13
Victoria Williams	2nd Team Small Schools 2012

NFCA HIGH SCHOOL ALL-AMERICANS

Alexis Mack	2nd Team 2014
.....	1st Team 2015

NFCA HIGH SCHOOL ALL-REGION

Nickie Blue	1st Team West 2013
Alexis Mack	1st Team North 2012-13-14-15

*2016 signee

PAGE SOARED IN 2015

- Last season, left fielder Alaynie Page became the first Gamecock under head coach Beverly Smith to earn NFCA All-America accolades, garnering a spot on the first team.
- Page also gained first-team All-SEC honors from the coaches, the second under Smith (Lauren Lackey, 2012).
- First-team All-SEC honorees Page and Auburn's Emily Carosone finished 2015 in the top 40 in the country in batting average, on-base percentage and slugging percentage.
- Page led the team in 12 offensive categories, including batting average (.446), slugging percentage (.826), runs (58), hits (82), doubles (11), triples (7), home runs (15) and RBI (45).
- The Gamecocks' leadoff hitter reached base 61.5 percent of the time she's led off an inning.
- Only on three occasions did she not reach base safely in a game (Western Carolina 2/26, No. 21/20 Missouri 3/9, at No. 14/16 Kentucky-1 4/18).
- Page moved runners up at a team-best 60.8 percentage in 79 opportunities.

WE SCHEDULE TOUGH

- On this year's schedule, the Gamecocks are set to play 23 of their 56 regular-season games against teams who made the 2015 NCAA Tournament.
- Ten of those come against Women's College World Series participants, the season opener vs. Michigan and three each in SEC play at Auburn and LSU and at home against Alabama.
- A total of 37 of the Gamecocks' scheduled games come against teams that finished in the top 101 of the NCAA's Ratings Percentage Index last year.
- Thirty-three games are set for Carolina Softball Stadium at Beckham Field, including visits from former Gamecocks turned assistant coaches Chelsea Hawkins (UNC Greensboro), Kaela Jackson (Michigan State) and Chrissy Schoonmaker (Connecticut).

ROSTER NOTES

- Seven position player starters return for the Gamecocks from last year's squad.
- Every major offensive category leader from 2015 returns for the Gamecocks, 14 of those by Alaynie Page.
- SC lost four seniors who combined to start 143 games, including every start at catcher and 57 of 60 starts in centerfield.
- The Gamecocks return over 70 percent of its offense in most categories, from 79.9 percent of their walks to 71.7 percent of the home runs.
- The highest percentage lost in any offensive category is triples at 37.5, with five of those by Kristen Struett.
- Forty of the Gamecocks' 41 stolen bases return.
- In the circle, 53.1 percent of the innings return, most by staff ace Nickie Blue.
- Blue also brings back 61.4 percent of the team's strikeouts.
- Five newcomers join the squad, led by NJCAA Pitcher of the Year Jessica Elliott.
- The team is dominated by South Carolina natives, with 25 percent of the roster (five players) hailing from the Palmetto State. California is second with four players.
- The Gamecocks hail from 11 states this year, with the newcomers coming from California, Florida, Kentucky and Ohio.
- Nickie Blue and Hayley Copeland are the first Gamecock duo who are both over six-feet tall.
- While both Williams' and juniors by class, Taylor and Victoria are not sisters.

GAMECOCKS HAVE A RICH HISTORY IN NCAA TOURNAMENT

- South Carolina earned its 18th bid in the NCAA Tournament last season, its third straight under head coach Beverly Smith.
- The Gamecocks are 34-35 in those trips, making three Women's College World Series in their history (1983, 1989 and 1997).
- The program has five AIAW World Series trips in its history as well prior to 1982.

SOUTH CAROLINA STAFF HAS TOP CREDENTIALS

- Gamecock head coach Beverly Smith has been a part of 11 NCAA Tournament teams as a coach (eight at UNC, three at South Carolina).
- Associate head coach Lisa Navas has been to five NCAA Tournaments as an assistant coach (three at SC, one each at UNC and Missouri) and eight as a head coach (six Division II at Barry, two at NC State). Her 1998 Barry squad played in the national championship game.
- Assistant coach Calvin Beamon has three titles to his credit as a player, the biggest a College World Series title at Texas during 2005.
- He also won the NJCAA Division I title in 2003 at the College of Southern Nevada and a high school state championship at Smoky Hill High School in Cherry Creek, Colo.
- Volunteer assistant Tina Plew Whitlock played on the last Gamecock team to make the Women's College World Series and has coached teams to the NCAA Tournament at the Division II level.

SEC STANDINGS										
	SEC	Pct.	All	Pct.	H	A	N	Top 25	Last 10	Streak
Florida	0-0	.000	11-0	1.000	2-0	1-0	3-0	1-0	10-0	W11
Georgia	0-0	.000	9-0	1.000	4-0	0-0	5-0	0-0	9-0	W9
Mississippi State	0-0	.000	9-0	1.000	5-0	1-0	3-0	0-0	9-0	W9
Missouri	0-0	.000	6-0	1.000	0-0	0-0	6-0	0-0	6-0	W6
Texas A&M	0-0	.000	11-1	.917	5-1	0-0	6-0	4-1	9-1	W8
Alabama	0-0	.000	10-1	.909	0-0	2-1	8-0	1-1	9-1	W9
Auburn	0-0	.000	10-1	.909	5-0	1-0	4-1	1-1	9-1	W2
South Carolina	0-0	.000	8-1	.889	5-0	1-0	2-1	0-1	8-1	W8
Kentucky	0-0	.000	9-2	.818	0-0	2-0	7-2	4-1	8-2	W2
LSU	0-0	.000	8-2	.800	4-1	0-0	4-1	2-1	8-2	W4
Mississippi	0-0	.000	8-2	.800	0-0	2-1	6-1	0-0	8-2	W4
Tennessee	0-0	.000	8-3	.727	0-0	0-1	8-2	0-2	7-3	W4
Arkansas	0-0	.000	5-5	.500	0-0	0-2	5-3	0-0	5-5	W1

As of games played on Feb. 21, 2016

SMITH HAS FORMER STAFF MEMBERS AND GAMECOCK PLAYERS COACHING

- Gamecock head coach Beverly Smith has a growing collegiate coaching tree from her short time at South Carolina, as seen below.

Coach	Current Job	SC Role
Janelle Breneman	Head coach, UNC Greensboro	Assistant coach 2011-12
Chrissy Schoonmaker	Assistant coach, Connecticut	Volunteer assistant 2011-12
Laura Trout	Assistant coach, Illinois	Volunteer assistant 2013-14
Ashley Chastain	Pitching coach, College of Charleston	Student 2011, Manager 2012-13
Kelley Dillon	Assistant coach, College of Charleston	Student 2011-13
Kaela Jackson	Assistant coach, Michigan State	Student 2010-11, Volunteer assistant 2015
Chelsea Hawkins	Assistant coach, UNC Greensboro	Student 2011-14, Manager 2015

INTENTIONALLY AVOIDING FACING HITTERS

- Below is the top-10 listing of Gamecock intentional walk tallies in the SEC era.

Single Season			
Rank	Person	Year	IBB
1.	Kim Pietro	1999	7
2.	Alaynie Page	2015	5
3.	Kaylea Snaer	2015	3
	Kaylea Snaer	2014	3
	Sarah Mooney	2014	3
	Ashlyn Masters	2014	3
	McKenna Hughes	2007	3
	Ashley Smith	2004	3
	Joyce McMillin	2001	3
	Joyce McMillin	1999	3

Career			
Rank	Person	Year	IBB
1.	Joyce McMillin	1998-2001	9
2.	Kim Pietro	1997-99	7
3.	Kaylea Snaer	2014-16	6
	Alaynie Page	2013-16	6
5.	Laura Mendes	2008-11	5
	Megan Donohoo	1998-2001	5
7.	Sarah Mooney	2014-15	4
	Ashley Smith	2003-06	4
	Adrienne Genovese	1998-2001	4
10.	Four tied at		3

SOUTH CAROLINA SOFTBALL HISTORICAL RECORD

- South Carolina has played 2,133 games in its softball history, going 1386-740-7 (.651) in its 41st season of sponsorship.
- Beverly Smith is the second person to serve five seasons as South Carolina's head coach, joining NFCA Hall-of-Fame coach Joyce Compton.

