

# PENN STATE LACROSSE


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## 2014 SCHEDULE

Overall: 4-6 // Home: 2-4 // Away: 2-2

CAA: 0-2 // Home: 0-1 // Away: 0-1

Date	Opponent	Result/Time
Feb. 8	% MICHIGAN (1)	W 22-7
Feb. 15	#12 LOYOLA (1)	L (OT) 11-12
Feb. 22	at #4 Notre Dame	W 8-7
March 1	% at #19 Ohio State	W 11-8
March 10	at #9 Denver	L 11-15
March 15 *	#14 MASSACHUSETTS	L 6-8
March 18	DARTMOUTH	W 10-6
March 22	#18 ALBANY	L 10-17
March 29	VILLANOVA 	L 7-9
April 5	* at Drexel	L (3OT) 12-13
April 12	* at #19 Towson	7 p.m.
April 19	* DELAWARE	1 p.m.
April 26	* #16 HOFSTRA	Noon
May 10-11	NCAA First Round (campus sites)	TBA
May 17	<sup>1</sup> NCAA Quarterfinals	TBA
May 18	<sup>2</sup> NCAA Quarterfinals	TBA
May 24	<sup>3</sup> NCAA Semifinals	TBA
May 26	<sup>3</sup> NCAA Final	TBA

All Times Eastern

Home games in **CAPS** at Penn State Lacrosse Field

**CAPS** (1) Home game at Holuba Hall

\* Colonial Athletic Association games

% Creator's Trophy game

<sup>1</sup> at Hofstra (Hempstead, N.Y.)

<sup>2</sup> at Delaware (Newark, Del.)

<sup>3</sup> at M&T Bank Stadium (Baltimore, Md.)

Rankings based on USILA Coaches Poll

## TEAM COMPARISON

Record	4-6	8-3
Conference Record	0-2	2-1
Goals	108	100
Goals/gm.	10.80	9.09
Assists	50	57
Shots	358	376
Shots/gm.	35.8	34.2
Shot Pct.	.302	.266
Goals Allowed	102	99
Goals Allowed/gm.	10.20	9.00
Save Pct.	.507	.520
Ground Balls	319	289
Turnovers	148	129
Caused Turnovers	79	64
Faceoffs	150-244	100-229
Faceoff Pct.	.615	.437
Penalties-Minutes	34-28:30	41-34:00
Clearing Pct.	.875	.903
Riding Pct.	.079	.156
Man-Up Goal Pct.	.382	.316
Man-Down Killing Pct.	.690	.775



## PENN STATE NITTANY LIONS

(4-6, 0-2 CAA)

## #19 TOWSON TIGERS

(8-3, 2-1 CAA)

Game 11: April 12, 2014 • 7 p.m. • Johnny Unitas Stadium • Towson, Md.

## GAME DAY

VENUE

Johnny Unitas Stadium (Turf; 11,198)

COVERAGE

TowsonTigers.com Video

SERIES RECORD

Towson leads 14-7

LAST MEETING

5/3/13, Towson 11-10 (at Penn State)

NEXT GAME

Saturday, Apr. 19 at Delaware, 1 p.m.

## GAME NOTES

- Penn State looks for third win over a ranked foe at No. 19 Towson on Saturday
- The Nittany Lions and Tigers meet for the 22nd time
- PSU has lost four of five games including Saturday's 13-12 triple OT game at Drexel
- **Austin Kaut** had 17 saves; **Mike Sutton** tallied career-high five goals
- Sutton was named CAA Rookie of the Week for his game at Drexel
- Freshman duo **Dan Craig** and **Mike Sutton** have tallied 12 points in past three games
- **Drake Kreinz** and **Cole Yeager** teamed up to win 19-of-30 draws at Drexel. PSU ranks ninth nationally in faceoff winning percentage
- **Shane Sturgis** is 7th all-time at Penn State with 147 points, needing 1 point to reach 6th
- **Austin Kaut** is second in school history in saves (653), 41 behind Drew Adams (694)
- Penn State will try to improve its 7-1 all-time record against No. 19 ranked teams
- Towson is 7-1 in its past eight games to earn its first ranking of the year after starting 1-2

## SEASON STATISTICAL LEADERS

ATTACK		GP-GS	G	A	PTS	SH	SPCT.	GB
3	Shane Sturgis	10-10	25	14	39	65	.385	13
29	TJ Sanders	10-9	20	3	23	54	.370	13
35	Dan Craig	9-4	6	5	11	14	.429	4
11	Kyle Baier	10-6	8	1	9	19	.421	9
39	Mike Sutton	3-1	6	0	6	20	.300	2
41	Gavin Ahern	10-0	3	1	4	14	.214	0
MIDFIELD		GP-GS	G	A	PTS	SH	SPCT.	GB
12	Kyle VanThof	10-0	9	9	18	42	.214	12
25	Tom LaCrosse	10-0	7	1	8	45	.156	8
22	Pat Manley	10-0	7	1	8	15	.467	1
4	Erik Myers	9-0	3	2	5	14	.214	5
1	Brian Prestreau	7-0	3	2	5	17	.214	1
FACEOFF		GP-GS	G	A	PTS	FO	FPCT.	GB
38	Drake Kreinz	10-10	2	2	4	114-184	.620	62
2	Cole Yeager	5-0	0	0	0	34-55	.618	16
SHORT STICKS		GP-GS	G	A	PTS	SH	GB	CT
7	Michael Richards	10-7	4	2	6	8	16	4
37	Tommy O'Neill	10-0	1	0	1	1	7	1
30	Kyle Zittel	10-0	0	0	0	2	10	4
13	James Chakey	10-3	0	0	0	2	13	0
LONG STICKS		GP-GS	G	A	PTS	SH	GB	CT
23	James Burke	10-6	0	0	0	2	24	13
20	Steven Bogert	10-5	0	2	2	1	29	11
8	Tyler Travis	10-10	0	0	0	1	11	11
28	Kessler Brown	10-6	0	0	0	0	14	11
44	JP Burnside	9-9	0	0	0	0	7	7
GOALIE		GP-GS	W-L	MIN	GA	GAA	SV	SV%
19	Austin Kaut	10-10	4-6	591:18	98	9.94	101	.508



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## DREXEL TAKES TRIPLE OT THRILLER

The Nittany Lions fought valiantly Saturday at Vidas Field, but ultimately fell, 13-12, in a dramatic triple overtime thriller to Drexel. Mitch de Snoo scored the game-winning goal with 46 seconds remaining in the third extra frame to propel the Dragons to victory.

