



2016 SOUTH CAROLINA GAMECOCK SOFTBALL

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2016 Schedule/Results (14-2)

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+)	W		3-1
2/26	at UC Santa Barbara@	L		3-4
2/26	vs. Southern Utah@	W		21-4 (5)
2/27	at UC Santa Barbara@	W		6-1
2/27	vs. Southern Utah@	W		6-5
2/28	vs. Georgia Tech@	W		3-1
3/1	Western Carolina (SECN+)	W		1-0
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-Demarini Tournament (Tampa, Fla.)
 # - Carolina Classic
 @ - Gaucho Classic (Santa Barbara, Calif.)
 & - Gamecock Invitational
 ! - (Baton Rouge, La.)
 (SECN) - SEC Network (SECN+) - SEC Network +

Upcoming Opponents (Records as of March 2)

Opponent	Record	Series History	Trend	Last Meeting
 Kennesaw State (10-2)	March 4 • 4 PM	Carolina Softball Stadium	SC leads 1-0	SC won only meeting
 Michigan State (9-6)	March 5 • 1:30 PM	Carolina Softball Stadium	SC leads 5-2	SC won last 3
 Connecticut (3-11)	March 5 • 4 PM	Carolina Softball Stadium	SC leads 5-0	SC won all five
 SIU Edwardsville (3-6)	March 5 • 4 PM	Carolina Softball Stadium	Never met	Never met

Live Coverage

Video Coverage: SEC Network +
Play-by-Play: Burch Antley

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
10	Jessica Elliott	5-8	Jr.	0.88	9-0	13-9	2	47.2	19	34	.200	'15 NJCAA P of the Year
33	Nickie Blue	6-1	Jr.	2.35	4-2	13-7	4	47.2	21	43	.229	'14 SEC All-Freshman Team
4	Hayley Copeland	6-0	Fr.	16.15	0-0	3-0	0	4.1	14	7	.077	

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.	.222/.371/.259	Started 11 games behind the plate
1B	Kaylea Snaer	R/R	5-9	Jr.	.435/.500/.696	Hit a pair of RBI doubles vs. Virginia Tech 2/13
2B	Lauren Masters	R/R	5-3	Sr.	.240/.406/.320	Averaged seeing five pitches per plate appearance
2B/DP	Alexis Mack	L/R	5-3	Fr.	.375/.382/.375	Had a 10-game hitting streak thru Cali trip
3B	Taylor Williams	R/R	5-9	Jr.	.294/.478/.588	Tied for second on '14 Gamecocks in home runs
3B	Kamryn Watts	L/R	5-6	So.	.300/.391/.350	Slapper had good weekend at USF
SS	Kenzi Maguire	R/R	5-3	Fr.	.323/.447/.355	Went 3-for-3 in debut vs. No. 2/2 Michigan 2/12
SS	Krystan White	R/R	5-6	So.	.435/.417/.609	Went 3-for-4 with HR, 4 RBI vs. Winthrop 2/21
LF	Alaynie Page	R/R	5-6	Sr.	.346/.429/.538	On a 13-game hitting streak
CF	Ansley Ard	R/R	5-9	Sr.	.448/.484/.655	Game-winning hits vs. Coastal & Western Carolina
RF	Kennedy Clark	L/L	5-4	Fr.	.409/.550/.727	Hit two home runs in the Ohio win 2/20
DP	Victoria Williams	L/R	5-6	Jr.	.314/.442/.571	Posted six doubles through first 10 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	14-2	-	?
5 years	171-133	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.

GAMECOCK INVITATIONAL BRINGS THREE FOES IN FOR SOUTH CAROLINA THIS WEEKEND

- South Carolina welcomes Kennesaw State, Michigan State and UConn to town for this weekend's Gamecock Invitational.
- Every game will have Gametracker live stats on GamecocksOnline.com, while South Carolina's games will broadcast on the SEC Network + via WatchESPN.com.
- The Gamecocks take on the KSU Owls on Friday at 4 p.m., before facing MSU and UConn in a doubleheader starting on Saturday at 1:30 p.m.
- Sunday will feature rematches, with the consolation game taking place at 12:30 p.m. and the championship at 3 p.m., unless UConn makes the championship, which would reverse the order.

SOUTH CAROLINA'S OFFENSE PRODUCING EARLY

- South Carolina's offense has been clicking early, and it starts with leadoff batters reaching base.
- The Gamecocks have the third-best percentage in the SEC for their leadoff batters reaching base at .577, behind only Georgia and Auburn.
- Only once have the Gamecocks not gotten the leadoff runner on more than once, that in the last win over Western Carolina.
- South Carolina also has tallied 41 RBI in 62 chances with a runner on third and less than two outs.
- That .661 conversion rate is second in the league, behind Kentucky.
- South Carolina has also struck out looking 11 times in 16 games, the second-lowest total in the SEC (behind Alabama's 10).

SOUTH CAROLINA TEAM NOTES

- South Carolina pitchers Nickie Blue and Jessica Elliott combined for the first no-hitter in six years for the Gamecocks on Tues., March 1, blanking Western Carolina in a 1-0 victory.
- South Carolina's defense has been outstanding thus far, posting a .984 fielding percentage, which stands second in the SEC.
- The Gamecocks have tallied the most assists in a game among SEC teams this year, with 16 coming in the win over UC Santa Barbara (2/27).
- The Gamecocks started the season 9-1, the best start since the team went 12-1 to being 2009.
- 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.
- Two of South Carolina's signees for next season, Cayla Drotar and Mackenzie Boesel, made the USA Today High School/American Family Insurance All-USA Preseason Softball Team.

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 in the first five home games, stealing four bases, posting six RBI and hitting her second homer of the season.
- Page has a 13-game hitting streak and has reached base in all but one game (vs. Virginia Tech, 2/13).

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.
- She also tossed her first shutout of the year with a complete-game blanking of Longwood on Feb. 21.

SNAER ON FIRE

- Junior first baseman Kaylea Snaer has started 2016 on a tear, leading the SEC with nine doubles while hitting .435.
- The Rowland Heights, Calif., native is more than halfway to the Gamecock single-season doubles charts, where 14 ties one for 15th.
- It's a different start than last year, when Snaer went 9-for-53 (.170) with no extra base hits through 20 games.
- She still managed to finish tied for second on the team with seven homers and third with seven doubles while hitting .275.
- Snaer already ranks first in SC history in walks per game and in the top five in homers and RBI per game (see full updates on page 8).

