50 YEARS OF PENN STATE SOFTBALL

Play for those who Ko came before you.

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		2015 SCHEDUL	E
FEBRU/	ARY	A	1 5
ri. 6	1	vs. Arkansas	W, 6-4
Sat. 7	1	vs. LIU Brooklyn	W, 9-1 (5)
		vs. Georgia Tech	W, 3-2
Sun. 8		vs. Kansas	L, 0-8 (5)
Eri 12	! #	at. Florida Atlantic vs. Missouri State	L, 0-7
Fri. 13	#	at #22 Texas A&M	W, 4-3 L, 0-8 (5)
Sat. 14	#	vs. Missouri State	W, 6-1
out. II	#	at #22 Texas A&M	W, 4-3 (8)
Sun 15	#	vs. Eastern Michigan	L, 1-2
Sat 21		at Mississippi State	1:00 p.m.
		at Mississippi State	3:00 p.m.
Sun 22	^	at Mississippi State	2:00 p.m.
Fri. 27	^	vs. Fordham	1:15 p.m.
Sat. 28	^	vs. Missouri vs. Nebraska-Omaha	5:45 p.m. 11:00 a.m.
Jai. 20	^	vs. Georgia	1:15 p.m.
MARCH		vs. Georgia	1.15 p.m.
Sun. 1	٨	vs. James Madison	12:15 p.m.
Tue. 10		at Pacific (DH)	7:00 p.m.
Thu. 12	%	vs. Grand Canyon	4:00 p.m.
	%	at Sacromento State	6:15 p.m.
Fr. 13	%	vs. Loyola Marymount	4:30 p.m.
Sat. 14	%	at Sacromento State	4:30 p.m.
Wed.18	%	vs. Loyola Marymount	6:45 p.m.
Fri. 20	*	PITTSBURGH	6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Sat. 21	*	NORTHWESTERN	3:00 p.m.
Sun. 22	*	NORTHWESTERN	1:00 p.m.
Wed.25		ROBERT MORRIS (DH)	5:00 p.m.
Fri. 27	*	at Michigan State	4:00 p.m.
Sat. 28	*	at Michigan State	1:00 p.m.
Sun. 29		at Michigan State	1:00 p.m.
APRIL			
Wed. 1	*	BUCKNELL (DH)	5:00 p.m.
Fri. 3	*	at Wisconsin (DH)	4:00 p.m.
Sat. 4	*	at Wisconsin	12:00 p.m.
Tue. 7 Fri. 10	*	OHIO STATE (DH) INDIANA	5:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m.
Sat. 11	*	INDIANA	3:00 p.m.
Sun. 12	*	INDIANA	1:00 p.m.
Wed.15		at Pittsburgh	6:00 p.m.
Fri. 17	*	at Maryland	6:00 p.m.
Sat. 18	*	at Maryland	1:00 p.m.
Sat. 19	*	at Maryland	1:00 p.m.
Wed.22		ST. FRANCIS (Pa.) (DH)	5:00 p.m.
Fri. 24	*	RUTGERS	6:00 p.m.
Sat. 25	*	RUTGERS	3:00 p.m.
Sat. 26	*	RUTGERS	1:00 p.m.
	*	ot Michigan	6.00
Fri. 1	*	at Michigan	6:00 p.m.
Sat. 2	*	at Michigan at Michigan	2:00 p.m.
Sun. 3 Thu. 7	~	Big Ten Tournament Ope	1:00 p.m. ening Round
Fri. 8	~		Quarterfinals
Sat. 9	~		ampionship
# % Ca Big Ten	Age ^ C pital cont	All times Eastern dantic University 'Kick-Off' Tou gie Classic hosted by Texas A Citrus Classic II hosted by UCI Classic hosted by Sacramen est ~ B1G Tournament, Colu s in BOLD CAPS at Nittany L Park & Beard Field	&M F to State umbus. Ohio

PENN S	TATE	Saturday			ISSISSIPPI	STATE
NITTANY	LIONS	21 1 p.r	22		ULLDOGS	
(6-4, 0-0,	, B1G)	3 p.r	1 2 2 2 2	n. (!	9-1, 0-0, SEC	C)
	Games 1			hall Field •	Starkville, Miss.	
			22 • M30 301		Starkvine, Miss.	
SERIES IN PENN STA		ON			vs. Mississippi	State (9-1)
COVERAGE	GoPSU	sports.com /	@PennState	SB/SEC	NetworkPlus (S vs. Mississippi	Sunday Only)
NEXT SERI	ES			ssic (Feb.	27 - Mar. 1), Or	lando, Fla.
				a-Omaha,	Georgia, Jame	s Madison
		MISSISSIPF		Sel .	~	to P
All-Time Ser PSU Streak		PSU lea	W2	1	S	
First Meeting Last Meeting		3/9/00, 2/24/01,	W, 6-5		N.	ST
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2/24/01	N	Ŵ	6-5	•		
TEAM S	TATISTICA	LEADER		_exi (Nief	KRISTINA BRACKPOOL	MARLAINA LAUBACH
		15	20			
20		15	.30	9 Avg.	8 RBI	0.00 ER/

- This will be Penn State and Mississippi State's fourth, fifth and sixth meetings all-time as the two have only played each other three times previously, with PSU owning a 2-1 advantage over their SEC foes
- The PSU vs. MSU series will also be the Lions' first head-to-head, non-tournament action all season, last year PSU didn't play in a head-to-head series until it's B1G opener against Purdue (Mar. 21)
- Soph. Pitcher Marlaina Laubach has a perfect 0.00 ERA, which is tops in the B1G
- Soph. 1B Kristina Brackpool leads the team with 3 home runs, she hit 2 total in 2014
- Brackpool is also the team leader when it comes to RBI with 8, she knocked in 13 in '14
 The Lions are coming off their second upset of a ranked opponent on their home field in two seasons, after defeating Texas A&M 4-3 in eight innings last weekend
- Penn State was 1-3 against SEC opponents last season and is 1-1 so far in 2015
 Amanda Lehotak's squad has already won six games so far this season, they did not
- @PennStateSB

PennStateSoftball

PENN STATE UNIVERSITY

Location	University Park, Pa.
Founded	
Enrollment	
Nickname	Nittany Lions
Colors	Blue and White
Conference	Big Ten Conference
Home Facility Nittany L	ion Softball Park (1,084)
President	Eric J. Baron
Director of Athletics	Sandy Barbour
Assoc. Athletics Diretor (S	SWA) Charmelle Green
Faculty Representative	Dr. Linda Caldwell
Athletics Website	www.GoPSUsports.com

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Overall Record	
Record at Penn S	State
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TEAM INFORMATION

2014 Overall Record	. 14-35 (.286)
2014 Big Ten Record (Finish)	
Starters Returning/Lost	6/5
Position Players Returning/Lost	11/5
Pitchers Returning/Lost	4/0
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	13/5
Newcomers	7
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PROGRAM HISTORY

First Varsity Year1965
All-Time Record941-916-3 (.507), 50 Yrs.
All-Time Big Ten Record 178-317-1 (.360), 23 Yrs.
NCAA Postseason Appearances10
All-Time NCAA Tournament Record12-20
NFCA All-Americans4
Academic All-Americans16
First Team All-Big Ten Selections10
Second Team All-Big Ten Selections21
Third Team All-Big Ten Selections22

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SERIES HEADLINES

HERE'S TO GREAT BEGINNINGS HERE'S TO GREAT BEGINNINGS Penn State has gotten off to its best start in six years, following a 3-2 weekend at the Aggie Classic in College Station, where it featured a pair of wins over Missouri State and an upset of No. 22 and tournament host Texas A&M. The last time the Nittany lions had at least six wins after their first Lions had at least six wins after their first 10 games was in 2010, when they started the season 9-4 after a baker's dozen of contests. Below is a look at the last six times Penn State has had at least a half dozen wins following its first 10 games over the course of the last 15 seasons.

Year	10 gms	13 gams	Final Rec.
2015			
2010	7-3	9-4	29-22
2008	6-4	8-5	34-22
2006	7-3	10-3	39-17
2005	6-4	8-5	36-23
2001	6-4	9-4	34-28
2000	6-4	8-5	38-19

SPOTLESS

Sophomore pitcher Marlaina Laubach has Sophomore pitcher Marlaina Laubach has been dominant this season in the circle with her perfect 0.00 ERA. In four appearances she has pitched a total of 18 innings, not allowing an earned run and only giving up four hits, while striking out nine and walking five. Her triple zero's leads the B1G when it comes to earned run average and she also tied for the most games finished with her four. four.