SC IN THE SEC STATS (as of Feb. 21)		
All Games		
OFFENSIVE CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Batting Average	.346	7th
Slugging Percentage	.531	6th
On-Base Percentage	.450	7th
Runs Scored	58	9th
Hits	79	10th
RBI	56	9th
Doubles	16	6th
Triples	1	T-7th
Home Runs	8	T-8th
Total Bases	121	T-9th
Walks	25	12th
Hit by Pitches	22	1st
Sacrifice Bunts	6	5th
Sacrifice Flies	5	T-1st
Stolen Bases	12	9th

FIELDING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Earned Run Average	2.33	T-9th
Opposing Batting Average	.214	T-7th
Innings Pitched	54.0	11th
Strikeouts	43	11th

FIELDING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Fielding Percentage	.979	2nd
Chances	234	11th
Fielding Double Plays	3	T-3rd

SC PLAYERS IN SEC STATS		
OFFENSIVE CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Slugging Percentage		
Kennedy Clark	.870	7th
Victoria Williams	.792	11th
On-Base Percentage		
Kennedy Clark	.576	13th
Doubles		
Victoria Williams	6	2nd
Kaylea Snaer	5	T-3rd
Triples		
Tiara Duffy	1	T-4th
Home Runs		
Kennedy Clark	3	T-3rd
Hit by Pitch		
Kenzi Maguire	5	2nd
Jordan Bizzell	4	T-3rd
Kennedy Clark	4	T-3rd
Sacrifice Hits		
Ansley Ard	2	T-6th
Sacrifice Flies		
Alaynie Page	2	T-1st
Stolen Bases		
Alaynie Page	5	T-9th

FIELDING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Earned Run Average	0.89	14th
Opposing Batting Average	.175	13th
Innings Pitched		
Nickie Blue	28.0	6th
Jessica Elliott	23.2	12th
Batters Struck Out		
Nickie Blue	25	9th
Wins		
Jessica Elliott	5	T-2nd
Saves		
Nickie Blue	2	T-1st
Jessica Elliott	1	T-4th

FIELDING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Putouts		
Kaylea Snaer	57	9th

**SC VS. COASTAL CAROLINA
STATISTICAL COMPARISON**

Records/Rankings	SC	CCU
Record	8-1	4-6
Home/Away Record	5-0	0-1
National Ranking	N/A	N/A
2015 NCAA RPI	32	117

NCAA Statistics (as of Feb. 21)	SC	CCU
Batting Average	.346 / 30th	.295 / 84th
Slugging Percentage	.531 / 28th	.436 / 79th
Scoring	6.44 / 38th	3.70 / 168th
Doubles Per Game	1.78 / 25th	0.70 / 220th
Triples Per Game	0.11 / 128th	0.00 / N/A
Home Runs Per Game	0.89 / 55th	1.00 / 32nd
Stolen Bases Per Game	1.33 / 70th	1.20 / 85th
Earned Run Average	2.33 / 51st	5.20 / 194th
Fielding Percentage	.979 / 21st	.988 / 2nd
Double Plays Per Game	0.33 / 91st	0.40 / 64th

Coastal's Top Hitters	BA/OBP/SLG	Other Stats
Taty Forbes	.541/.553/.568	4-4 SB
Kelsey Dominik	.367/.429/.800	4 2B, 3 HR, 8 RBI
Morgan Noad	.250/.417/.464	2 HR, 3-3 SB
Alexis Alvino	.250/.333/.417	1 HR, 3 RBI
Bri Chiusano	.235/.333/.235	4 BB, 4-4 SB
Mackenzie Conrad	.200/.259/.320	1 HR
Annie Robinson	.500/.526/.833	2 HR, 6 RBI
Kailey Mellen	.211/.400/.263	6 BB
Adriana Toro	.200/.385/.500	1 HR, 3 BB
Chelsea Davilar	.167/.286/.167	2 BB
Angela Buccilli	.125/.125/.125	8 AB
Devon Steiner	.083/.083/.083	

Coastal's Top-2 Pitchers (in order of IP)	ERA	IP	K	BB
Kelsey Dominik	3.02	46.1	44	17
Ashley Guillette	8.22	15.1	24	15

SCOUTING COASTAL CAROLINA

- The Chanticleers have won three straight, going 4-6 overall.
- Coastal went 0-5 in its opening weekend, falling to UNC Greensboro among the teams in the event at Jacksonville.
- Offensively, the Chanticleers have just four starters back from last year's team.
- Bri Chiusano has four stolen bases in four tries, a year after stealing 39 and hitting .363.
- Morgan Noad returns after hitting 22 home runs and driving in 57. She's already hit two round-trippers this season.
- Kelsey Dominik, who had 11 home runs last year, has four doubles, three homers and eight RBI this year.
- Taty Forbes adds speed to the offense, hitting .541 with four stolen bases.
- In the circle, Coastal lost its workhorse, but Dominik returns after posting a 2.58 ERA in 141.1 innings.
- This season, Dominik has posted a 3.02 ERA in 46.1 innings, striking out 44 while walking 17.
- Ashley Guillette has tossed 15.1 innings, posting an 8.22 ERA.

COASTAL AND SOUTH CAROLINA AGAINST COMMON FOES

- The Chanticleers lost to UNC Greensboro 16-1 (5), a team South Carolina defeated 11-3 (5).

TIES BETWEEN SOUTH CAROLINA AND COASTAL CAROLINA

- Both Chanticleer Mackenzie Conrad (2011) and Gamecock Alexis Mack (2015) are former Cleveland Plain Dealer Players of the Year.

SC SERIES HISTORY VS. THE CHANTICLEERS

- South Carolina leads the all-time series 51-8 that dates back to 1989.
- In Columbia, the Gamecocks are 29-3.

THE LAST MEETING - COASTAL CAROLINA AT SOUTH CAROLINA - APRIL 10, 2013

- South Carolina swept a doubleheader from the Chanticleers, 10-2 (6) and 5-3.
- Alaynie Page started both halves and hit a home run to provide the insurance in the game-two win.
- Ansley Ard appeared in both games, driving in a run and scoring another in the first game, while Jordan Bizzell scored in a pinch-running appearance.
- The two teams were rained out in last season's scheduled showdown.

AWARDS Poured IN FOR 2015 GAMECOCKS

- Alaynie Page became South Carolina's first NFCA All-American in 16 years when she earned a first-team nod.
- She also garnered first-team All-SEC honors, while Tiara Duffy gained a spot on the SEC All-Freshman Team in the utility spot.
- Page ranked as the only Gamecock on the NFCA All-Southeast Region team.
- Macey Webb gained a spot on the 2015 SEC Softball Community Service Team.
- Nickie Blue claimed the SEC Pitcher of the Week honor on March 16, 2015.

GAMECOCKS OFF THE DIAMOND

- The 2015 Gamecocks posted the team's best GPA at 3.442.
- Thirteen Gamecocks garnered NFCA Scholar-Athlete honors in 2014-15, the most under in the past five seasons.
- Victoria Williams became the 16th Gamecock selection to CoSIDA's Academic All-District team with her pick last year.
- Off the 2015 roster with 22 students, 19 Gamecocks earned SEC Academic Honor Roll nods last year.
- Sophomore Jordyn Augustus is one of 15 South Carolina students on the Columbia campus selected to participate in the Carolina Leadership Initiative for this academic year.
- Many Gamecocks have been on mission trips during their summers, including Augustus, Effie Manahan and Macey Webb.
- The softball team has won the department's Community Outreach Team of the Year twice under Bev Smith in 2011 and 2013.
- Gamecock signees Mackenzie Boesel, Cayla Drotar and Alexis Lindsey, during their official visit this fall, joined the team and community helping Columbia recover from the historic floods that devastated the Midlands in early October.

THIS IS HOW TOUGH 2015 WAS (ESPECIALLY IN THE SEC)

- The Gamecocks played 30 games against teams who made the 2015 NCAA Tournament, with SC going 13-17 in those games.
- The Gamecocks went 22-19 against teams with RPI marks in the top 100, including five wins over top-25 squads (Cal at 20, two vs. Tennessee at 9, two at Kentucky at 25).
- A total of 41 of the Gamecocks' scheduled games came against teams that finished in the top 100 of the NCAA's Ratings Percentage Index last year. Of those, 26 were against RPI top-50 teams.
- This year, South Carolina faced regular-season champs from the SEC (Florida), ACC (Florida State), American (UCF), Conference USA (Western Kentucky), Atlantic Sun (USC Upstate) and Big South (Longwood) as well as the tourney champs of the Sun Belt (South Alabama).

