

FIGHTING ILLINI

MEN'S GYMNASTICS



#3 ILLINOIS (7-0)

VS.

#6 Penn State (8-0)

FRIDAY, FEB. 3 // 7 P.M. CT
CHAMPAIGN, ILL.

ILLINOIS QUICK FACTS

Location	Urbana-Champaign, Ill.
Founded	1867
Enrollment	44,942
Nickname	Fighting Illini
Colors	Orange and Blue
Conference	Big Ten
President	Timothy Killeen
Chancellor	Robert J. Jones
Athletic Director	Josh Whitman
Home Gym	Huff Hall (3,800)
2016-17 Preseason NCAA Ranking	5th
2016-17 Preseason Big Ten Ranking	3rd
2016 Big Ten / NCAA Finish	2nd/4th
National Champions Returning/Lost	1/0
All-Americans Returning/Lost	5/3
Letterwinners Returning/Lost	13/4
Newcomers	4
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2016-17 SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME
DEC. 4	ORANGE & BLUE EXHIBITION	Orange, 13-12
Jan. 14	Windy City Invitational (Chicago, Ill.)	1st of 6, 412.150
Jan. 21	at Arizona State	W, 422.900-396.200
Jan. 28	MINNESOTA	W, 416.500-413.750
Feb. 3	PENN STATE	7 P.M.
Feb. 16-18	Winter Cup (Las Vegas, Nev.)	TBA
Feb. 25	IOWA	4 P.M.
March 4	Puerto Rico Invitational	TBA
March 11	at Michigan	1 p.m.
March 18	at Oklahoma	TBA
March 24	OHIO STATE#	7 P.M.
April 7-8	BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS (CHAMPAIGN, ILL.)#	TBA
April 21-22	NCAA Championships (West Point, N.Y.)	TBA

- All times Central and subject to change
- All home meets in **BOLD CAPS** and held at Huff Hall
- # Denotes meets aired on BTN
- \$ Denotes meets aired on BTN+

ABOUT THE MEET

This weekend's meet against No. 6 Penn State is scheduled for Friday, Feb. 3 at 7 p.m. in Huff Hall. The Fighting Illini have yet to compete against the Nittany Lions this year, and last met at the 2016 NCAA Team Finals. The Illini placed fourth with a 432.750, while Penn State took fifth with a 425.400. Penn State leads the all-time series record at 34-57.

SCOUTING PENN STATE

The Nittany Lions have the fifth-highest team score average in the country, at 411.550. Nationally, Penn State has the No. 2 pommel horse team average (69.150), the No. 2 parallel bars team average (70.450) and the No. 5 still rings average (68.417).

Individually, Michael Burns (second, 82.700) and Dominic DiFulvio (third, 82.450) are two of the top three all-arounders in the Big Ten. The Nittany Lyons also have three of the top five performers on pommel horse in the conference in Leroy Clarke Jr., Colin Coates and Burns, ranked third, fourth and fifth, respectively. All three Big Ten Freshmen of the Week have come from Penn State, with Favian Valdez earning the honor the first two weeks, and Sam Zakutney was recognized this past week.

LAST WEEK: HOME OPENER VS. MINNESOTA

The Fighting Illini defeated Minnesota, 416.000-413.750 to remain undefeated. Down 0.800 points to the Golden Gophers heading into the final rotation, Illinois had a season-best 71.200 team score on high bar, keyed by Chandler Eggleston and Tyson Bull scoring season-highs of 14.700 to tie for the title.

Sebastian Quiana won his first career title on floor with a 14.650, Johnny Jacobson won his third-straight parallel bars on the season with a 14.450, Matt Foster's 13.950 on pommel horse earned him his third-straight title on the year in the event, and Alex Diab turned in a season-best 14.900 for his third rings title in as many weeks. Daib also posted three more top-five scores, and was named the Big Ten Gymnast of the Week for his efforts

DIAB CLAIMS WEEKLY CONFERENCE HONOR

Sophomore Alex Diab was named the Big Ten Gymnast of the Week after his performance against Minnesota. The Glen Ellyn, Illinois, native won the rings title with a season-best 14.900, and placed in the top five on floor, vault and high bar.