Freshman **Mike Sutton** made the most of his first collegiate start by scoring five goals on the day. Fellow freshman **Dan Craig** tallied four points on a goal and three assists, while senior goalkeeper **Austin Kaut** did all he could with a 17-save performance, a season-high showing. His 17 stops were the most since an 18-save game at Notre Dame (Feb. 26, 2012) and matched a 17-save game vs. Villanova (March 31, 2012).

Penn State (4-6, 0-2 CAA), which found itself down 7-4 with 6:14 left in the second quarter fought back with a 5-0 run to take a 9-7 lead into halftime. Drexel responded with a 3-0 spurt of its own to regain the lead, 10-9, with 8:06 remaining in the third. A 3-1 spurt in the third and fourth quarters gave the Nittany Lions a 12-11 advantage with 9:29 left in regulation, but Penn State would fail to score over the final 20:43 of the game.

Drexel's Ben McIntosh scored his fifth goal of the game with just 81 seconds remaining in regulation as he sliced through the defense for his 32nd of the year. McIntosh finished with a game-high eight points, while Ryan Belka added a hat trick of his own.

In the first two overtime periods, **Cole Yeager** won both faceoffs to get the Nittany Lions on attack. Yeager finished the day by going 13-for-21 with six ground balls at the X. Coupled with **Drake Kreinz's** 6-for-9 outing, Penn State went 19-for-30 in draws against the reigning CAA Player of the Week, Nick Saputo and company. Saputo went 6-for-18 on Saturday and entered the game fourth nationally in faceoff winning percentage (67 percent).

Following two scoreless overtime periods, Drexel held a 5-0 shot advantage with Cole Shafer's effort careening off the upright and being picked up by de Snoo, who fired his second goal of the game and lifted the Dragons to victory.

## SUTTON NAMED CAA ROOKIE OF THE WEEK

On the heels of a five-goal masterpiece at Drexel, freshman Mike Sutton (Sewell, N.J.) was named men's lacrosse Rookie of the Week by the Colonial Athletic Association Monday afternoon.

Sutton, who entered Saturday with just two games and a goal played to his credit, uncorked a quintet of tallies against the Dragons at Vidas Field. Sutton made the most of his first collegiate start in the 13-12 triple-overtime loss for the Nittany Lions by becoming just the third Lion to score five or more goals in a game this season.

Sutton posted a string of three straight goals in the second quarter to help the Nittany Lions gain the lead before halftime and added two more to regain the lead in the third quarter for Penn State. Two of his goals came on Penn State's extra-man offense, as PSU went 4-for-7 on the day.

## EMERGING OFFENSIVE WEAPONS

Freshmen **Dan Craig** and **Mike Sutton** were largely silent during the first seven games of the year. In fact, the duo combined to score just five points on three goals and two assists through March 18. The offensive output has changed in the past three games, combining for 12 points on nine goals and three assists. Five of the 12 points came from Sutton this Saturday on his quintet of goals at Drexel, which earned him CAA Rookie of the Week.

Last 3 Games	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.
Dan Craig	3-3	4	3	7
Mike Sutton	2-1	5	0	5
<b>Total</b>		<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>

First 7 Games	GP-GS	G	A	Pts.
Dan Craig	6-1	2	2	4
Mike Sutton	1-0	1	0	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>

## THE FIVE-GOAL MEN

**Mike Sutton's** five-goal game last week against Drexel allowed him to join the exclusive Penn State scoring club that includes only **TJ Sanders** and **Shane Sturgis**. Sanders has four five-goal games and Sturgis tallied a six-goal game against Michigan and tallied five more against Notre Dame this season.



## SCOUTING THE TIGERS

Towson (8-3, 2-1 CAA) is coming off its most important win of the season, a 6-5 victory, at No. 11 UMass last week, the team's seventh win in eight tries. The goaltender battle was won by Tyler White's 16 saves to improve his record to 8-3. White has a 52 save percentage with a 8.86 GAA in 11 starts.

The Tigers have been steady with strong defense during its 7-1 stretch, never allowing more than nine goals, averaging just six goals against per game. A strength of the defense has been its man-down unit which has allowed just nine goals in 40 opportunities (22.5 percent, 3rd NCAA). Meanwhile, on offense, the team has scored 9.63 goals per game in that stretch as opposed to 7.67 goals in the first three games of the season.

Individually, Thomas DeNapoli leads the team in points (31) with 16 goals and 15 assists. Joe Seider is the team-leader in goals (19) followed by Greg Cuccinello (16) and DeNapoli. The Tigers also receive contributions from Max Siskind (11 goals) and Ryan Drenner (9), while Justin Mabus (15 assists) and Drenner (10) facilitate the offense with its passing game. At the faceoff X, four Tigers have taken draws with Conor Pequigney earning the most opportunities (125) with 53 wins for a 42.4 winning percentage. Alex Burckley (35-71, 49.3 percent) is also used at the X.

## ALL-TIME SERIES VS. TOWSON

<b>All-Time Series</b> .....	7-14
<b>PSU Streak</b> .....	1 loss
<b>First Meeting</b> .....	4/8/81, PSU 14-6
<b>Last Meeting</b> .....	5/3/13, TOW 11-10
<b>Last PSU Win</b> .....	4/13/13, 10-8
<b>Last TOW Win</b> .....	5/3/13, 11-10
<b>Largest PSU Win</b> .....	14-6, 4/8/81
<b>Largest TOW Win</b> .....	18-7, 4/1/87
<b>PSU Goals vs. TOW</b> .....	201-240

## LAST FIVE MEETINGS VS. TOWSON

5/3/13	L	10-11	H
4/13/13	W	10-8	H
4/14/12	W	8-3	A
4/16/11	W	7-6	H
4/24/10	L	9-10	A



## NEXT TIME OUT: DELAWARE

Penn State caps its regular season with a pair of home games starting with an April 19 contest vs. Delaware. Game time is set for 1 p.m. at Penn State Lacrosse Field.