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 shortenings 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
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

NEWCOMERS CONTRIBUTING EARLY FOR SOUTH CAROLINA

- The five newcomers to the 2016 Gamecocks have all made their presence known.
- Junior Jessica Elliott has gone 9-0 with a 0.88 ERA in 13 appearances, striking out 34 while walking 19 in 45.2 innings of work.
- Freshman outfielder Kennedy Clark has started every game, one of three Gamecocks to do that, and leads the team in on-base (.550) and slugging (.727) percentages to go with her team best of four home runs.
- Clark tied the program record with two round-trippers in the Ohio win.
- Freshman Kenzi Maguire has started 11 games at shortstop and is tied for the team lead with five hit-by-pitches.
- Alexis Mack, a freshman who set Ohio high school's all-time stolen base record, is tied for second on the team in both runs scored (10) and stolen bases (3).
- Finally, Lex Hull is 3-for-10 at the plate and has started behind the plate in four Gamecock wins.

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).

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).

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 reached 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.

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.

SEC STANDINGS										
	SEC	Pct.	All	Pct.	H	A	N	Top 25	Last 10	Streak
Florida	0-0	.000	16-0	1.000	2-0	1-0	13-0	3-0	10-0	W16
Texas A&M	0-0	.000	17-1	.944	10-1	1-0	6-0	4-1	10-0	W14
Alabama	0-0	.000	16-1	.941	5-0	3-1	8-0	4-1	10-0	W15
Auburn	0-0	.000	15-1	.938	10-0	1-0	4-1	1-1	9-1	W7
Georgia	0-0	.000	13-1	.929	4-0	0-0	9-1	0-1	9-1	W2
Kentucky	0-0	.000	14-2	.875	0-0	3-0	11-2	4-1	9-1	W7
LSU	0-0	.000	14-2	.875	10-1	0-0	4-1	2-1	10-0	W10
South Carolina	0-0	.000	14-2	.875	7-0	2-1	5-1	0-1	9-1	W5
Mississippi State	0-0	.000	12-2	.857	5-0	2-0	5-2	0-0	8-2	W1
Mississippi	0-0	.000	14-3	.824	5-0	3-2	6-1	0-0	8-2	W1
Missouri	0-0	.000	9-2	.818	0-0	0-0	9-2	0-1	8-2	W1
Tennessee	0-0	.000	11-5	.688	1-0	0-2	10-3	0-4	7-3	W1
Arkansas	0-0	.000	7-8	.467	2-3	0-2	5-3	0-0	6-4	L1

As of games played on March 2, 2016

ROSTER NOTES

- Seven position player starters return for the Gamecocks from last year's squad.
- SC lost four seniors who combined to start 143 games, including every start at catcher and 57 of 60 starts in centerfield.
- Every major offensive category leader from 2015 returns for the Gamecocks, 14 of those by Alaynie Page.
- 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.

PRESEASON NUGGETS FOR THE GAMECOCKS

- 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.
- Junior Nickie Blue made College Sports Madness's All-SEC second team in the preseason.
- 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.

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.

SOUTH CAROLINA SOFTBALL HISTORICAL RECORD

- South Carolina has played 2,140 games in its softball history, going 1392-741-7 (.652) in its 41st season of sponsorship.

SC IN THE SEC STATS (as of March 2)		
All Games		
OFFENSIVE CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Batting Average	.345	7th
Slugging Percentage	.505	8th
On-Base Percentage	.442	8th
Runs Scored	101	10th
Hits	145	4th
RBI	98	8th
Doubles	28	T-4th
Triples	3	T-6th
Home Runs	11	T-8th
Total Bases	212	T-4th
Walks	50	9th
Hit by Pitches	28	1st
Sacrifice Bunts	8	6th
Sacrifice Flies	7	2nd
Stolen Bases	19	T-9th
PITCHING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Earned Run Average	2.23	11th
Opposing Batting Average	.213	7th
Innings Pitched	100.2	6th
Strikeouts	85	10th
FIELDING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Fielding Percentage	.984	2nd
Chances	426	6th
Fielding Double Plays	7	2nd
SC PLAYERS IN SEC STATS		
OFFENSIVE CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
On-Base Percentage		
Kennedy Clark	.550	15th
Hits		
Kaylea Snaer	20	T-8th
Doubles		
Kaylea Snaer	9	1st
Victoria Williams	6	T-6th
Home Runs		
Kennedy Clark	4	T-10th
Total Bases		
Alaynie Page	32	T-13th
Walks		
Kaylea Snaer	10	T-14th
Hit by Pitch		
Kenzi Maguire	5	T-3rd
Jordan Bizzell	5	T-3rd
Kennedy Clark	5	T-3rd
Sacrifice Hits		
Ansley Ard	2	T-13th
Kamryn Watts	2	T-13th
Sacrifice Flies		
Alaynie Page	2	T-3rd
Stolen Bases		
Alaynie Page	6	T-12th
PITCHING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Earned Run Average		
Jessica Elliott	0.88	10th
Innings Pitched		
Jessica Elliott	47.2	T-4th
Nickie Blue	47.2	T-4th
Batters Struck Out		
Nickie Blue	43	6th
Wins		
Jessica Elliott	9	2nd
Saves		
Nickie Blue	4	1st
Jessica Elliott	2	T-4th
FIELDING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Putouts		
Kaylea Snaer	101	T-3rd
Assists		
Kamryn Watts	23	T-14th
Fielding Double Plays		
Kaylea Snaer	5	T-4th

**SC vs. KENNESAW STATE
STATISTICAL COMPARISON**

Records/Rankings	SC	KSU
Record	14-2	10-2
Home/Away Record	7-0	0-1
National Ranking	N/A	N/A
2015 NCAA RPI	32	83