BRACKPOOL'S BOMBS Sophomore first bas

Sophomore first baseman Kristina Brackpool has three home runs in her first 10 games and is on pace for 17 this season. Last year she only hit two dingers the entire 49 game season, so she has already surpassed her career high and will be looking to add to that total this weekend in Starkville.

CUTS LIKE A KNIEF

Junior Lexi Knief's ability to cut through opposing pitching this year has been remarkable. Despite missing four of the first five games of the season due to injury, she leads the team in batting average (.389), and is tied for the team lead in doubles with a pair. Her three RBI is tied for fourth most on the team but one of them accounted on the team, but one of them accounted for a walk-off win, last Saturday against Missouri State.

R-E-S-P-E-C-T

Mississippi State is getting some of that from voters of the two Top 25 softball polls this week as the Bulldogs, off to a 9-1 start have received 15 Top 25 votes in the USA Today/NFCA poll and another half dozen in the ESPN/USA Softball poll. The Dawgs were undefeated in their first nine contests in 2015, but then dromed a 4 2 dozing in 2015, but then dropped a 4-3 decision to Illinois this past weekend on their home field to halt the streak.

HISTORIC UPSET

HISTORIC UPSET Penn State's upset of No. 22 Teas A&M on its home field was no doubt a landmark win for head coach Amanda Lehotak but it was not actually her first win as PSU coach over a ranked opponent. Last season, the Lions downed No. 21 LSU 6-5 on their home field during the Tiger Invitational. Last season Penn State went 1-8 against ranked opponents and are 1-1 thus far in 2015.

FRESHMEN FAST STARTS Penn State freshmen have started off their first season in the Blue and White on the right foot as a number of them got off to hot starts. This past weekend catcher Alyssa VanDerveer added to her home run total with her second long ball of the

Season and first-year pitcher Jessica Cummings picked up her first collegiate win in the circle with a decision against Missouri

State on Saturday. Fellow freshman Mollie Sorenson ranks third on the team with four RBI, while Gianna Arrizurieta is tied for the team lead in doubles with a pair.

TRAVEL TESTED Penn State will play its first 24 games on the road before the weather warms up and it's able to play the season's first games at Nittany Lion Softball Park at beard Field. Last season the Lions were 6-15 through their first 21 games on the road, featuring stops in Arizona, Mississippi, Florida and Virginia before returning to Happy Valley.

NEW NAMES AND NUMBERS 2015 brings with it a new season but also some new names and numbers to the Penn State program. This season a half-State program. This season a half-dozen freshman litter the Lion lineup and roster as Jessica Cummings (#1), Mia Monopoli (#13), Rebecca Ziegler (#15), Gianna Arrizurieta (#21), Mollie Sorenson (#22) and Alyssa VanderVeer will all call Happy Valley home for the first time. Junior transfer Erin Pond (#2) also makes her debut in the Blue and White.

SOPHOMORE SEASON

SOPHOMORE SEASON Although it's been a while since head coach Amanda Lehotak was a sophomore playing at Ole' Miss, she enters her sophomore season on the bench as the leader of the PSU program. In her first season the Lions went 14-35 with a 5-18 B1G mark. Here's a look at how second year coaches have fared at Penn State over the years.

Coach	Year	Rec.	Pct.
Pat McTarsney	1966	2-2	.500
Pat McTarsneý	1975	8-7	.533
Sue Rankin	1983	25-13	.658
Rob Petrini	1998	21-28-1	.430
Amanda Lehotak	2015	6-4	.600

* Pat McTarsney returned to coaching after a one year hiatus in 1973.

ROUGH ROAD

Point State's 2015 schedule is a challenging one, with 56 games on the slate against opponents in conferences such as the SEC, ACC and the Big 12. The Lions will take on a total of four teams (Michigan, Georgia, Texas A&M and Missouri in the Pre-Season Top 25 as well as another four (Wisconsin, Mississippi State, James Madison, Northwestern) who are receiving Madison, Northwestern) who are receiving votes in both the USA Today/NFCA and the ESPN/USA Softball Top 25 polls.

NATIONAL PROGRAM

This season the Lions boast a total of 18 players from states other than the Commonwealth. Two from Hawaii, one from Washington and five from California from Washington and five from California dot the western edge of the States, while four from N.Y. and N.J. join other ones from Maryland, Ohio, Virginia and Florida to make-up the eastern part of the country. Three Pennsylvanians (Marlaina Laubach, Christy Von Pusch and Mary Ward) bring some in-state pride to the program while, one from Arizona and another from Texas add unique flair to an already diverse group.

A HALF CENTURY OF TRADITION Penn State softball is celebrating its 50th anniversary in 2015, making it the oldest program among the schools in the power five conferences (ACC, B1G, Big 12, Pac-12, SEC). The Lions started up in 1965 under head coach Pat McTarsney and went 2-2 in their first season with wins against Elizabethtown and Wilson colleges. PSU defeated both in-state schools by a combined 46-4 score. The second oldest program among the power five is Arizona State, which began play just two years later in 1967.

TENN STATE RECORD WHEN	SITUATIONAL RECORDS					
Record when team scores:	Win-Loss record when					
Runs 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10+	Overall	6-4	After 4 leading	4-0		
W-L 0-3 0-1 0-0 1-0 2-0 0-0 2-0 0-0 0-0 1-0 0-0	Conference	0-0	trailing	1-4		
Record when opponent scores:	Non-Conference	6-4	tied	1-0		
Runs 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10+	Home games	0-0	After 5 leading	3-0		
W-L 0-0 2-0 1-1 2-0 1-0 0-0 0-0 0-1 0-2 0-0 0-0	Away games	2-2	trailing	1-2		
	Neutral site	4-2	tied	1-0		
Record when leading after:	Day games	5-3	After 6 leading	3-0		
Innning 1 2 3 4 5 6	Night games	1-1	trailing	0-2		
W-L 2-0 3-0 3-0 4-0 3-0 3-0	vs Left starter	0-0	tied	2-0		
Record when trailing after:	vs Right starter	6-4				
Innning 1 2 3 4 5 6	1-Run games	3-1	Hit 0 home runs	2-4		
W-L 3-2 1-3 0-4 1-4 1-2 0-2	2-Run games	1-0	1 home run	2-0		
	5+Run games	2-3	2+ home runs	2-0		
Record when tied after:	Extra innings	1-0				
Innning 1 2 3 4 5 6	Shutouts	0-3	Opponent 0 home runs	5-2		
W-L 1-2 2-1 3-0 1-0 1-0 2-0			1 home run	1-1		
Won-loss streaks:	Scoring 0-2 runs	0-4	2+ HRs	0-1		
Current losing streak 1	3-5 runs	3-0				
Longest winning streak 3	6-9 runs	3-0	Made 0 errors	3-2		
Longest losing streak 2	10+ runs	0-0	1 error	1-1		
			2+ errors	2-1		
	Opponent 0-2 runs	3-1				
	3-5 runs	3-0	Opp. made 0 errors	3-3		
	6-9 runs	0-3		2-1		
	10+ runs	0-0		1-0		
3	cored in 1st inning	2-0	Out-hit opponent	5-0		
	Opp. scored in 1st	3-2	Out-hit by opponent	1-3		
	Scores first	3-0	Hits are tied	0-1		
	Opp. scores first	3-4				

SITUATIONAL RECORDS

PENN STATE RECORD WHEN ...