## 2014 GAMES BY GOAL CHART

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Gavin Ahern	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Nick Aponte	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Kyle Baier	3	1	1	-	-	-	5
Tyler Chambers	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Dan Craig	3	-	1	-	-	-	4
Drake Kreinz	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
Tom LaCrosse	5	1	-	-	-	-	6
Pat Manley	2	1	1	-	-	-	4
Nick Mazza	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Erik Myers	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
Tommy O'Neill	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Brian Prestreau	3	-	-	-	-	-	3
Michael Richards	2	1	-	-	-	-	3
TJ Sanders	2	3	1	1	1	-	8
Matt Sexton	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Shane Sturgis	-	2	2	1	1	1	7
Mike Sutton	1	-	-	-	1	-	2
Kyle VanThof	4	1	1	-	-	-	6



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## DRAKE RAKES, COLE ROLLS

The faceoff tandem of redshirt-freshman **Drake Kreinz** and graduate student **Cole Yeager** has been an effective combination against some of the top faceoff specialists in the country. This past weekend, Kreinz and Yeager teamed up to take 19 of 30 draws against Drexel, who featured Nick Saputo, who came into the weekend as CAA Player of the Week and fourth nationally in faceoff win percentage. Saputo sputtered to a season-low 33 percent, winning just 6 of 18 faceoffs, against PSU. As a team Penn State ranks ninth nationally in faceoff winning percentage (61.5) with Kreinz checking in 12th (114-184, 62.0). Yeager has won 61.8 percent (34-55) of his draw attempts with 16 ground balls, while Kreinz has 62 pickups, which is good for 22nd nationally.

Here's how Kreinz's number looks against some of the nation's top faceoff specialists.

2/22: Notre Dame	O'Connor (8th)	8-14 (57.1%)
3/15: UMass	Calvillo (11th)	9-15 (60%)
4/5: Drexel	Saputo (6th)	6-9 (66.7%)

## CLIMBING UP THE LEADERBOARD

**Austin Kaut** has made his stamp in the Penn State record books with the majority of the 2014 season remaining. In net, Kaut ranks in second place all-time in saves with 653, needing 41 saves to catch Drew Adams (2006-09), who is the all-time saves leader with 694. Kaut will need to average 14 saves in the next three games to surpass Adams. Offensively, **Shane Sturgis** holds onto sole possession of seventh all-time at Penn State in points scored with 147. Last year's running mate **Jack Forster** (2008-13) is a point ahead of Sturgis for sixth place with 148.

## HAT TRICK HEROES

A new face joined the ranks of Penn State's hat trick corps as **Mike Sutton** tallied a five-goal game at Drexel on Saturday. His performance comes on the heels of two other Nittany Lions to join the list as **Pat Manley** and **Dan Craig** tallied their first career hat tricks against Albany three weeks ago. **TJ Sanders** tops the PSU list with 12 hat tricks followed by Shane Sturgis (11), **Tom LaCrosse** (3), **Kyle VanThof** (2), **Gavin Ahern** (2),

**Kyle Baier** (1), **Steve Aitken** (1), Craig, Manley and Sutton.

<b>TJ Sanders</b>	12
<b>Shane Sturgis</b>	11
<b>Tom LaCrosse</b>	3
<b>Gavin Ahern</b>	2
<b>Kyle VanThof</b>	2
<b>Mike Sutton</b>	1
<b>Kyle Baier</b>	1
<b>Dan Craig</b>	1
<b>Pat Manley</b>	1
<b>Steve Aitken</b>	1

## RARE ROAD LOSING STREAK

The Nittany Lions dropped back-to-back road games for the first time in the **Jeff Tambroni** era, a span of 52 games. The accomplishments dates to March 8, 2011, Tambroni's first road game (at Villanova) after PSU dropped its final road game of the 2010 season at Towson under Glen Thiel. Prior to this year's two-game road swoon, Penn State had won 14 consecutive true road games from Feb. 26, 2012 to March 1, 2014.

## RUNNING THE GAUNTLET

Penn State once again features one of the toughest schedules in Division I lacrosse and No. 19 Towson will represent PSU's seventh ranked foe. Penn State is 2-4 this season against ranked teams according to the USILA Coaches Poll. In all, seven of Penn State's 11 opponents played were ranked when the game was played. PSU has faced No. 4 Notre Dame, No. 9 Denver, No. 11 Loyola, No. 14 UMass, No. 18 Albany and No. 19 Ohio State. One more potential ranked team looms as Hofstra is 16th in this week's poll.

## NITTANY LIONS AGAINST RANKED FOES

Penn State will play its 214th game against a ranked opponent as it visits No. 19 Towson. The Tigers are ranked for the first time this season. Penn State, holding a 69-144 record against ranked teams, will try to win its 70th all-time game against a ranked team. During **Jeff Tambroni's** tenure at Penn State the Nittany Lions have gone 9-13 with a 3-5 campaign in 2012, 4-4 showing in 2013 and 2-4 thus far in 2014. The Nittany Lions are 7-1 all-time against teams ranked 19th,

the best winning percentage against any of the 20 ranked spots.

## THE POWER OF 10

Penn State's success last year revolved around the number 10: as in goals scored and goals allowed. When Penn State tallied 10 or more goals the Nittany Lions were 10-2. More importantly, when PSU allowed less than 10 goals, Penn State went an unblemished 11-0. All five losses came when allowing at least 10 goals and only once did Penn State yield a victory (15-12 vs. Denver on Feb. 19). So far this year, Penn State is 4-2 when conceding less than 10 goals. Moreover, PSU is 0-4 this season when allowing more than 10 goals. PSU is 1-14 under Jeff Tambroni when allowing 10 or more goals.

## LACROSSE ON BIG TEN NETWORK

For the second straight season, Penn State had one of its games broadcast live on the Big Ten Network as PSU hosted Villanova. Last year, the Nittany Lions defeated Towson, 10-8, on Senior Day. Next season, BTN will be the home of Big Ten lacrosse games for both men and women and the Big Ten Tournament.

## LIONS CLAIM SECOND CREATOR'S TROPHY

Penn State, Michigan and Ohio State compete annually for the Creator's Trophy, which is a competition between the three current Big Ten lacrosse schools. Penn State claimed its second Creator's Trophy title, taking the trophy back to Happy Valley after the Buckeyes earned the title in 2013. The trophy was created to honor the rivalries between the three current Big Ten schools that play North America's first sport. Today, Native Americans still refer to lacrosse as "The Creator's Game" as the trophy is intended to pay homage to the sports heritage and budding rivalries of the Big Ten schools.

## VANTHOF EARNS CAA WEEKLY HONOR

Redshirt-senior midfielder **Kyle VanThof** was named Colonial Athletic Association Co-Player of the Week Monday afternoon (March 9) following a career-high five-point performance at Ohio State.