NCAA Statistics (as of March 2)	SC	KSU
Batting Average	.346 / 27th	.256 / 205th
Slugging Percentage	.506 / 34th	.428 / 100th
Scoring	6.31 / 40th	4.25 / 159th
Doubles Per Game	1.75 / 30th	1.17 / 146th
Triples Per Game	0.19 / 106th	0.33 / 28th
Home Runs Per Game	0.69 / 97th	0.83 / 59th
Stolen Bases Per Game	1.19 / 98th	3.08 / 3rd
Earned Run Average	2.23 / 38th	1.74 / 16th
Fielding Percentage	.984 / 5th	.968 / 64th
Double Plays Per Game	0.44 / 56th	0.42 / 63rd

KSU's Top Hitters	BA/OBP/SLG	Other Stats
Missy Perkowski	.405/.488/.541	2 2B, 5 BB, 2-2 SB
Courtney Sutter	.368/.429/.868	5 HR, 7 RBI
Rachel Dennis	.294/.333/.647	17 AB, 2-2 SB
Hillary Kartman	.281/.410/.438	3 2B, 7 BB
Megan Veringa	.250/.357/.444	2 HR, 10 RBI
Kara Chambers	.241/.313/.276	6-7 SB
Noelle Winkles	.227/.433/.500	7 BB, 3-4 SB
Katie Cannington	.182/.357/.182	11 AB, 8-8 SB
Lauren Bennett	.154/.313/.231	2 HBP, 3-5 SB
Taylor Denton	.129/.229/.129	6-6 SB

KSU's Top-3 Pitchers (in order of IP)	ERA	IP	K	BB
Logan Viers	1.24	39.2	45	3
Morgan Sikes	1.17	24	17	1
Monica Vickery	2.88	17	10	8

**SC vs. MICHIGAN STATE
STATISTICAL COMPARISON**

Records/Rankings	SC	MSU
2015 Record	14-2	9-6
Home/Away Record	7-0	1-3
National Ranking	N/A	N/A
2015 NCAA RPI	32	155

NCAA Statistics (as of March 2)	SC	MSU
Batting Average	.346 / 27th	.287 / 114th
Slugging Percentage	.506 / 34th	.408 / 128th
Scoring	6.31 / 40th	4.33 / 155th
Doubles Per Game	1.75 / 30th	1.07 / 171st
Triples Per Game	0.19 / 106th	0.33 / 28th
Home Runs Per Game	0.69 / 97th	0.47 / 153rd
Stolen Bases Per Game	1.19 / 98th	1.27 / 79th
Earned Run Average	2.23 / 38th	3.92 / 144th
Fielding Percentage	.984 / 5th	.960 / 113th
Double Plays Per Game	0.44 / 56th	0.07 / 272nd

MSU's Top Hitters	BA/OBP/SLG	Other Stats
Lea Foerster	.440/.481/.540	3 2B, 5 RBI
Sarah Gutknecht	.395/.429/.558	4 2B, 7 RBI
Celeste Wood	.341/.391/.561	2 HR, 15 RBI, 5-6 SB
McKenzie Long	.279/.333/.395	6-6 SB
Lindsey Besson	.273/.289/.409	3 2B, 8 RBI
Ebonee Echols	.265/.286/.353	3-4 SB
Kassidy Kujawa	.259/.333/.481	2 HR
Kaitlyn Eveland	.250/.270/.306	2-3 SB
Jordan Davis	.182/.367/.318	3 2B
Shanii Thomas	.167/.400/.208	8 BB
Destinee Luna	.083/.185/.083	

MSU's Top-3 Pitchers (in order of IP)	ERA	IP	K	BB
Kristina Zalewski	2.70	46.2	55	19
Dani Goranson	3.75	28	21	12
Bridgette Rainey	5.17	23	23	20

SCOUTING KENNESAW STATE

- The Owls are 10-2 on the year, losing their first road game on Wed. in extra innings at Georgia State.
- All seven top hitters this season are returning starters from last year's 32-19 team that finished third in the Atlantic Sun.
- Kennesaw State has drawn 48 walks in 12 games, with only one batter not drawing a walk thus far.
- The Owls also have stolen 37 bases in 41 tries.
- Senior Missy Perkowski leads the team with a .488 on-base percentage after hitting .224 with seven sacrifice hits a year ago.
- Junior Taylor Denton topped the returning Owls with a .364 batting average and nine sac bunts in 2015.
- Senior Hillary Kartman last year hit 13 home runs, and this year she has a team-best three doubles and seven walks.
- Senior Kara Chambers stole 18 bases in 21 tries last season, and this season she's second on the team with six stolen bags, tied with Denton.
- Redshirt junior Courtney Sutter has five home runs already after hitting seven last year.
- Senior Megan Veringa leads KSU with 10 RBI to go with two homers, a year after topping the team with 46 RBI and adding 10 doubles and nine round-trippers.
- The Owls did lose Natalie Rhodes, who stole 17 bases and hit eight triples last year.
- In the circle, ace Paige Mathews departed after tossing 139 innings, striking out 117 and walking 39 with a 3.63 ERA.
- Junior Logan Viers leads the team this season with a 5-0 record in 11 starts, posting a 1.24 ERA in 39.2 innings. She's struck out 45 and walked only three.
- Senior Morgan Sikes has struck out 17 in 24 innings, allowing only one walk to post a 1.17 ERA.

TIES BETWEEN SOUTH CAROLINA AND KENNESAW STATE

- Owl sophomore Noelle Winkles played on the TN Fury travel-ball team, the same group that Gamecock junior Effie Manahan and freshman Lex Hull spent time with in their youth careers.

THE LAST MEETING - SOUTH CAROLINA vs. KENNESAW STATE - MARCH 2, 2013

- South Carolina won the only previous matchup by a score of 12-3 (5) at Georgia Southern.
- Alaynie Page went 2-for-3 with a double, two RBI and two runs scored, while Chelsea Hawkins had two home runs and a double to lead the offense.