Inning-by-inning	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Penn State	4	9	7	4	2	4	2	1	33
Opponents	9	3	8	12	1	2	4	0	39

BIG STANDINGS

		Big	j Ten	1		Ove	erall			
Team	w	L	Т	Pct	W	L	Т	Pct	Last 10	Streak
Michigan	0	0	0	.000	8	1	0	.889	8-1	W 8
Minnesota	0	0	0	.000	8	1	0	.889	8-1	L 1
Ohio State	0	0	0	.000	7	1	0	.875	7-1	W 1
Michigan State	0	0	0	.000	7	3	0	.700	7-3	W 2
Penn State	0	0	0	.000	6	4	0	.600	6-4	L 1
Purdue	0	0	0	.000	6	4	0	.600	6-4	W 6
Maryland	0	0	0	.000	6	4	0	.600	6-4	L 1
Wisconsin	0	0	0	.000	5	6	0	.455	5-5	L 2
Nebraska	0	0	0	.000	4	6	0	.400	4-6	L 5
Rutgers	0	0	0	.000	2	3	0	.400	2-3	L 1
Iowa	0	0	0	.000	3	5	0	.375	3-5	L 3
Northwestern	0	0	0	.000	3	6	0	.333	3-6	W 1
Illinois	0	0	0	.000	3	7	0	.300	3-7	W 1
Indiana	0	0	0	.000	2	8	0	.200	2-8	L 4

Overall Statistics for Penn State (as of Feb 15, 2015) (All games Sorted by Batting avg)

Record: 6-4 Home: 0-0 Away: 2-2 Neutral: 4-2 Big Ten: 0-0

Player	avg	gp-gs	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	tb	slg%	bb	hp	so g	Jdp	ob%	sf	sh	sb-att	ро	а	e fld%
25 Meghan Bradley	.500	4-0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	.500	1	0	0	0	.667	0	0	0-0	0	0	0.000
10 Lexi Knief	.389	6-6	18	3	7	2	0	0	3	9	.500	0	1	3	0	.421	0	1	0-1	2	0	0 1.000
18 Alicia Walker	.333	10-5	12	4	4	1	1	0	1	7	.583	2	0	2	0	.429	0	0	0-0	1	0	0 1.000
3 Macy Jones	.310	10-10	29	5	9	0	0	1	3	12	.414	2	0	1	0	.355	0	0	0-0	13	4	0 1.000
41 Alyssa VanDerveer	.267	10-10	30	3	8	1	0	2	6	15	.500	2	0	3	0	.313	0	0	0-0	26	5	0 1.000
52 Kristina Brackpool	.259	10-10	27	3	7	0	0	3	8	16	.593	3	0	2	0	.323	1	0	0-0	75	4	2.975
8 Reina Furuya	.240	10-10	25	5	6	1	0	0	3	7	.280	2	0	5	0	.296	0	4	0-0	14	21	4 .897
21 Gianna Arrizurieta	.200	10-10	20	2	4	2	0	0	1	6	.300	3	0	5	0	.304	0	1	0-0	10	18	1.966
77 Shelby Miller	.182	4-3	11	0	2	1	0	0	0	3	.273	0	0	0	0	.182	0	0	0-0	0	0	0.000
22 Mollie Sorenson	.167	10-10	24	3	4	0	0	0	4	4	.167	4	2	3	0	.333	0	3	0-0	16	14	2.938
2 Erin Pond	.130	10-9	23	3	3	1	1	0	0	6	.261	1	0	7	0	.167	0	0	1-1	9	2	0 1.000
13 Mia Monopoli	.100	5-4	10	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	.100	1	0	6	0	.182	0	0	0-0	16	0	0 1.000
28 Shannon Good	.000	3-2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	1	0-0	4	0	1.800
12 Maegan Tupinio	.000	4-1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	1	1-1	0	0	0.000
24 Mary Ward	.000	6-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0-0	0	0	0.000
Totals	.236	10	237	33	56	9	2	6	30	87	.367	21	3	39	0	.305	1	11	2-3	191	88	11 .962
Opponents	.226	10	235	39	53	8	1	4	29	75	.319	53	8	37	1	.384	1	7	9-9	191	89	5.982

LOB - Team (50), Opp (75). DPs turned - Team (5).

(All games Sorted by Earned run avg)

Player	era	w-I	app gs	cg	sho	sv	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	2b	3b	hr	b∕avg	wp	hp	bk s	fas	sha
7 Marlaina Laubach	0.00	2-0	4 0	0	0/0	0	18.0	4	1	0	5	9	1	0	0	.069	0	0	0	0	1
3 Macy Jones	4.20	1-0	2 0	0	0/0	0	3.1	2	2	2	4	2	2	0	0	.154	0	1	0	0	1
4 Marissa Diescher	4.50	2-1	55	2	0/0	0	18.2	17	13	12	18	11	0	1	0	.250	4	5	0	0	2
1 Jessica Cummings	5.46	1-3	4 4	1	0/0	0	16.2	24	15	13	11	11	3	0	3	.338	2	2	0	0	3
5 Christy Von Pusch	7.00	0-0	3 1	0	0/0	0	7.0	6	8	7	15	4	2	0	1	.240	5	0	0	1	0
Totals	3.63	6-4	10 10	3	0/0	0	63.2	53	39	33	53	37	8	1	4	.226	11	8	0	1	7
Opponents	3.19	4-6	10 10	6	3/0	0	63.2	56	33	29	21	39	9	2	6	.236	3	3	0	1	11



OFFENSIVE CATEGORY LEADERS

Batting avg		Slugging pct		On base pct
1. Meghan Bradley	. 500	1. Kristina Brackpool	.593	1. Meghan Bradley
2. Lexi Knief	.389	2. Alicia Walker	.583	2. Alicia Walker
3. Alicia Walker	.333	3. Alyssa VanDerveer	. 500	3. Lexi Knief
4. Macy Jones	.310	Lexi Knief	. 500	Macy Jones
5. Alyssa VanDerveer	.267	Meghan Bradley	.500	5. Mollie Sorenson
Runs scored		Hits		Runs batted in
1. Reina Furuya	5	1. Macy Jones	9	1. Kristina Brackpool
Macy Jones	5	2. Alyssa VanDerveer	8	2. Alyssa VanDerveer
3. Alicia Walker	4	3. Kristina Brackpool	7	3. Mollie Sorenson
4. 5 tied at	3	Lexi Knief	7	4. 3 tied at
		5. Reina Furuya	6	
Doubles		Triples		Home runs
1. Lexi Knief	2	1. Alicia Walker	1	1. Kristina Brackpool
Gianna Arrizurieta	2	Erin Pond	1	2. Alyssa VanDerveer
3. 5 tied at	1			3. Macy Jones
Total bases		Walks		Hit by pitch
1. Kristina Brackpool	16	1. Mollie Sorenson	4	1. Mollie Sorenson
2. Alyssa VanDerveer	15	2. Gianna Arrizurieta	3	2. Lexi Knief
3. Macy Jones	12	Kristina Brackpool	3	
 Lexi Knief 	9	4. 4 tied at	2	
5. 2 tied at	7			
Sac bunts		Sac flies		Stolen bases
1. Reina Furuya	4	1. Kristina Brackpool	1	1. Erin Pond
2. Mollie Sorenson	3			Maegan Tupinio

3. 4 tied at ...

		PITCHING LEADE	ERS		
Earned run avg		Opposing bat avg		Won-loss pct	
1. Marlaina Laubach	0.00	1. Marlaina Laubach	.069	1. Marlaina Laubach 1	1.000
2. Macy Jones	4.20	2. Macy Jones	.154	Macy Jones 1	1.000
3. Marissa Diescher	4.50	3. Christy Von Pusch	.240	3. Marissa Diescher	.667
4. Jessica Cummings	5.46	4. Marissa Diescher	.250	4. Jessica Cummings	.250
5. Christy Von Pusch	7.00	5. Jessica Cummings	.338	5. Christy Von Pusch	.000
Wins		Losses		Saves	
1. Marlaina Laubach	2	1. Jessica Cummings	3	None	
Marissa Diescher	2	2. Marissa Diescher	1		
3. Macy Jones	1				
Jessica Cummings	1				
Innings pitched		Batters struck out		Appearances	
1. Marissa Diescher	18.2	1. Marissa Diescher	11	1. Marissa Diescher	5
2. Marlaina Laubach	18.0	Jessica Cummings	11	2. Jessica Cummings	4
3. Jessica Cummings	16.2	3. Marlaina Laubach	9	Marlaina Laubach	4
4. Christy Von Pusch	7.0	4. Christy Von Pusch	4	4. Christy Von Pusch	3
5. Macy Jones	3.1	5. Macy Jones	2	5. Macy Jones	2
Games started		Games finished		Games in relief	
1. Marissa Diescher	5	1. Marlaina Laubach	4	1. Marlaina Laubach	4
2. Jessica Cummings	4	2. Macy Jones	2	2. Christy Von Pusch	2
3. Christy Von Pusch	1	3. Christy Von Pusch	1	Macy Jones	2
Wild pitches		Balks		Hit batters	
1. Christy Von Pusch	5	None		1. Marissa Diescher	5
2. Marissa Diescher	4	None		2. Jessica Cummings	2
3. Jessica Cummings	2			3. Macy Jones	1
3. Jessica cummings	2			3. Waty Jones	
Intentional BB allowe	d	Runners picked off		Batters SO out looking	
None		None		1. Marlaina Laubach	5
				2. Christy Von Pusch	3
				3. Jessica Cummings	2
				Marissa Diescher	2