**SC IN THE NCAA STATS
(as of Feb. 21, 2016)**

OFFENSIVE CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Batting Average	.346	30th
Slugging Percentage	.531	28th
Scoring	6.44	38th
Doubles Per Game	1.78	25th
Triples Per Game	0.11	128th
Home Runs Per Game	0.89	55th
Stolen Bases Per Game	1.33	70th
PITCHING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Earned Run Average	2.33	51st
FIELDING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Fielding Percentage	.979	21st
Double Plays Per Game	0.33	91st
OFFENSIVE CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
On-Base Percentage		
Kennedy Clark	.576	83rd
Slugging Percentage		
Kennedy Clark	.870	65th
Victoria Williams	.792	105th
Runs Per Game		
Alaynie Page	1.11	76th
Doubles Per Game		
Victoria Williams	0.67	4th
Kaylea Snaer	0.56	19th
Triples Per Game		
Tiara Duffy	0.13	93rd
Home Runs		
Kennedy Clark	3	40th
Home Runs Per Game		
Kennedy Clark	0.33	56th
RBI Per Game		
Kennedy Clark	1.11	109th
Alaynie Page	1.11	109th
Hit by Pitch Per Game		
Kenzi Maguire	0.63	7th
Jordan Bizzell	0.44	28th
Kennedy Clark	0.44	28th
Sacrifice Hits Per Game		
Ansley Ard	0.25	108th
Sacrifice Flies		
Alaynie Page	2	3rd
Jordan Bizzell	1	43rd
Kennedy Clark	1	43rd
Kaylea Snaer	1	43rd
Stolen Bases Per Game		
Alaynie Page	0.56	66th
PITCHING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Earned Run Average		
Jessica Elliott	0.89	51st
Saves		
Nickie Blue	2	1st
Jessica Elliott	1	17th
Strikeouts per 7 Innings		
Nickie Blue	6.3	149th
Hits Allowed per 7 Innings		
Jessica Elliott	4.14	47th
Wins		
Jessica Elliott	5	8th

CAREER START BY POSITION MATRIX (EXCLUDING PITCHERS)

	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DP
Ard	-	-	-	-	-	17	16	37	12
Bizzell	7	-	-	39	-	-	-	-	12
Clark	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	-
Duffy	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	7
Hull	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mack	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Maguire	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-
Masters	-	-	66	37	-	-	-	-	-
Page	-	-	-	-	-	167	-	-	-
Snaer	-	115	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Watts	-	-	-	5	22	-	-	-	-
White	-	-	-	-	39	-	-	-	-
T. Williams	-	-	-	41	-	-	-	-	-
V. Williams	-	9	-	9	-	-	-	24	62

CAREER START BY BATTING ORDER MATRIX

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ard	2	11	-	-	2	12	8	4	42
Bizzell	-	19	2	-	9	8	7	12	2
Blue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Clark	2	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Duffy	-	4	-	-	-	4	1	-	5
Hull	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Mack	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Maguire	-	5	2	-	-	1	-	-	-
Masters	-	29	8	-	29	20	10	2	5
Page	67	74	2	-	-	2	3	13	6
Snaer	-	-	22	63	20	5	6	-	-
Watts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	13
White	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	14
T. Williams	-	-	-	1	1	6	24	7	2
V. Williams	-	-	48	20	21	7	7	1	-

18 NCAA TOURNAMENT BIDS ♦ EIGHT WOMEN'S COLLEGE WORLD SERIES APPEARANCES

GAMECOCKS IN SOUTH CAROLINA'S CAREER TOP-20 OFFENSIVE LISTS

HITTING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Batting Average (Min. 250 AB)		
Ansley Ard	.336	9th
Victoria Williams	.317	12th
Alaynie Page	.313	14th
On-Base Percentage (Min. 250 AB)		
Alaynie Page	.424	5th
Victoria Williams	.423	6th
Kaylea Snaer	.399	11th
Ansley Ard	.385	12th
Lauren Masters	.368	18th
Runs		
Alaynie Page	142	7th
Runs Per Game (Min. 60 Runs)		
Alaynie Page	0.79	2nd
Ansley Ard	0.47	16th
Hits Per Game (Min. 100 Hits)		
Alaynie Page	0.89	15th
Doubles Per Game (Min. 20 Doubles)		
Kaylea Snaer	0.18	10th
Victoria Williams	0.18	12th
Alaynie Page	0.15	18th
Triples		
Alaynie Page	9	T-11th
Triples Per Game (Min. 7 Triples)		
Alaynie Page	0.05	T-8th
Home Runs		
Alaynie Page	26	2nd
Kaylea Snaer	15	T-11th
Home Runs Per Game (Min. 8 Home Runs)		
Alaynie Page	0.14	3rd
Kaylea Snaer	0.13	4th
Taylor Williams	0.11	6th
Victoria Williams	0.08	15th
Total Bases		
Alaynie Page	285	11th
Slugging Percentage (Min. 250 AB)		
Alaynie Page	.553	4th
Kaylea Snaer	.502	10th
Victoria Williams	.486	12th
Ansley Ard	.438	T-18th
RBI		
Alaynie Page	103	11th
RBI Per Game (Min. 60 RBI)		
Kaylea Snaer	0.66	2nd
Victoria Williams	0.61	4th
Alaynie Page	0.57	7th
Walks		
Alaynie Page	83	4th
Kaylea Snaer	65	8th
Walks Per Game (Min. 40 BB)		
Kaylea Snaer	0.56	1st
Alaynie Page	0.46	3rd
Victoria Williams	0.37	7th
Lauren Masters	0.35	9th
Hit by Pitches		
Alaynie Page	20	T-2nd
Jordan Bizzell	20	T-2nd
Lauren Masters	13	T-9th
Victoria Williams	11	T-15th
Sacrifice Flies		
Kaylea Snaer	6	T-11th
Alaynie Page	4	T-18th
Stolen Bases		
Alaynie Page	36	8th
Ansley Ard	24	18th
Stolen Bases Per Game (Min. 20 SB)		
Alaynie Page	0.22	5th
Ansley Ard	0.17	11th
Stolen Base Percentage (Min. 25 SBA)		
Alaynie Page	.909 (40-44)	6th
Ansley Ard	.774 (24-31)	19th

WHERE THEY GO NEXT ON CAREER CHARTS

- Alaynie Page's next triple ties her for eighth in program history with three others.
- Kaylea Snaer needs two long balls to tie for ninth with two others, while two more for Victoria Williams ties her for 20th with five others.
- Eleven total bases for Page ties her with Samie Garcia (2011-13) for 10th on that listing.
- Page is three RBI from tying Ashley Smith (2003-93) in 10th in SC history, while six join her with Meghan Cornett (2002-05) in ninth.
- The next HBP for Lauren Masters ties her for eighth with former teammate Kristen Struett (2012-15).
- Snaer's next sacrifice fly joins her with three others in a tie for eighth.
- One stolen base for Page ties her with Marianne DiRupo (1986-89) in seventh, while Ansley Ard ties her with Kendra McCutcheon (1996-2000) in 17th.
- Nickie Blue is 12 innings shy of tying Melissa Hendon (2007-08) in 14th.
- Two wins ties Blue with Melanie Henkes (2003-06) for 11th on that chart.
- Four more appearances ties Blue with Aleca Johnson (2002-05) for 12th at South Carolina.
- With two more solo shutouts, Blue ties three others for 13th.
- With 21 strikeouts, Blue matches Audrey Broyles (2009-13) for 11th on the career K's list.

GAMECOCKS IN SOUTH CAROLINA'S CAREER TOP-15 PITCHING LISTS

PITCHING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank	PITCHING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Innings Pitched			Strikeouts Per 7 Innings Pitched (Min. 250 IP)		
Nickie Blue	405.0	15th	Nickie Blue	5.32	8th
Earned Run Average (Min. 250 IP)			Hits Per 7 Innings Pitched (Min. 250 IP)		
Nickie Blue	2.42	15th	Nickie Blue	6.23	14th
Wins			Relief Appearances		
Nickie Blue	41	12th	Nickie Blue	40	6th
Winning Percentage			Saves		
Nickie Blue	.672 (41-20)	11th	Nickie Blue	13	3rd
Appearances			Wild Pitches		
Nickie Blue	94	T-13th	Nickie Blue	27	T-5th
Strikeouts			Hit Batters		
Nickie Blue	308	12th	Nickie Blue	27	7th

2015 WIN-LOSS SUMMARY

Total	8-1
Conference	-
Non-Conference	8-1
Postseason	-
Home	5-0
Away	1-0
Neutral	2-1
vs. Ranked Opponents (NFCA)	1-0
vs. RPI Top 50 (current)	-
vs. RPI Top 100 (current)	-
vs. 2015 NCAA Tournament teams	3-1
on TV	-
on SEC Network +	5-0
vs. South Carolina teams	1-0
February	8-1
March	-
April	-
May	-
Day	7-1
Night	1-0
vs Left	2-0
vs Right	6-1
1-Run games	-
2-Run games	1-0
5+ Run games	6-1
Extra inns	-
Shutouts	4-0
Scoring 0-2 runs	1-0
Scoring 3-5 runs	1-1
Scoring 6-9 runs	5-0
Scoring 10+ runs	1-0
Opponent 0-2 runs	7-0
Opponent 3-5 runs	1-0
Opponent 6-9 runs	0-0
Opponent 10+ runs	0-1
Scored in 1st inning	5-0
Opp. scored in 1st inning	1-1
Scores first	6-0
Opp. scores first	2-1
After 4 leading	8-0
After 4 trailing	0-1
After 4 tied	0-0
After 5 leading	6-0
After 5 trailing	0-0
After 5 tied	0-0
After 6 leading	4-0
After 6 trailing	0-0
After 6 tied	0-0
Hit 0 home runs	3-1
Hit 1 home run	4-0
Hit 2+ home runs	1-0
Opponent 0 home runs	8-0
Opponent 1 home run	0-0
Opponent 2+ home runs	0-1
Made 0 errors	5-0
Made 1 error	3-0
Made 2+ errors	0-1
Opp. made 0 errors	1-0
Opp. made 1 error	2-0
Opp. made 2+ errors	5-1
Out-hit opponent	7-0
Out-hit by opponent	1-1
Hits are tied	0-0
Largest margin of victory	8 (4x, last Winthrop 2/21)
Biggest deficit overcome	1, (1-0 twice, last vs. UNCG 2/19)
Shortest game	W vs. North Carolina (2/17), 1:45
Longest game	L vs. No. 2/2 Michigan (2/12), 2:25