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

SCOUTING MICHIGAN STATE

- The Spartans are 9-6 on the year, going 3-2 last weekend with both losses coming at Florida Atlantic.
- Five offensive starters return from last year's 19-36 team.
- Leading those returners is Lea Foerster, who made the All-Big Ten second team as a freshman with 12 doubles and 31 RBI.
- This season, Foerster has three doubles and five RBI.
- Junior Sarah Gutknecht has four doubles and ranks third on the team with seven RBI.
- Freshman Celeste Wood has been strong, posting two homers and 15 RBI while also stealing five bases in six tries.
- Michigan State stole 51 bases last year total, but Wood and McKenzie Long have already helped the Spartans to take 19 this year.
- Redshirt sophomore Lindsey Besson, who missed most of last season, has come back to knock in eight RBI and add three doubles.
- Redshirt sophomore Kristina Zalewski returns as the team's ace, and she's looked it with 55 strikeouts against 19 walks in 46.2 innings this season.
- Zalewski posted a 3.65 ERA in 172.2 innings last year, striking out 141 while walking 56.
- Redshirt junior Dani Goranson and sophomore Bridgette Rainey have tossed a combined 51 innings, just a season after the duo combined to throw 111.1 innings.

TIES BETWEEN SOUTH CAROLINA AND MICHIGAN STATE

- Spartan assistant coach Kaela Jackson is very familiar with Columbia, spending two years as a player, two years as a graduate student manager and a season as volunteer assistant for the Gamecocks.
- MSU sophomore Lea Foerster played with the Beverly Bandits group that produced SC's Jordyn Augustus and Alexis Mack.

SC SERIES HISTORY VS. THE SPARTANS

- South Carolina has 5-2 mark all-time against the Spartans, winning the only previous meeting at Carolina Softball Stadium at Beckham Field.

THE LAST MEETING - MICHIGAN STATE AT SOUTH CAROLINA - FEB. 22, 2014

- Nickie Blue posted her first career shutout with a 9-0 (5) victory over Michigan State in the 2014 Gamecock Invitational.
- Alaynie Page doubled, scored a run and drove in another in the win, while Kaylea Snaer had a two-RBI single.

SCOUTING UCONN

- The Huskies enter the weekend with a 3-11 mark, one year after going 18-35.
- Seven offensive starters are back as well as two pitchers.
- Chelsea Eckert led the Huskies with a 4.44 ERA last year, striking out 70 and walking 74 in 127.2 innings.
- This season, the sophomore Eckert has a 5.13 ERA in 30 innings.
- Junior Kayla Doty has a 2.66 ERA this season in 23.2 innings, but more walks (10) than K's (7). Last season, she tossed 57.2 innings.
- Freshman Jill Stockley has led the team in the circle, tossing 39 innings with a 1.26 ERA, striking out 23 and walking 11.
- UConn is looking to replace last year's top hitter Emily O'Donnell, who led the team in batting average, slugging percentage and RBI.
- Junior Taylor Townsend returns a year after leading the Huskies in on-base percentage (.428).
- Last year, Dominique Pinto had five home runs, tied for second on the team.
- This year, Townsend and Pinto have three doubles each.
- Senior Alyssa Gardea had three triples and tied with senior Lexi Gifford with five stolen bases in 2015.
- Gardea and senior Jacklyn Dubois both have six RBI this season.

TIES BETWEEN SOUTH CAROLINA AND UCONN

- Huskie assistant Chrissy Schoonmaker is very familiar with Columbia, spending two years as a volunteer assistant for Beverly Smith and the Gamecocks after lettering four years for South Carolina (2004-08).

SC SERIES HISTORY VS. THE HUSKIES

- South Carolina has a 5-0 mark all-time against Connecticut, including a 3-0 mark in Columbia.

THE LAST MEETING - SOUTH CAROLINA VS. CONNECTICUT - MARCH 10, 2000

- The Gamecocks downed UConn 1-0 in Tampa, Fla.
- Jodi Fittro scored the only run on a double steal in the third. Joyce McMillin tossed 6.2 innings of shutout ball, and Megan Matthews came in to get the last out to get the save.

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 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.

SC vs. UCONN		
STATISTICAL COMPARISON		
Records/Rankings	SC	UConn
2015 Record	9-1	3-11
Home/Away Record	6-0	0-3
National Ranking	N/A	N/A
2015 NCAA RPI	32	178
NCAA Statistics (as of March 2)	SC	UConn
Batting Average	.346 / 27th	.214 / 267th
Slugging Percentage	.506 / 34th	.268 / 270th
Scoring	6.31 / 40th	1.93 / 277th
Doubles Per Game	1.75 / 30th	0.86 / 227th
Triples Per Game	0.19 / 106th	0.00 / N/A
Home Runs Per Game	0.69 / 97th	0.14 / 253rd
Stolen Bases Per Game	1.19 / 98th	0.50 / 219th
Earned Run Average	2.23 / 38th	2.87 / 80th
Fielding Percentage	.984 / 5th	.965 / 84th
Double Plays Per Game	0.44 / 56th	0.57 / 12th
UConn's Top Hitters	BA/OBP/SLG	Other Stats
Kelli Bates	.320/.346/.360	1 2B, 1-1 SB
Alyssa Gardea	.282/.326/.359	1 HR, 6 RBI, 2 SH
Taylor Townsend	.275/.383/.350	3 2B, 2-3 SB
Jacklyn Dubois	.275/.326/.350	1 HR, 6 RBI, 3 SH
Valerie Sadowl	.233/.324/.267	
Lexi Gifford	.194/.268/.222	2-2 SB, 5 SH
Dominique Pinto	.184/.262/.263	3 2B
Taylor Smith	.167/.348/.278	2 2B
Ryne Nakama	.118/.250/.176	
Alyson Ambler	.067/.171/.067	
UConn's Pitchers (in order of IP)		
Jill Stockley	1.26 ERA, 39 IP	23 K, 11 BB
Chelsea Eckert	5.13 ERA, 30 IP	16 K, 23 BB
Kayla Doty	2.66 ERA, 23.2 IP	7 K, 10 BB

