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1	LA SALLE	W, 5-1
6	BOSTON UNIVERSITY	W, 1-0
10	at Bucknell	W, 6-0
13	at Oklahoma State	W, 4-2
15	at Tulsa	W, 3-2
20	NORTHWESTERN*	W, 3-2(2OT)
26	PURDUE*	W, 6-1
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4	at Wisconsin*	8:00 p.m.
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17	OHIO STATE*	3:00 p.m.
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27	at Nebraska*	2:00 p.m.
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6	Big Ten Quarterfinals <sup>2</sup>	TBA
8	Big Ten Semifinals <sup>2</sup>	TBA
10	Big Ten Championship <sup>2</sup>	TBA
15-17	NCAA First Round	TBA
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24	NCAA Third Round	TBA
29-30	NCAA Quarterfinals	TBA
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8	College Cup Championship	TBA

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# **#7 PENN STATE NITTANY LIONS**

(9-1-1, 3-0-0 Big Ten)

# **#18 WISCONSIN BADGERS**

(7-1-2, 2-0-1 Big Ten)

Oct. 4, 2013 • 8 p.m. (EST) • McClimon Soccer Complex • Madison, Wisc.



McClimon Soccer Complex (Grass - 4,500) **VENUE** ONLINE COVERAGE GameTracker **SERIES RECORD** Penn State leads 16-3-4 LAST MEETING Sept. 16, 2012 (PSU won 2-1)

# **#7 PENN STATE** NITTANY LIONS

(9-1-1, 3-0-0 Big Ten)

# MINNESOTA GOPHERS

(8-3-0, 1-2-0 Big Ten)

Oct. 6, 2013 • 2 p.m. (EST) • Elizabeth Lyle Robbie Stadium • Minneapolis, Minn.

# **MATCH DAY (at MINNESOTA)**

**VENUE** Elizabeth Lyle Robbie Stadium (Grass - 1,000) **ONLINE COVERAGE** GameTracker SERIES RECORD Penn State leads 20-3-0 LAST MEETING Sept. 30, 2012 (PSU won 4-3)

## THE WEEKEND REPORT

- Penn State travels to Wisconsin for its first B1G road match of the season
- The Nittany Lions are 16-3-4 against the Badgers all-time
- The Blue and White will face Minnesota on Sunday
- PSU holds a 20-3-0 record against the Gophers all-time
- The Lions turned in a perfect record in September (8-0-0)
- Rodriguez earns weekly honors

#### **2013 STAT LEADERS**

POINTS		GAME-WINNING GOALS	
Maya Hayes	28	Maya Hayes	2
Mallory Weber	13	Mallory Weber	2
Raquel Rodriguez	13	-	
Tani Costa	13	ASSISTS	
		Raquel Rodriguez	7
GOALS		Tani Costa	5
Maya Hayes	12	Emily Hurd	5
Mallory Weber	5		
Tani Costa	4	SAVES	
		Britt Eckerstrom	49



# **GAMEDAY CENTRAL**

#### **SCOUTING THE BADGERS**

No. 18 Wisconsin comes into Friday's match 7-1-2 overall and 2-0-1 in Big Ten play. The Badgers most recently defeated Michigan State, 2-0, last Sunday.

Wisconsin is led by Cara Walls and Kinley McNicoll. Walls has posted seven goals and two assists while McNicoll has notched six goals and eight assists. Genevieve Richard leads the Badgers in goal with 39 saves, three shutouts and a goals against average of 0.98.

#### **SERIES HISTORY vs. WISCONSIN**

Penn State holds a 16-3-4 record against Wisconsin all-time. The Nittany Lions defeated the then-No. 13 Badgers 2-1 on Sept. 16 of last year in the most recent match-up between the two programs.

PSU's most recent loss to Wisconsin came in 2011 as the Badgers edged the Lions 1-0.

#### **SCOUTING THE GOPHERS**

Minnesota enters the weekend at 8-3-0 overall and 1-2-0 in B1G action. The Gophers are coming off a 1-0 victory over then-No. 13 Michigan last Sunday.

Katie Thyken leads Minnesota with five goals and one assist. Taylor Stainbrook has also done well for the Gophers, registering two goals and three assists. Tara Hobbs leads Minneosta in goal, having collected 41 saves.

#### **SERIES HISTORY vs. MINNESOTA**

The Nittany Lions are 20-3-0 against the Gophers all-time. They most recently defeated Minnesota by a count of 4-3 on Sept. 30 of last year.

PSU has not dropped a match to the Gophers since Oct. 21, 2007, when they fell 1-0 in double overtime.

#### ON THE PITCH

The No. 7 Penn State women's soccer team travels to Wisconsin and Minnesota this weekend for its first two conference road matches. The Lions will face Wisconsin at 8:00 p.m. (EST) on Friday before traveling to Minnesota on Sunday for a 2:00 p.m. (EST) match-up.

#### **SEPTEMBER SWEEPS**

The Nittany Lions completed their perfect September record (8-0-0) last Sunday with a 4-1 win over Indiana. They now own a 124-31-13 (.777) record in the month of September all-time.

PSU defeated Purdue, 6-1, last Thursday night and opened up conference play with a 3-2 double overtime win against Northwestern on Sept. 20.

The Blue and White have also posted consecutive wins over Tulsa (9/15), Oklahoma State (9/13), Bucknell (9/10), Boston University (9/6) and LaSalle (9/1).

#### **RODRIGUEZ EARNS WEEKLY ACCOLADES**

Sophomore Raquel Rodriguez earned TopDrawerSoccer National Team of the Week, Big Ten Offensive Player of the Week and Philly Soccer News Player of the Week honors after posting two goals and one assist against Purdue and Indianal last weekend. The midfielder scored the first goal in each match and tallied her assist on the gamewinning goal against Purdue.

#### PENN STATE NO. 7 IN NSCAA POLL

After six weeks of action, the Penn State women's soccer team ranks seventh overall according to the NSCAA rankings. Wisconsin (18), Michigan (21) and Nebraska (23) also represent the Big Ten in the poll while Ohio State is just outside of the Top 25, receving votes.

#### **FRONTRUNNER**

Senior Maya Hayes ranks No. 1 in the B1G in points (28) and points per game (2.55) and is tied for first in goals (12) and goals per game (1.09). The forward is also tied for first in the nation in points, second in points per game and third in goals.

Hayes has found the back of the net in all but one match this season.

#### IN THE BOOKS

Forward Maya Hayes solidified her place in the Penn State record books after notching the second most goals (31) and most points (70) in a single season during her sophomore campaign but she is not stopping there. The senior is now No. 3 on the career goals ledger after netting 12 so far this season, bringing her total to 64 in just 77 games.

All-American Tiffany Weimer (2002-05) and MAC Hermann Trophy winner Christie Welsh (1999-02) are atop the standings with an impressive 91 and 82 goals, respectively.

Hayes is also tied for third on the career points record list with 147. She needs just one more point to replace Rachel Hoffman (1994-97) and take sole possesion of the No. 3 spot. Welsh leads the category with a remarkable 216 points and Weimer follows closely with 214.

#### **LEADING THE LEAGUE**

The Blue and White currently lead the Big Ten in five different categories. They are No. 1 in goals (37), goals per game (3.36), assists (35), assists per game (3.18) and points (109). Penn State is also in the top five in the nation in scoring offense (2nd), points (3rd) and assists (T3rd).