NATIONAL RANKINGS - WEEK 1

USA TODAY/NFCA

Rk	Team	Record	Points	Pre.
1	Florida (31)	4-0	799	1
2	Michigan	4-1	746	2
3	Auburn (1)	5-0	733	4
4	LSU	4-1	675	3
5	Alabama	4-1	662	5
6	Oregon	5-1	643	6
7	Louisiana Lafayette	5-0	563	11
8	UCLA	4-1	555	7
9	Arizona	6-0	479	13
10	Georgia	4-0	472	12
11	Washington	4-0	463	20
12	Tennessee	4-2	430	8
13	Florida State	4-1	411	10
14	Oklahoma	3-2	406	9
15	UCF	4-1	351	17
16	Missouri	0-0	302	15
17	Arizona State	6-0	291	22
18	Kentucky	3-1	266	18
19	James Madison	4-1	259	19
20	Minnesota	3-2	243	20
21	Baylor	2-1	143	16
22	California	3-1	121	21
23	South Alabama	5-0	101	25
24	Fresno State	5-0	83	RV
25	Texas A&M	4-1	76	RV

RV: Texas (48), Notre Dame (33), Nebraska (13), Florida Atlantic (13), Mississippi State (10), NC State (4), Long Beach State (3), North Dakota State (1), North Carolina (1), Oregon State (1).

ESPN.COM/USA SOFTBALL

Rk	Team	Record	Points	Pre.
1.	Florida (19)	4-0	499	1
2.	Michigan	4-1	470	2
3.	Auburn	5-0	452	6
4.	LSU	4-1	423	3
5.	Oregon	5-1	422	4
6.	Alabama	4-1	401	5
7.	UCLA	4-1	357	7
8.	Louisiana-Lafayette	5-0	335	11
9.	Washington (1)	4-0	290	19
10.	Arizona	6-0	269	15
10.	Oklahoma	3-2	269	8
12.	Georgia	4-0	261	14
13.	Missouri	0-0	258	12
14.	Tennessee	4-2	255	9
15.	Florida State	4-1	247	10
16.	UCF	4-1	218	17
17.	Arizona State	6-0	194	20
18.	Minnesota	3-2	181	13
19.	Kentucky	3-1	156	18
20.	James Madison	4-1	130	21
21.	Baylor	2-1	112	16
22.	Fresno State	5-0	82	RV
23.	Texas A&M	4-1	75	24
24.	Texas	5-0	54	RV
25.	California	3-1	45	22

RV: South Alabama (12), Utah (12), Mississippi State (6), USC Upstate (5), NC State (4), Ohio State (4), Long Beach State (1), Texas State (1)

Note: SC opponents in *italics*

MISCELLANEOUS BATTING STATS

HITTING STREAKS

	LONG '16	CURRENT	CAREER	LONG
Victoria Williams	7	7		7
Kenzi Maguire	6	-		6
Alaynie Page	6	6		14
Alexis Mack	5	5		5
Ansley Ard	3	3		6
Tiara Duffy	3	2		5
Lauren Masters	3	-		5
Kennedy Clark	3	-		3
Krystan White	2	2		5
Kaylea Snaer	2	2		9
Jordan Bizzell	1	1		7
Taylor Williams	1	1		4
Lex Hull	1	1		1
Kamryn Watts	1	-		1
Effie Manahan	-	-		2
Nickie Blue	-	-		1
Macey Webb	-	-		1

REACHED BASE STREAKS

	LONG '16	CURRENT	CAREER	LONG
Victoria Williams	8	8		10
Kenzi Maguire	7	-		7
Alaynie Page	6	6		21
Tiara Duffy	6	6		6
Alexis Mack	5	5		5
Lauren Masters	5	-		14
Taylor Williams	4	4		11
Kennedy Clark	4	4		4
Jordan Bizzell	4	2		8
Kaylea Snaer	4	2		16
Ansley Ard	3	3		8
Krystan White	2	2		5
Effie Manahan	1	2		2
Lex Hull	1	1		1
Kamryn Watts	1	-		2
Nickie Blue	-	1		1
Jordyn Augustus	-	-		1
Macey Webb	-	-		1

PITCHES SEEN PER PLATE APPEARANCE

	PA	NP	Avg.
Ansley Ard	17	64	3.76
Jordyn Augustus	1	2	2.00
Jordan Bizzell	22	90	4.09
Kennedy Clark	33	146	4.42
Tiara Duffy	16	54	3.38
Lex Hull	7	32	4.57
Alexis Mack	14	47	3.36
Kenzi Maguire	29	97	3.34
Effie Manahan	1	1	1.00
Lauren Masters	17	70	4.12
Alaynie Page	35	140	4.00
Kaylea Snaer	29	104	3.59
Kamryn Watts	14	52	3.71
Macey Webb	4	18	4.50
Krystan White	5	13	2.60
Taylor Williams	13	51	3.92
Victoria Williams	29	107	3.69

PITCHES THROWN PER PLATE APPEARANCE

	BF	NP	Avg.
Nickie Blue	125	493	3.94
Hayley Copeland	18	92	5.11
Jessica Elliott	94	334	3.55

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THE LAST TIMES

TEAM

Wins

Had a 10+ game winning streak	10 (2/15-27/2014)
Had a 11+ game winning streak	38 (2/22-4/5/1997)*
Won an extra-inning game	No. 14 Kentucky-2 (4/18/2015)
Defeated a top-5 team	at No. 3 Arizona State (2/27/2014)
Defeated a top-10 team	No. 9 Tennessee (3/14/2015)
Defeated a ranked team on the road	at No. 14 Kentucky-2 (4/18/2015)
Won an SEC series from a top-5 team	No. 4 Alabama (won 2, 4/10-11/2009)
Won an SEC series from a top-10 team	No. 9 Tennessee (won 2, 3/13-15/2015)
Won an SEC road series from a top-25 team	No. 14 Kentucky (won 2, 4/17-18/2015)
Swept an SEC series	vs. Mississippi (3/29-30/2014)
Swept an SEC series on the road	at Mississippi State (4/26-28/2013)
Overcame a deficit of four or more runs	4-0 vs. Tennessee (3/14/2015)

Batting

Scored 10+ runs	11, vs. UNC Greensboro (2/19/2016)
Scored 15+ runs	15, at UNC Wilmington (3/31/2015)
Scored 16+ runs	17, vs. Delaware State (2/7/2015)
Scored 20+ runs	29, vs. Alabama State (3/2/2013)
Scored 30+ runs	32, vs. Allen (1977)
Scored 40+ runs	41, vs. Coker (4/22/1975)
Was no hit	at North Carolina (3/21/2012)
Recorded 10+ hits	11, vs. Winthrop (2/21/2016)
Recorded 13 hits	13, vs. Mississippi State (5/1/2015)
Recorded 14 hits	14, at Kentucky-2 (4/18/2015)
Recorded 15 hits	15, at UNC Wilmington (3/31/2015)
Recorded 17 hits	17, vs. Delaware State (2/7/2015)
Recorded 20 hits	20, vs. Alabama State (3/2/2013)
Hit 3+ doubles	3, vs. Winthrop (2/21/2016)
Hit 5+ doubles	5, vs. UNC Greensboro (2/19/2016)
Hit 8 doubles	vs. Alabama State (3/2/2013)
Hit 11 doubles	vs. Coppin State (3/31/1996)
Hit two triples	vs. Maine (3/2/2012)
Hit four triples	vs. Indiana (3/12/1994)
Hit 4+ home runs	4, vs. Ohio (2/20/2016)
Hit 6 home runs	vs. Liberty (3/5/2015)
Hit back-to-back home runs	Mooney & T. Williams vs. Mississippi State (5/3/2015)
Hit three HRs to start innings in a game	vs. Tennessee (3/13/2015)
Had two players hit 2 HR in a game	Jennings and Curtis vs. Charlotte (2/7/2004)
Stole five bases	at UNC Wilmington (3/31/2015)
Stole six bases	at Furman (3/13/2013)
Drew five walks	vs. UCF (5/16/2015)
Drew eight walks	at UNC Wilmington (3/31/2015)
Drew 10 walks	vs. Charleston Southern (4/1/2014)
Hit by 3+ pitches	3, vs. Winthrop (2/21/2016)
Hit by six pitches	vs. UNC Greensboro (2/19/2016)
Did not strike out	vs. Florida (5/7/2015)
Struck out 10+ times	10 vs. Virginia Tech (2/13/2016)
Struck out 15 times	15 at Kentucky-2 (in 11 innings) (4/18/2015)