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	.339	9th
Alaynie Page	.318	12th
Victoria Williams	.308	16th
Kaylea Snaer	.301	19th
On-Base Percentage (Min. 250 AB)		
Alaynie Page	.426	5th
Victoria Williams	.418	6th
Kaylea Snaer	.411	8th
Ansley Ard	.388	12th
Lauren Masters	.372	17th
Runs		
Alaynie Page	149	7th
Runs Per Game (Min. 60 Runs)		
Alaynie Page	0.80	2nd
Ansley Ard	0.46	17th
Hits Per Game (Min. 100 Hits)		
Alaynie Page	0.92	13th
Doubles		
Alaynie Page	29	T-19th
Doubles Per Game (Min. 20 Doubles)		
Kaylea Snaer	0.20	6th
Victoria Williams	0.17	15th
Alaynie Page	0.16	18th
Triples		
Alaynie Page	10	T-8th
Triples Per Game (Min. 7 Triples)		
Alaynie Page	0.05	7th
Home Runs		
Alaynie Page	26	2nd
Kaylea Snaer	16	11th
Home Runs Per Game (Min. 8 Home Runs)		
Alaynie Page	0.14	3rd
Kaylea Snaer	0.13	4th
Taylor Williams	0.12	5th
Victoria Williams	0.08	17th
Total Bases		
Alaynie Page	299	10th
Slugging Percentage (Min. 250 AB)		
Alaynie Page	.553	4th
Kaylea Snaer	.523	9th
Victoria Williams	.471	14th
Ansley Ard	.446	17th
RBI		
Alaynie Page	109	T-9th
RBI Per Game (Min. 60 RBI)		
Kaylea Snaer	0.65	3rd
Alaynie Page	0.58	5th
Victoria Williams	0.58	6th
Walks		
Alaynie Page	85	4th
Kaylea Snaer	69	8th
Walks Per Game (Min. 40 BB)		
Kaylea Snaer	0.56	1st
Alaynie Page	0.45	4th
Victoria Williams	0.37	7th
Lauren Masters	0.37	9th
Hit by Pitches		
Jordan Bizzell	21	2nd
Alaynie Page	20	T-3rd
Lauren Masters	14	T-8th
Victoria Williams	12	T-11th
Sacrifice Flies		
Kaylea Snaer	6	T-11th
Alaynie Page	4	T-18th
Stolen Bases		
Alaynie Page	41	8th
Ansley Ard	25	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	.891 (41-46)	7th
Ansley Ard	.781 (25-32)	19th

WHERE THEY GO NEXT ON CAREER CHARTS

- Alaynie Page needs six runs to tie Toinette Reed (1991-94) for sixth on the runs scored charts.
- A double for Page ties her with Amber Curtis (2001-04) in 18th on that career listing.
- It takes two triples for Page to tie her for fifth in program history with three others.
- Kaylea Snaer needs one long ball to tie for ninth with two others, while two more for Taylor or Victoria Williams ties her for 20th with five others who tallied 11.
- With one total base, Page ties former All-American Michelle Dellosa for ninth with 300.
- Page is three RBI from tying Andrea Beall (1989-92) in eighth in SC history.
- The next HBP for Page could tie her with teammate Jordan Bizzell in second, while Lauren Masters needs two to join her with former teammate Samie Garcia (2011-13) in seventh.
- When Victoria Williams is hit the next time, she'll join the top 10 on the list, leveling with Evan Childs (2009-12).
- Snaer's next sacrifice fly joins her with three others in a tie for eighth.
- Two stolen bases for Page ties her with Tricia Popowski (1988-91) in sixth, while three ties her with current volunteer assistant Tina Plew Whitlock (1994-97) in fifth.
- Ansley Ard is two stolen bases from joining Nancy Crane (2001-04) in 16th.
- Nickie Blue is 1.1 innings shy of tying Jana Zimmerman (1990-92) in 13th, while 3.1 joins her with Kate Pouliot (2005-08) in 12th and 4.0 brings her even with Melanie Henkes (2003-06) in 11th.
- One win ties Blue with Henkes for 11th on that chart.
- Two appearances tie Blue with former All-American Darlene Lowery (1983-87) for 10th at South Carolina.
- Two starts for Blue tie her for 15th with Joyce McMillian (1998-2000).
- With two more solo shutouts, Blue ties three others for 13th.
- With three strikeouts, Blue matches Audrey Broyles (2009-13) for 11th on the career K's list, while six more tie her with Angie Lear (1988-91) for 10th.
- One relief appearance for Blue joins her with former teammate Julie Sarratt (2011-15) for fifth on that list, while two would bring her with former All-American Megan Matthews (1999-2002).
- One save ties Blue for second in program history with Matthews.

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	424.2	15th	Nickie Blue	5.37	8th
Earned Run Average (Min. 250 IP)			Hits Per 7 Innings Pitched (Min. 250 IP)		
Nickie Blue	2.42	15th	Nickie Blue	6.21	14th
Wins			Relief Appearances		
Nickie Blue	42	12th	Nickie Blue	42	6th
Winning Percentage			Saves		
Nickie Blue	.667 (42-21)	11th	Nickie Blue	15	3rd
Appearances			Wild Pitches		
Nickie Blue	99	13th	Nickie Blue	27	T-5th
Strikeouts			Hit Batters		
Nickie Blue	320	12th	Nickie Blue	28	T-6th

SOUTH CAROLINA BATTING AROUND IN 2016

- On six occasions, the Gamecocks have sent nine or more batters to the plate. Here are those times.
- Three of those came in one game, a 21-4 (5) victory over Southern Utah (2/26).

Date	Opponent	Inn.	Batters	Runs
2/17	North Carolina	4	10	6
2/19	UNC Greensboro	5	9	7
2/21	Winthrop	1	9	6
2/26	Southern Utah	1	12	7
2/26	Southern Utah	2	11	5
2/26	Southern Utah	3	13	8

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).

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.