DEFENSIVE CATEGORY LEADERSS

.667

.429

.421

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.333

Fielding pct		Chances
1. Alyssa VanDerveer	1.000	1. Kristina Brackpool
Macy Jones	1.000	2. Reina Furuya
Mia Monopoli	1.000	3. Mollie Sorenson
Erin Pond	1.000	4. Alyssa VanDerveer
Lexi Knief	1.000	5. Gianna Arrizurieta
Assists		Errors
1. Reina Furuya	21	1. Reina Furuya
2. Gianna Arrizurieta	18	2. Kristina Brackpool
3. Mollie Sorenson	14	Mollie Sorenson
4. Marissa Diescher	8	4. 3 tied at
5. Jessica Cummings	7	
Stolen bases against		Caught stealing by
1. Alyssa VanDerveer	8	None
2. Jessica Cummings	5	
3. Marlaina Laubach	2	
Christy Von Pusch	2	
5. Mia Monopoli	1	
Passed balls		Catchers interference
1. Mia Monopoli	2	None
Alyssa VanDerveer	2	
Putouts		
1. Kristina Brackpool	75	
2. Alyssa VanDerveer	26	
3. Mollie Sorenson	16	
Mia Monopoli	16	
5. Reina Furuya	14	
Fielding double plays		
1. Kristina Brackpool	4	
2. Reina Furuya	3	
3. Mollie Sorenson	2	
4. Gianna Arrizurieta	1	
Erin Pond	1	
Steal attempts agains	t	
1. Alyssa VanDerveer	8	
2. Jessica Cummings	5	
3. Christy Von Pusch	2	
Marlaina Laubach	2	

5. Mia Monopoli

USA Today/NFCA Division I Softball Poll – Feb. 17, 2015

Rank	Team	2015 Record	Totals	Prev. Rank
1	Florida (26)	11-0	722	1
2	Oregon (3)	6-0	699	2
3	Alabama	11-1	619	3
4	Oklahoma	9-1	593	4
5	Michigan	8-1	580	8
6	Louisiana Lafayette	9-0	553	7
7	Baylor	9-0	503	9
8	Georgia	10-0	480	10
9	Florida State	7-3	474	6
10	Tennessee	9-0	465	11
11	Kentucky	6-2	458	5
12	UCLA	9-2	403	12
13	Arizona	9-0	397	14
14	LSU	10-0	357	16
15	Minnesota	8-1	328	13
16	Auburn	12-0	320	17
17	Washington	8-2	304	15
18	Missouri	3-1	228	18
t19	Arizona State	8-4	190	21
t19	UCF	8-0	190	RV
21	California	9-0	131	RV
22	South Alabama	7-2	115	24
23	Texas A&M	7-3	102	23
24	Notre Dame	5-4	51	20
25	Texas	7-3	23	RV

Others Receiving Votes: South Carolina (22), Kansas (21), Virginia Tech (20), Stanford (16), Tulsa (15), Mississippi State (15), Cal State Fullerton (12), Nebraska (11), James Madison (3), Hofstra (2), Florida Atlantic (2), Western Kentucky (1).

ESPN.com/USA Softball Collegiate Top 25 2015 Season – Week 2 – February 17, 2015

Rank	Team	Record	Points	Previous Ranking
1.	Florida (18)	11-0	498	1
2.	Oregon (2)	6-0	482	2
3.	Oklahoma	9-1	450	3
4.	Michigan	8-1	429	7
5.	Alabama	11-1	426	4
6.	Louisiana-Lafayette	9-0	379	8
7.	Georgia	10-0	356	9
8.	Florida State	7-3	354	5
9.	Kentucky	6-2	316	6
10.	Arizona	9-0	307	T12
11.	Baylor	9-0	302	11
12.	UCLA	9-2	298	10
13.	Tennessee	9-0	252	14
14.	Minnesota	8-1	244	T12
15.	LSU	10-0	235	16
16.	Washington	8-2	198	15
17.	Auburn	12-0	192	17
18.	Missouri	4-1	146	18
19.	UCF	8-0	136	RV
20.	California	9-0	111	23
21.	Arizona State	8-4	109	21
22.	Texas A&M	7-3	63	22
T23	Notre Dame	5-4	51	19
T23	South Alabama	7-2	51	25
25.	Tulsa	7-3	27	24

Others receiving votes: Stanford (15), Texas (11), Virginia Tech (11), Cal State Fullerton (8), Kansas (6), Mississippi State (6), San Diego State (6), South Carolina (6), Nebraska (4), NC State (4), Ohio State (4), James Madison (3), Cal State Northridge (2), Fresno State (1), North Dakota State (1)

PENN STATE RECORD BOOK WATCH

CAREER

HITTING

BATTING AVERAGE (Min. 90 At-Bats)

No. Player	.Avg	Years
1. Nan Sichler	.369	1985-88
2. Cassidy Bell	.359	2010-13
3 Karen Gulini	.349	1998-01
4. Michelle Turk	.352	1981-84
5. Christy Phillips	.348	1981-84
6. Ashley Esparza	.341	2005-08
Gina Bianchini	.341	1999-03
8. Danielle Kinley	.335	2006-09
9. Geri Saya	.334	1982-85
10. Carol Fultz	.333	1982-85
11. Lexi Knief	.332	2013-
12. Megan Humphrey	.315	2000-03
13. Jennifer Tripken	.314	1999-02
14. Erin Norton	.312	2000-03

PITCHING

SAVES		
No. Player	Svs.	Years
1. Missy Beseres	9	2002-06
2. Ashley Esparza	8	2005-08
3. Jackie Hill	6	2007-11
4. Macy Jones	3	2013-
Marisa Hanson	3	2001-04
Kelly McCann	3	1998-01
7. Jaci Kalp	2	1997-00
Tanis Ambelang	2	1998-00
9. Marissa Diescher	1	2012-
Marlaina Laubach	1	2014-
Lisa Akamine	1	2009-12
Anje Schwab	1	1995-98

Bold indicates current student-athlete

2015 PENN STATE SOFTBALL NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Year	Height	B/T	Hometown	High School
1	Jessica Cummings	Р	Fr.	5-8	L/R	Owings, Md.	Northern
2	Erin Pond	UTL	Jr.	5-2	R/R	Lagrange, Ohio	Keystone
3	Macy Jones	OF/P	Jr.	5-4	L/L	Ashburn, Va.	Briar Woods
4	Marissa Diescher	Р	Sr.	5-10	R/R	Livingston Manor, N.Y.	Livingston Manor Central
5	Christy Von Pusch	Р	Jr.	5-10	R/R	Bryn Mawr, Pa.	Radnor
7	Marlaina Laubach	Р	So.	5-8	R/R	Northampton, Pa.	Northampton
8	Reina Furuya	INF	Jr.	5-7	R/R	Waipahu, Hawaii	Punahou
10	Lexi Knief	OF	Jr.	5-6	L/R	Ramsey, N.J.	Ramsey
11	Sam Shanahan	P/INF	So.	5-5	R/R	Seattle, Wash.	Bishop Blanchet
12	Maegan Tupinio	INF/OF	Jr.	5-4	L/R	Wahiawa, Hawaii	Leilehua
13	Mia Monopoli	С	RS Fr.	5-4	R/R	San Francisco, Calif.	Acalanes
15	Rebecca Żiegler	OF	Fr	5-5	L/R	Tucson, Ariz.	Canyon del Oro
18	Alicia Walker	OF	Sr.	5-6	R/R	Los Alamitos, Calif.	Los Alamitos
21	Gianna Arrizurieta	INF	Fr.	5-6	R/R	Pembroke Pines, Fla.	American Heritage Plantation
22	Mollie Sorenson	INF/OF	Fr.	5-5	L/R	Stevenson Ranch, Calif.	West Ranch
24	Mary Ward	OF	So.	5-3	L/L	Greencastle, Pa.	Greencastle-Antrim
25	Meghan Bradley	OF	Sr.	5-7	L/L	Santa Monica, Calif.	Santa Monica
28	Shannon Good	OF	Jr.	5-7	R/R	Horseheads, N.Y.	Horseheads
41	Alyssa VanDerveer	INF	Fr.	5-8	R/R	Hillsborough, N.J.	Hillsborough
52	Kristina Brackpool	INF	So.	5-8	R/R	Valencia, Čalif.	Valencia
77	Shelby Miller	INF	So.	5-8	L/R	Sugar Land, Texas	Kempner

Head Coach: Amanda Lehotak (Second Season) Assistant Coach: Megan Gibson (Second Season) Assistant Coach: Joe Guthrie (Second Season) Volunteer Assistant: Kasie Hatfield (First Season)