2016-17 MEN'S GYMNASTICS ROSTER

No.	NAME	YR.	EVENT	HOMETOWN/PREVIOUS SCHOOL
23	Bobby Baker	Jr.	AA	Lemont, Ill./Lemont
13	Tyson Bull	Jr.	AA	The Basin, Victoria, Australia/Victorian Col. of the Arts
34	Alex Diab	So.	AA	Glen Ellyn, Ill./Glenbard West
24	Chandler Eggleston	R-Jr.	AA	Jamestown, N.C./Southwest Guilford
35	Matt Foster	Jr.	AA	Addison, Ill./Addison Trail
25	Tom Gibbs	Jr.	AA	London, England/Tiffin
21	Danny Graham	Fr.	FX, PB, SR	Clarendon Hills, Ill./Hinsdale Central
15	Johnny Jacobson	So.	AA	Syracuse, Utah/Syracuse
17	Connor Jones	Fr.	FX, HB, VT	Haymarket, Va./Thomas Jefferson
4	Jacob Light	Fr.	AA	Macungie, Pa./Emmaus
2	Blake Martin	So.	FX, PH, VT, HB	Columbus, Ohio/Columbus Academy
7	Harry McLellan	Jr.	PH, VT	Wyckoff, N.J./Bergen Catholic
10	Dennis Minton	Jr.	SR	Cincinnati, Ohio/Gahanna Lincoln
16	Tommy Mistretta	Fr.	AA	Easton, England/Livermore
42	Brandon Ngai	Jr.	PH	Sacramento, Calif./Heritage Peak Charter School
88	Michael Paradise	Fr.	PH	Bartlett, Ill./Bartlett
8	Joey Peters	R-Sr.	AA	Orefield, Pa./Parkland
32	Sebastian Quiana	Fr.	FX, HB, PB, VT	Oradell, N.J./River Dell
18	Andreas Silbermann	Fr.	FX, PB, PH, SR	Chandler, Ariz./Petaluma
11	Taylor Smith	Jr.	FX, VT	Indianapolis, Ind./Lawrence Central
6	Ross Thompson	Fr.	FX, VT, PB, HB	Kansas City, Mo./UMKC
3	Zach Treadway	Fr.	AA	Norman, Okla./Connections Academy
12	Marlon Vernon	So.	FX, VT, SR	Chicago, Ill./Chicago State Uni.

- Head Coach:** Justin Spring (8th season)
- Associate Head Coach:** Daniel Ribeiro (6th season)
- Assistant Coach:** Don Osborn (2nd season)
- Volunteer Assistant Coach:** Jordan Valdez (2nd season)

JANUARY 21: AT ARIZONA STATE

Illinois' team score of 422.900 against No. 14 Arizona State was the third-best score posted by any team so far this season. The Illini swept all seven of the event titles on the day, highlighted by sophomore Johnny Jacobson winning the all-around competition and the parallel bars title.

OPENING WEEKEND: WINDY CITY INVITATIONAL

At the Windy City Invitational two weekends ago, Illinois won the event for the third-consecutive time. The victory marked the seventh win for the Fighting Illini at the event since it was first held in the 1976-77 season. Illinois has won five Windy City Invitational titles under Justin Spring. 2003 was the last time that the Fighting Illini placed outside of the top two teams in the field. UI has claimed the title in: 1988, 2005, 2010, 2011, 2015, 2016 and 2017.

CGA PRESEASON COACHES POLL

Illinois Men's Gymnastics placed fifth in the 2016-17 Preseason Coaches Poll, released by the College Gymnastics Association. The Fighting Illini have been ranked in the top five of the preseason poll in seven of the last eight years. Oklahoma, the reigning national champion was picked to repeat, followed by Stanford, Ohio State and Minnesota.

BIG TEN PRESEASON POLL

In the Big Ten Preseason poll, Illinois was picked to finish third in the league for the fourth-consecutive season, behind Ohio State and Minnesota, respectively. The Fighting Illini finished in second place at last year's Big Ten Championships, falling to host Ohio State. Junior Brandon Ngai and sophomore Alex Diab were named Illinois' "Gymnasts to Watch".

NATIONAL CHAMPION RETURNS

Brandon Ngai returns for his junior year after winning the 2016 national title on pommel horse. Ngai won nine pommel horse event titles last season, tied for fifth most all-time in a single season.

RETURNING ALL-AMERICANS

Justin Spring returns six athletes that account for eight All-America accolades between them. Bobby Baker and Chandler Eggleston have each claimed a pair of honors while Tyson Bull, Alex Diab, Brandon Ngai and Joey Peters have each been honored as well. Eggleston finished second on both the vault and floor his rookie season.

CAREER TITLE COUNT AT BEGINNING OF 2016-17 CAMPAIGN

Out of the 15 returning Illini on the roster, 10 have claimed event titles in their careers. Bobby Baker and Chandler Eggleston begin the 2016-17 season with 18 total titles each, and Joey Peters has 14. Brandon Ngai claimed nine titles last year, all on pommel horse, which is tied for the sixth-most in a single season in program history.

Alex Diab has won eight titles in his freshman year, and Matt Foster enters the season with six titles. Tyson Bull (3), Tom Gibbs (2), Johnny Jacobson (1) and Dennis Minton (1) also claim titles heading into the season

CURRENT ILLINI IN THE RECORD BOOK

Entering the season, three Illini currently own places in the top scores section of the record book. During his national championship campaign last year, Brandon Ngai won nine titles on pommel horse, tied for the sixth-most in a single season in program history.

Bobby Baker is the second Illini in the books, owning the fourth-best all-around mark registered by an Illinois gymnast. Baker sported an 89.550 during the 2014-15 season when the Orange and Blue hosted Penn State.

On floor, Chandler Eggleston won six titles during the 2013-14 season, tied for the ninth-most in a single season in Illini history.

LOOKING AHEAD

Following its meet against Penn State this weekend, Illinois Men's Gymnastics will be off for three weeks before returning to Champaign to host Iowa. The meet with the Hawkeyes is scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 25 at 4 p.m. CT at Huff Hall.

From Feb. 16-18, selected gymnasts from the nations top programs will compete for spots on the U.S. National Team at the Winter Cup in Las Vegas.