VanThof was instrumental in Penn State's 14th

## CAA STANDINGS (as of April 8)

CAA	USILA	Team	CAA	Pct.	GF	GA	Overall	Pct.	GF	GA
1	16	Hofstra	3-0	1.000	31	25	8-3	.727	107	95
2	19	Towson	2-1	.667	24	22	8-3	.727	100	99
	RV	Drexel	2-1	.667	31	30	7-4	.636	128	116
4	14	Massachusetts	1-1	.500	13	12	7-3	.700	97	87
5		<b>PENN STATE</b>	<b>0-2</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>4-6</b>	<b>.400</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>102</b>
		Delaware	0-3	.000	24	31	6-6	.500	110	107

## CAA RESULTS & SCHEDULE

### Saturday, April 5

Towson 6, #11 UMass 5 (CAA)  
**Drexel 13, PENN STATE 12 (3OT) (CAA)**  
 #20 Hofstra 7, Siena 6

### Sunday, April 6

Ohio State 15 Delaware 9

### Tuesday, April 8

#16 Hofstra 15, Marist 10

### Saturday, April 12

Saint Joseph's at Delaware, 1 p.m.  
 #14 Massachusetts at Drexel, 1 p.m. (CAA)  
 #16 Hofstra at #6 Cornell, 1 p.m.  
**PENN STATE at #19 Towson, 7 p.m.**



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## USILA COACHES POLL

(as of April 7)

#	Team	Record	Last
1	Loyola	10-1	1
2	Duke	10-2	3
3	Maryland	9-1	4
4	North Carolina	9-2	5
5	Denver	9-2	6
6	Cornell	9-1	2
7	Syracuse	6-3	8
8	Virginia	8-4	9
9	Johns Hopkins	6-3	10
10	Notre Dame	4-4	7
11	Fairfield	9-2	13
12	Penn	5-3	15
13	Yale	6-3	14
14	Massachusetts	7-3	11
15	Princeton	5-4	17
16	Hofstra	7-3	20
17	Bryant	9-3	12
	Harvard	6-4	NR
19	Towson	8-3	RV
20	Lehigh	9-3	RV

RV: Army, Drexel, Albany, Colgate, Ohio State

## WARRIOR/INSIDE LACROSSE MEDIA POLL

(as of April 7)

#	Team	Record	Last
1	Loyola	10-1	1
2	Duke	10-2	3
3	Maryland	9-1	4
4	North Carolina	9-2	5
5	Denver	9-2	6
6	Cornell	9-1	2
7	Syracuse	6-3	7
8	Johns Hopkins	6-3	10
9	Notre Dame	4-3	8
10	Virginia	8-4	9
11	Penn	5-3	13
12	Fairfield	9-2	15
13	Yale	6-3	14
14	Hofstra	7-3	T16
15	Bryant	9-2	11
16	Massachusetts	7-3	12
17	Princeton	5-4	19
18	Army	7-3	20
19	Towson	8-3	RV
	Lehigh	9-3	RV

RV: Albany, Drexel, Colgate, Saint Joseph's, Air Force

**Bold** indicates 2014 opponent

## RANKINGS SUMMARY

Week	RPI	USILA	IL
Pre	-	9	7
2/17	-	12	12
2/24	-	9	10
3/3	-	7	7
3/10	-	5	7
3/17	-	12	14
3/24	-	17	20
3/31	-	RV	-
4/7	30	-	-
4/14			
4/21			
4/28			

RPI - NCAA Ratings Percentage Index

USILA - USILA Coaches Poll

IL - Inside Lacrosse Media Poll

consecutive true road victory with three goals and two assists to help the Nittany Lions claim their second Creator's Trophy over the Buckeyes. Ohio State was ranked 19th coming into the contest, held at Ohio Stadium. The midfielder out of the greater Rochester area shares the honor with Delaware goalkeeper Conor Peaks.

VanThof played a pivotal role in Saturday's game by scoring two of his three goals in the fourth-quarter including the eventual game-winning goal. Additionally, VanThof also assisted on two goals and is tied for the team lead in the category with 5. He now ranks third on the team in goals (6) and points (11).

## STURGIS, KAUT NAMED TO TEWAARATON WATCH LIST

The Tewaaraton Foundation announced its watch list of 50 student-athletes for college lacrosse's top award Thursday night (Feb. 27) and two Penn State student-athletes, **Shane Sturgis** and **Austin Kaut** were named.

Sturgis and Kaut have led the Nittany Lions to a 2-1 record and a No. 9 ranking in the national polls ahead of Saturday's clash at No. 19 Ohio State. Sturgis leads NCAA Division I in goals per game (4.50) and is third in points per game (5.75) and has yet to be held to less than five points in a game this season. Sturgis is already a two-time Colonial Athletic Association Player of the Week.

His senior counterpart, Kaut, had his best game of the young season at No. 4 Notre Dame, supplying 13 saves in an 8-7 win and followed that up with a nine-save showing in an 11-8 win over Ohio State. Last year's Ensign C. Markland Kelley, Jr. Award as the nation's top goalie, Kaut is on the Tewaaraton list once again. Kaut was named a semifinalist for the award last season.

## KAUT NAMED SENIOR CLASS NOMINEE

For the third straight year, a Penn State men's lacrosse student-athlete was named a nominee for the Senior CLASS Award. Goalie **Austin Kaut** was one of 20 nominees named to the list Thursday morning.

Kaut follows the footsteps of **Matthew Mackrides** (2012) and **Nick Dolik** (2013) as candidates for the award and hopes to match or surpass Mackrides' finalist honor. To be eligible, a student-athlete must be a Division I senior and have notable achievements in four areas of excellence: community, classroom, character and competition. The Senior CLASS Award is an acronym for Celebrating Loyalty and Achievement for Staying in School, which focuses on the total student-athlete and encourages students to use their play for in athletics to make a positive impact as leaders in the community. Ten finalists will be named midway through the season and put on the official ballot.

Kaut is majoring in business management and has a 3.29 cumulative grade-point average and a two-time honoree of the Academic All-Big Ten team.

## RECORD-SETTING STURGIS

**Shane Sturgis'** goal just six seconds into the game vs. Michigan tied the fastest marker in NCAA history to start a season. The previous

mark was set by Delaware's Alex Smith Feb. 12, 2005 against Saint Joseph's.