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(as of March 2, 2016)**

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Doubles Per Game	1.75	30th
Triples Per Game	0.19	98th
Home Runs Per Game	0.69	97th
Stolen Bases Per Game	1.19	98th
PITCHING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Earned Run Average	2.23	38th
FIELDING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Fielding Percentage	.984	5th
Double Plays Per Game	0.44	56th
OFFENSIVE CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Batting Average		
Kaylea Snaer	.444	106th
On-Base Percentage		
Kennedy Clark	.550	73rd
Slugging Percentage		
Kennedy Clark	.727	137th
Kaylea Snaer	.711	157th
Runs Per Game		
Alaynie Page	1.06	81st
Doubles Per Game		
Kaylea Snaer	0.56	17th
Victoria Williams	0.40	71st
Home Runs		
Kennedy Clark	4	45th
Home Runs Per Game		
Kennedy Clark	0.25	122nd
RBI Per Game		
Alaynie Page	1.00	139th
Walks Per Game		
Kennedy Clark	0.63	149th
Hit by Pitch Per Game		
Jordan Bizzell	0.36	43rd
Kennedy Clark	0.31	60th
Sacrifice Flies		
Alaynie Page	2	12th
Jordan Bizzell	1	92nd
Kennedy Clark	1	92nd
Alexis Mack	1	92nd
Kaylea Snaer	1	92nd
PITCHING CATEGORY	Stat	Rank
Earned Run Average		
Jessica Elliott	0.88	26th
Saves		
Nickie Blue	4	1st
Jessica Elliott	2	7th
Hits Allowed per 7 Innings		
Jessica Elliott	4.85	69th
Nickie Blue	6.02	147th
Wins		
Jessica Elliott	9	2nd

CAREER START BY POSITION MATRIX (EXCLUDING PITCHERS)

	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DP
Ard	-	-	-	-	-	17	22	37	12
Bizzell	12	-	-	39	-	-	-	-	12
Clark	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	12	-
Duffy	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7	7
Hull	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mack	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	3
Maguire	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-
Masters	-	-	70	37	-	-	-	-	-
Page	-	-	-	-	-	174	-	-	-
Snaer	-	122	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Watts	-	-	-	9	22	-	-	-	-
White	-	-	-	-	43	-	-	-	1
T. Williams	-	-	-	44	-	-	-	-	-
V. Williams	-	9	-	9	-	-	-	24	65

CAREER START BY BATTING ORDER MATRIX

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ard	2	11	-	-	2	12	8	4	48
Bizzell	-	19	2	-	9	9	10	13	2
Blue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Clark	2	2	12	-	-	-	-	-	-
Duffy	-	4	-	-	-	4	1	2	6
Hull	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Mack	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Maguire	-	6	2	-	1	2	-	-	-
Masters	-	29	8	-	30	22	11	2	5
Page	74	74	2	-	-	2	3	13	6
Snaer	-	-	22	68	22	5	6	-	-
Watts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	13
White	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	24	14
T. Williams	-	-	-	1	1	7	26	7	2
V. Williams	-	-	48	22	22	7	7	1	-

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2016 WIN-LOSS SUMMARY

Total	14-2
Conference	0-0
Non-Conference	14-2
Postseason	0-0
Home	7-0
Away	2-1
Neutral	5-1
vs. Ranked Opponents (NFCA)	1-0
vs. RPI Top 50 (current)	0-0
vs. RPI Top 100 (current)	0-0
vs. 2015 NCAA Tournament teams	3-1
on TV	0-0
on SEC Network +	7-0
vs. South Carolina teams	2-0
February	13-2
March	0-0
April	0-0
May	0-0
Day	11-2
Night	3-0
vs Left	4-0
vs Right	10-2
1-Run games	2-1
2-Run games	3-0
5+ Run games	8-1
Extra innings	0-0
Shutouts	5-0
Scoring 0-2 runs	2-0
Scoring 3-5 runs	3-2
Scoring 6-9 runs	7-0
Scoring 10+ runs	2-0
Opponent 0-2 runs	11-0
Opponent 3-5 runs	3-1
Opponent 6-9 runs	0-0
Opponent 10+ runs	0-1
Scored in 1st inning	9-0
Opp. scored in 1st inning	2-1
Scores first	11-1
Opp. scores first	3-1
After 4 leading	14-1
After 4 trailing	0-1
After 4 tied	0-0
After 5 leading	11-1
After 5 trailing	0-0
After 5 tied	0-0
After 6 leading	8-1
After 6 trailing	0-0
After 6 tied	1-0
Hit 0 home runs	7-2
Hit 1 home run	5-0
Hit 2+ home runs	2-0
Opponent 0 home runs	12-1
Opponent 1 home run	2-0
Opponent 2+ home runs	0-1
Made 0 errors	9-1
Made 1 error	5-0
Made 2+ errors	0-1
Opp. made 0 errors	2-0
Opp. made 1 error	5-1
Opp. made 2+ errors	7-1
Out-hit opponent	13-0
Out-hit by opponent	1-2
Hits are tied	0-0
Largest margin of victory	17 (vs. Southern Utah, 2/26)
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 3

USA TODAY/NFCA

Rk	Team	Record	Points	Pre.
1	Florida (32)	800	16-0	1
2	Michigan	738	12-2	2
3	Auburn	728	15-1	3
4	Alabama	718	15-1	4
5	LSU	659	13-2	5
6	Louisiana-Lafayette	644	14-1	6
7	Oregon	568	12-4	7
8	Washington	546	12-3	9
9	Georgia	524	13-1	8
10	James Madison	521	12-1	10
11	Texas A&M	455	17-1	16
12	Florida State	424	12-3	13
13	UCLA	411	9-6	11
14	Oklahoma	402	10-4	12
15	Arizona	344	11-5	15
16	Tennessee	308	10-5	14
17	Kentucky	292	14-2	18
18	Missouri	267	9-2	17
19	Arizona State	224	14-2	19
20	Minnesota	204	10-4	21
21	Notre Dame	162	12-3	23
22	Fresno State	108	12-3	20
23	Nebraska	85	10-3	RV
24	Baylor	64	11-3	RV
25	UCF	48	7-8	22

RV: Oregon State (45), California (41), Texas (30), Florida Atlantic (18), Mississippi State (16), South Alabama (3), Kent State (1), Long Beach State (1), McNeese State (1).