Pitching

Threw a perfect game	Melissa Hendon vs. Pittsburgh (3/4/2007)
Threw a no-hitter	Julie Sarratt vs. Coastal Carolina (2/12/2011)
Threw a one-hitter	vs. North Carolina (2/17/2016)
Threw a two-hitter	vs. Illinois State (2/14/2016)
Struck out 12+ batters	12, vs. Marshall (2/28/2015)
Did not walk a batter in the game	vs. Ohio (2/20/2016)
Allowed 15+ runs	15, vs. Michigan (2/12/2016)
Allowed 17+ runs	19, at Florida-1 (4/4/2015)
Allowed 20 runs	20, at Florida (5/8/2010)
Allowed 21+ runs	21, at Alabama (3/21/2010)
Allowed 10+ hits	10, vs. Michigan (2/12/2016)
Allowed 15+ hits	17, at Florida-2 (4/4/2015)
Allowed 20+ hits	21, at Florida (5/8/2010)
Allowed four home runs	vs. Georgia (4/13/2013)
Allowed five home runs	vs. Alabama (4/15/2012)
Walked 11 batters	at Florida (4/4/2015)
Hit two batters	vs. UCF (5/15/2015)
Hit four batters	at Florida (4/3/2015)

Fielding

Did not commit an error	vs. Winthrop (2/21/2016)
Did not commit an error in a three-game SEC series	vs. Tennessee (3/13-15/2015)
Committed three errors	vs. UCF (5/15/2015)
Committed four errors	vs. California (2/21/2015)
Committed five errors	at Arkansas (4/11/2014)
Committed seven errors	vs. DePaul (3/5/2010)
Turned two double plays in a game	vs. Mississippi State (5/2/2015)
Turned four double plays in a game	at Florida Atlantic (2/16/2014)

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INDIVIDUAL

Batting

Had six at bats	Lauren Masters and three others at Kentucky-2 (4/18/2005)
Had seven at bats	Lindi James vs. UCLA (5/28/1983)
Had four hits	Alaynie Page vs. Mississippi State (5/1/2015)
Had five hits	Sky Brown vs. Coppin State (3/31/1996)
Scored four runs	Jordan Bizzell at UNC Wilmington (3/31/2015)
Scored five runs	Olivia Lawrence vs. Alabama State (3/2/2013)
Hit two doubles	Kaylea Snaer & Victoria Williams vs. UNC Greensboro (2/19/2016)
Hit three doubles	Evan Childs vs. Longwood (2/16/2010)
Hit two triples	Jessica Josker vs. Southeastern Louisiana (2/19/2005)
Hit two home runs	Kennedy Clark vs. Ohio (2/20/2016)
Hit a grand slam	Olivia Lawrefnce vs. Liberty (3/5/2015)
Hit an inside-the-park home run	Alaynie Page vs. College of Charleston (2/14/2015)
Led off a game with a home run	Alaynie Page at Texas A&M (3/20/2015)
Hit a pinch-hit home run	grand slam, Ansley Ard vs. Charleston Southern (2/24/2013)
Hit a walk-off game-winning home run	Kaylea Snaer vs. Furman (3/25/2015)
Collected nine total bases	Alaynie Page vs. Mississippi State (5/1/2015)
Collected 10 total bases	Chelsea Hawkins vs. Kennesaw State (3/2/2013)
Had two extra-base hits	2 HR for Kennedy Clark vs. Ohio (2/20/2016)
Had three extra-base hits	1 2B, 2 HR for Chelsea Hawkins vs. Alabama State (3/2/2013)
Had one double and one triple	Kaylea Snaer vs. Mississippi State (5/3/2015)
Had one double and one HR	Kaylea Snaer vs. Mississippi State (5/2/2015)
Had one triple and one HR	Alaynie Page vs. Mississippi State (5/1/2015)
Had one double, one triple and one HR	Laura Mendes at Winthrop (3/2/2011)
Hit for the cycle	Tina Plew vs. Georgia State (2/25/1996)
Had five RBI	Krystan White vs. Winthrop (2/21/2016)
Had six RBI	Alaynie Page vs. Delaware State (2/7/2015)
Had eight RBI	Sky Brown vs. Coppin State (3/31/1996)
Drew three walks	Jordan Bizzell vs. Delaware State (2/7/2015)
Drew four walks	Samantha Jennings vs. Mississippi State (3/16/2002)
Drew two intentional walks	Kaylea Snaer vs. Arkansas (4/11/2015)
Hit by two pitches	Kennedy Clark vs. Winthrop (2/21/2016)
Hit by three pitches	Alaynie Page vs. Florida (5/4/2013)
Hit two sacrifice flies	Dana Hathorn vs. LIU Brooklyn (2/14/2014)
Had two sacrifice bunts	Kaitlin Westfall at Mississippi (5/6/2012)
Had three sacrifice bunts	Lindsay Walker at Kentucky (3/29/2008)
Stole two bases	Jordan Bizzell at UNC Wilmington (3/31/2015)
Stole four bases	Tiff Tootle vs. Wright State (3/22/1992)

Pitching

Threw a perfect game	Melissa Hendon vs. Pittsburgh (3/4/2007)
Threw a no-hitter	Julie Sarratt vs. Coastal Carolina (2/12/2011)
Threw a one-hitter	Nickie Blue vs. USC Upstate (4/7/2015)
Threw a two-hitter	Julie Sarratt at Mississippi (4/24-25/2015)
Pitched 8+ innings	8.0, Nickie Blue at Kentucky-2 (4/18/2015)
Pitched 9+ innings	9.2, Nickie Blue vs. Florida State (2/19/2015)
Pitched 10+ innings	10.0, Christine Hamilton vs. Mississippi (4/22/2006)
Pitched 11+ innings	11.0, Megan Matthews vs. Alabama (4/29/2001)
Pitched 12+ innings	12.0, Megan Matthews vs. Arkansas (4/15/2000)
Did not walk a batter in a CG	Julie Sarratt vs. Dartmouth (5/16/2015)
Struck out 12 batters	Nicke Blue vs. Marshall (2/28/2015)
Struck out 14 batters	Audrey Broyles vs. College of Charleston (2/7/2009)
Struck out 15 batters	Melissa Hendon vs. College of Charleston (2/22/2007)
Struck out 17 batters	Megan Matthews vs. Pittsburgh (3/6/2001)
Struck out 18 batters	Trinity Johnson vs. Nicholls State (4/14/1995)
Struck out 19 batters	Trinity Johnson vs. Indiana (8 inn.) (3/7/1997)
Struck out 22 batters	Darlene Lowery vs. Indiana (10 inn.) (3/23/1985)
Allowed three home runs	Audrey Broyles vs. Georgia (4/13/2013)
Allowed four home runs	Audrey Broyles vs. Arkansas (3/9/2012)
Allowed five home runs	Kierstyn White at Alabama (3/21/2010)
Walked seven batters	Nickie Blue vs. Texas A&M (5/6/2015)
Walked nine batters	Jessica Barnes vs. Kentucky (3/19/2006)
Hit two batters	Nickie Blue vs. UCF (5/15/2015)
Hit three batters	Nickie Blue at Florida (4/3/2015)
Had four wild pitches	Hayley Copeland (2/21/2016)
Had five wild pitches	Kierstyn White at Georgia (4/25/2010)

Fielding

Had 15 putouts	Kaylea Snaer at Kentucky-2 (4/18/2014)
Had 19 putouts	McKenna Hughes at Florida Atlantic (2/10/2007)
Had seven assists	Krystan White vs. Mississippi State (5/3/2015)
Had eight assists	Lindsay Walker vs. Florida (4/24/2007)
Had nine assists	Chrissy Schoonmaker vs. Georgia (4/7/2004)
Had an outfield assist	Tiara Duffy vs. Winthrop (2/21/2016)
Had two outfield assists	Alaynie Page vs. Northwestern (2/22/2015)
Committed three errors	Jordan Bizzell vs. Northwestern (2/22/2015)
Committed four errors	Lindsay Walker vs. DePaul (3/5/2010)
Had two passed balls	Shelby Gonzales vs. Florida (5/4/2013)
Had three passed balls	Ashley Smith at Kentucky (4/5/2003)

GAMECOCK SEASON TOP FIVES IN TEAM CATEGORIES

TEAM

Wins		
Year	W	L
1. 1997	63	49
2. 1992	54	49
3. 1995	53	49
4. 1994	52	49
5. 1999	49	49
1991	49	49

Winning Percentage		
Year	W-L	Pct.
1. 1997	63-5	.926
2. 1976	21-2	.913
3. 1980	28-6	.824
4. 1991	51-13	.797
5. 1989	46-12	.793

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At Bats	
Year	AB
1. 1995	1955
2. 1992	1912
3. 1994	1828
4. 2000	1814
5. 1997	1791