#### **HOME FIELD DOMINANCE**

The Lions are a force to be reckoned with when playing at Jeffrey Field, having amassed a home record of 188-21-11 (.880). At 94-3-4 (.950), the Nittany Lions have the best Big Ten home record in the conference.

In 2012, a PSU-record 5,117 fans packed the stands to watch Penn State play then-No. 1 Stanford. The Lions are currently riding an 18-game unbeaten streak at Jeffrey.

#### **LAST TIME OUT**

The then-No. 8 Penn State women's soccer team completed its perfect September record (8-0-0) on Sunday afternoon as it overpowered Indiana, 4-1, at Jeffrey Field. Raquel Rodriguez, Tani Costa, Emily Hurd and Maya Hayes each netted goals for the Nittany Lions.

Rodriguez started things off for the Nittany Lions for the second-straight match, netting her third goal of the year in the seventh minute. Kori Chapic played a ball to Hurd and Hurd crossed it to Rodriguez, who was able to head it in to give PSU a 1-0 lead.

IU tied it up at the 25:01 mark as Monica Melink notched her second goal of the season. The midfielder received the ball on a cross from Rebecca Candler and put it in from the far corner of the box.

The Nittany Lions came out firing on all cylinders in the second half, posting four shots in the first seven minutes. Costa found success on the fourth shot, burying the ball in the net from 12 yards ahead on a beautiful cross from Hurd.

Hurd added a goal of her own in the 60th minute. The redshirt junior blasted one in from the far corner of the 18 yard box to give the Lions a 3-1 lead.

Britt Eckerstrom collected a big save in the 62nd minute to keep the score at 3-1, stopping a Melink attempt that came on goal. The Hoosiers had two more clean looks in the game but Eckerstrom was up to the task, picking up saves on both. The redshirt sophomore finished the match with eight saves.

Hayes posted her 12th goal of the year and capped the scoring with seven minutes remaining in the game. Taylor Schram dropped the ball to Hayes and the senior dribbled past an Indiana defender before firing the ball in from 12 yards deep.

#### **LIONS STEAM BOILERMAKERS**

The then-No. 8 Penn State women's soccer team used six goals from five different players en route to a dominant 6-1 victory over Purdue last Thursday night as it honored the life and legacy of Mack Brady. Raquel Rodriguez, Kori Chapic, Maya Hayes, Tani Costa and Kindrah Kohne each scored for the Nittany Lions.

#### 2013 BIG TEN PRESEASON POLL

#### 1. Penn State

- 2. Michigan
- 3. Illinois
- 4. Ohio State
- 5. Wisconsin
- 6. lowa
- 7. Minnesota
- 8. Northwestern
- 9. Nebraska
- 10. Michigan State
- 11. Purdue
- 12. Indiana

#### **2013 BIG TEN STANDINGS**

Team	Big Ten	Pts.	<u>Overall</u>
1. Penn State	3-0-0	9	9-1-1
2. Nebraska	3-0-0	9	8-2-1
3. Wisconsin	2-0-1	7	7-1-2
4. Ohio State	1-1-1	4	7-2-2
5. Michigan	1-1-1	4	7-2-1
6. Illinois	1-1-1	4	6-3-2
7. lowa	1-2-0	3	9-2-0
8. Indiana	1-2-0	3	9-2-0
9. Minnesota	1-2-0	3	8-3-0
10. Michigan State	1-2-0	3	7-2-2
11. Purdue	1-2-0	3	6-4-1
12. Northwestern	0-3-0	0	2-7-2

Penn State's offense was not the only impressive part of the match as the defensive unit held the Boilermakers (5-4-1, 0-2-0) to just one shot for the entire game.

Rodriguez put the Nittany Lions on the board early, tallying her second goal of the season in the seventh minute of action. Hayes dribbled the ball to beat a defender and crossed it to Rodriguez, who put it in from eight yards out.

The Boilermakers evened the score in the 16th minute as forward Maddy Williams tallied her seventh goal of the year. Juliana Hairston played a cross to Jordan Pawlik and Pawlick flicked it to Williams, who was able to finish from 10 yards out.

With the goal, Williams became the first Purdue player to score on Jeffrey Field since 2005.

The Blue and White were awarded a corner kick in the 37th minute and came up with their second goal of the match. Chapic headed the ball in off a fantastic corner from Rodriguez to give Penn State a 2-1 lead.

The Lions' next tally came right before the half as Purdue sent an own goal into the net. Costa crossed the ball towards the goal and it deflected off of Boilermaker defender Kim Love as she was attempting to clear it, putting PSU up 3-1.

Penn State didn't waste much time before extending their lead to 4-1 as Costa posted her third goal of the season in the 53rd minute. Emily Hurd crossed the ball to Costa and the senior buried the ball in the back of the net from point blank range.

Hayes was the next to score for the Lions, registering her 11th goal of the year at the 62:00 mark. The forward beat a defender at the edge of the box and slid one past Kridler, giving the Blue and White a 5-1 advantage.

Kohne capped the scoring and posted her first Penn State goal in the 77th minute of play. The junior midfielder intercepted a pass from Purdue and hammered the ball in from 20 yards deep to leave the score at 6-1.

#### **PSU RALLIES PAST NORTHWESTERN**

Junior defender Whitney Church (Ashburn, Va.) posted two crucial goals on Sept. 20 to lift the then-ninth-ranked Penn State women's soccer team over Big Ten foe Northwestern, 3-2, in a double overtime thriller at Jeffrey Field. Maya Hayes also came up big for the Lions, netting the game-tying goal in the conference opener for both squads.

NU senior Kate Allen put the Wildcats on the board early, netting the first goal of the match in the fourth minute of action. Sami Schrakamp crossed the ball to Allen, who then fired it into the top of the net over Eckerstrom to give NU a 1-0 lead.

No.	Name.	Pos.	Elig.	Ht.	Hometown	High School	Pronunciation
)	Meghan Kaminski		So.	6-1	Doylestown, Pa.	Central Bucks South	
00	Lexi Golestani	GK	Fr.	5-6	Montgomery, N.J.	The Hun School of Princeton	GOAL-es-tawn-El
	Brittany Basinger	D	Fr.	5-7	Fairfax, Va.	Woodgrove	BAY-singer
)	Megan Ritchey	M	So.	5-3	State College, Pa.	State College Area	ŭ
}	Emily Hurd	M	R-Jr.	5-7	Sammamish, Wash.	Eastlake	
	Lexi Marton	D	R-Sr.	5-11	Aurora, Ontario	The Country Day School	
,	Maya Hayes	F	Sr.	5-7	West Orange, N.J.	Newark Academy	
;	Anna Witte	D	Fr.	5-4	Morrisville, N.C.	Cary	witt-EE
	Corey Persson	M	So.	5-3	Danvers, Mass.	Danvers	
	Jenna Kalwa	D/M	So.	5-5	Pennington, N.J.	Hopewell Valley Central	
1	Andrea Gundersor	ı D	Fr.	5-6	West Chester, Pa.	WĊ Rustin	
1	Raquel Rodriguez	F/M	So.	5-6	San Jose, Costa Rica	International Christian	
2	Kindrah Kohne	M	Jr.	5-5	Homer, N.Y.	Homer	KO-nee
4	Kori Chapic	F/M	Jr.	5-7	Novelty, Ohio	West Geauga	CHAP-ick
5	Erin Kehoe	D	Sr.	5-4	Crystal Lake, III.	Prairie Ridge	
6	Mallory Weber	F	So.	5-6	Novi, Mich.	Northville	
7	Whitney Church	D	Jr.	5-5	Ashburn, Va.	Broad Run	
8	Angela Widlacki	D	Fr.	5-5	Naperville, III.	Naperville North	
9	Taylor Schram	F/M	Sr.	5-5	Canonsburg, Pa.	Canon-McMillan	SHRAM
0	Salina Williford	M/D	Fr.	5-4	Wayne, Pa.	Conestoga	
1	Teddy Chase	D	So.	5-7	Wayne, Pa.	The Shipley School	
2	Tani Ćosta	F	R-Sr.	5-8	Honolulu, Hawaii	Kalani	TAH-nee
3	Bri Hovington	D	Sr.	5-4	Lothian, Md.	Southern	
4	Liv Brandy	D	Fr.	5-4	Gibsonia, Pa.	Home Schooled	
25	Mallory Peterson	F/M	So.	5-5	Clinton Corner, N.Y.	Millbrook	
6	Emily Carrollo	F/M	GS	5-5	Sussex, N.J.	Pope John Regional	KA-roll-oh
7	Maggie Chapman	M	Fr.	5-4	Dumfries, Va.	Forest Park	
8	Britt Eckerstrom	GK	R-So.	5-10	Germantown, Md.	Northwest	
30	Chloe Buehler	GK	Fr.	5-7	Perrysburg, Ohio	Perrysburg	BYOO-lur