ESPN.COM/USA SOFTBALL

Rk	Team	Record	Points	Pre.
1.	Florida (18)	16-0	498	1
2.	Alabama	15-1	458	4
3.	Michigan	12-2	456	2
4.	Auburn	15-1	443	3
5.	Louisiana-Lafayette	14-1	411	6
6.	LSU	13-2	397	5
7.	Washington	12-3	358	8
8.	Oregon	12-4	347	7
9.	Texas A&M (1)	17-1	330	14
10.	James Madison	12-1	317	T12
11.	Georgia	13-1	316	9
12.	Florida State	13-3	258	15
13.	Oklahoma	10-4	246	11
14.	Missouri	9-2	237	T12
15.	UCLA	9-6	230	10
16.	Kentucky	14-2	200	T17
17.	Arizona State	15-2	171	T17
18.	Arizona	11-5	156	16
19.	Minnesota	10-4	143	22
20.	Tennessee	10-5	126	19
21.	Fresno State	12-3	79	20
T22.	Baylor	11-3	62	24
T22.	Oregon State	14-2	62	RV
24.	Texas	14-2	53	21
25.	Notre Dame	12-3	42	25

RV: Nebraska (36), Mississippi State (20), Utah (16), California (13), USC Upstate (9), UT Arlington (7), Ohio State (2), Long Beach State (1)

Note: SC opponents in *italics*

MISCELLANEOUS BATTING STATS

HITTING STREAKS

	LONG '16	CURRENT	CAREER	LONG
Alaynie Page	13	13		14
Alexis Mack	10	-		10
Kaylea Snaer	7	-		9
Victoria Williams	7	-		7
Kenzi Maguire	6	-		6
Ansley Ard	5	3		6
Kennedy Clark	5	5		5
Krystan White	3	3		5
Tiara Duffy	3	-		5
Lauren Masters	3	-		5
Jordan Bizzell	2	1		7
Taylor Williams	2	-		4
Kamryn Watts	2	-		2
Jordyn Augustus	1	1		1
Lex Hull	1	-		1
Effie Manahan	-	-		2
Nickie Blue	-	-		1
Macey Webb	-	-		1

REACHED BASE STREAKS

	LONG '16	CURRENT	CAREER	LONG
Alaynie Page	13	13		21
Kennedy Clark	11	11		11
Victoria Williams	11	-		11
Alexis Mack	10	-		10
Kaylea Snaer	9	9		16
Tiara Duffy	8	-		8
Kenzi Maguire	7	-		7
Ansley Ard	5	4		8
Lauren Masters	5	3		14
Jordan Bizzell	5	1		8
Taylor Williams	4	3		11
Krystan White	3	3		5
Lex Hull	3	3		3
Kamryn Watts	2	-		2
Jordyn Augustus	1	1		1
Effie Manahan	1	-		2
Nickie Blue	-	1		1
Macey Webb	-	-		1

PITCHES SEEN PER PLATE APPEARANCE

	PA	NP	Avg.
Ansley Ard	33	135	4.09
Jordyn Augustus	3	9	3.00
Jordan Bizzell	36	157	4.36
Kennedy Clark	60	273	4.55
Tiara Duffy	21	73	3.38
Lex Hull	12	53	4.57
Alexis Mack	35	121	3.46
Kenzi Maguire	39	125	3.30
Effie Manahan	2	5	2.50
Lauren Masters	32	122	4.05
Alaynie Page	63	217	3.44
Kaylea Snaer	54	204	3.78
Kamryn Watts	25	95	3.80
Macey Webb	7	31	4.50
Krystan White	24	77	3.21
Taylor Williams	24	95	3.96
Victoria Williams	43	177	4.12

PITCHES THROWN PER PLATE APPEARANCE

	BF	NP	Avg.
Nickie Blue	208	820	3.94
Hayley Copeland	32	156	4.88
Jessica Elliott	195	721	3.70

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 20+ runs 21, vs. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 Scored 25+ 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 12, vs. Southern Utah (2/27/2016)
 Recorded 17 hits 17, vs. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 Recorded 20 hits 20, vs. Alabama State (3/2/2013)
 Hit 3+ doubles 3, vs. Southern Utah (2/27/2016)
 Hit 4+ doubles 4, vs. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 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 4+ walks 4, vs. Georgia Tech (2/28/2016)
 Drew 5+ walks 7, vs. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 Drew eight walks at UNC Wilmington (3/31/2015)
 Drew 10 walks vs. Charleston Southern (4/1/2014)
 Hit by 3+ pitches 3, vs. UC Santa Barbara (2/26/2016)
 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 Blue & Elliott vs. Western Carolina (3/1/2016)
 Threw a one-hitter vs. Georgia Tech (2/28/2016)
 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 8+ batters 8, vs. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 Walked 11 batters at Florida (4/4/2015)
 Hit 2+ batters 3, vs. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 Hit four batters at Florida (4/3/2015)

Fielding

Did not commit an error vs. Western Carolina (3/1/2016)
 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 at UC Santa Barbara (2/27/2016)
 Turned four double plays in a game at Florida Atlantic (2/16/2014)

* NCAA Division I record

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. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 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 vs. Southern Utah (2/27/2016)
 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 1 2B, 1 3B for Alaynie Page vs. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 Had three extra-base hits 1 2B, 2 HR for Chelsea Hawkins vs. Kennesaw State (3/2/2013)
 Had one double and one triple Alaynie Page vs. Mississippi State (5/3/2015)
 Had one double and one HR Kaylea Snaer vs. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 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 6+ batters Hayley Copeland vs. Winthrop (2/21/2016)
 Walked seven batters Nickie Blue vs. Texas A&M (5/6/2015)
 Walked nine batters Jessica Barnes vs. Kentucky (3/19/2006)
 Hit 2+ batters Hayley Copeland vs. Southern Utah (2/26/2016)
 Had four wild pitches Hayley Copeland vs. Winthrop (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 Kennedy Clark vs. UC Santa Barbara (2/27/2016)
 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)