TOP SCORES OF 2017

TEAM

Total

422.900	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
416.500	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
412.150	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)

Floor Exercise

71.200	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
70.700	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
69.650	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)

Pommel Horse

70.050	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
66.400	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
64.500	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)

Still Rings

70.450	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
70.400	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
67.900	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)

Vault

71.400	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
70.050	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
69.600	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)

Parallel Bars

70.850	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
69.750	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)
66.350	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)

High Bar

71.200	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
70.750	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)
70.350	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)

INDIVIDUAL

All-Around

81.850	Johnny Jacobson	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
81.200	Joey Peters	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
80.050	Johnny Jacobson	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)

Floor Exercise

14.700	Alex Diab	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
14.650	Sebastian Quiana	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
14.500	Alex Diab	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)

Pommel Horse

14.750	Matthew Foster	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
14.300	Brandon Ngai	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
	Matthew Foster	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)
14.000	Michael Paradise	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)

Still Rings

14.900	Alex Diab	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
14.800	Alex Diab	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
14.250	Alex Diab	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)

Vault

14.750	Bobby Baker	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
14.700	Bobby Baker	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)
14.550	Chandler Eggleston	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)

Parallel Bars

14.600	Johnny Jacobson	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)
14.450	Johnny Jacobson	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
14.400	Johnny Jacobson	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)

High Bar

14.700	Chandler Eggleston	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
	Tyson Bull	.....	vs. Minnesota (1/28)
14.600	Chandler Eggleston	.....	at Arizona State (1/21)
14.400	Tyson Bull	.....	at Windy City Invitational (1/14)

ROAD TO NATIONALS WEEKLY RANKINGS*

RANK	TEAM	POINTS
1.	Oklahoma (15)	319
2.	Stanford (1)	304
3.	ILLINOIS	288
4.	Ohio State	269
5.	Minnesota	252
6.	Penn State	238
7.	Nebraska	234
8.	California	200
9.	Air Force	186
10.	Michigan	183
11.	Iowa	158
12.	Navy	140
13.	Army	129
14.	Arizona State	115
15.	William & Mary	103
16.	Springfield College	81
17.	UIC	62
18.	Temple	42
19.	Washington	37
20.	SC United	20

*Rankings based on 2017 Road to Nationals Week 3 Coaches Poll.

ILLINI IN THE RANKINGS

Event	Team		
	Average*	National	B1G
Floor Exercise	70.517	3	1
Pommel Horse	66.983	6	3
Still Rings	69.583	3	1
Vault	70.350	6	4
Parallel Bars	68.983	5	3
High Bar	70.767	2	1
Team	417.183	3	1

Individual (Top 20 National/Top 10 Conference)

Gymnast	Event	Average*	National	B1G
Bobby Baker	FX	14.300	T-7	T-3
	SR	14.200	13	6
	VT	14.667	8	4
	HB	13.933	16	7
Tyson Bull	HB	14.300	6	2
Alex Diab	FX	14.267	12	6
	SR	14.650	6	1
	HB	14.017	14	5
Chandler Eggleston	HB	14.550	3	1
Matt Foster	PH	14.333	5	2
Tom Gibbs	PB	13.817	-	9
Johnny Jacobson	AA	80.950	16	6
	PB	14.483	5	1
Joey Peters	AA	80.375	19	7
	FX	14.167	15	4
	FX	14.317	6	2
Ross Thompson	HB	13.967	15	6

*Averages based on results as of 1/30/17

2017 INDIVIDUAL TITLES (YEAR/CAREER)

BOBBY BAKER (2017: 2; CAREER: 20)
Vault (2/3) 14.700 at Windy City Invitational (1/14)
14.550 at Arizona State (1/21)

TYSON BULL (2017: 2; CAREER: 5)
High Bar (2/3) 14.400 at Windy City Invitational (1/14)
14.700 vs. Minnesota (1/28)

ALEX DIAB (2017: 4; CAREER: 12)
Still Rings (3/3) 14.250 (tie) at Windy City Invitational (1/14)
14.800 at Arizona State (1/21)
14.900 vs. Minnesota (1/28)
Floor Exercise (1/3) 14.700 at Arizona State (1/21)

CHANDLER EGGLESTON (2017: 2; CAREER: 20)
High Bar (2/3) 14.600 at Arizona State (1/21)
14.700 vs. Minnesota (1/28)

MATT FOSTER (2017: 3; CAREER: 8)
Pommel Horse (3/3) 14.300 at Windy City Invitational (1/14)
14.750 at Arizona State (1/21)
13.950 vs. Minnesota (1/28)

JOHNNY JACOBSON (2017: 4; CAREER: 5)
Parallel Bars (3/3) 14.600 at Windy City Invitational (1/17/16)
14.400 at Arizona State (1/21)
14.450 vs. Minnesota (1/28)
All-Around (1/2) 81.850 at Arizona State (1/21)

SEBASTIAN QUIANA (2017: 1; CAREER: 1)
Floor Exercise (1/3) 14.650 vs. Minnesota (1/28)

Big Ten Gymnast of the Week

Jan. 16 Jake Martin, OSU
Jan. 23 Jake Dastrup, OSU
Chris Stephenson, NU
Jan. 30 **ALEX DIAB, ILL**