**Volunteer Assistant:** Mike Eckberg (First Year)

Allen netted her second goal of the game in the 78th minute, stretching NU's lead to 2-0. Georgia Waddle dropped the ball to Allen and the forward fired one past Eckerstrom to give the Wildcats a two goal advantage with 12 minutes remaining in regulation.

The second Northwestern goal seemed to motivate the Nittany Lions as they fired back with their first goal of the game just two minutes later. The Blue and White were awarded another corner kick and this time they made it count. Rodriguez sent the ball to Church, who headed it in from six yards out to bring the score to 2-1.

Hayes added another goal for PSU in the 84th minute. Hayes got the ball on a long pass from Chapic and then went on to beat Hascher one-onone, tapping the ball into the net to tie the game at 2-2 and send the match into overtime.

Church sealed the deal for the Blue and White with 3:35 remaining in the game. The defender got the ball after it bounced off of several PSU and NU players and drilled it into the far corner of the net from 20 yards out to leave the final score at 3-2.

#### **PENN STATE EDGES TULSA**

Penn State finished out its non-conference slate with an exciting 3-2 victory over Tulsa on Sept. 15. Maya Hayes came up big for the Nittany Lions, scoring the game-winning goal in the 89th minute. Sophomore Mallory Weber and senior Tani Costa also netted goals for PSU.

Weber notched the first goal of the match, putting the ball into the net in the 22nd minute. The sophomore got the ball on a high arcing cross from Emily Hurd and headed it in from four yards out to give Penn State a 1-0 advantage.

Claire Nicholson got the Golden Hurricane on the board in the 57th minute of action after Tulsa was awarded a penalty kick. Eckerstrom went left and Nicholson chose right, sending the ball into the back of the net and tying the game at 1-1.

The Nittany Lions pulled ahead at the 73:42 mark with Costa tallying her second goal of the season. Hurd dropped the ball to Costa, who then beat the keeper and tapped the ball in from seven yards out to give the Blue and White a 2-1 lead.

Leading by one with just over four minutes remaining, it looked as though Penn State had the game won but the Golden Hurricane thought otherwise. Kirsch dropped the ball to Kajal Parmar and Parmar crossed it to Pelley, who scored the equalizer on a sliding kick from seven yards out.

Pelley's efforts were not enough to send the game into overtime, however, as Hayes responded with the game-winner with 20 seconds remaining. The senior ripped one into the top of the net from 15 yards out on an assist from Schram, putting the final score at 3-2 in Penn State's favor.

#### **LIONS LASSO COWGIRLS**

After trailing 2-0 early in the first half, the then-No. 13 Penn State women's soccer team rallied to defeat Oklahoma State 4-2 on Friday, Sept. 13 at Cowgirl Stadium. Senior Maya Hayes led the Lions with two goals while junior Kori Chapic and sophomore Mallory Weber netted one apiece. Tani Costa also came up big for the Blue and White, tallying assists on three of Penn State's four goals.

Oklahoma State's Allie Stephenson got the Cowgirls on the board early. The sophomore fired the ball in from 20 yards out in the sixth minute on an assist by Joanna Robertson.

The Cowgirls extended their lead to 2-0 eight minutes later as Krissy Killon made a great play to beat Eckerstrom, scoring from eight yards out.

Chapic netted her first goal of the season to get Penn State on the board in the 24th minute. The Junior drilled the ball in off of the far post from 30 yards out, putting the score at 2-1.

The Lions picked up the pace towards the end of the second half, netting two goals in a two minute span. Weber notched the equalizer at the 35:34 mark, flicking the ball into the net from five yards out on a cross from Costa. Hayes tallied the third goal of the match, blasting the ball over Medina's head from 20 yards out to give Penn State its first lead of the evening at 3-2.

Hayes earned her second goal of the game with just six minutes remaining. The senior received the ball on a long pass from Costa before breaking away from a Cowgirl defender and beating Medina in a one on one situation to cap the scoring at 4-2.

#### THE BLUE AND WHITE BLANK THE BISON

The then-No. 13 Penn State women's soccer team used six goals from five different players en route to a 6-0 victory over Bucknell on Sept. 10. Sophomore Mallory Weber led the way with two goals while Emily Hurd, Maya Hayes, Corey Persson and Liv Brandy each netted one.

Sophomore Raquel Rodriguez also had a stellar performance, tallying a personal-best three assists in just 25 minutes of action. It was the first time a Nittany Lion has notched three helpers in a single game since Hayes achieved the feat against Ohio State on Sept. 29, 2011.

The Lions' match against the Bison also marked the first time that the Nittany Lions have scored six goals since they upended Purdue, 6-1, on Oct. 31, 2010.