2015 PENN STATE SOFTBALL ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Year	Height	B/T	Hometown	High School
21	Gianna Arrizurieta	INF	Fr	5-6	R/R	Pembroke Pines, Fla.	American Heritage Plantation
52	Kristina Brackpool	INF	So.	5-8	R/R	Valencia, Calif.	Valencia
25	Meghan Bradley	OF	Sr.	5-7	L/L	Santa Monica, Calif.	Santa Monica
1	Jessica Cummings	Р	Fr.	5-8	L/R	Owings, Md.	Northern
4	Marissa Diescher	Р	Sr.	5-10	R/R	Livingston Manor, N.Y.	Livingston Manor Central
8	Reina Furuya	INF	Jr.	5-7	R/R	Waipahu, Hawaii	Punahou
28	Shannon Good	OF	Jr.	5-7	R/R	Horseheads, N.Y.	Horseheads
3	Macy Jones	OF/P	Jr.	5-4	L/L	Ashburn, Va.	Briar Woods
10	Lexi Knief	OF	Jr.	5-6	L/R	Ramsey, N.J.	Ramsey
7	Marlaina Laubach	Р	So.	5-8	R/R	Northampton, Pa.	Northampton
77	Shelby Miller	INF	So.	5-8	L/R	Sugar Land, Texas	Kempner
13	Mia Monopoli	С	RS Fr.	5-4	R/R	San Francisco, Calif.	Acalanes
2	Erin Pond	UTL	Jr.	5-2	R/R	Lagrange, Ohio	Keystone
11	Sam Shanahan	P/INF	So.	5-5	R/R	Seattle, Wash.	Bishop Blanchet
22	Mollie Sorenson	INF/OF	Fr.	5-5	L/R	Stevenson Ranch, Calif.	West Ranch
12	Maegan Tupinio	INF/OF	Jr.	5-4	L/R	Wahiawa, Hawaii	Leilehua
41	Alyssa VanDerveer	INF	Fr	5-8	R/R	Hillsborough, N.J.	Hillsborough
5	Christy Von Pusch	Р	Jr.	5-10	R/R	Bryn Mawr, Pa.	Radnor
18	Alicia Walker	OF	Sr.	5-6	R/R	Los Alamitos, Calif.	Los Alamitos
24	Mary Ward	OF	So.	5-3	L/L	Greencastle, Pa.	Greencastle-Antrim
15	Rebecca Ziegler	OF	Fr.	5-5	L/R	Tucson, Ariz.	Canyon del Oro

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Gianna Arrizurieta GEE-on-AH AH-rizz-UH-REE-et-UH Marissa Diescher DEE-sher **Reina Furuya** RAIN-eh fa-ROO-yah **Kasie Hatfield** KAY-see Lexi Knief kuh-NEEF Marlaina Laubach LAW-bok Amanda Lehotak leh-HOE-tack Mia Monopoli Monopoly Meagan Tupinio two-PEEN-ee-yo Christy Von Pusch von POOSH **Rebecca Zeigler** Zig-LURR

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LIONS BY ELIGIBILITY

Seniors (3): Bradley, Diescher, Walker

Juniors (7): Furuya, Good, Jones, Knief, Pond, Tupinio, Von Pusch Sophomores (5): Brackpool, Laubach, Miller, Shanahan, Ward Freshmen (6): Arrizurieta, Cummings, Monopoli, Sorenson, VanDerveer, Ziegler

LIONS BY POSITION

Catchers (1): Monopoli Infielders (8): Arrizurieta, Brackpool, Furuya, Miller, Shanahan, Sorenson, Tupinio, VanDerveer Outfielders (9): Bradley, Good, Jones, Knief, Sorenson, Tupinio, Walker, Ward, Ziegler Pitchers (6): Cummings, Diescher, Jones, Laubach, Shanahan, Von Pusch Utility Players (1): Pond

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LIONS BY STATE

Arizona (1): Ziegler California (5): Brackpool, Bradley, Monopoli, Sorenson, Walker Florida (1): Arrizurieta Hawaii (2): Furuya, Tupinio Maryland (1): Cummings New Jersey (2): Knief, VanDerveer New York (2): Diescher, Good Ohio (1): Pond Pennsylvania (3): Laubach, Von Pusch, Ward Texas (1): Miller Virginia (1): Jones Washington (1): Shanahan

2015 RESULTS 3-2 OVERALL • 0-0 BIG TEN • 0-0 HOME • 0-1 AWAY • 0-0 • 3-1 NEUTRAL

Date	Event	Opponent	W/L/T	Score	R-H-E	Inn.	Overall	Big Ten	HR	Pitcher (Rec.)	Attend.	Time
2/6	!	vs. Arkansas	W	6-4	6-9-0	7	1-0	0-0	2	Diescher (1-0)	N/A	2:34
2/7	!	vs. LIU Brooklyn	W	9-1	9-11-1	[5]	2-0	0-0	0	Diescher (2-0)	N/A	1:20
2/7	!	vs. Georgia Tech	W	3-2	3-6-2	7	3-0	0-0	1	Von Pusch (1-0)	N/A	2:00
2/8	!	vs. Kansas	L	0-8	0-0-1	[5]	3-1	0-0	0	Diescher (2-1)	N/A	1:46
2/6	!	at Florida Atlantic	L	0-7	0-2-0	7	3-2	0-0	0	Cummings (0-1)	N/A	N/A
2/13	#	vs. Missouri State	W	4-3	4-7-0	7	4-2	0-0	1	Laubach (1-0)	N/A	2:10
2/13	#	at #22 Texas A&M	L	0-8	0-2-4	[5]	4-3	0-0	0	Cummings (0-2)	N/A	1:40
2/14	#	vs. Missouri State	W	6-1	6-10-0	7	5-3	0-0	2	Cummings (1-2)	N/A	1:48
2/14	#	at #22 Texas A&M	W	4-3	4-6-3	(8)	6-3	0-0	0	Laubach (2-0)	1,174	2:35
2/15	#	Eastern Michigan	L	1-2	1-3-0	7	6-4	0-0	0	Cummings (1-3)	N/A	1:25
2/21		at Mississippi State										
2/21		at Mississippi State										
2/22		at Mississippi State										
2/27	^	vs. Fordham										
2/27	^	vs. Missouri										
2/28	^	vs. Nebraska-Omaha										
2/28	^	Georgia										
3/1	^	James Madison										
3/10		at Pacific (Calif.)										
3/10		at Pacific (Calif.)										
3/12	%	vs. Grand Canyon										
3/12	%	at Sacromento State										
3/13	%	vs. Loyola Marymount	÷									
3/14	%	at Sacromento State	L									
3/14	%	vs. Loyola Marymount										
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3/20	*	NORTHWESTERN										
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3/21	*	NORTHWESTERN										
3/22		NORTHWESTERN										
3/25		ROBERT MORRIS										
3/25	*	ROBERT MORRIS										
3/27	*	at Michigan State										
3/28	*	at Michigan State										
3/29	î	at Michigan State										
4/1		BUCKNELL										
4/1	*	BUCKNELL										
4/3	*	at Wisconsin										
4/3		at Wisconsin										
4/4	*	at Wisconsin										
4/7	*	OHIO STATE										
4/7	*	OHIO STATE										
4/10	*	INDIANA										
4/11	*	INDIANA										
4/12	*	INDIANA										
4/15		at Pittsburgh										
4/17	*	at Maryland										
4/18	*	at Maryland										
4/19	*	at Maryland										
4/22		ST, FRANCIS (PA.)										
4/22		ST. FRANCIS (PA.)										
4/24	*	RUTGERS										
4/25	*	RUTGERS										
4/26	*	RUTGERS										
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! Florida Atlantic University 'Kick-Off' Tournament hosted by FAU | # Aggie Classic hosted by Texas A&M | ^ Citrus Classic II hosted by UCF % Capital Classic hosted by Sacramento State | * Big Ten contest | Home games in CAPS | () Extra inning game | [] Shortened game (eight-run rule)