Big Ten Freshman of the Week

Jan. 16 Favian Valdez, PSU
Jan. 23 Favian Valdez, PSU
Jan. 30 Sam Zakutney, PSU

2017 MEN'S GYMNASTICS RESULTS

2017 RESULTS (7-0; 5-0 B1G)

DATE	EVENT	RESULTS	OPPONENT(S)	SCORES
Jan. 14	Windy City Invitational	1st of 6	Illinois Ohio State* Michigan* Minnesota* Iowa* UIC	412.150 403.450 398.100 397.600 387.550 360.250
Jan. 21	at Arizona State	Win	Illinois Arizona State	425.950 425.700
Jan. 28	vs. Minnesota	Win	Illinois Minnesota*	416.500 413.750

* - Denotes conference opponent

2017 TEAM MEET-BY-MEET

OPPONENT	TEAM	FLOOR EXERCISE	POMMEL HORSE	RINGS	VAULT	PARALLEL BARS	HIGH BAR
Windy City Invitational	412.150	69.650	64.500	67.900	69.600	69.750	70.750
at Arizona State	422.900	71.200	70.050	70.400	70.050	70.850	70.350
vs. Minnesota	416.500	70.700	66.400	70.450	71.400	66.350	71.200

2017 SEASON HIGHS // CAREER HIGHS

BOBBY BAKER // JR.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise	14.300 (1/28)	15.400 (1/24/15)
Pommel Horse	--	15.250 (3/5/16)
Still Rings	14.200 (1/28)	15.200 (1/24/15)
Vault	14.750 (1/28)	15.300 (3/5/16)
P. Bars	--	15.300 (2/7/15)
High Bar	13.950 (1/21)	15.200 (1/9/16)
All-Around	--	89.550 (2/14/15)

TYSON BULL // JR.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise	--	11.900 (3/6/16)
Pommel Horse	13.300 (1/28)	13.850 (3/12/16)
Vault	--	13.900 (1/9/15)
P. Bars	13.400 (1/21)	13.400 (1/21/17)
High Bar	14.400 (1/14)	15.350 (3/12/16)

ALEX DIAB // SO.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise	14.700 (1/21)	15.450 (3/12/16)
Pommel Horse	--	13.200 (3/5/16)
Still Rings	14.900 (1/28)	15.600 (3/19/16)
Vault	14.250 (1/28)	15.000 (4/15/16)
P. Bars	--	14.300 (3/5/16)
High Bar	14.200 (1/28)	15.150 (3/5/16)
All-Around	--	88.400 (3/5/16)

CHANDLER EGGLESTON // RS JR.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise	--	15.725 (3/29/14)
Still Rings	--	12.250 (1/12/14)
Vault	13.950 (1/21)	15.400 (3/8/14)
P. Bars	14.150 (1/21)	14.500 (2x, last 3/12/16)
High Bar	14.700 (1/28)	15.100 (1/9/16)

MATT FOSTER // SR.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise	--	15.050 (2/7/15)
Pommel Horse	14.750 (1/21)	15.300 (3/5/16)
Still Rings	13.850 (1/21)	14.400 (2/6/16)
Vault	--	13.600 (1/18/14)
P. Bars	13.950 (1/21)	14.850 (4/1/16)

TOM GIBBS // SR.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise	--	14.700 (2/14/15)
Pommel Horse	13.550 (1/21)	14.850 (3/5/16)
Still Rings	14.100 (1/21)	15.000 (3/12/16)
Vault--	15.150 (1/24/15)	
P. Bars	14.200 (1/21)	14.650 (2/14/15)
High Bar	--	14.600 (3/8/15)
All-Around	--	86.050 (3/8/15)

JOHNNY JACOBSON // SO.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise:	13.400 (1/21)	14.900 (2/13/16)
Pommel Horse:	12.750 (1/21)	13.500 (2/6/16)
Still Rings:	13.900 (1/28)	14.900 (2/6/16)
Vault:	14.300 (1/28)	14.450 (2/6/16)
Parallel Bars:	14.600 (1/14)	15.200 (4/2/16)
High Bar:	13.650 (1/28)	14.450 (2/6/16)
All-Around:	81.850 (1/21)	86.500 (2/6/16)

HARRY MCLELLAN // JR.

Event	Season	Career High
Pommel Horse	13.450 (1/21)	14.100 (3/19/16)
Vault	--	14.450 (1/31/15)

DENNIS MINTON // JR.

Event	Season	Career High
Still Rings	14.000 (1/28)	15.350 (2/6/16)

BRANDON NGAI // JR.

Event	Season	Career High
Pommel Horse	14.300 (1/21)	15.600 (3/19/16)

MICHAEL PARADISE // FR.

Event	Season/Career High
Pommel Horse	14.000 (1/21)

JOEY PETERS // RS SR.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise	14.400 (1/21)	14.950 (4/9/15)
Pommel Horse	13.500 (1/21)	14.450 (2/23/13)
Still Rings	13.250 (1/21)	15.800 (4/10/15)
Vault	14.150 (1/28)	15.000 (1/9/15)
P. Bars	14.150 (1/21)	15.200 (1/12/13)
High Bar	13.650 (1/14)	15.150 (2/23/13)
All-Around	81.200 (1/21)	86.550 (1/9/15)

SEBASTIAN QUIANA // FR.

Event	Season/Career High
Floor Exercise	14.650 (1/28)

TAYLOR SMITH // SR.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise	14.250 (1/21)	14.950 (3/8/15)
Vault	14.050 (1/14)	14.050 (1/14/17)

ROSS THOMPSON // SO.