PFNN	STATE	CARFFR	RECORDS

SH	OTS				ASS	SISTS			
1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	431 381 356 347 317	Christie Welsh Katie Schoepfer Tiffany Weimer Joanna Lohman Rachel Hoffman	97 gms. 92 gms. 97 gms. 101 gms. 87 gms.	1994-97	1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	52 41 37 32 31	Christie Welsh Christine Nairn Joanna Lohman Tiffany Weimer Rachel Hoffman	97 gms. 94 gms. 101 gms. 97 gms. 87 gms.	2002-05 1994-97
6. 7. 8. <b>9.</b> 10.	314 283 253 <b>250</b> 230	Christine Nairn Heidi Drummond Danielle Toney Maya Hayes Kelly Convey	94 gms. 98 gms. 99 gms. <b>77 gms.</b> 93 gms.	2009-12 2000-03 2007-10 <b>2010-</b> 1996-99	<ul><li>6.</li><li>7.</li><li>10.</li></ul>	29 26 26	Stephanie Smith Katie Schoepfer Heidi Drummond Kelly Convey Liz Villamil	101 gms. 92 gms. 98 gms. 93 gms. 87 gms.	2000-03 2006-09 2000-03 1996-99 1994-97
GO	ALS				POI	NTS			
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.	91 82 <b>64</b> 58 56 48 44 41 38 34	Tiffany Weimer Christie Welsh <b>Maya Hayes</b> Rachel Hoffman Heidi Drummond Katie Schoepfer Carole Dutchka Joanna Lohman Danielle Toney Christine Nairn	97 gms. 97 gms. 77 gms. 87 gms. 98 gms. 92 gms. 87 gms. 101 gms. 99 gms. 93 gms.	2002-05 1999-02 <b>2010-</b> 1994-97 2000-03 2006-09 1995-98 2000-03 2007-10 2009-12	1. 2. 3. 5. 6. 7. 8.	216 214 147 <b>147</b> 138 122 119 108 109	Christie Welsh Tiffany Weimer Rachel Hoffman Maya Hayes Heidi Drummond Katie Schoepfer Joanna Lohman Carole Dutchka Christine Nairn Danielle Toney	97 gms. 97 gms. 87 gms. <b>77 gms.</b> 98 gms. 92 gms. 101 gms. 87 gms. 94 gms. 99 gms.	1999-02 2002-05 1994-97 <b>2010-</b> 2000-03 2006-09 2000-03 1995-98 2009-12 2007-10
GA	ME-W	VINNING GOALS			GAI	MES	PLAYED		
1. 3. 4. 6. 7. 9.	27 27 19 18 18 17 15 <b>15</b> 12	Christie Welsh Tiffany Weimer Heidi Drummond Katie Schoepfer Rachel Hoffman Carole Dutchka Joanna Lohman Maya Hayes Danielle Toney Christine Nairn	97 gms. 97 gms. 98 gms. 92 gms. 87 gms. 101 gms. <b>77 gms.</b> 99 gms. 93 gms.	1999-02 2002-05 2000-03 2006-09 1994-97 1995-98 2000-03 <b>2010-</b> 2007-10 2009-12	1. 2. 3.	104 103 101 101 100 99 97 97 97 96	Bonnie Young Megan Mills Joanna Lohman Stephanie Smith Emily Oleksiuk Danielle Toney Luanne Strom Tiffany Weimer Christie Welsh Courtney Lawson		1997-01 1998-01 2000-03 2000-03 1998-01 2007-10 1997-00 2002-05 1999-02 1996-99
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#### **LIONS SILENCE TERRIERS**

Senior Taylor Schram netted her third goal of the season to lead the then-No. 14 Penn State women's soccer team to a 1-0 victory over Boston University on Sept. 6 at Jeffrey Field. Friday's shutout was the first of the 2013 campaign for the Nittany Lions.

The match was one delegated by defense as Penn State allowed just nine shots from BU and the Terriers held the Nittany Lions to just three shots on goal.

Schram got the Blue and White on the board in the 53rd minute, drilling the ball in from six yards out. The goal originated when Raquel Rodriguez dropped the ball to Mallory Weber, who then passed it to Schram.

The Penn State defensive unit of Kori Chapic, Whitney Church, Brittany Basinger and Salina Williford was superb in the second half as the Lions allowed just three shots, none of which were on goal. Eckerstrom tallied three saves in the second shutout of her career.

#### LIONS ROAR PAST LA SALLE

The Penn State women's soccer team earned its second victory of the season with a 5-1 win over La Salle on Sept. 1 at Jeffrey Field.

Senior forward Maya Hayes netted two goals for the Nittany Lions while seniors Taylor Schram and Tani Costa and sophomore Raquel Rodriguez posted one apiece.

Hayes got things started for the Nittany Lions in the 34th minute, finding the ball after a free kick was deflected and drilling it into the back of the net to give Penn State a 1-0 advantage.

The Lions extended their lead to 2-0 just five minutes later as Rodriguez made a quick move around a La Salle defender and put one in from the edge of the box.

A goal by Kelsey Haycook got the Explorers on the board at the 58:48 mark. The junior knocked the ball into the net on a cross from teammate Maryam Huseini to bring the score to 2-1 in PSU's favor.

Costa gave the Lions their third goal of the game at the 70:31 mark. The forward got the ball from Hayes, who stole it from a defender, and fired it past La Salle keeper Katie Getzinger to give Penn State a 3-1 lead.

The Blue and White were awarded a corner kick just three minutes later and were able to capitalize as Hayes scored off a Kori Chapic header from a Rodriguez cross, putting the score at 4-1.

Penn State capped the scoring in the 84th minute as Schram stole the ball and hammered it into the back of the net, bringing the score to 5-1.

#### **CAVALIERS DOWN PSU**

Penn State dropped its first road match of the season to No. 5 Virginia, 5-1, on Friday, Aug. 30 at Klöckner Stadium. The Nittany Lions led 1-0 early on before UVA took control, netting three goals in the first half and two in the second.

Maya Hayes notched the lone goal for PSU, tapping one in on a cross from sophomore Mallory Weber in the sixth minute to give the Blue and White a 1-0 lead.

UVA responded seven minutes later as Morgan Brian drilled one in from 18 yards out on an assist from Makenzy Doniak to tie the match up at 1-1.

UVA controlled the momentum for the rest of the half, taking a 2-1 lead in the 18th minute on a goal by Doniak, assisted by Gloria Douglas and Danielle Colaprico. Senior Kate Norbo extended the Wahoos' lead to 3-1 in the 21st minute, netting one from 15 yards out on a breakaway.

Virginia showed no signs of letting up in the second half as senior Shasta Fisher knocked one in at the far post from 15 yards out just two minutes in, giving the Cavaliers a 4-1 advantage.

Keeper Britt Eckerstrom came up with two nice saves in the 72nd and 73rd minutes before Cavalier sophomore Brittany Ratcliffe nudged one past her on an assist from Kailie Torres in the 77th minute to cap the scoring at 5-1.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS**

#### PENN STATE is...

188-21-11 . . . . . . . . All-time at Jeffrey Field 94-3-4 . . . All-time vs. Big Ten at Jeffrey Field

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3-1-0 on the road
0-0-0 at neutral site
1-0-1 in overtime
6-0-1 when wearing white
3-1-0 when wearing blue
7-0-0 when leading at halftime
1-1-1when trailing at halftime
2-0-0 when tied at halftime
8-1-0when scoring first goal
1-0-1when opponent scores first goal
9-0-1 when out-shooting opponent
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6-0-1 when taking more corner kicks
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0-1-0 ....against higher-ranked opponents
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0-0-0 ....when scoring 0 goals
1-1-0 ....when scoring 1 goal
1-0-1 ....when scoring 2 goals

 1-0-0
 ... on Tuesday

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 ... on Wednesday

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 ... on Friday

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 ... on Saturday

4-0-0 ... during the day
1-0-0 ... vs. Atlantic 10
0-1-0 ... vs. ACC
0-0-0 ... vs. Big East

 0-0-0
 vs. Pac-12

 2-0-0
 vs. Patriot League

 0-0-0
 vs. WAC

 0-0-0
 vs. MAC

 0-0-0
 vs. NEC

1-0-0 ...... when a freshman scores 1-0-0 ..... in one-goal games

#### **INDIVIDUAL HONORS & AWARDS**

#### **Brittany Basinger**

TDS Preseason Best XI all-freshman team

#### **Whitney Church**

TDS National Team of the Week (9/24) Big Ten Offensive POW (9/23) Philly Soccer News POW (9/23) MAC Hermann Trophy Watch List TDS Preseason Best XI second team Big Ten Player to Watch

#### Maya Hayes

Disney Soccer/NSCAA National POW (9/17)
Big Ten Offensive POW (9/16)
Philly Soccer News POW (9/16)
MAC Hermann Trophy Watch List
Senior CLASS Award Candidate
Soccer America Preseason All-American
TDS Preseason Best XI first team
Big Ten Player to Watch

#### **Raquel Rodriguez**

TopDrawerSoccer National Team of the Week (10/1) Big Ten Offensive POW (9/30) Philly Soccer News POW (9/30) Big Ten Player to Watch

#### LIONS CLAW THE PRIDE

The Penn State women's soccer team posted its first win of the 2013 campaign with a 2-1 victory over Hofstra on Sunday, Aug. 25 in the Penn State Invitational. Senior forward Maya Hayes and sophomore forward Mallory Weber led the way for the Nittany Lions with both netting goals in the first half of the contest.