Batting Average			
Year	AB	H	Avg.
1. 1996	1414	441	.312
2. 2013	1596	481	.301
3. 1992	1912	571	.299
4. 1997	1791	530	.296
5. 2015	1598	470	.294

On-Base Percentage	
Year	OB%
1. 2015	.391
2. 2014	.385
3. 2013	.384
4. 1995	.367
5. 2012	.367

Runs	
Year	R
1. 2013	338
2. 1992	329
3. 1994	327
4. 1995	315
5. 2015 & 2014	312

Runs Per Game			
Year	GP	R	R/G
1. 2013	59	338	5.73
2. 2014	58	312	5.38
3. 1996	51	274	5.37
4. 2015	60	312	5.20
5. 1988	61	299	4.90

Hits	
Year	H
1. 1992	571
2. 1995	531
3. 1997	530
4. 1994	517
5. 1991	495

Hits Per Game			
Year	GP	H	H/G
1. 1996	51	441	8.65
2. 1992	68	571	8.40
3. 2013	59	481	8.15
4. 1988	61	494	8.10
5. 1993	58	465	8.02

Doubles		
Year	2B	BB
1. 1995	86	210
2. 2014	82	204
2013	82	173
2003	82	164
5. 2002	80	155

Doubles Per Game				
Year	GP	2B	2B/G	BB/G
1. 1996	51	76	1.49	3.62
2. 2014	58	82	1.41	3.40
3. 2013	59	82	1.39	2.78
4. 2003	61	63	1.34	2.54
5. 2012	55	72	1.31	2.49

Triples		
Year	3B	HBP
1. 1994	42	60
2. 1988	33	58
3. 1992	29	46
4. 1995	24	39
1990	24	37

Triples Per Game				
Year	GP	3B	3B/G	SH
1. 1994*	69	43	0.61	91
2. 1988	61	33	0.54	84
3. 1992	68	29	0.43	82
4. 1990	63	24	0.38	79
5. 1993	58	22	0.38	77

Home Runs		
Year	HR	SF
1. 2015	60	26
2. 2014	53	22
3. 2013	45	17
4. 2012	42	16
5. 2003	38	15

Home Runs Per Game				
Year	GP	HR	HR/G	SF
1. 2015	60	60	1.00	26
2. 2014	58	53	0.91	22
3. 2012	55	42	0.76	17
4. 2013	59	45	0.76	16
5. 2004	52	35	0.67	15

Total Bases						
Year	H	2B	3B	HR	TB	SB
1. 1994	517	77	42	28	762	87
2. 2015	470	74	16	60	756	79
3. 1995	531	86	24	21	740	79
1992	571	72	29	13	740	75
5. 2013	481	82	10	45	718	69

Slugging Percentage				
Year	AB	TB	Slug.	SB%
1. 2015	1598	756	.473	.952
2. 2014	1453	674	.464	.946
3. 2013	1596	718	.450	.934
4. 2012	1412	626	.443	.926
5. 1994	1828	762	.417	.926

Runs Batted In		
Year	RBI	SB
1. 2013	295	87
2. 2015	288	79
3. 2014	275	79
4. 1988	257	75
5. 1992	253	69

RBI Per Game				
Year	GP	RBI	RBI/G	SB%
1. 2013	59	295	5.00	.952
2. 2015	60	288	4.80	.946
3. 2014	58	275	4.74	.934
4. 1996	51	231	4.53	.926
5. 1988	61	257	4.21	.926

Walks		
Year	BB	BB/G
1. 2014	210	3.62
2. 2015	204	3.40
3. 1992	173	2.78
4. 2013	164	2.54
5. 2000	155	2.49

Walks Per Game			
Year	GP	BB	BB/G
1. 2014	58	210	3.62
2. 2015	60	204	3.40
3. 2013	59	164	2.78
4. 1992	68	173	2.54
5. 2012	55	137	2.49

Hit By Pitch		
Year	HBP	SH
1. 2013	60	91
2. 2015	58	84
3. 2014	46	82
4. 2012	39	79
5. 2011	37	77

Sacrifice Hits		
Year	SH	SF
1. 1997	91	26
2. 2000	84	22
3. 1985	82	17
4. 1983	79	16
5. 1987 & 1999	77	15

Sacrifice Flies			
Year	SF	SO	SO/7
1. 1995	26	356	8.24
2. 1994	22	333	8.00
3. 1997	17	331	7.88
4. 1988	16	327	7.42
5. 2013 & 2014	15	306	7.37

Strikeouts			
Year	SO	SO/BB	SO/7
1. 2007	356	8.53	8.24
2. 2005	333	6.17	8.00
3. 2006	331	6.15	7.88
4. 2004	327	6.15	7.42
5. 2010	306	5.39	7.37

Stolen Bases			
Year	SB	SB%	SB/7
1. 1995	87	.952	2.77
2. 2011	79	.946	3.18
1992	79	.934	3.28
4. 1994	75	.926	3.30
5. 2013	69	.926	3.48

Stolen Bases Percentage			
Year	SB	Att	SB%
1. 1992	79	83	.952
2. 1990	35	37	.946
3. 1993	57	61	.934
4. 2004	25	27	.926
1984	25	27	.926

Fielding Percentage			
Year	Fld%	IP	WHIP
1. 1989	.978	464.0	0.59
2. 2007	.976	301.0	0.63
3. 2003	.972	333.0	0.65
4. 1999	.970	344.0	0.69
5. 2002	.968	422.2	0.70
1985	.968	422.2	0.70

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Innings Pitched		
Year	IP	ERA
1. 1995	506.0	0.49
2. 1999	484.0	0.54*
3. 2000	470.1	0.57
4. 1997	464.0	0.68
1994	464.0	0.78

Earned Run Average		
Year	ERA	SHO
1. 1983	0.49	36
2. 1997	0.54*	30
3. 1987	0.57	28
4. 1988	0.68	25
5. 1985	0.78	24

Shutouts			
Year	SHO	SO	SO/7
1. 1997	36	546	8.24
2. 1988	30	536	8.00
3. 1991	28	455	7.88
4. 1992	25	442	7.42
5. 2001	24	424	7.37

Strikeouts			
Year	SO	IP	SO/7
1. 1997	546	464.0	8.24
2. 1995	536	344.0	8.00
3. 1999	455	333.0	7.88
4. 2007	442	506.0	7.42
5. 2001	424	338.0	7.37

Strikeouts Per 7 Innings Pitched			
Year	SO	IP	SO/7
1. 1997	546	464.0	8.24
2. 1987	393	344.0	8.00
3. 1985	375	333.0	7.88
4. 1995	536	506.0	7.42
5. 1996	356	338.0	7.37

Strikeout to Walk Ratio			
Year	SO	BB	SO/BB
1. 1997	546	64	8.53
2. 1983	296	48	6.17
3. 1985	375	61	6.15
4. 2001	424	69	6.15
5. 1996	356	66	5.39

Fewest Hits Per 7 Innings Pitched			
Year	H	IP	H/7
1. 1987	136	344.0	2.77
2. 1997	211	464.0	3.18
3. 1985	156	333.0	3.28
4. 1983	142	301.0	3.30
5. 1988	210	422.2	3.48

Fewest Walks Per 7 Innings Pitched			
Year	BB	IP	BB/7
1. 1990	57	440.0	0.91
2. 1997	64	464.0	0.97
3. 1991	64	430.0	1.04
4. 1989	60	405.2	1.04
5. 2001	69	435.1	1.11

Walks/Hits Per Innings Pitched			
Year	IP	WHIP	Saves
1. 1997	464.0	0.59	12
2. 1983	301.0	0.63	11
3. 1985	333.0	0.65	4
4. 1987	344.0	0.69	Four times with
5. 1988	422.2	0.70	7

Saves		
Year	SV	WHIP
1. 1999	12	0.59
2. 2014	11	0.63
3. Four times with	7	0.65

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GAME-BY-GAME GAMECOCK LINEUP BY POSITION