Event	Season	Career High
Floor Exercise	13.750 (1/21)	13.750 (1/21/17)
Vault	12.500 (1/14)	13.750 (1/17/16)
High Bar	14.100 (1/21)	14.600 (4/14/16)

ILLINI RECORDS (2008-CURRENT)

Under the International Gymnastics Federation's (FIG) Opened Ended "Code of Points"

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

FLOOR EXERCISE

1.	16.100	Chad Wiest vs. UIC (3/20/10)
2.	16.000	Chad Wiest at Windy City Invitational (1/15/11)
3.	15.900	C.J. Maestas at Oklahoma (2/27/15)
		Paul Ruggeri at Nebraska w/ Minnesota (3/11/12)
		Vince Smurro at Ohio State (2/23/13)
5.	15.800	Paul Ruggeri Big Ten Individual Finals (4/7/12)
		Chad Wiest at Oklahoma w/ Penn State (3/19/11)

POMMEL HORSE

1.	16.000	Daniel Ribeiro 2x, last at Winer Cup Finals (2/05/11)
2.	15.950	Daniel Ribeiro 2x, last at Oklahoma w/ Penn State (3/19/11)
3.	15.900	Daniel Ribeiro 3x, last at Big Ten Individual Finals (4/2/11)
4.	15.850	Daniel Ribeiro at Big Ten Team Finals (4/1/11)
5.	15.800	Luke Stannard vs. Michigan (3/13/10)
		Daniel Ribeiro at Penn State (2/20/10)

STILL RINGS

1.	16.450	C.J. Maestas at Iowa (2/7/14)
2.	16.050	C.J. Maestas at Minnesota w/ Nebraska (2/1/14)
3.	15.975	C.J. Maestas at NCAA Event Finals (4/11/15)
4.	15.900	Mike Wilner 2x, last at Ohio State (1/24/15)
	15.900	C.J. Maestas 3x, last at NCAA Prelims (4/9/15)
5.	15.850	C.J. Maestas 2x, last at UIC (1/9/15)

VAULT

1.	15.550	Fred Hartville at Big Ten Team Finals (4/6/13)
2.	15.500	Fred Hartville 2x, last at Oklahoma (2/27/15)
	15.500	Paul Ruggeri 3x, last at NCAA Individual Finals (4/21/12)
4.	15.450	Fred Hartville vs. Stanford (3/6/15)
5.	15.425	Fred Hartville 2x, last at NCAA Individual Finals (4/21/13)

PARALLEL BARS

1.	15.600	Tyler Mizoguchi at NCAA Team Finals (4/15/11)
2.	15.550	Tyler Mizoguchi 2x, last at NCAA Prelims (4/14/11)
		Paul Ruggeri at Penn State (2/20/10)
4.	15.400	Jordan Valdez at Big Ten Event Finals (3/29/14)
5.	15.375	Jordan Valdez at Big Ten Event Finals (3/28/15)

HIGH BAR

1.	16.150	Paul Ruggeri vs. UIC (3/20/10)
2.	16.100	Paul Ruggeri 4x, last at at Nebraska w/ Minnesota (3/11/12)
3.	16.000	Paul Ruggeri 2x, last vs. Michigan/Oklahoma (1/28/12)
4.	15.800	Paul Ruggeri 3x, last vs. Ohio State (3/2/12)
5.	15.750	Paul Ruggeri at NCAA Team Finals (4/18/09)

ALL-AROUND

1.	89.800	Paul Ruggeri at Nebraska w/ Minnesota (3/11/12)
		Tyler Mizoguchi at Oklahoma w/ Penn State (3/19/11)*
3.	89.700	C.J. Maestas NCAA Team Finals (4/20/12)
4.	89.550	Bobby Baker vs. Penn State (2/14/15)
5.	89.500	C.J. Maestas Big Ten Team Finals (4/6/12)

TEAM RECORDS -- FIVE COUNT (2013-PRESENT)

TEAM TOTAL

1.	441.300 vs. Penn State (2/14/15)*
2.	440.150 vs. Iowa (2/7/15)*
3.	438.600 at Ohio State (2/23/13)*
4.	436.700 vs. Nebraska (3/8/15)%
5.	436.250 vs. Penn State (3/2/13)%
6.	436.100 at Big Ten Team Finals (3/27/15)%
7.	436.050 at Windy City Invitational (1/18/14)*
8.	435.350 at Big Ten Team Finals (3/28/14)%
	. . . . . at NCAA Team Finals (4/11/14)%
10.	435.200 vs. Minnesota (1/31/15)*

FLOOR EXERCISE

1.	74.900 at Oklahoma (2/27/15)%
2.	74.550 vs. Penn State (3/2/13)%
3.	74.350 at Ohio State (2/23/13)*
4.	74.300 at Minnesota w/ Nebraska (2/1/14)*
	. . . . . at Big Ten Team Finals (3/28/14)%
5.	74.150 3x, last at NCAA Prelims (4/19/13)%

POMMEL HORSE

1.	74.750 vs. UIC (1/9/16)*
2.	73.950 at Windy City Invitational (1/19/13)*
3.	73.350 vs. Penn State (2/14/15)*
	. . . . . vs. Nebraska (3/8/15)%
5.	72.950 at Ohio State (2/23/13)*