Hayes took the initiative early in the match, sending the ball in to the back of the net in the 11th minute on a low cross from Emily Carrollo to give PSU an early 1-0 lead. Weber extended the Lions' lead to 2-0 in the 19th minute, stealing the ball off a goal kick and putting it into the top of the net.

Hofstra didn't waste any time in the second half as Leah Galton netted an unassisted goal from 12 yards out in the 51st minute to bring the Pride within one. Hofstra registered three more shots on goal in the second half but could not get by Eckerstrom, who totaled six saves in the match.

#### **PSU DRAWS WITH MOUNTAINEERS**

The Penn State women's soccer team kicked off the 2013-14 PSU Athletics campaign with a 2-2 tie against non-conference foe West Virginia on Friday, Aug. 23 in the Penn State Invitational. Despite being down 0-2 late in the contest, seniors Taylor Schram and Maya Hayes rallied to tie it up with 10 minutes to go in regulation.

West Virginia came out hot, netting a goal in the fourth minute. WVU senior Frances Silva put one in on a cross from sophomore Kelsie Maloney.

With 20 minutes remaining in regulation, Maloney extended the Mountaineers lead, heading one in to put WVU up 2-0. Penn State responded 10 minutes later when Schram ripped one into the back corner of the net on an assist from Hayes, putting the score at 2-1 in West Virginia's favor.

Just over a minute later Hayes added another goal for the Nittany Lions, scoring on a cross from Weber to even the score at 2-2.

PSU and WVU registered three shots each in overtime but neither were able to capitalize, leaving the score at an even 2-2.

#### LIONS PICKED TO WIN BIG TEN

The 15-time defending Big Ten Champion Nittany Lions were selected by conferene coaches to win yet another Big Ten title. The Michigan Wolverines were tabbed to finish second and Illinois rounded out the top three.

#### THE SCHEDULE

Penn State holds a record of 219-35-16 all-time against its 2013 opponents for an .841 winning percentage. Additionally, PSU is 182-27-14 (.848) against Big Ten foes, which includes last year's 11-1-1 mark when the Big Ten Tournament is factored in.

# THE LAST TIME

Th	HE LAST	TIME
PENN STATE		
Scored 3 goals	9/20/13	vs. Northwestern (3-2, 2OT)
Scored 4 goals		vs. Indiana (4-1)
Scored 5 goals		vs. La Salle (5-1)
Scored 6 goals		vs. Purdue (6-1)
Scored 7 goals		vs. Pittsburgh (7-2)
Scored 8 goals		vs. lowa (8-0)
Scored 9 goals		vs. Bucknell (9-2)
Allowed 0 goals		at Bucknell (6-0)
Allowed 1 goal		vs. Indiana (4-1)
Allowed 2 goals		vs. Northwestern (3-2, 2OT)
Allowed 3 goals		vs. Minnesota (4-3)
Allowed 4 goals	12/2/12	vs. #13 North Carolina (1-4)
Allowed 5+ goals		vs. Virginia (1-5)
Won in overtime	11/30/12	vs. #7 Florida State (2-1)
Lost in overtime	11/6/11	vs. #18 Illinois (1-2)
Won in double overtime	9/20/13	vs. Northwestern (3-2)
Lost in double overtime	9/9/11	vs. Central Florida (1-2)
Tied in double overtime		vs. West Virginia (2-2, 20T)
Was ranked in the NSCAA Top 25		
Was ranked in the NSCAA Top 10		
Played a NSCAA Top 10 Team		vs. #5 Virginia (1-5)
Played a NSCAA Top 25 Team		vs. #5 Virginia (1-5)
Defeated a NSCAA Top 10 Team		vs. #7 Florida State (2-1)
Defeated a NSCAA Top 25 Team		vs. #19 Duke (1-0)
Attempted less than 10 shots		vs. #5 Virginia (1-5)
Attempted 10-19 shots		
Attempted 20-29 shots		
Attempted 30-39 shots		30 at Bucknell (6-0)
Attempted 40+ shots		
Allowed 4 or less shots		1 vs. Purdue (6-1)
Allowed 5-9 shots		
Allowed 10-15 shots	9/20/13	
Allowed 16+ shots		16 vs. Indiana (4-1)
Scored 15-24 points		
Scored 25+ points		
Made 10-14 saves	10/31/12	
Made 15+ saves		
Had 10+ corner kicks		
Allowed 10+ corner kicks		
Tallied 5-7 assists	10/7/12	5 vs. Indiana (5-2)
Tallied 8+ assists	9/10/13	8 at Bucknell (6-0)
Won an NCAA Tourney game		vs. #7 Florida State (2-1)
Lost an NCAA Tourney game		vs. #13 North Carolina (1-4)
Won a road NCAA Tourney game		at Connecticut (2-1)
	11/30/12	vs. #7 Florida State (2-1)
Won penalty kick shootout		vs. Michigan (1-1, 3-2 PKs)
Lost penalty kick shootout	11/9/07.	vs. Ohio State (2-2, 4-5 PKs)
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## A PENN STATE PLAYER...

A PENN SIALE PLATER	
Scored 2 goals	9/20/13 W. Church vs. Northwestern (3-2, 2OT)
Scored 3 goals	9/4/11 Maya Hayes at Pittsburgh (3-0)
Scored 4 goals	10/7/01 Christie Welsh vs. Michigan (6-2)
Had 2 assists	9/29/13 Emily Hurd vs. Indiana (4-1)
Had 3 assists	9/13/13Tani Costa at Oklahoma St. (4-2)
Had 4 assists	9/17/03Ali Krieger vs. Bucknell (6-0)
Had 5-9 points	9/1/13 Maya Hayes 5 vs. La Salle (5-1)
Had 10+ points	10/7/0110, Christie Welsh vs. Michigan (6-2)
Attempted 10+ shots	11/11/11 10, Christine Nairn vs. Army (1-0)
Made 10-14 saves	10/31/12 14, Erin McNulty vs. lowa (2-0)
Made 15+ saves	9/3/94 15, Robin Van Praag at Minnesota (3-2)
Scored in the Big Ten Tournament	10/31/12 Maddy Evans vs. lowa (2-0)
Had a Big Ten Tourney shutout	10/31/12 McNulty vs. lowa (2-0)
Scored in an NCAA game	12/212 Taylor Schram vs. #13 North Carolina (1-4)
Had an NCAA game shutout	11/23/12 Erin McNulty vs. #19 Duke (1-0)

# TWO NAMED TO HERMANN WATCH LIST

Penn State women's soccer senior forward Maya Hayes and junior defender Whitney Church have been named to the Missouri Athletic Club's Hermann Trophy Watch List for the 2013 season.

The MAC Hermann Trophy is collegiate soccer's most prestigious award presented annually to one male and one female athlete. The winners will be announced Friday, Jan. 10, 2014 at the trophy presentation banquet at the Missouri Athletic Club in St. Louis. Christie Welsh is the only Penn State athlete to win the award (2001).