Date	Opponent	W/L	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DP	P
2/12	vs. No. 2/2 Michigan	L	Bizzell	Snaer	Masters	T. Williams	Maguire	Page	Ard	Clark	V. Williams	Blue
2/12	at USF	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Masters	Watts	Maguire	Page	Ard	Clark	V. Williams	Elliott
2/13	vs. Virginia Tech	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Mack	T. Williams	Maguire	Page	Ard	Clark	V. Williams	Elliott
2/14	vs. Illinois State	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Masters	Watts	Maguire	Page	Clark	Duffy	V. Williams	Blue
2/17	North Carolina	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Masters	Watts	Maguire	Page	Ard	Clark	V. Williams	Elliott
2/19	UNC Greensboro	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Masters	T. Williams	Maguire	Page	Clark	Duffy	V. Williams	Blue
2/20	Ohio	W	Hull	Snaer	Mack	Watts	Maguire	Page	Ard	Clark	V. Williams	Elliott
2/21	Longwood	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Masters	T. Williams	Maguire	Page	Ard	Clark	V. Williams	Blue
2/21	Winthrop	W	Hull	Snaer	Mack	Watts	White	Page	Clark	Duffy	V. Williams	Elliott
2/23	Coastal Carolina											
2/26	at UC Santa Barbara											
2/26	vs. Southern Utah											
2/27	at UC Santa Barbara											
2/27	vs. Southern Utah											
2/28	vs. Georgia Tech											
3/1	Western Carolina											
3/1	Western Carolina											
3/4	Kennesaw State											
3/5	Michigan State											
3/5	Connecticut											
3/6	TBD											
3/8	SIU-Edwardsville											
3/11	Kentucky											
3/12	Kentucky											
3/13	Kentucky											
3/16	Buffalo											
3/16	Buffalo											
3/19	Georgia											
3/20	Georgia											
3/21	Georgia											
3/23	Charleston Southern											
3/25	at Auburn											
3/26	at Auburn											
3/27	at Auburn											
3/30	at Charlotte											
4/2	Troy											
4/3	Troy											
4/5	UNC Wilmington											
4/8	at Arkansas											
4/9	at Arkansas											
4/10	at Arkansas											
4/12	at USC Upstate											
4/15	Mississippi											
4/16	Mississippi											
4/17	Mississippi											
4/19	Georgia Southern											
4/22	at LSU											
4/23	at LSU											
4/24	at LSU											
4/26	Furman											
4/29	Alabama											
4/30	Alabama											
5/1	Alabama											
5/6	at Missouri											
5/7	at Missouri											
5/8	at Missouri											

GAMECOCK LINEUP BY POSITION (CAREER)

C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DP	P
Bizzell 7	Snaer 115	Masters 66	Bizzell 39	White 39	Page 167	Ard 16	Ard 37	V. Williams 62	Blue 54
Hull 2	V. Williams 9	Mack 3	T. Williams 41	Watts 22	Ard 17	Clark 3	V. Williams 24	Ard 12	Elliott 5
			Masters 37	Maguire 8		Duffy 1	Duffy 6	Bizzell 12	Copeland 1
			V. Williams 9				Clark 6	Duffy 7	
			Watts 5					Snaer 1	

GAME-BY-GAME GAMECOCK LINEUP BY BATTING ORDER

Date	Opponent	W/L	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2/12	vs. No. 2/2 Michigan	L	Clark	Bizzell	Page	V. Williams	Snaer	Maguire	T. Williams	Masters	Ard
2/12	at USF	W	Clark	Maguire	Page	V. Williams	Snaer	Bizzell	Masters	Watts	Ard
2/13	vs. Virginia Tech	W	Page	Clark	Maguire	V. Williams	Snaer	Bizzell	T. Williams	Mack	Ard
2/14	vs. Illinois State	W	Page	Clark	Maguire	V. Williams	Snaer	Duffy	Bizzell	Masters	Watts
2/17	North Carolina	W	Page	Maguire	Clark	V. Williams	Snaer	Bizzell	Masters	Watts	Ard
2/19	UNC Greensboro	W	Page	Maguire	Clark	V. Williams	Snaer	Duffy	Bizzell	T. Williams	Masters
2/20	Ohio	W	Page	Maguire	Clark	V. Williams	Snaer	Ard	Hull	Watts	Mack
2/21	Longwood	W	Page	Maguire	Clark	V. Williams	Snaer	Masters	Bizzell	T. Williams	Ard
2/21	Winthrop	W	Page	Mack	Clark	V. Williams	Snaer	Duffy	Hull	White	Watts
2/23	Coastal Carolina										
2/26	at UC Santa Barbara										
2/26	vs. Southern Utah										
2/27	at UC Santa Barbara										
2/27	vs. Southern Utah										
2/28	vs. Georgia Tech										
3/1	Western Carolina										
3/1	Western Carolina										
3/4	Kennesaw State										
3/5	Michigan State										
3/5	Connecticut										
3/6	TBD										
3/8	SIU-Edwardsville										
3/11	Kentucky										
3/12	Kentucky										
3/13	Kentucky										
3/16	Buffalo										
3/16	Buffalo										
3/19	Georgia										
3/20	Georgia										
3/21	Georgia										
3/23	Charleston Southern										
3/25	at Auburn										
3/26	at Auburn										
3/27	at Auburn										
3/30	at Charlotte										
4/2	Troy										
4/3	Troy										
4/5	UNC Wilmington										
4/8	at Arkansas										
4/9	at Arkansas										
4/10	at Arkansas										
4/12	at USC Upstate										
4/15	Mississippi										
4/16	Mississippi										
4/17	Mississippi										
4/19	Georgia Southern										
4/22	at LSU										
4/23	at LSU										
4/24	at LSU										
4/26	Furman										
4/29	Alabama										
4/30	Alabama										
5/1	Alabama										
5/6	at Missouri										
5/7	at Missouri										
5/8	at Missouri										

GAMECOCK LINEUP BY BATTING ORDER (CAREER)

Career Totals	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Page 67	Page 74	V. Williams 48	Snaer 63	Masters 29	Masters 20	T. Williams 24	White 23	Ard 42
	Ard 2	Masters 29	Snaer 22	V. Williams 20	V. Williams 21	Ard 12	Masters 10	Page 13	White 14
	Clark 2	Bizzell 19	Masters 8	T. Williams 1	Snaer 20	Bizzell 8	Ard 8	Watts 13	Watts 13
		Ard 11	Clark 5		Bizzell 9	V. Williams 7	Bizzell 7	Bizzell 12	Page 6
		Maguire 5	Maguire 2		Ard 2	T. Williams 6	V. Williams 7	T. Williams 7	Duffy 5
		Duffy 4	Page 2		T. Williams 1	Snaer 5	Snaer 6	Ard 4	Masters 5
		Clark 2	Bizzell 1			Duffy 4	Page 3	Masters 2	Bizzell 2
		Mack 1				Page 2	Hull 2	Blue 1	T. Williams 2
						Maguire 1	Duffy 1	Mack 1	Mack 1
								V. Williams 1	



CAROLINA SOFTBALL STADIUM AT BECKHAM FIELD

GAMECOCK FIRSTS AT CAROLINA SOFTBALL STADIUM

First Opponent

Alabama, the 2012 NCAA Division I Softball champs

First Game

March 15, 2013

Attendance

830, capacity for the weekend

First Pitch

7:05 p.m., a strike by Audrey Broyles

First Gamecock Out

Alabama's Haylie McCleney fouled out to South Carolina left fielder Alaynie Page. (3/15/13)

First Gamecock Baserunner

Dana Hathorn on a first-inning walk. (3/15/13)

First Gamecock Pitching Strikeout

Audrey Broyles struck out Danae Hays looking on a 1-2 pitch in the top of the second inning. (3/15/13)

First Gamecock Hit

Samie Garcia hit one to left in the third inning. (3/15/13)

First Run

Codee Yeske scored the first run in the new stadium in the Gamecock third. (3/15/13)

First RBI

Dana Hathorn singled to left in the third to score Yeske. (3/15/13)

First Gamecock Stolen Base

Dana Hathorn in the third inning. (3/15/13)

First Sacrifice Fly

Kristen Struett hit one to left center deep enough to allow Samie Garcia to score in the third. (3/15/13)

First Double Play

Alabama's Chaunsey Bell grounded into a double play, with Samie Garcia touching second and throwing to Julie Sarratt to complete it. (3/15/13)

First Gamecock Home Run

Codee Yeske pulled one out to left center to start the fifth. (3/15/13)

First Gamecock Double

Alaynie Page had a double in the fifth to center. (3/15/13)

First Gamecock Triple

Samie Garcia started the fifth vs. Appalachian State with a triple to right. (4/3/13)

First Gamecock Win

South Carolina beat Appalachian State 5-0. (4/3/13)

First Gamecock Shutout

Julie Sarratt (5 IP) and Katie Marks (2 IP) combined to shut down Appalachian State. (4/3/13)

First Gamecock Complete Game

Julie Sarratt won in six innings in the first game of a doubleheader against Coastal Carolina. (4/10/13)

First Gamecock Grand Slam

Codee Yeske blasted a grand slam in the first game of the Charlotte doubleheader. (4/24/13)