STILL RINGS

1.	76.200 at UIC (1/9/15)*
2.	76.000 at Ohio State (2/23/13)*
3.	75.700 vs. Penn State (3/2/13)%
4.	75.650 at Ohio State (1/24/15)*
5.	75.400 at Big Ten Team Finals (3/28/14)%

VAULT

1.	75.050 Windy City Invitational (1/18/14)*
2.	74.600 vs. UIC 3/8/14)%
3.	74.250 at Nebraska w/ Iowa, AF, Minn. (3/15/14)%
4.	73.950 at Big Ten Team Finals (3/27/15)%
5.	73.850 vs. Minnesota (1/31/15)*

PARALLEL BARS

1.	74.550 vs. Penn State (2/14/15)*
2.	74.450 vs. Iowa (2/7/15)*
3.	74.250 vs. Penn State (3/2/13)%
4.	73.600 Windy City Invitational (1/18/14)*
5.	73.550 at Nebraska w/ Iowa, AF, Minn. (3/15/14)%

HIGH BAR

1.	73.950 vs. Iowa (2/7/15)*
2.	73.850 at Ohio State (1/24/15)*
3.	73.350 at Ohio State (2/23/13)*
4.	73.100 vs. UIC (1/9/16)*
5.	72.950 at NCAA Team Finals (4/1/14)%

Bold indicates current Illini

*Vault/all-round scores converted to 2012-present scoring system (-1)

*Six up, five count format prior to March 1

%Five up, five count format beginning March 1

ALL-TIME TITLES LEADERS

TOP-10 ALL-TIME TITLES

COMPETITORS	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA	TOTAL
1. Charlie Lakes	13	5	2	19	19	31	25	114
2. Travis Romagnoli	10	2	1	22	12	20	22	89
3. Paul Ruggeri	13	0	0	14	10	27	11	75
4. Abie Grossfeld	18	0	16	0	16	20	4	74
5. David Zeddies	7	1	12	10	4	22	12	68
6. Justin Spring	15	0	0	8	18	16	2	59
7. Dave Romero	3	8	23	3	8	1	7	53
8. C.J. Maestas	11	2	18	1	2	3	12	49
9. Chris McKee	27	0	0	11	6	4	0	48
10. Hal Shaw	17	0	0	30	0	0	0	47

ALL-TIME FLOOR

COMPETITORS	TITLES
1. Chris McKee	27
2. Paul Hunt	18
Abie Grossfeld	18
4. Hal Shaw	17
5. Chad Wiest	15
Justin Spring	15
Ray Hadley	15
8. Paul Ruggeri	13
Charlie Lakes	13
10. C.J. Maestas	11

ALL-TIME POMMEL HORSE

COMPETITORS	TITLES
1. Daniel Ribeiro	42
2. Ken Barr	28
3. Joe Ledvora	22
4. Butch Zurich	20
5. Kevin Oltendorf	19
Ben Newman	19
Dave Stoldt	19
8. Frank Bare	16
9. Harry Koehnemann	15
Howard Beck	15

ALL-TIME RINGS

COMPETITORS	TITLES
1. Dave Romero	23
2. Kevin McMurchie	20
3. C.J. Maestas	18
4. Tyler Yamauchi	17
Brian Kobylinski	17
6. Abie Grossfeld	16
7. Mike Wilner	12
David Zeddies	12
Pat Bird	12
Bob Sullivan	12

ALL-TIME VAULT

COMPETITORS	TITLES
1. Hal Shaw	30
2. Travis Romagnoli	22
3. Charlie Lakes	19
4. Paul Ruggeri	14
5. Gilberto Albuquerque	13
FRED HARTVILLE	13
7. Chris McKee	11
8. Adam Pummer	10
David Zeddies	10
Gilmarcio Sanches	10

ALL-TIME PARALLEL BARS

COMPETITORS	TITLES
1. Charlie Lakes	19
2. Justin Spring	18
3. Gene Kalin	17
4. Abie Grossfeld	16

5. Cook Rollo	15
6. Frank Dolan	14
7. Travis Romagnoli	12
Caton Cobb	12
9. Paul Ruggeri	11
10. Kari Samsten	10

ALL-TIME HIGH BAR

COMPETITORS	TITLES
1. Charlie Lakes	31
2. Paul Ruggeri	27
3. David Zeddies	22
4. Travis Romagnoli	20
Abie Grossfeld	20
Jordan Valdez	20
7. Greg McGlaun	18
8. Justin Spring	16
Kari Samsten	16
10. Chuck Weber	14

ALL-TIME ALL-AROUND

COMPETITORS	TITLES
1. Charlie Lakes	25
2. Travis Romagnoli	22
3. David Zeddies	14
4. Wes Haagensen	12
C.J. Maestas	12
6. Paul Ruggeri	11
7. Ricardo Cheriell	9
Steve Yasukawa	9
9. Kari Samsten	8
Bob Swonick	8
Bill Silhan	8

Current gymnasts are in **BOLD CAPS**.
Current coaches are in **bold**.

Includes titles from every regular and postseason meet (two Big Ten Championships sessions and three NCAA Championships sessions).

Since 2004, includes both days of the U.S. Winter Cup Challenge due to a shortened schedule.