This is Hayes' second consecutive year on the watch list and Church's first appearance. Hayes was a finalist for the award in 2011 and a semifinalist in 2012. Hayes and Church are joined by Illinois' Vanessa DiBernardo as Big Ten honorees for the award.

Hayes is a two-time NSCAA first team All-America selection and has earned back-to-back Big Ten Forward of the Year honors. She finished second on the team in goals (16) and points (38) in 2012, despite missing the first seven games of the season while participating in the U20 World Cup with the U.S. U20 National Team.

Church received NSCAA first team All-Great Lakes recognition and Big Ten Defender of the Year honors in 2012. She led the Nittany Lion defensive attack, starting all 27 contests and logging over 2,000 minutes.

#### HAYES A SENIOR CLASS AWARD CANDIDATE

Penn State senior forward Maya Hayes has been selected as one of thirty candidates for the 2013 Senior CLASS Award in collegiate soccer.

The Senior CLASS (Celebrating Loyalty and Achievement for Staying in School) Award is presented yearly to a Division I senior student-athlete who has notable achievements in four areas of excellence - community, classroom, character and competition.

Hayes has excelled both on and off the field, earning several academic awards during her time at Penn State. The kinesiology major was a 2011 CoSIDA/Captial One third-team Academic All-America selection and CoSIDA/Capital One first team All-District selection. Hayes was included on the Dean's List for the spring 2013 semester and was inducted into Penn State's Athletic Honor Society, Spiritus Leoninus. She is also a two-time Academic All-Big Ten selection.

The 30-member candidate pool will be narrowed to 10 finalists midway through the regular season, and those 10 finalists will be placed on the official ballot. Ballots will be distributed through a nationwide voting system to media, coaches and fans, who will select the female candidate who best exemplifies excellence in community, classroom, character and competition.

The Senior CLASS Award winner will be announced during the 2013 NCAA Women's College Cup in Cary, N.C. in December.

#### LIONS ON THE BTN

Penn State's 15-time Big Ten Champion women's soccer team will be featured on the BTN at least twice this season. The Nittany Lions' home contests against Ohio State on Thursday, Oct. 17 at 3 p.m. and Illinois on Sunday, Oct. 20 at 12 p.m. will air on the BTN. Additionally, both Big Ten Tournament semifinal matches and the championship game will be aired live on the BTN.

#### **SOCIAL MEDIA**

For complete coverage of Penn State women's soccer, please visit http://www.GoPSUsports.com/sports/w-soccer. Follow PSU women's soccer on Twitter and Instagram: @PennStateWSOC. Penn State women's soccer is also on Facebook: www. facebook.com/PSUWomensSoccer.

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124	Tiffany Weimer	23 gms.	2004	13	Tiffany Weime	_	gms.	2005
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115	Joanna Lohman	25 gms.	2003	9	Christie Welsh		gms.	1999
114	Christie Welsh	24 gms.	2002	8	Joanna Lohma	_	gms.	2003
104	Katie Schoepfer	24 gms.	2008	7	Katie Schoepf	_	gms.	2007
104	Katie Schoepfer	24 gms.	2007	7	Christie Welsh	_	gms.	2000
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13	Christie Welsh	26 gms.	1999					
12	Christine Nairn	27 gms.	2012	WINS				
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51	Tiffany Weimer	25 gms.	2003	0.75	Emily Oleksiuk	2168:52	18 GA	2001
46	Christine Nairn	27 gms.	2012					

	WEEKLY RANKINGS												
	PS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	F
NSCAA	4	9	14	13	9	8	7						
NCAA RPI	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	7	3						
TopDrawerSoccer	5	9	9	9	7	7	7						
Soccer America	2	7	16	15	11	9	8						

NSCAA TOP 25 (as of Oct. 1)			NCAA RPI (as of Sept. 30)			SOCCER AMERICA TOP 25 (as of Oct. 1				TOP DRAWER SOCCER TOP 25 (as of Sept. 30)			
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4 1	Notre Dame	9-1-0	5	4	North Carolina	9-2-0	4	UCLA	9-1-0	3	4	Florida State	9-0-3
5 F	Florida State	9-0-3	3	5	Georgetown	9-0-2	5	Florida State	9-0-3	4	5	Notre Dame	9-1-0
1 6	North Carolina	9-2-0	6	6	Florida State	9-0-3	6	North Carolina	9-2-0	6	6	North Carolina	9-2-0
7 I	Penn State	9-1-1	8	7	UCLA	9-1-0	7	Portland	8-1-1	7	7	Penn State	9-1-1
8 F	Florida	8-2-1	7	8	Wake Forest	8-2-1	8	Penn State	9-1-1	9	8	Georgetown	9-0-2
9 (	Georgetown	9-0-2	10	9	South Carolina	9-1-1	9	Georgetown	9-0-2	8	9	Portland	8-1-1
10 F	Portland	8-1-1	14	10	Denver	9-1-1	10	West Virginia	8-2-2	18	10	Florida	8-2-1
11 (	California	6-0-3	11	11	Virginia Tech	9-1-2	11	Wake Forest	8-2-1	10	11	Wake Forest	8-2-1
12 \	Virginia Tech	9-1-2	16	12	Notre Dame	9-1-0	12	Florida	8-2-1	11	12	Texas Tech	10-1-1
13 \	Wake Forest	8-2-1	9	13	Boston College	6-5-0	13	Baylor	8-1-2	12	13	California	7-0-3
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15 \	West Virginia	8-2-2	23	15	Santa Clara	6-3-1	15	California	6-0-3	15	15	Virginia Tech	9-1-2
16 [	Denver	9-1-1	19	16	Portland	8-1-1	16	Texas Tech	10-1-1	16	16	Baylor	8-1-2
17 5	Santa Clara	6-3-1	20	17	Georgia	9-2-0	17	South Carolina	9-1-1	20	17	Michigan	7-2-1
18 \	Wisconsin	7-1-2	18	18	Nebraska	8-2-1	18	Santa Clara	6-3-1	21	18	South Carolina	9-1-1
19 3	South Carolina	9-1-1	22	19	Colorado	8-2-0	19	Kentucky	8-2-1	14	19	BYU	5-3-1
20 E	Baylor	8-1-2	12	20	Maryland	6-5-0	20	Georgia	9-2-0	19	20	Texas A&M	7-3-1
21 1	Michigan	7-2-1	13	21	Arkansas	8-3-0	21	Marquette	9-3-0	NR	21	Santa Clara	6-3-1
22 E	BYU	5-3-1	17	22	Marquette	9-3-0	22	UCF	8-2-1	NR	22	West Virginia	8-2-2
23 1	Nebraska	8-2-1	RV	23	Florida	8-2-1	23	Nebraska	8-2-1	NR	23	Wisconsin	7-1-2
24 l	UCF	8-2-1	RV	24	Kentucky	8-2-1	24	Denver	9-1-1	NR	24	UCF	8-2-1
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# 2012 NSCAA NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR TWO-TIME BIG TEN COACH OF THE YEAR (2009, 2012)

Head coach Erica Walsh enters her seventh season at the helm of the Penn State women's soccer program in 2013. Walsh's 2012 Nitanny Lions were the most successful team in program history after advancing to their first-ever national title game. The Nittany Lions won 21 of 27 games and were unbeaten in Big Ten action with a 10-0-1 record. The Lions registered their 15th consecutive Big Ten title and 18th-straight NCAA Tournament appearance. The 15-title mark stands as the most consecutive Big Ten Championships by a women's program, along with the present Northwestern tennis

team

#### WALSH'S COLLEGIATE RÉSUMÉ Head Coach

PENN STATE 2007-present 2012 NSCAA National Coach of the Year 2012 Big Ten Coach of the Year 2009 Big Ten Coach of the Year