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2014 Defensive Lineup by Game

	pponent		Catcher	First	Second	Third	Short	Left	Center	Right	DP
	. Arkansas	Pitcher Diescher	Monopoli	Brackpool	Sorenson	Arrizurieta	Furuya	Pond	Knief		VanDerveer
	. LIU Brooklyn	Diescher	Monopoli	Brackpool	Sorenson	Arrizurieta	Furuya	Jones	Pond		VanDerveer
	. Georgia Tech	Von Pusch	Monopoli	Brackpool	Sorenson	Arrizurieta	Furuya	Jones	Pond		VanDerveer
	. Kansas	Diescher	Monopoli	Brackpool	Sorenson	Arrizurieta	Furuya	Jones	Pond	Walker	VanDerveer
2/8 vs	. Florida Atlantic	Cummings	VanDerveer	Brackpool	Sorenson	Arrizurieta	Furuya	Jones	Pond	Walker	Tupinio
2/13 vs	. Missouri State	Diescher	VanDerveer		Sorenson	Arrizurieta	Furuya	Pond	Knief	Jones	Walker
2/13 at	Texas A&M	Cummings	VanDerveer		Sorenson	Arrzurieta	Furuya	Pond	Jones	Knief	Good
2/14 vs	. Missouri State	Cummings	VanDerveer	Brackpool	Sorenson	Arrizurieta	Furuya	Jones	Knief	Good	Miller
2/14 at	Texas A&M	Diescher	VanDerveer	Brackpool	Sorenson	Arrizurieta	Furuya	Pond	Knief	Jones	Miller
2/15 vs	. Eastern Michigan	Cummings	VanDerveer	Brakpool	Sorenson	Arrizurieta	Furuya	Pond	Knief	Jones	Miller
	Mississippi State										
	Mississippi State										
	Mississippi State										
	. Fordham										
	. Missouri										
	. Nebraska-Omaha										
	. Georgia										
	. James Madison										
	Pacific (Calif.)										
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	. Grand Canyon										
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	ORTHWESTERN ORTHWESTERN										
	OBERT MORRIS										
	OBERT MORRIS										
	Michigan State										
	Michigan State										
	Michigan State										
	JCKNELL										
	JCKNELL										
	Wisconsin										
	Wiscinsin										
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	HIO STATE										
	HIO STATE										
	DIANA										
4/11 IN	DIANA										
4/12 IN	DIANA										
4/15 at	Pittsburgh										
4/17 at	Maryland										
	Maryland										
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AMANDA LEHOTAK Head Coach • Second Season

NEBRASKA-OMAHA '03

RECORD AT PENN STATE: 20-39 (.339) CAREER RECORD: 208-245 (.458)

Amanda Lehotak is in her second season as the Penn State softball head coach in 2015.

In her inaugural season at the helm of the program in 2014, Lehotak led the Nittany Lions to a 14-35 overall record with a 5-18 Big Ten record, finishing a spot higher in the conference standings than the year prior. Four players batted over .300 with Lexi Knief earning All-Big Ten second team accolades. Lehotak's team also achieved success in the classroom; nine players were named to the Academic All-Big Ten team and Alicia Walker garnered Big Ten Distinguished Scholar Award honors.

Named the seventh coach in program history on July 22, 2013, Lehotak came to Penn State with seven years of head coaching experience under her belt, including the previous two seasons at Texas-San Antonio.

Lehotak guided the Roadrunners to a 27-26 overall record in 2013 to give the program just their second winning overall record in the last seven years. She also led the team to a fifthplace finish and a berth in the WAC Tournament in UTSA's first season in the conference. Additionally, Darian Blake was named to the All-WAC first team.

In her first season at UTSA, Lehotak and the Roadrunners posted a 24-28 overall record and 12-8 mark in Southland Conference play en route to a third-place finish, which was the program's highest finish since 2009. She had five players earn All-Southland honors in 2012, including Freshman of the Year Megan Low.

Prior to her time at UTSA, Lehotak spent six seasons at Jacksonville University, including five as the head coach. The Dolphins improved their win total each of Lehotak's five seasons at the helm, culminating in a 44-16 overall record and 18-2 conference mark in 2011.

That season, Jacksonville won the Atlantic Sun regular-season and tournament titles on its way to the first NCAA Tournament appearance in school history. Lehotak was selected as the 2011 Atlantic Sun Coach of the Year as her squad set school records for home runs, earned run average, shutouts and fielding percentage. Lehotak left Jacksonville with a schoolrecord 137 wins.

In 2010, Lehotak led the Dolphins to a then-second-best win total in program history with a 33-23 overall record. Additionally, a then-program-record five student-athletes earned All-Atlantic Sun recognition under her guidance in 2010.

A native of Omaha, Neb., Lehotak played collegiately at the University of Mississippi for two seasons (2000-01) before finishing her career at Nebraska-Omaha (2002-03). She set the single-season hits record in 2001 at Ole Miss and was a third team All-American at UNO with a pair of first team All-North Central Conference selections. Lehotak earned her bachelor's degree in family science from Nebraska-Omaha in 2003.

LEHOTAK'S COLLE	GIATE RÉSUMÉ
Head Coach	
Penn State	2014- Present
Texas-San Antonio	2012-13
Jacksonville	2007-11
2011 Atlantic Sun	Coach of the Year
Assistant Coach	
Jacksonville	2006
MIssouri Western Sta	ite 2005
College of St. Mary (N	Neb.) 2004
Student-Athlete	
Nebraska-Omaha	2002-03
Mississippi	2000-01

		(CAREER RE	CORD			
<u>Season</u>	School	Overall Record	Pct.	Conf. Record	Pct.	Finish	NCAA
2007	Jacksonville	15-43	.259	4-14	.222	10th	
2008	Jacksonville	21-39	.350	5-17	.227	11th	
2009	Jacksonville	24-31	.436	7-13	.350	7th	
2010	Jacksonville	33-23	.589	10-10	.500	6th	
2011	Jacksonville	44-16	.733	18-2	.900	1st	Regionals
2012	Texas-San Antonio	24-28	.462	12-8	.600	T3rd	
2013	Texas-San Antonio	27-26	.509	9-12	.429	5th	
2014	Penn State	14-35	.286	5-18	.217	11th	
2015	Penn State	3-2	600	0-0	.00		
9 Yrs.	Totals	208-245	.458	70-94	.427		1 NCAA



Megan Gibson is in her second season as an assistant coach for the Nittany Lions in 2015. She serves primarily as the pitching coach.

Under her leadership in 2014, Lion hurlers amassed 14 wins to go along with 177 strikeouts, 22 complete games and a pair of shutouts. The Penn State pitching staff also accumulated four saves on the season which was tied for fourth most in the Big Ten.

BEFORE PENN STATE

An All-American at Texas A&M, Gibson joined the Penn State coaching staff after spending two seasons as an assistant under head coach Amanda Lehotak at University of Texas-San Antonio (UTSA). Under Gibson's guidance in 2013, UTSA garnered a formidable 2.76 earned run average while holding opponents to a .254 batting average.

Prior to UTSA, Gibson spent four seasons in the National Professional Fastpitch League (NPF). After leading Texas A&M to a runner-up finish at the 2008 Women's College World Series (WCWS), she was selected by the Philadelphia Force with the No. 2 overall pick of the 2008 NPF Senior Draft. In addition to her time in the league, Gibson spent a season in the Japanese Softball Association.

Along with her career in the NPF, Gibson served under Texas A&M head coach Jo Evans as a graduate assistant in fall 2008 and again as a volunteer pitching coach during the 2011 season. She also spent time as a softball instructor at High Performance Baseball in Tomball and as a volunteer assistant coach at Spring High School in 2010.

Gibson's collegiate career was one of the most decorated in Texas A&M history. Her stellar play in both the pitcher's circle and batter's box earned her National Fastpitch Coaches Association All-America honors as a freshman, junior and senior, and she finished as a runner-up the for association's Player of the Year award in 2008. Gibson is the only player in Big 12 Conference history to be named both Player and Pitcher of the Year as a senior and she went on to lead the Aggies to the conference tournament title as the event's Most Valuable Player. She also led Texas A&M to a league crown in 2005 and a WCWS appearance in 2007. In all, Gibson owns six career school records, including doubles (48), home runs (56), RBIs (183), total bases (447), slugging percentage (.717) and walks (172). She also ranks in the program's top 10 in seven other categories. In October of 2014, Gibson was inducted into Texas A&M's Athletic Hall of Fame.

Gibson, a native of Spring, Texas, graduated from Texas A&M in 2008 with a bachelor's degree in sports management and a minor in business.



Joe Guthrie is in his second season as an assistant coach for Penn State's softball program in 2015. His primary responsibilities are hitting and the outfield, in addition to serving as the program's recruiting coordinator.

Under his direction in 2014, the Lions belted a total of 13 home runs and amassed 304 total hits. A busy off-season for Guthrie culminated in the fall of 2014 with Penn State claiming the 17th best recruiting class in the nation as ranked by Full Count Softball.