## IT'S BEEN ALMOST 20 YEARS SINCE...

The Nittany Lions scored the most goals since a 21-7 victory over Lafayette on March 26, 1994. Prior to that, Penn State scored 25 goals against Kutztown April 8, 1990 in a 21-goal romp.

The six goals by **Shane Sturgis** were the most by a Penn State player since 2009 when **Jack Forster** notched the feat vs. St. John's on April 11, 2009. Sturgis tallied seven points in the game, a career high and the most since Forster tallied eight against the Wolverines Feb. 16, 2011. The 15-goal margin was the largest since a 20-4 victory over Stony Brook on April 8, 1995.

## CAN A FRESHMAN PHENOM BE A SOPHOMORE SENSATION?

Sophomore **TJ Sanders** enters 2014 with bigger expectations than a year ago. Sanders, the leading scorer on the team from last season with 44 goals, tied for 15th in the nation in goals per game (2.59) following a stellar freshman season in 2013. Sanders was named the CAA's Rookie of the Year after leading the conference in scoring, while garnering a spot in the All-CAA Second Team, the only freshman recognized on either of the All-CAA teams. Sanders' 2014 season has begun like his 2013 campaign: with a five-goal performance against Michigan. Sanders sits second on the team with 20 goals and 23 points through nine games.

## NI TTANY LIONS PICKED TO WIN CAA AGAIN

Penn State was predicted to win the Colonial Athletic Association for a second straight year it was announced Wednesday afternoon (Jan. 22) in voting conducted by the coaches.

The Nittany Lions, which went 6-0 in CAA play last season and has won its past 11 regular-season games, received 23 points including three first-place votes. Trailing Penn State in the preseason poll was Towson (21 points, 2 first-place votes) and Drexel (18, 1) in second and third, respectively. UMass (12), Hofstra (11) and Delaware (5) rounded out the six-team order.

Penn State's CAA regular-season title was just its second conference trophy (ECAC, 2005) and the first outright championship. The 2014 season will serve as the final year in the CAA before the Nittany Lions enter the Big Ten in 2015. The Nittany Lions will not participate in the CAA Tournament due to conference by-laws pertaining to departing members.

## FIVE LIONS NAMED PRESEASON ALL-CAA

Reigning CAA Player and Defensive Player of the Year **Austin Kaut** was tabbed by the league's coaches to repeat that honor in 2014. Kaut swept the CAA yearly accolades last year before being named the nation's top goalie and Penn State's first USILA All-American first-teamer in over 80 years.

Joining Kaut on the Preseason All-CAA Team are 2013 All-CAA First Team honorees **Tom LaCrosse**, **Steven Bogert** and **Tyler Travis** as well as 2013 All-CAA Second Team pick **TJ Sanders**. Senior attackman **Shane Sturgis** and junior close defenseman **JP Burnside** were two of five hon-



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orable mention candidates for the preseason All-CAA team.

The Nittany Lions led all CAA members with five preseason picks followed by Towson (4) and Drexel (2). UMass, Hofstra and Delaware each had one representative on the 14-player list. Including the honorable mentions, PSU led the way with seven laurels with UMass adding two honorable mentions and Drexel having one.

## KAUT A PRESEASON ALL-AMERICAN

On Dec. 10, senior **Austin Kaut** was named to the *Inside Lacrosse* Preseason All-America Second Team. A 2013 first-team USILA All-American honoree, Kaut is a three-time All-CAA First Team goaltender, and was named the Ensign C. Markland Kelly, Jr. winner as the nation's best collegiate goalie. Senior midfielder Tom LaCrosse and sophomore attackman TJ Sanders earned honorable mention from the *Inside Lacrosse* staff.

## WRAPPING UP A HISTORIC 2013 SEASON

The Nittany Lions had one of the finest seasons in the storied history of the program. Penn State set a program record with 12 wins, 17 games played, its first USILA First-Team All-American in over 80 years and the program's first outright conference title. Over the previous two seasons, Penn State has won 21 games, tying the program's most wins in a two-season span (1995-96). Moreover, Penn State earned its first berth in the NCAA Tournament since 2005.

## WIN STREAK HISTORY

Penn State rattled off the most consecutive wins in NCAA Division I in 2013 with a 10-game streak from March 16 to May 1. The 10-game streak is the longest single-season win streak in PSU history and was just one off the all-time mark. The 1991-92 teams strung together an 11-game win streak from April 20, 1991-April 11, 1992.

## VETERAN LEADERSHIP

The senior trio of **Gavin Ahern**, **Tom LaCrosse** and **Tyler Travis** were selected as Penn State men's lacrosse captains announced Tuesday, Oct. 8 by head coach **Jeff Tambroni**.

LaCrosse was Penn State's top scoring midfielder last year during the Lions' run to the NCAA Tournament. LaCrosse bagged 23 goals, five assists and 28 points en route to an All-CAA First Team selection and a USILA honorable mention All-America nod. During the team's annual awards banquet, LaCrosse was given the Hard Hat Award for his hard work, persistence, work ethic and "blue collar" standard.

Travis has become a reliable shutdown defender for the Nittany Lions that was also an All-CAA First Team honoree in 2013. Tyler forced 14 turnovers, fourth on the team, along with 31 ground ball pickups, which ranked fifth for the Lions. Last season was Travis's first full season with PSU following injuries and will complete his fifth year this season.

Ahern, the 2013 recipient of the inaugural Tom Hayes Nittany Lion Teammate Award, has been the consummate teammate for the Blue and white. As a junior attackman off the bench, Ahern notched six goals, three assists and nine points in 17 appearances. Ahern has 27 career goals along with nine assists in his first three years at Penn

## 2014 NCAA RANKS

(Top 100 as of April 7)

Team	
Scoring Offense	22nd
Scoring Defense	35th
Faceoff Percentage	9th
Man-Up Offense	29th
Man-Down Defense	20th
Scoring Margin	28th
Win Percentage	43rd
Assists/gm.	45th
Saves/gm.	32nd
Points/gm.	32nd
Ground Balls/gm.	14th
Least Turnovers/gm.	31st
Caused Turnovers/gm.	20th
Shot Percentage	18th
Clearing Percentage	27th

### Steven Bogert

Ground Balls/gm.	99th
Caused Turnovers/gm.	87th

### James Burke

Caused Turnovers/gm.	50th
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### Kessler Brown

Caused Turnovers/gm.	87th
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### Austin Kaut