- Part of a long line of facility upgrades for South Carolina, Carolina Softball Stadium at Beckham Field hosted its first games in the spring of 2013.
- The Gamecocks opened their \$8 million facility on March 15, 2013, against defending national champion Alabama.
- All three games during opening weekend had a maximum capacity of 830 fans.
- Throwing out the first pitch on Friday night was Mitzi Beckham, who along with her husband David, continue to be honored by having the field named after them.
- Head women's basketball coach Dawn Staley and head football coach Steve Spurrier also helped out on opening weekend, throwing out first pitches on Saturday and Sunday, respectively.
- South Carolina got its first win in Carolina Softball Stadium history with a 5-0 shutout of Appalachian State on April 3, 2013.
- Carolina Softball Stadium at Beckham Field has a seating capacity of 1,305, with full capacity including standing room at 1,480. **This season, over 900 season tickets have been sold.**
- The stadium sits on the same site that the Gamecock Softball team has called home since 1983.
- Home plate has been in the same spot since the beginning of the 1997 season, when the former structure was built to usher in Southeastern Conference play.
- All time, South Carolina is 571-222-2 (.719) on the site. Since being renamed Beckham Field in 1998, the Gamecocks own a 294-169 (.635) mark on the field.
- A year after playing 17 games at home, the second-lowest mark in 16 years, the 2014 Gamecocks fell one postseason game shy from tying the 2002 team's record with 36 home games.
- The Gamecocks drew even with the 1997 team's win total of 27 wins, the second most in the field's history. The Gamecocks went 27-8 at Carolina Softball Stadium in 2014.
- Out of those 36 home games, South Carolina posted a shutout in 13 of them. One loss even saw the Gamecocks throw a one-hitter (vs. No. 16/19 Minnesota, 3/19). Another loss came in a 1-0 extra-inning game (vs. Longwood 4/26)
- In the 29 home dates in 2014, the Gamecocks posted paid crowds over 1,000 in 22 of them.
- Carolina Softball Stadium at Beckham Field hosted the 2014 SEC Softball Tournament, won by Georgia for the first time. All five sessions of the event had attendance marks over 1,100, with Saturday's finals on ESPN2 hitting the stadium's capacity with standing room filled at 1,480.
- All nine games of the SEC Softball Tournament were on the ESPN family of networks, giving the program and stadium national exposure over those four days.

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Class	EX	Hometown/Previous School
1	Alexis Mack	IF	L/R	5-3	Fr.	HS	Brecksville, Ohio/Brecksville-Broadview Heights HS
2	Kenzi Maguire	IF	R/R	5-3	Fr.	HS	Hudson, Fla./River Ridge HS
3	Jordyn Augustus	C/U	R/R	5-4	So.	1L	New Tripoli, Pa./Parkland HS
4	Hayley Copeland	P	R/R	6-0	So.	1L	Yorba Linda, Calif./Esperanza HS
5	Ansley Ard	OF	R/R	5-9	Sr.	3L	Sumter, S.C./Wilson Hall
6	Jordan Bizzell	C/3B	R/R	5-4	Sr.	3L	Hartsville, S.C./Hartsville HS
8	Taylor Williams	3B	R/R	5-9	Jr.	2L	Flatonia, Texas/Flatonia HS
10	Jessica Elliott	P	R/R	5-8	Jr.	TR	Orlando, Fla./Chipola College
11	Krystan White	IF	R/R	5-6	So.	1L	Chesterfield, S.C./Chesterfield HS
12	Kaylea Snaer	1B	R/R	5-9	Jr.	2L	Rowland Heights, Calif./Rowland HS
15	Macey Webb	1B	R/R	5-6	Jr.	2L	Stanfield, N.C./West Stanly HS
16	Effie Manahan	C	R/R	5-9	Jr.	1L	Brooklet, Ga./Southeast Bulloch HS
18	Tiara Duffy	OF	L/L	5-10	So.	1L	Rehoboth Beach, Del./Cape Henlopen HS
20	Lauren Masters	IF	R/R	5-3	Sr.	2L	Evans, Ga./Greenbrier HS
21	Victoria Williams	U	L/R	5-6	Jr.	2L	Williamston, S.C./Palmetto HS
22	Alaynie Page	OF	R/R	5-6	Sr.	3L	Boiling Springs, S.C./Boiling Springs HS
23	Kennedy Clark	OF	L/L	5-4	Fr.	HS	Chino Hills, Calif./Ayala HS
24	Kamryn Watts	IF	L/R	5-6	So.	1L	Los Angeles, Calif./Torrance HS
33	Nickie Blue	P	R/R	6-1	Jr.	2L	Longmont, Colo./Niwot HS
44	Lex Hull	C	L/R	5-8	Fr.	HS	Louisville, Ky./Ballard HS

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No	Name	Pos.	B/T	Ht.	Class	EX	Hometown/Previous School
5	Ansley Ard	OF	R/R	5-9	Sr.	3L	Sumter, S.C./Wilson Hall
3	Jordyn Augustus	C/U	R/R	5-4	So.	1L	New Tripoli, Pa./Parkland HS
6	Jordan Bizzell	C/3B	R/R	5-4	Sr.	3L	Hartsville, S.C./Hartsville HS
33	Nickie Blue	P	R/R	6-1	Jr.	2L	Longmont, Colo./Niwot HS
23	Kennedy Clark	OF	L/L	5-4	Fr.	HS	Chino Hills, Calif./Ayala HS
4	Hayley Copeland	P	R/R	6-0	So.	1L	Yorba Linda, Calif./Esperanza HS
18	Tiara Duffy	OF	L/L	5-10	So.	1L	Rehoboth Beach, Del./Cape Henlopen HS
10	Jessica Elliott	P	R/R	5-8	Jr.	TR	Orlando, Fla./Chipola College
44	Lex Hull	C	L/R	5-8	Fr.	HS	Louisville, Ky./Ballard HS
1	Alexis Mack	IF	L/R	5-3	Fr.	HS	Brecksville, Ohio/Brecksville-Broadview Heights HS
2	Kenzi Maguire	IF	R/R	5-3	Fr.	HS	Hudson, Fla./River Ridge HS
16	Effie Manahan	C	R/R	5-9	Jr.	1L	Brooklet, Ga./Southeast Bulloch HS
20	Lauren Masters	IF	R/R	5-3	Sr.	2L	Evans, Ga./Greenbrier HS
22	Alaynie Page	OF	R/R	5-6	Sr.	3L	Boiling Springs, S.C./Boiling Springs HS
12	Kaylea Snaer	1B	R/R	5-9	Jr.	2L	Rowland Heights, Calif./Rowland HS
24	Kamryn Watts	IF	L/R	5-6	So.	1L	Los Angeles, Calif./Torrance HS
1	Macey Webb	1B	R/R	5-6	Jr.	2L	Stanfield, N.C./West Stanly HS
11	Krystan White	IF	R/R	5-6	So.	1L	Chesterfield, S.C./Chesterfield HS
8	Taylor Williams	3B	R/L	5-9	Jr.	2L	Flatonia, Texas/Flatonia HS
21	Victoria Williams	U	L/R	5-6	Jr.	2L	Williamston, S.C./Palmetto HS

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach	Beverly Smith (North Carolina, 1995)
Associate Head Coach	Lisa Navas (Oklahoma City, 1987)
Assistant Coach	Calvin Beamon (UNLV, 2010)
Volunteer Assistant Coach	Tina Plew Whitlock (South Carolina, 1997)
Director of Operations	Kacey Friedman (South Carolina, 2012)
Strength & Conditioning Coach	Ryan Waterbury (USC Upstate, 2010)
Athletic Trainer	Zach Richards (Springfield College, 2014)
Graduate Student Managers	Renada Davis (NC State, 2015) & Samie Garcia (South Carolina, 2014)

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Jordan BIZZELL	BIHZ-zul
TIARA Duffy.....	tee-ERR-ah
ALAYNIE Page.....	uh-LAY-knee
KAYLEA SNAER	Kay-LEE-uh SNARE

ROSTER BY CLASS

Senior (4): Ansley Ard, Jordan Bizzell, Lauren Masters, Alaynie Page

Junior (7): Nickie Blue, Jessica Elliott, Effie Manahan, Kaylea Snaer, Macey Webb, Taylor Williams, Victoria Williams

Sophomore (5): Jordyn Augustus, Hayley Copeland, Tiara Duffy, Kamryn Watts, Krystan White

Freshman (4): Kennedy Clark, Lex Hull, Alexis Mack, Kenzi Maguire

ROSTER BY HEIGHT

6-1 Nickie Blue

6-0 Hayley Copeland

5-10 Tiara Duffy

5-9 Ansley Ard, Effie Manahan, Kaylea Snaer, Taylor Williams

5-8 Jessica Elliott, Lex Hull

5-6 Alaynie Page, Kamryn Watts, Macey Webb, Krystan White, Victoria Williams

5-4 Jordyn Augustus, Jordan Bizzell, Kennedy Clark

5-3 Alexis Mack, Kenzi Maguire, Lauren Masters

ROSTER BY STATE

South Carolina (5): Ansley Ard, Jordan Bizzell, Alaynie Page, Krystan White, Victoria Williams

California (4): Kennedy Clark, Hayley Copeland, Kaylea Snaer, Kamryn Watts

Florida (2): Jessica Elliott, Kenzi Maguire

Georgia (2): Effie Manahan, Lauren Masters

Colorado (1): Nickie Blue

Delaware (1): Tiara Duffy

Kentucky (1): Lex Hull

North Carolina (1): Macey Webb

Ohio (1): Alexis Mack

Pennsylvania (1): Jordyn Augustus

Texas (1): Taylor Williams