BEFORE PENN STATE

Guthrie joined the Penn State coaching staff after a six-year stint as head softball coach and assistant athletic director at the Marion Military Institute in Alabama. He led Marion to the National Junior Collegiate Athletic Association (NJCAA) Region 22 Tournament three of his last four seasons, in addition to coaching 21 all-conference players.

Guthrie played baseball at Kentucky before transferring to Bevill State. He graduated with an American studies degree from Alabama in 2001. After earning his Master's degree at Jacksonville State University as a Distinguished Military Graduate, he was a member of the U.S. Army from 2002-05. Guthrie earned numerous accolades in the military, and served a one-year combat tour in Iraq.



Four-year Nittany Lion (2011-14) and 2012 second team All-Big Ten honoree Kasie Hatfield joins the Penn State softball team as a volunteer assistant coach in 2015.

The Tampa, Fla., native brings 190 games of experience in the Blue and White to the coaching staff as well as a .245 career batting average with the Lions. Hatfield capped off her career with .309 batting average and a .493 slugging percentage her senior year to go along with 42 hits, 27 RBI and a pair of home runs for 67 total bases.

Hatfield graduated from Penn State with a degree in animal sciences.



CUMMIN	G'S CAF	REER PITCHING HIGHS	
INNINGS	7.0	vs. Florida Atlantic	2/8/15
STRIKEOUTS	6	vs. Florida Atlantic	2/8/15
COMPLETE GAMES	1	vs. Florida Atlantic	2/8/15
SHUTOUTS	0		

 Is one of just five pitchers or 	n the team but is	the only freshman hurler
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- Helped lead high school (Northern) to three-straight state championships
- Was a two-time Maryland Gatorade Player of the Year

	CUMMING'S PITCHING STATISTICS																						
Year	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	н	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	BF	BAA	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
2015	5.46	1-3	4-4	1	0	0	0	16.2	24	15	13	11	11	3	0	3	71	.338	2	2	0	0	3



PON	ID'S CARE	ER HITTING HIGHS	
AT BATS	5	vs. Alabama State	2/7/14
RUNS	2	6x, last vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/7/15
HITS	4	vs. Alabama State	2/7/14
RBI	2	vs. Bucknell	3/9/14
WALKS	2	vs. Youngstown State	4/8/14
STOLEN BASES	2	2x, last vs. Niagara	3/22/14
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Junior transfer from Akron

• Hit .278 with 35 hits and 10 RBI while starting all 43 games for the Zips in '14

Had eight multi-hit games in 2014 for Akron

• Compiled a 1.000 fielding percentage with no errors in 31 total chances

	POND'S HITTING STATISTICS																			
Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.130	10-9	23	3	3	1	1	0	0	6	.261	1	0	7	0	.167	0-0	1-1	9-2-0	1.000



JONES	S' CAREE	ER PITCHING HIGHS	
INNINGS	8.0	vs. St. Francis (Pa.)	4/2/14
STRIKEOUTS	12	vs. Maine	3/9/13
COMPLETE GAMES	14	last vs. Illinois	5/9/13
SHUTOUTS	1	vs. Maine	3/9/13
JONE	S' CARE	ER HITTING HIGHS	
AT BATS	5	2x, last vs. Appalachian St.	2/7/14
RUNS	3	at Pitt	4/10/13
HITS	3	3x, last vs. St. Francis (Pa.)	4/9/13
RBI	6	at New Mexico State	2/16/13
WALKS	2	5x, last vs. Bucknell	4/16/14
STOLEN BASES	2	vs. St. Francis (Pa.)	4/2/14

- Only PSU player in 2014 with at least 100 at-bats and 15 app. in the circle
- Was tied for second on the team in runs (22) and was fourth in hits (32)
- \bullet Led the team in triples (4) and was tied for fourth in the B1G in that category
- Led the team in saves in 2014 with two

								JONES	' PITC	HING	STATI	STICS									
Year	ERA	W-L A	PP GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H I	R E	R BE	SC) 2B	3B	HR	BF	BAA	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
2015	4.20	1-0	2 0	0	0/0	0	3.1	2	2	2 4	2	2 2	0	0	13	.154	0	1	0	0	1
								JONES	S' HIT	TING S	TATIS	STICS									
Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	<u>H</u> :	2B 3	B HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-S	SHSB-	ATT	PO-A-B	E F	LD%
2015	.310	10-10	29	5	9	0	0 1	3	12	.414	2	0	1	0	.355	0-0) 0	-0	13-4-0)	1.000



DIESCHE	R'S CAF	REER PITCHING HIGHS	
INNINGS	7.0	6x, last vs. Arkansas	2/6/15
STRIKEOUTS	5	vs. LIU-Brooklyn	3/2/12
COMPLETE GAMES	7	last vs. Arkansas	2/6/15
SHUTOUTS	1	vs. Pittsburgh	4/3/12
DIESCH	ER'S CA	REER HITTING HIGHS	
AT BATS	1	2x, last at lowa	4/28/13
RUNS			
HITS			
RBI			
WALKS			
STOLEN BASES			

• One of three seniors on the 2015 squad and the only senior pitcher

• Needs just two wins for 10 in her career

• Was third on the staff in strikeouts in 2014 with 30

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Year	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	BF	BAA	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
2015	4.50	2-1	5-5	2	0	0	0	18.2	17	13	12	18	11	0	1	0	68	.250	4	5	0	0	2



VON PUSCH'S CAREER PITCHING HIGHS

INNINGS	7.0	2x, last vs. Yale	3/14/14
STRIKEOUTS	4	vs. Georgia Tech	2/7/15
COMPLETE GAMES	1	2x, last vs. Yale	3/15/14
SHUTOUTS	1	vs. Yale	3/15/14
VON PU	ISCH'S C	AREER HITTING HIGHS	
AT BATS	2	at Michigan State	4/3/13
RUNS			
HITS			
RBI			
WALKS			
STOLEN BASES			

LAUBACH'S CAREER PITCHING HIGHS

at Florida Atlantic

4x, last vs. Illinois

last vs. Ohio State

2/21/14

5/2/14

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- Was second on the staff in appearances with 22 in 2014
- One of two PSU hurlers to toss complete games a year ago
- Earned first career CG shutout last season (5-0) vs. Yale on Mar. 15th

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Year	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	н	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	BF	BAA	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
2015	7.00	0-0	3-1	0	0	0	0	7.0	6	8	7	15	4	2	0	1	25	.240	5	0	0	1	0

INNINGS

STRIKEOUTS

SHUTOUTS

COMPLETE GAMES



• Led all Lion hurlers with nine wins in 2014

• Was first on the team in starts (24), CG (15), K's (77), IP (148) & ERA (3.64)

• Needs just one win for 10 in her career

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	FURUYA'S C	AREER HIGHS	
AT BATS	4	10x, last vs. Arkansas	2/6/15
RUNS	3	vs. Bucknell	4/16/14
HITS	2	9x, last vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/6/15
RBI	4	vs. Northwestern	4/20/13
WALKS	2	3x, last vs. George Wash.	2/16/14
STOLEN BASES	1	8x, last vs. Bucknell	4/16/14

- One of three Lions to start and play in all 49 games in 2014
- One of two players on last year's team to steal six bases
- One of six players on 2014 squad with 20 or more hits and at least 10 RBI

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Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.240	10-10	25	5	6	1	0	0	3	7	.280	2	0	5	0	.296	0-4	0-0	14-21-4	.897



	KNIEF'S C	AREER HIGHS	
AT BATS	4	27x, last at Texas A&M	2/14/15
RUNS	4	vs. Oregon State	2/7/14
HITS	3	2x, last vs. Missouri State	2/14/15
RBI	2	2x, last vs. Wisconsin	4/19/14
WALKS	2	3x, last at Michigan State	4/2/14
STOLEN BASES	1	vs. Nebraska	5/4/13

• Lead team in batting average (.372), runs (37), hits (58), triples (6), total bases (80) and slugging percentage (.513) in 2014

• Had ninth highest batting average among B1G batters

Was only player on 2014 team with at least 20 chances in the field and no errors (1.000 Pct.)