Goals-Against Avg.	31st
Save Percentage	43rd
Saves/gm.	30th
Ground Balls/gm.	99th

### Drake Kreinz

Ground Balls/gm.	22nd
Faceoff Percentage	12th

### TJ Sanders

Goals/gm.	60th
Shot Percentage	63rd

### Shane Sturgis

Points/gm.	17th
Goals/gm.	27th
Assists/gm.	41st
Shot Percentage	51st

## 2014 CAA RANKS

(All Games as of April 7)

Team	
Goals/Gm.	2nd
Assists/Gm.	5th
Points/Gm.	2nd
Ground Balls/gm.	1st
Shots/gm.	2nd
Shot Percentage	1st
Shots on Goal/gm.	3rd
Man-Up Goals	2nd
Man-Up Percentage	2nd
Penalty Killing Pct.	4th
Least Penalties/gm.	2nd
Least Penalty Minutes/gm.	2nd
Fewest Turnovers/gm.	4th
Caused Turnovers/gm.	1st
Goals-Against Avg.	5th
Saves/gm.	T-3rd
Save Percentage	6th
Faceoff Percentage	2nd

### Austin Kaut

Goals-Against Avg.	6th
Save Percentage	6th
Saves/gm.	4th

### Drake Kreinz

Ground Balls/gm.	3rd
Faceoff Percentage	4th

### TJ Sanders

Goals/Gm.	5th
Points/gm.	9th
Shots/gm.	T-9th
Man-Up Goals/gm.	T-4th

### Shane Sturgis

Goals/gm.	2nd
Assists/gm.	T-2nd
Points/gm.	1st
G-W Goals	T-1st
Shots/gm.	3rd

### Mike Sutton

Man-Up Goals/gm.	1st
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### Kyle VanThof

Assists/gm.	T-7th
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## 2014 CAA RANKS

(Conf. Games Only as of April 7)

Team	
Goals/Gm.	3rd
Assists/Gm.	T-4th
Points/Gm.	3rd
Ground Balls/gm.	1st
Shots/gm.	2nd
Shot Percentage	3rd
Shots on Goal/gm.	3rd
Man-Up Goals	1st
Man-Up Percentage	2nd
Penalty Killing Pct.	2nd
Least Penalties/gm.	3rd
Least Penalty Minutes/gm.	2nd
Fewest Turnovers/gm.	6th
Caused Turnovers/gm.	T-2nd
Goals-Against Avg.	5th
Saves/gm.	2nd
Save Percentage	2nd
Faceoff Percentage	1st

Team	
Man-Up Goals/gm.	T-5th
Ground Balls/gm.	3rd
Man-Up Goals/gm.	2nd
Goals-Against Avg.	5th
Save Percentage	2nd
Saves/gm.	2nd
Faceoff Percentage	1st
Man-Up Goals/gm.	T-3rd
Assists/gm.	T-6th
Shots/gm.	T-3rd
Man-Up Goals/gm.	1st
Assists/gm.	T-6th

## INDIVIDUAL HONORS & AWARDS

### Steven Bogert

Preseason All-CAA

### JP Burnside

Preseason All-CAA Honorable Mention

### Austin Kaut

Tewaaraton Award Watch List Nominee  
Preseason *Inside Lacrosse* All-American  
Preseason CAA Player of the Year  
Preseason All-CAA  
Senior CLASS Award Nominee

### Tom LaCrosse

Preseason All-CAA  
Preseason *Inside Lacrosse* All-America  
Honorable Mention

### TJ Sanders

Preseason All-CAA  
Preseason *Inside Lacrosse* All-America  
Honorable Mention

### Shane Sturgis

Tewaaraton Award Watch List Nominee  
*Inside Lacrosse* Brine Player of the Week (2/25)  
CAA Player of the Week (2/10, 2/24)  
Preseason All-CAA Honorable Mention

### Mike Sutton

CAA Rookie of the Week (4/7)

### Tyler Travis

Preseason All-CAA

### Kyle VanThof

CAA Player of the Week (3/3\*)

\* indicates shared honor

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## COACH TAMBRONI IN YEAR FOUR

Head coach **Jeff Tambroni** is in his fourth year on the Penn State sidelines, winning 30 games in the four-plus years on the job and taking the 2013 team to the NCAA Tournament. Tambroni's side ascended to eighth in the USILA poll, the highest ranking ever, and would go on to win 10 straight games at one point. Despite falling in the NCAA Tournament to Yale, Penn State hosted its first ever NCAA Tournament game following the hosting of the entire 2013 CAA Tournament. Tambroni has also led Penn State to three straight top two finishes in the CAA and has a 15-3 regular-season record in the conference in three years. *More information on Tambroni and his career can be found on page 9.*

## TAMBRONI, DOCTOR SET TO COACH AT FIL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

Head coach **Jeff Tambroni** and assistant coach **Chris Doctor** will be assistant coaches for the United States and Iroquois Nationals Teams. Tambroni has been with the U.S. team since 2012 and Doctor was added to the Iroquois side in August. The FIL World Championships are set for July 10-19 in Denver, Colo.

## PENN STATERS MAKE 30-MAN U.S. CUT

Two Penn State men's lacrosse alumni will fight for a spot on the U.S. team that goes to the World Championships this July in Denver. **Drew Adams** ('09) and **Matt Mackrides** ('12) are among the 30 players left in the candidate pool. In all, 23 members will be on the official roster come July.

## PSU WELCOMES 11 NEWCOMERS

Head coach Jeff Tambroni welcomed the newest class of Nittany Lions in August including two transfers. The most experienced of the group is **Cole Yeager**, a graduate student transfer from Yale who will feature at the faceoff X. Yeager missed 2013 due to injury, but as a sophomore in 2011, ranked fourth in the country with a 64.8 faceoff winning percentage.

Five freshmen were ranked by *Inside Lacrosse* in the top 100 including 29th-ranked **Nick Aponte**, 36th-ranked **Mike Sutton**, 44th-ranked **Nick Mazza**, 83rd-ranked **Lucas Maloney** and 100th-ranked **Peter Triolo**. Rounding out the class are freshmen **Billy Lombardi**, **Dan Craig**, **Tyler Chambers**, **Cole Rainier** and sophomore transfer **Anthony Santo**.