Records unavailable:
1993
Windy City Invitational
New Mexico
UIC/Iowa
UC-Santa Barbara/Michigan
Western Michigan
NCAA East Regional

TOP-10 SINGLE-SEASON TITLES

COMPETITORS	YEAR	TITLES
1. Charlie Lakes	1985	48
2. Charlie Lakes	1984	44
3. Abie Grossfeld	1958	38
4. Travis Romagnoli	1998	37
5. Travis Romagnoli	1999	27
6. David Zeddies	1988	26
7. David Zeddies	1989	25
8. Justin Spring	2004	23
Abie Grossfeld	1959	23
10. Charlie Lakes	1983	22

SINGLE-SEASON FLOOR

COMPETITORS	TITLES/YR
1. Chris McKee	12/1988
2. Chris McKee	10/1989
3. Justin Spring	8/2004
Paul Hunt	8/1971
Abie Grossfeld	8/1958
6. Ray Hadley	7/1960
Abie Grossfeld	7/1959
8. C.J. Maestas	7/2015
9. CHANDLER EGGLESTON	6/2014
Chad Wiest	6/2011
Charlie Lakes	6/1985
Paul Hunt	6/1973
Hal Shaw	6/1968
Hal Shaw	6/1967

SINGLE-SEASON POMMEL HORSE

COMPETITORS	TITLES/YR
1. Daniel Ribeiro	14/2011
2. Daniel Ribeiro	10/2008
Kevin Oltendorf	10/1983
Butch Zurich	10/1980
Ken Barr	10/1972
6. BRANDON NGAI	9/2016
Daniel Ribeiro	9/2010
Daniel Ribeiro	9/2009
Dominick Minicucci	9/1988
Joe Ledvora	9/1986
Joe Ledvora	9/1984
Ken Barr	9/1971
Ken Barr	9/1970

SINGLE-SEASON RINGS

COMPETITORS	TITLES/YR
1. Pat Bird	9/1960
Abie Grossfeld	9/1958
3. C.J. Maestas	8/2012
Brian Kobylinski	8/1994
Dave Romero	8/1990
Kevin McMurchie	8/1980
7. Mike Wilner	7/2013
Dave Romero	7/1989
David Zeddies	7/1988
Wayne Wagner	7/1965
Abie Grossfeld	7/1959
Jack Sharp	7/1949
Ricardo Torres	7/1934

SINGLE-SEASON VAULT

COMPETITORS	TITLES/YR
1. Hal Shaw	12/1967
2. Travis Romagnoli	10/1998
Hal Shaw	10/1968
4. Jack McCarthy	9/1969
5. FRED HARTVILLE	8/2013
Charlie Lakes	8/1985
Hal Shaw	8/1966
8. Gilberto Albuquerque	7/1981

Paul Ruggeri	7/2012
10. Travis Romagnoli	6/1997
Chris McKee	6/1989
Charlie Lakes	6/1984
Gilmarcio Sanches	6/1984
Charlie Lakes	6/1983
Carl Antonioli	6/1978

SINGLE-SEASON PARALLEL BARS

COMPETITORS	TITLES/YR
1. Abie Grossfeld	10/1958
2. Charlie Lakes	9/1985
3. Justin Spring	8/2006
4. Justin Spring	7/2004
Charlie Lakes	7/1984
Gene Kalin	7/1971
Cook Rollo	7/1968
8. Travis Romagnoli	6/1999
Tom Gardner	6/1955
Frank Dolan	6/1950
Caton Cobb	6/1942
Caton Cobb	6/1941

SINGLE-SEASON HIGH BAR

COMPETITORS	TITLES/YR
1. Charlie Lakes	13/1984
2. Paul Ruggeri	9/2010
3. Charlie Lakes	9/1985
Charlie Lakes	9/1983
Abie Grossfeld	9/1958
6. Jordan Valdez	8/2015
Jordan Valdez	8/2014
Justin Spring	8/2005
9. Travis Romagnoli	7/1998
Greg McGlaun	7/1995
Greg McGlaun	7/1994
David Zeddies	7/1989
David Zeddies	7/1986
Steve Yasukawa	7/1977
Reymond Stuermer	7/1937

SINGLE-SEASON ALL-AROUND

COMPETITORS	TITLES/YR
1. Charlie Lakes	11/1985
2. Charlie Lakes	10/1984
3. Travis Romagnoli	9/1998
4. Travis Romagnoli	7/1999
David Zeddies	7/1988
Bill Silhan	7/1966
7. David Zeddies	6/1989
Carl Antonioli	6/1978
9. C.J. Maestas	5/2012
Wes Haagensen	5/2007
Travis Romagnoli	5/1997
Dominick Minicucci	5/1988
Steve Yasukawa	5/1978
Bob Swonick	5/1971

FIGHTING ILLINI MEET-BY-MEET



BOBBY BAKER

Junior // AA

Lemont, Ill. // Lemont H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City				14.700		13.950	
at Arizona State				14.550		13.950	
Minnesota	14.300		14.200	14.750		13.900	
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High				14.750		13.950	
Career High	15.400	15.150	14.350	14.950	14.600	15.200	85.350