Harvard 2006
Dartmouth 2000-02
Assistant Coach

Florida State 2005-06 Dartmouth 1998-99

**Graduate Assistant** 

Lehigh 2003-04
Dartmouth 1997
Student-Athlete

William & Mary 1993-97
William & Mary Hall of Fame Inductee

#### WALSH'S NATIONAL RÉSUMÉ Head Coach

U.S. Women's Under-17 2004-07 **Assistant Coach** 

U.S. Women's National Team

2008-present 2008 Olympic Gold Medalists 2011 World Cup Silver Medalists U.S Women's Under-19 2004 Senior Christine Nairn became just the seventh Nittany Lion to finish as a finalist for the prestigous Missouri Athletic Club's Hermann Trophy in 2012 under Walsh's tutelage while junior Maya Hayes was named a semifinalist for the award.

Walsh's success was recognized at the conference and national level as she earned Big Ten Coach of the Year and NSCAA Coach of the Year honors.

Her 2011 team was a dominant force, winning 21 of 26 matches, while out-scoring opponents 70-24. The Nittany Lions were 10-1-0 in Big Ten action and posted the seventh undefeated season at Jeffrey Field (9-0). Walsh helped guide the Lions to their 14th-straight Big Ten title and a spot to the NCAA Sweet Sixteen

for the first time since 2007.

With Walsh's guidance, sophomore Maya Hayes became the nation's most prolific scorer in soccer in 2011. Hayes was a finalist for the M.A.C. Hermann Trophy. Hayes led the nation with 31 goals and 70 points. The sophomore phenom broke single-season record at Penn State for goals and points.

During the 2011 summer, Walsh had an extraordinary experience of being one of the top assistants to Pia Sundhage and the 2011 United State women's national team at the FIFA World Cup in

Germany. The U.S. made a sparkling run through knockout play to the final, falling to eventual champions Japan.

During the 2010 season, Walsh's young club made a remarkable turnaround mid-season, overcoming a two-game deficit in the league standings over the final weeks to capture a share of a record-breaking 13th straight Big Ten title.

After a tough 2-4 start to the 2009 season, Walsh led the Nittany Lions to a remarkable turnaround, going 10-1-2 in the last 13 games of the regular season, earning her the 2009 Big Ten Coach of the Year Award for her efforts. In March of 2010, Walsh's alma mater, William & Mary, honored her by inducting her into the W&M Athletics Hall of Fame.

With the impressive end to the season, Walsh and her charges captured the program's 12th-straight Big Ten Championship, tying a record for most consecutive women's Big Ten titles won held by the Michigan swimming & diving program. By winning the Big Ten, the Nittany Lions continued their string of NCAA Tournament berths, making their 15th-straight appearance in the 64-team field in 2009. For the second time in three years, Penn State hosted the first and second rounds of tournament play.

Walsh also orchestrated one of the finest awards seasons in Penn State history when Katie Schoepfer, Alyssa Naeher and Christine Nairn swept the year-end Big Ten Player of the Year awards. Schoepfer was named the Offensive Player of the Year, Naeher the Defensive Player of the Year and Nairn the Freshman of the Year. Danielle Toney was named to the All-Big Ten First Team, while Lexi Marton garnered Second Team mention. Walsh has now coached two players of the year to three awards as Naeher was also the 2007 recipient of the Defensive Player of the Year honors in Walsh's first year in Happy Valley.

Walsh continued her success from the 2007 campaign into a 16-8-0 record that saw Penn State capture its 11th-straight Big Ten Championship and the 2008 Big Ten Tournament crown.

Her transition to Penn State was quite smooth as the 2007 team finished 18-4-2, including a 9-1-0 mark in conference play, and was ranked 12th in the final NSCAA poll of the season.

When she came to Penn State, Walsh brought with her a wealth of experience at both the international and collegiate levels. She already has coached at six different universities, including three stints as head coach as well as serving as an assistant for the U.S. U-19 team in 2004. Walsh served as head coach of the U-17 team from December 2004 until her hire at Penn State in February of 2007

As of January 2009, Walsh was appointed as a member of the Panel of Instructors and Lecturers for FIFA Courses. In addition, she was appointed as the Chairman of the Women's Technical Committee for the period of January 1, 2009 to June 30, 2011.

In January of 2008, Walsh was named as the assistant coach by Pia Sundhage for the U.S. National Team. With Walsh's help and guidance the U.S. team completed its historic run with a gold medal at the 2008 Olympic Games in Beijing, China. Even sweeter was that Walsh's main responsibility was the U.S. Team's defense, which held fellow world power Brazil scoreless in the gold medal game.

The head coach at Harvard University as well as the U.S. Under-17 team prior to her hiring at Penn State, Walsh has consistently been active among the coaching ranks both at the Division I level and the U.S. Youth National Team program for nearly a decade. Prior to her time with the Crimson, she was part of a Florida State staff that led the Seminoles to one of its most successful year to date. FSU joined Penn State in the 2005 Women's Soccer College Cup, with both programs reaching the national semifinals.

Walsh's coaching path began in 1997 as a graduate assistant with Bucknell University. In 1998, she accepted a position at Dartmouth, where she was an assistant coach for two seasons. After helping the team to a final NSCAA ranking of No. 8 at the conclusion of the team's 1998 NCAA quarterfinal run as well as an

Ivy League championship in 1999, Walsh assumed head coaching duties before the 2000 season.

As head coach, Walsh led the Big Green to back-to-back Ivy League co-championships in 2000 and 2001. Her squad was ranked in the NSCAA's top 25 each year, rising as high as No. 13 in 2001. In her three seasons as head coach, Dartmouth was invited to the NCAA Tournament each season and reached the round of 16 twice. All three of her teams earned the NSCAA's Academic Team Award.

Walsh left Dartmouth to earn her Master's in business administration at Lehigh University where she served as a graduate assistant from 2003-04.

Beginning in the spring of 2004, Walsh joined the United States Under-19 team as an assistant coach where she helped with preparations for the Under-19 World Cup. The U.S. finished with the bronze medal in Thailand after defeating Brazil in the third place match. After the World Cup, Walsh was appointed the U.S. National Team's U-17 head coach, a position which she held for three years.

As a player, Walsh was an NSCAA All-Region selection at William & Mary. A two-time first team All-CAA pick, she propelled her team to four NCAA Tournament appearances as well as two CAA regular season and two CAA league championships.

A high school All-American at Lower Moreland, she was also a member of the U.S. Under-17 National Team.

Walsh earned her Bachelor of Science degree with a concentration in biology from William & Mary in 1997 and resides in State College, Pa.