# B1G

## LACROSSE GOING B1G TIME

June 3, 2013 will go down as a momentous day in collegiate lacrosse as the Big Ten Conference formally announced the establishment of men's and women's lacrosse as conference sports. The official announcement, which took place at Johns Hopkins University, adds lacrosse with corresponding championships for the 2015 spring season.

The men's Big Ten lacrosse lineup features current Big Ten members Penn State, Ohio State and Michigan, while Rutgers and Maryland join in all sports July 1. Johns Hopkins will join the Big Ten as an associate sport-affiliate member in men's lacrosse only as approved by the Big Ten Council of Presidents/Chancellors (COP/C).

"Our staff is thrilled about the formation of the Big Ten Lacrosse Conference," Head coach **Jeff Tambroni** said. "It is symbolic of the expansion of our sport and the beginning of an exciting new chapter for Penn State lacrosse. Penn State's men's team will play one final season in the Colonial Athletic Association in 2014 with the formation of a potential Big Ten Conference tournament to be announced at a later date.

## FUTURE BIG TEN LACROSSE BY THE NUMBERS

The future Big Ten men's lacrosse conference boasts an impressive number of NCAA Tournament appearances (92), NCAA Tournament victories (120), NCAA semifinal appearances (50) and championships (11) among the six members. This past season alone had Ohio State, Maryland and Penn State in the NCAA Tournament hosting games as the three, six and eight seeds, respectively. Hopkins, which had made 41 straight NCAA appearances before 2013, has nine NCAA titles to its name as the most storied program in lacrosse history. The Blue Jays have won a total of 44 national championships since 1898 when including victories prior to the NCAA lacrosse era, which began in 1972.



## PENN STATE STARTERS GAME-BY-GAME

Opp.	A	A	A	M	M	M	D	D	D	GK
MICH	Sturgis	Baier	Sanders	Richards	Kreinz	Bogert	Travis	Donnelly	Burnside	Kaut
LOY	Sturgis	Baier	Sanders	Richards	Kreinz	Bogert	Travis	Donnelly	Burnside	Kaut
ND	Sturgis	Baier	Sanders	Richards	Kreinz	Bogert	Travis	Donnelly	Burnside	Kaut
OSU	Sturgis	Baier	Sanders	Richards	Kreinz	Bogert	Travis	Donnelly	Burnside	Kaut
DEN	Sturgis	Baier	Sanders	Chakey	Kreinz	Burke	Travis	Brown	Burnside	Kaut
UMASS	Sturgis	Baier	Sanders	Chakey	Kreinz	Burke	Travis	Brown	Burnside	Kaut
DART	Sturgis	Craig	Sanders	Chakey	Kreinz	Burke	Travis	Brown	Burnside	Kaut
ALB	Sturgis	Craig	Sanders	Richards	Kreinz	Burke	Travis	Brown	Burnside	Kaut
NOVA	Sturgis	Craig	Sanders	Richards	Kreinz	Burke	Travis	Brown	Burnside	Kaut
DREX	Sturgis	Craig	Sutton	Richards	Kreinz	Bogert	Travis	Brown	Burke	Kaut
TOW										
DEL										
HOF										



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## MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

### PENN STATE is...

32-24 ..... under Jeff Tambroni  
7-14 ..... All-time vs. Towson  
3-8 ..... All-time at Towson  
9-11 ..... All-time at Penn State Lacrosse Field  
14-2 ... In true road games the past three seasons

### In 2014...

2-4 ..... at home  
2-2 ..... on the road  
0-0 ..... at neutral sites  
0-2 ..... in overtime  
2-4 ..... when wearing white  
2-2 ..... when wearing blue  
2-2 ..... when leading after one quarter  
1-1 ..... when tied after one quarter  
1-3 ..... when trailing after one quarter  
3-1 ..... when leading at halftime  
0-4 ..... when trailing at halftime  
1-1 ..... when tied at halftime  
4-1 ..... when leading after three quarters  
0-0 ..... when tied after three quarters  
0-5 ..... when trailing after three quarters  
3-2 ..... when scoring first goal  
1-4 ..... when opponent scores first goal  
3-4 ..... when out-shooting opponent  
0-0 ..... when taking same amount of shots  
1-2 ..... when out-shot by opponent  
4-6 ..... when winning ground ball battle  
0-0 ..... when tied in ground ball battle  
0-0 ..... when losing ground ball battle  
3-6 ..... when winning faceoff battle  
0-0 ..... when tied in faceoff battle  
1-0 ..... when losing faceoff battle  
2-4 ..... against ranked opponents  
2-2 ..... against unranked opponents  
1-0 ..... against higher-ranked opponents  
1-4 ..... against lower-ranked opponents  
1-2 ..... when scoring less than 10 goals  
3-4 ..... when scoring 10 or more goals  
4-2 ..... when allowing less than 10 goals  
0-4 ..... when allowing 10 or more goals  
0-1 ..... on Monday  
1-0 ..... on Tuesday  
3-5 ..... on Saturday  
0-0 ..... on Sunday  
0-0 ..... on grass  
4-6 ..... on turf  
3-5 ..... playing outdoors  
1-1 ..... playing indoors  
4-5 ..... during the day  
0-1 ..... at night  
1-0 ..... vs. ACC  
0-1 ..... vs. America East  
0-2 ..... vs. Big East  
0-2 ..... vs. CAA  
2-0 ..... vs. ECAC  
1-0 ..... vs. Ivy League  
0-1 ..... vs. Patriot League  
3-3 ..... when a freshman scores  
1-2 ..... in one-goal games  
1-4 ..... in games decided by two goals or less  
0-1 ..... in Colorado  
1-0 ..... in Indiana  
0-0 ..... in Maryland  
1-0 ..... in Ohio  
2-5 ..... in Pennsylvania

## THE LAST TIME

### PENN STATE...

Scored 5 or less goals  
Scored 6-9 goals  
Scored 10-14 goals  
Scored 15-17 goals  
Scored 18 goals  
Scored 19 goals  
Scored 20+ goals  
Allowed 3 or fewer goals  
Allowed 4-6 goals  
Allowed 7-9 goals  
Allowed 10-14 goals  
Allowed 15-19 goals  
Allowed 20+ goals  
Won in overtime  
Lost in overtime  
Won in double overtime  
Lost in double overtime  
Won in triple overtime  
Lost in triple overtime  
Was ranked in the USILA Top 5  
Was ranked in the USILA Top 10  
Was ranked in the USILA 11-20  
Played a USILA Top 5 Team  
Played a USILA 6-10 Team  
Played a USILA 11-20 Team  
Defeated a USILA Top 5 Team  
Defeated a USILA 6-10 Team  
Defeated a USILA 11-20 Team  
Attempted less than 20 shots  
Attempted 20-29 shots  
Attempted 30-39 shots  
Attempted 40-49 shots  
Attempted 50-59 shots  
Attempted 60+ shots  
Allowed less than 30 shots  
Allowed 30-39 shots  
Allowed 40-49 shots  
Allowed 50+ shots  
Scored 25+ points  
Made 15-19 saves  
Made 25+ saves  
Tallied 10+ assists  
Won an NCAA Tourney game  
Lost an NCAA Tourney game