TYSON BULL

Junior // AA

The Basin, Victoria, Australia //

Victorian College of the Arts

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City					13.200	14.400	
at Arizona State						13.800	
Minnesota		13.300			12.700	14.700	
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High		13.300		13.200		14.700	
Career High	11.900	13.850		13.900	13.400	15.350	



ALEX DIAB

Sophomore // AA

Glen Ellyn, Ill. // Glenbard West H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City	13.600		14.250	13.950		13.950	
at Arizona State	14.700		14.800			13.900	
Minnesota	14.500		14.900	14.250		14.200	
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High	14.700		14.900	14.250		14.200	
Career High	15.450	13.200	15.600	15.000	14.300	15.150	88.400



CHANDLER EGGLESTON

RS-Junior // AA

Jamestown N.C. // Southwest Guilford H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City					14.000	14.350	
at Arizona State				13.950	14.150	14.600	
Minnesota					12.250	14.700	
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High				13.950	14.150	14.700	
Career High	15.725	12.250		15.400	14.500	15.100	

FIGHTING ILLINI MEET-BY-MEET



MATT FOSTER

Senior // AA

Addison, Ill. // Addison Trail H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City		14.300	13.350		13.600		
at Arizona State		14.750	13.850		13.950		
Minnesota		13.950	13.450		11.750		
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High		14.750	13.850		13.950		
Career High	15.050	15.300	14.400	13.600	14.850		



TOM GIBBS

Senior // AA

London, England // Tiffin

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City		12.500	13.800		13.550		
at Arizona State		13.550	14.100		14.200		
Minnesota		13.100	13.250		13.700		
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High		13.550	14.100		14.200		
Career High	14.700	14.850	15.000	15.150	14.650	14.600	86.050



JOHNNY JACOBSON

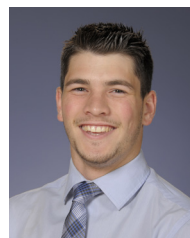
Sophomore // AA

Syracuse, Utah // Syracuse H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City	13.150	11.900	13.300	14.100	14.600	13.000	80.050
at Arizona State	13.400	12.750	13.750	13.950	14.400	13.600	81.850
Minnesota			13.900	14.300	14.450	13.650	
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High	13.400	12.750	13.900	14.300	14.600	13.650	81.850
Career High	14.900	13.500	14.900	14.450	15.200	14.450	86.500



HARRY MCLELLAN

Junior // PH, VT

Wyckoff, N.J. // Bergen Catholic

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City		12.950					
at Arizona State		13.450					
Minnesota		13.000					
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High		13.450					
Career High		14.100		14.450			

FIGHTING ILLINI MEET-BY-MEET



DENNIS MINTON

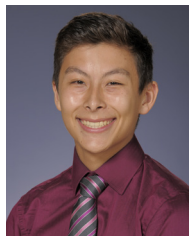
Senior // SR

Gahanna, Ohio // Gahanna Lincoln H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City			12.150				
at Arizona State			13.900				
Minnesota			14.000				
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High 14.000
Career High 15.350



BRANDON NGAI

Junior // PH

Sacramento, Calif. //

Heritage Peak Charter School

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City		13.150					
at Arizona State		14.300					
Minnesota		13.050					
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High 14.300
Career High 15.600



MICHAEL PARADISE

Freshman // PH

Bartlett, Ill. // Bartlett H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City		10.500					
at Arizona State		14.000					
Minnesota		11.350					
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season/Career High 14.000



JOEY PETERS

RS-Senior // AA

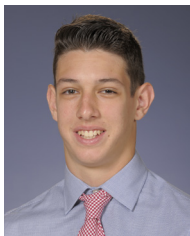
Orefield, Pa. // Parkland H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City	14.300	11.600	13.200	12.800	14.000	13.650	79.550
at Arizona State	14.400	13.500	13.250	13.600	14.150	12.300	81.200
Minnesota	13.800		14.000		13.250		
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High 14.400 13.500 14.000 13.600 14.150 13.650 81.200
Career High 14.950 14.450 15.800 15.000 15.200 15.150 86.550

FIGHTING ILLINI MEET-BY-MEET



SEBASTIAN QUIANA

Freshman // FX, VT, PB, HB
 Oradell, N.J. // River Dell H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City	14.200						
at Arizona State	14.100						
Minnesota	14.650			13.900			
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season/Career High **14.650**



TAYLOR SMITH

Senior // FX, VT
 Indianapolis, Ind. // Lawrence Central H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City	14.000			14.050			
at Arizona State	14.250			14.000			
Minnesota	11.600			13.950			
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High **14.250** **14.050**
 Career High **14.950** **14.050**



ROSS THOMPSON

Sophomore // FX, VT, PB, HB
 Kansas City, Mo. // St. Pius X H.S.

2017 Meet-By-Meet Results

Opponent	FX	PH	SR	VT	PB	HB	AA
at Windy City	13.550			12.500		14.100	
at Arizona State	13.750					14.100	
Minnesota	13.450					13.700	
Penn State							
at Winter Cup Challenge							
Iowa							
at Puerto Rico Invite							
at Michigan							
at Oklahoma							
Ohio State							
Big Ten Team Finals							
Big Ten Event Finals							
NCAA Qualifier							
NCAA Team Finals							
NCAA Individual Finals							

Season High **13.750** **12.500** **14.100**
 Career High **13.750** **13.750** **14.600**