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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	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Masters	Watts	Maguire	Page	Ard	Clark	V. Williams	Elliott
2/26	at UC Santa Barbara	L	Bizzell	Snaer	Mack	Watts	Maguire	Page	Ard	Clark	V. Williams	Blue
2/26	vs. Southern Utah	W	Hull	Snaer	Masters	T. Williams	White	Page	Ard	Clark	Mack	Elliott
2/27	at UC Santa Barbara	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Mack	Watts	Maguire	Page	Ard	Clark	White	Elliott
2/27	vs. Southern Utah	W	Hull	Snaer	Masters	T. Williams	White	Page	Clark	Duffy	Mack	Blue
2/28	vs. Georgia Tech	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Masters	Watts	White	Page	Ard	Clark	Mack	Elliott
3/1	Western Carolina	W	Bizzell	Snaer	Mack	T. Williams	White	Page	Ard	Clark	V. Williams	Blue
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 12	Snaer 122	Masters 70	T. Williams 44	White 43	Page 174	Ard 22	Ard 37	V. Williams 65	Blue 57
Hull 4	V. Williams 9	Mack 6	Bizzell 39	Watts 22	Ard 17	Clark 4	V. Williams 24	Ard 12	Elliott 9
			Masters 37	Maguire 11		Duffy 1	Clark 12	Bizzell 12	Copeland 1
			Watts 9				Duffy 7	Duffy 7	
			V. Williams 9					Mack 3	
								Duffy 1	
								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	W	Page	Maguire	Clark	V. Williams	Snaer	Bizzell	Masters	Watts	Ard
2/26	at UC Santa Barbara	L	Page	Mack	Clark	V. Williams	Snaer	Maguire	Bizzell	Watts	Ard
2/26	vs. Southern Utah	W	Page	Mack	Clark	Snaer	Masters	T. Williams	White	Hull	Ard
2/27	at UC Santa Barbara	W	Page	Mack	Clark	Snaer	Maguire	White	Bizzell	Watts	Ard
2/27	vs. Southern Utah	W	Page	Mack	Clark	Snaer	White	Masters	T. Williams	Hull	Duffy
2/28	vs. Georgia Tech	W	Page	Mack	Clark	Snaer	White	Masters	Bizzell	Watts	Ard
3/1	Western Carolina	W	Page	Mack	Clark	Snaer	V. Williams	White	T. Williams	Bizzell	Ard
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 74	Page 74	V. Williams 48	Snaer 68	Masters 30	Masters 22	T. Williams 26	White 23	Ard 48
	Ard 2	Masters 29	Snaer 22	V. Williams 22	V. Williams 22	Ard 12	Masters 11	Watts 17	White 14
	Clark 2	Bizzell 19	Clark 12	T. Williams 1	Snaer 22	Bizzell 9	Bizzell 10	Bizzell 13	Watts 13
		Ard 11	Masters 8		Bizzell 9	T. Williams 7	Ard 8	Page 13	Duffy 6
		Mack 7	Maguire 2		Ard 2	V. Williams 7	V. Williams 7	T. Williams 7	Page 6
		Maguire 6	Page 2		White 2	Snaer 5	Snaer 6	Ard 4	Masters 5
		Duffy 4	Bizzell 1		Maguire 1	Duffy 4	Page 3	Hull 2	Bizzell 2
		Clark 2			T. Williams 1	Maguire 2	Hull 2	Masters 2	T. Williams 2
						Page 2	Duffy 1	Blue 1	Mack 1
						White 2	White 1	Mack 1	
									V. Williams 1

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GAMECOCK SEASON TOP FIVES IN TEAM CATEGORIES

TEAM

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

OFFENSE

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

Home Runs			
Year	HR	HR/G	HR/G
1. 2015	60	1.00	1.00
2. 2014	53	0.91	0.91
3. 2013	45	0.76	0.76
4. 2012	42	0.76	0.76
5. 2003	38	0.67	0.67

Total Bases					
Year	H	2B	3B	HR	TB
1. 1994	517	77	42	28	762
2. 2015	470	74	16	60	756
3. 1995	531	86	24	21	740
4. 1992	571	72	29	13	740
5. 2013	481	82	10	45	718

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

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
1. 1995	86
2. 2014	82
2013	82
2003	82
5. 2002	80

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

Triples	
Year	3B
1. 1994	42
2. 1988	33
3. 1992	29
4. 1995	24
1990	24

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

Home Runs	
Year	HR
1. 2015	60
2. 2014	53
3. 2013	45
4. 2012	42
5. 2003	38

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

Total Bases					
Year	H	2B	3B	HR	TB
1. 1994	517	77	42	28	762
2. 2015	470	74	16	60	756
3. 1995	531	86	24	21	740
4. 1992	571	72	29	13	740
5. 2013	481	82	10	45	718

Runs Batted In			
Year	RBI	RBI/G	RBI/G
1. 2013	295	5.00	5.00
2. 2015	288	4.80	4.80
3. 2014	275	4.74	4.74
4. 1988	257	4.53	4.53
5. 1992	253	4.21	4.21

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

Walks	
Year	BB
1. 2014	210
2. 2015	204
3. 1992	173
4. 2013	164
5. 2000	155

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
1. 2013	60
2. 2015	58
3. 2014	46
4. 2012	39
5. 2011	37

Sacrifice Hits	
Year	SH
1. 1997	91
2. 2000	84
3. 1985	82
4. 1983	79
5. 1987 & 1999	77

Sacrifice Flies	
Year	SF
1. 1995	26
2. 1994	22
3. 1997	17
4. 1988	16
5. 2013 & 2014	15

Strikeouts	
Year	SO
1. 2007	356
2. 2005	333
3. 2006	331
4. 2004	327
5. 2010	306

Stolen Bases			
Year	SB	SB%	SB%
1. 1995	87	.952	.952
2. 2011	79	.946	.946
1992	79	.934	.934
4. 1994	75	.926	.926
5. 2013	69	.926	.926

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

DEFENSE

Fielding Percentage	
Year	Fid%
1. 1989	.978
2. 2007	.976
3. 2003	.972
4. 1999	.970
5. 2002	.968
1985	.968

* - Led NCAA Division I

PITCHING

Innings Pitched	
Year	IP
1. 1995	506.0
2. 1999	484.0
3. 2000	470.1
4. 1997	464.0
1994	464.0

Earned Run Average	
Year	ERA
1. 1983	0.49
2. 1997	0.54*
3. 1987	0.57
4. 1988	0.68
5. 1985	0.78

Shutouts	
Year	SHO
1. 1997	36
2. 1988	30
3. 1991	28
4. 1992	25
5. 2001	24

Strikeouts	
Year	SO
1. 1997	546
2. 1995	536
3. 1999	455
4. 2007	442
5. 2001	424

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
1. 1997	464.0	0.59
2. 1983	301.0	0.63
3. 1985	333.0	0.65
4. 1987	344.0	0.69
5. 1988	422.2	0.70

Saves	
Year	SV
1. 1999	12
2. 2014	11
3. Four times with	7



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)

First No-Hitter

Nickie Blue and Jessica Elliott combined vs. WCU (3/1/16)

- 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 800 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.

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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