# WALSH'S ACCOLADES

- 10 YEARS OF COLLEGE HEAD COACHING EXPERIENCE
- 1 COLLEGE CUP APPEARANCE
- 1 NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP APPEARANCE
- **13** NCAA TOURNAMENT WINS
- 9 NCAA TOURNAMENT APPEARANCES
- **10** ALL-AMERICA **HONORS**
- 6 BIG TEN CHAMPIONSHIPS
- 1 OLYMPIC GOLD MEDAL
- 1 NATIONAL COACH OF THE YEAR AWARD
- 2 BIG TEN COACH OF THE YEAR AWARDS

WALSH'S CAREER AT PENN STATE										
Season	Overall	Pct.	Big Ten	Pct.	Finish	NCAA				
2007	18-4-2	.792	9-1-0	.900	1st	Third Round				
2008	16-8-0	.667	8-2-0	.800	T-1st	First Round				
2009	13-6-2	.667	8-1-1	.850	1st	Second Round				
2010	11-9-1	.548	8-2-0	.800	T-1st	Second Round				
2011	21-5-0	.808	10-1-0	.909	1st	Third Round				
2012	21-4-2	.815	10-0-1	.955	1st	Second Place				
2013	9-1-1	.864	3-0-0	1.00						
Penn State	109-37-8	.734	56-7-2	.877		6 NCAAs (10-6)				
Career	148-65-11	.685				9 NCAAs (13-9)				

# 2013 Penn State Women's Soccer Penn State Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 29, 2013) All games

RECORD:	0	OVERALL		HOME		AWAY		NEUTR/				
ALL GAMES		9-1-1		6-0-1		3-1		0-0				
CONFERENCE		3-0		3-0	0-0			0-0				
NON-CONFEREN	CF			3-0-1	3-1			0-0				
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DateOpponent	Sco	Score Att.		Player	gp	g a	pts	sh sh%	sog sog%	gw :	pk-att	
Aug 23 WVU		-2 3742	5	Hayes, Maya	11	12 4	28	38 .316	22 .579	2	0-0	
Aug 25 HOFSTRA		-1 732	19	Schram, Taylor	11	3 4	10	27 .111	11 .407	1	0-0	
Aug 30 at #6 Virginia	L 1.	-5 2609	22	Costa, Tani	10	4 4	12	26 .154	12 .462	1	0-0	
Sep 01 LASALLE	w 5-	-1 1012	11	Rodriguez, Raquel	11	3 7	13	25 .120	10 .400	1	0-0	
Sep 06 BOSTON UNIVERSITY	w 1	-0 1556	16	Weber, Mallory	11	5 3	13	20 .250	9 .450	2	0-0	
Sep 10 at Bucknell	w 6-	-0 1390	3	Hurd, Emily	11	2 5	9	17 .118	10 .588	0	0-0	
Sep 13 at Oklahoma State	w 4-	-2 1316	14	Chapic, Kori	11	2 3	7	13 .154	5 .385	1	0-0	
9/15/2013 at Tulsa	w 3-	-2 252	17	Church, Whitney	11	2 1	5	8 .250	4 .500	1	0-0	
* Sep 20 NORTHWESTERN	Wo2 3	-2 3118	26	Carrollo, Emily	10	0 1	1	6 .000	4 .667	0	0-0	
* Sep 26 PURDUE	w 6-	-1 851	25	Peterson, Mallory	10	0 1	1	5 .000	1 .200	0	0-0	
* Sep 29 INDIANA	w 4-	-1 1582	12	Kohne, Kindrah	10	1 0	2	5 .200	1 .200	0	0-0	
•			20	Williford, Salina	11	0 0	0	5 .000	1 .200	0	0-0	
TEAM STATISTICS	PSU	OPP	1	Basinger, Brittany	11	0 0	0	4 .000	2 .500	0	0-0	
SHOT STATISTICS			24	Brandy, Liv	2	1 0	2	4 .250	1 .250	0	0-0	
Goals-Shot attempts	37-213	17-131	15	Kehoe, Erin	6	0 1	1	3 .000	1 .333	0	0-0	
Goals scored per game	3.36	1.55	8	Kalwa, Jenna	3	0 0	0	2 .000	1 .500	0	0-0	
Shot pct.	.174	.130	21	Chase, Teddy	4	0 0	0	2 .000	1 .500	0	0-0	
Shots on goal-Attempts	99-213	68-131	23	Hovington, Bri	11	0 0	0	2 .000	1 .500	0	0-0	
SOG pct.	.465	.519	7	Persson, Corey	10	1 0	2	1 1.000	1 1.000	0	0-0	
Shots/Game	19.4	11.9	2	Ritchey, Megan	2	0 0	0	0 .000	0 .000	0	0-0	
CORNER KICKS	64	41	4	Marton, Lexi	5	0 0	0	0.000	0 .000	0	0-0	
PENALTY KICKS	0-0	1-1	6	Witte, Anna	3	0 0	0	0 .000	0 .000	0	0-0	
PENALTIES				Total	11	37 34	108	213 .174	99 .465	9	0-0	
Yellow cards	4	4		Opponents	11	17 19	53	131 .130	68 .519	1	1-1	
Red cards	0	0										
ATTENDANCE			##	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg Sa	ves Pct	W-L-	T Sho	
Total	12593	5567	00	Golestani, Lexi	1	7:13	0	0.00	1 1.000	0-0-	0 0/1	
Dates/Avg Per Date	7/1799	4/1392	0	Kaminski, Meghan	2	49:29	0	0.00	1 1.000	0-0-	0 0/1	
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0		28	Eckerstrom, Britt	11	969:43	17	1.58	49 .742	9-1-	1 1/1	
				Total	11	1026:25	17	1.49	51 .750	9-1-		
				Opponents	11	1026:25	37	3.24	62 .626	1-9-	1 0	
			Go	oals by Period	1st	2nd	ОТ	OT2 Tot	al			
				nn State	18	18	0		<u>a.</u> 37			
				ponents	9	8	0		7			
			O,	pononto	Ü	J	Ü		•			
				ots by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2 Tot				
				nn State	105	98	5	5 21				
			Op	ponents	57	70	2	2 13	31			
			Sa	ves by Period	1st	2nd	ОТ	OT2 Tot	al			
				nn State	26	22	1		<u>a.</u> 51			
				ponents	36		2		52			
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				orners by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2 Tot				
				nn State	26		1		64			
			Op	pponents	13	26	2	0 4	11			
			Fo	uls by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2 Tot	al			
				nn State	36	41	2		80			
			Op	ponents	41	37	2	4 8	34			



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Sophomore • GK Doylestown, Pa.



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**MEGHAN RITCHEY** Sophomore • M State College, Pa.



**EMILY HURD** R - Junior • M Sammamish, Wash. Aurora, Ontario



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**MAYA HAYES** Senior • F West Orange, N.J.



**ANNA WITTE** Freshman • D Morrisville, N.C.



**COREY PERSSON** Freshman • M Danvers, Mass.



**JENNA KALWA** Sophomore • M/D Pennington, N.J.



ANDREA GUNDERSON Freshman • D West Chester, Pa.



RAQUEL RODRIGUEZ KINDRAH KOHNE Sophomore • F/M Junior • D San Jose, Costa Rica Homer, N.Y.



**KORI CHAPIC** Sophomore • D Homer, N.Y.



**ERIN KEHOE** Senior • M Crystal, III.



Sophomore • F Novi, Mich.



Junior • D Ashburn, Va.



MALLORY WEBER WHITNEY CHURCH ANGELA WIDLACKI TAYLOR SCHRAM Freshman • D Naperville, III.



Senior • F Canonsburg, Pa.



SALINA WILLIFORD Freshman • M/D Wayne, Pa.



**TEDDY CHASE** Sophomore • D Wayne, Pa.



TANI COSTA R - Senior • F



**BRI HOVINGTON** Senior • D Honolulu, Hawaii Lothian, Md.



LIV BRANDY Freshman • D Gibsonia, Pa.



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Grad. Student • F/M



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