	KNIEF'S HITTING STATISTICS																			
Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.389	6-6	18	3	7	2	0	0	3	9	.500	0	1	3	0	.421	0-1	0-1	2-0-0	1.000



-	TUPINIO'S	CAREER HIGHS	
AT BATS	3	vs. St. Francis (Pa.)	4/2/14
RUNS	1	17x, last vs. Ohio State	5/8/14
HITS	1	vs. St. Francis (Pa.)	4/2/14
RBI			
WALKS			
STOLEN BASES	1	3x, last at Indiana	4/6/13

- One of two native Hawaiians on the PSU squad
- Has never been thrown out trying to steal in her career
- Needs just three more runs for 20 scored in her career

	TUPINIO'S HITTING STATISTICS																			
Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB I	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.000	4-1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0-1	1-1	0-0-0	.000



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AT BATS	3	vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/7/15
RUNS	1	vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/7/15
HITS	1	vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/7/15
RBI	1	vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/7/15
WALKS			
STOLEN BASES			

• RS Freshman transfer from San Jose State

• Finished her career at Acalanes High School as the record holder in every major offensive category

• One of five PSU players hailing from the Golden State

	MONOPOLI'S HITTING STATISTICS																			
Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.100	5-4	10	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	.100	1	0	6	0	.182	0-0	0-0	16-0-0	1.000



	WALKER'S	CAREER HIGHS	
AT BATS	4	vs. Appalachian State	2/7/14
RUNS	2	2x, last vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/7/15
HITS	2	2x, last vs. Georgia Tech	2/7/15
RBI	2	2x, last vs. St. Francis	4/2/14
WALKS	2	3x, last vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/7/15
STOLEN BASES	2	vs. Ohio State	5/12/12

- One of 11 PSU players last season to collect at least one extra base hit
- $\ensuremath{\bullet}$ Was tied for the team lead in hit by pitches last season with five
- Has never tripled or hit a home run in her career

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Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.333	10-5	12	4	4	1	1	0	1	7	.583	2	0	2	0	.429	0-0	0-0	1-0-0	1.000



ARI	RIZURIETA'	S CAREER HIGHS	
AT BATS	3	2x, last vs. Florida Atlantic	2/7/15
RUNS	1	2x, last vs. Missouri State	2/13/15
HITS	2	vs. Arkansas	2/6/15
RBI	1	vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/7/15
WALKS	1	3x, last at Texas A&M	2/14/15
STOLEN BASES			

Earned first-team All-State honors as a sophomore during high school
Was named team's defensive player of the year in 2012, the same year her team won the state championship

• Earned player of the year honors from the Miami Herald following her junior season

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Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.200	10-10	20	2	4	2	0	0	1	6	.300	3	0	5	0	.304	0-1	0-0	10-18-1	.966



SORENSON Stevenson Ranch, Calif. WEST RANCH FRESHMAN • INF/OF • L/R

SORENSON'S CAREER HIGHS AT BATS 4 vs. Missouri State 2/13/15 RUNS 2/14/15 1 3x, last at Texas A&M HITS 4x, last at Texas A&M 2/14/15 1 RBI 2X, last vs. LIU Brooklyn 2/7/15 2 WALKS 4x, last at Texas A&M 2/14/15 STOLEN BASES

• Won two conference championships at West Ranch High School and made it to as far as the state quarterfinals her junior year

• First-team All-Foothill League honors her senior season and garnered second team honors her sophomore and junior years

• Her sister Kylie plays softball at Stanford

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Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.167	10-10	24	3	4	0	0	0	4	4	.167	4	2	3	0	.333	0-3	0-0	16-14-2	.938



WARD'S CAREER HITTING HIGHS AT BATS 4x, last vs. Michigan 3/28/14 RUNS 4x, last vs. Michigan 3/29/14 HITS RBI ---WALKS ------STOLEN BASES

• One of three native Pennsylvanian's on this year's squad

• First career start came against Dartmouth (Mar. 1) in the JMU Tournament

One of 15 PSU players to see time in 20 or more games last season

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Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.000	6-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	.000



	BRADLEY'S	CAREER HIGHS	
AT BATS	4	vs. Bradley	2/8/14
RUNS	1	3x, last vs. Indiana	4/15/12
HITS	2	vs. Bradley	2/8/14
RBI			-
WALKS	1	vs. Florida Atlantic	2/7/15
STOLEN BASES			-

- Recorded first career walk at Florida Atlantic (Feb. 7)
- First two hits of her career came against Bradley (Feb. 8) in Tempe, Ariz.
- One of five native Californians on this year's squad

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Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.500	4-0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	.500	1	0	0	0	.667	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	.000



- Needs to appear in just three more games for 20 in her career
- One of just two native New Yorkers on the team this season
- Had a career high four at-bats vs. Oregon State, last season (Feb.7)

	GOOD'S C	AREER HIGHS	
AT BATS	4	vs. Oregon State	2/7/14
RUNS			
HITS			
RBI			
WALKS			
STOLEN BASES			

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Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.000	3-2	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0-1	0-0	4-0-1	.800



	VANDERVEER'S	S CAREER HIGHS	
AT BATS	4	3x, last at Texas A&M	2/14/15
RUNS	1	3x, last at Texas A&M	2/14/15
HITS	1	8x, last at Texas A&M	2/14/15
RBI	3	vs. LIU Brooklyn	2/7/15
WALKS	1	2x, last vs. Missouri State	2/13/15
STOLEN BASES			

• One of two native New Jerseyans on the team this season

• Hit two home runs in one game during the team's fall season vs. Bucknell (Oct. 5)

• Named all-area rookie of the year her freshman season at Hillsborough HS

• Helped her team win back-to-back conference championships in 2012-13 and a Central NJ Group IV sectional title in 2013

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Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.267	10-10	30	3	8	1	0	2	6	15	.500	2	0	3	0	.313	0-0	0-0	26-5-0	1.000



• One of seven players in 2014 to have double digit totals in hits and RBI

• Has never tripled or stole a base in her career

Started 22 games at first base last season

BRACI	KPOOL'S CA	REER HITTING HIGHS	
AT BATS	4	4x, last at Texas A&M	2/14/15
RUNS	1	5x, last at Texas A&M	2/14/15
HITS	3	vs. Missouri State	2/14/15
RBI	3	2x, last vs. Missouri State	2/14/15
WALKS	2	vs. Arkansas	2/6/15
STOLEN BASES			

	BRACKPOOL'S HITTING STATISTICS																			
Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.259	10-10	27	3	7	0	0	3	8	16	.593	3	0	2	0	.323	1-0	0-0	75-4-2	.975



MILL	ER'S CAR	EER HITTING HIGHS	
AT BATS	4	5x, last at Texas A&M	2/14/15
RUNS	2	vs. St. Francis (Pa.)	4/2/14
HITS	3	2x, last vs. Bucknell	4/16/14
RBI	4	vs. Bucknell	4/16/14
WALKS	3	vs.George Washington	2/16/14
STOLEN BASES	1	2x. last vs. Yale	3/15/14

- Third on the team last season with a .308 average and fourth in hits with 37
- One of seven players with 100 or more at-bats in 2014
- Lone team member from the Lone Star State
- Has yet to hit a home run during her career

	MILLER'S HITTING STATISTICS																			
Year	AVG.	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OBP	SF-SH	SB-ATT	PO-A-E	FLD%
2015	.182	4-3	11	0	2	1	0	0	0	3	.273	0	0	0	0	.182	0-0	0-0	0-0-0	.000





JESSICA CUMMINGS Freshman • P Owings, Md.



ERIN POND Junior • UTL Lagrange, Ohio

TV/RADIO ROSTER



MACY JONES Junior • OF/LHP Ashburn, Va.



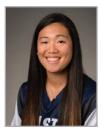
MARISSA DIESCHER Senior • RHP Livingston Manor, N.Y.



CHRISTY VON PUSCH Junior • RHP Bryn Mawr, Pa.



MARLAINA LAUBACH Sophomore • P Northampton, Pa.



REINA FURUYA Junior • INF Waipahu, Hawaii



Junior • OF Ramsey, N.J.



SAM SHANAHAN Sophomore • P/INF Seattle, Wash.



MAEGAN TUPINIO Junior • INF/OF Wahiawa, Hawaii



MIA MONOPOLI RS Freshman • C San Francisco, Calif.



REBECCA ZIEGLER Freshman • OF Tucson, Ariz.



ALICIA WALKER Senior • OF Los Alamitos, Calif.



GIANNA ARRIZURIETA Freshman • INF Pembroke Pines, Fla.



MOLLIE SORENSON Freshman • INF/OF Stevenson Ranch, Calif.



MARY WARD Sophomore • OF Greencastle, Pa.



MEGHAN BRADLEY Senior • OF Santa Monica, Calif.



SHANNON GOOD Junior • OF Horseheads, N.Y.



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Sophomore • INF Valencia, Calif.



Sophomore • INF Sugar Land, Texas



MEGAN GIBSON Assistant Coach Second Season

Head Coach







JOE GUTHRIE

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