3/20/12 ..... vs. #11 Lehigh (5-9)  
3/29/14 ..... vs. Villanova (7-9)  
4/5/14 ..... at Drexel (12-13)  
4/27/13 ..... at Hofstra (16-7)  
2/16/08 ..... vs. Robert Morris (18-2)  
4/9/05 ..... vs. #15 Hobart (19-13)  
2/8/14 ..... vs. Michigan (22-7)  
3/23/13 ..... vs. Saint Joseph's (9-2)  
3/18/14 ..... vs. Dartmouth (10-6)  
3/29/14 ..... vs. Villanova (7-9)  
4/5/14 ..... at Drexel (12-13)  
3/22/14 ..... vs. #18 Albany (10-17)  
3/20/10 ..... at #8 Duke (11-20)  
2/26/12 ..... at #2 Notre Dame (4-3)  
2/15/14 ..... vs. #12 Loyola (11-12)  
4/28/12 ..... vs. Hofstra (9-8)  
2/14/09 ..... at Robert Morris (11-12)  
never  
4/5/14 ..... at Drexel (12-13)  
3/10/14 ..... 5th  
3/3/14 ..... 7th  
3/24/14 ..... 17th  
2/22/14 ..... at #4 Notre Dame (8-7)  
3/10/14 ..... at #9 Denver (11-15)  
3/22/14 ..... vs. #18 Albany (10-17)  
2/22/14 ..... at #4 Notre Dame (8-7)  
3/26/13 ..... at #7 Bucknell (11-3)  
3/1/14 ..... at #19 Ohio State (11-8)  
2/27/11 ..... 19 vs. Notre Dame (2-6)  
3/10/14 ..... 29 at #9 Denver (11-15)  
4/5/14 ..... 33 at Drexel (12-13)  
2/15/14 ..... 41 vs. #12 Loyola (11-12)  
3/22/14 ..... 50 vs. #18 Albany (10-17)  
2/20/09 ..... 75 vs. Robert Morris (17-24)  
3/29/14 ..... 29 vs. Villanova (7-9)  
3/22/14 ..... 36 vs. #18 Albany (10-17)  
4/20/13 ..... 41 at Delaware (13-7)  
4/5/14 ..... 53 at Drexel (12-13)  
2/8/14 ..... 28 vs. Michigan (22-7)  
4/5/14 ..... 17 at Drexel (12-13)  
3/19/11 ..... 25 vs. #10 Massachusetts (8-7)  
2/18/12 ..... 11 vs. Michigan (16-9)  
never  
5/11/13 ..... vs. #11 Yale (7-10)

### A PENN STATE PLAYER...

Scored 4 goals  
Scored 5 goals  
Scored 6 goals  
Scored 7 goals  
Scored 8 goals  
Scored 9 goals  
Scored 10 goals  
Scored 2 man-up goals  
Tallied 8 points  
Tallied 11 points  
Tallied 12+ points  
Had 4 assists  
Had 7+ assists  
Attempted 15-20 shots  
Attempted 20+ shots  
Made 15-19 saves  
Made 20-21 saves  
Made 22-24 saves  
Made 25-30 saves  
Made 30-39 saves  
Made 40 saves  
Collected 10+ ground balls

3/18/14 ..... TJ Sanders vs. Dartmouth (10-6)  
4/5/14 ..... Mike Sutton at Drexel (12-13)  
2/8/14 ..... Shane Sturgis vs. Michigan (22-7)  
5/16/61 ..... Steve Schraeder vs. Gettysburg (14-4)  
4/19/72 ..... Jim Trenz vs. Loyola (17-10)  
5/9/72 ..... Jim Trenz vs. Bucknell (19-6)  
4/30/83 ..... Rich Russo vs. Montclair State (25-6)  
4/5/14 ..... Mike Sutton at Drexel (12-13)  
2/18/12 ..... Jack Forster vs. Michigan (16-9)  
5/11/71 ..... Jim Trenz vs. Bucknell (16-12)  
5/2/83 ..... 14, Gary Martin vs. Bucknell (20-13)  
4/25/09 ..... Mike Toner vs. Saint Joseph's (17-6)  
5/2/83 ..... 9, Gary Martin vs. Bucknell (20-13)  
3/21/09 ..... 16, Chris Hogan vs. Fairfield (4-5)  
2/10/10 ..... 25, Chris Hogan vs. Robert Morris (17-24)  
4/5/14 ..... 17, Austin Kaut at Drexel (12-13)  
5/4/11 ..... 20, Austin Kaut vs. UMass (9-10)  
4/4/09 ..... 24, Drew Adams vs. Hobart (10-8)  
3/19/10 ..... 25, Austin Kaut at #9 UMass (9-8)  
4/10/82 ..... 34, Joe Gutering vs. Hofstra (16-10)  
4/13/57 ..... 40, Jim Houck vs. Navy (8-19)  
3/22/14 ..... 10, Drake Kreinz vs. #18 Albany (10-17)

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## 2014 PENN STATE MEN'S LACROSSE ROSTER

No.	Name	Year	Position	Height	Weight	Hometown	High School (Last College)
1	Brian Prestreau	Fr.	M	6-0	168	Yorktown Heights, N.Y.	Yorktown (Stony Brook)
2	Cole Yeager	Gr.	M	5-10	177	Wayne, Pa.	Radnor (Yale)
3	Shane Sturgis	Sr.	A	5-9	166	Downingtown, Pa.	Downingtown East
4	Erik Myers	Jr.	M	6-2	190	Del Mar, Calif.	The Salisbury School (Conn.)
5	Nick Mazza	Fr.	M	6-2	203	Davidsonville, N.Y.	Calverton School
6	Taylor Stothoff	Jr.	M	5-10	176	Sparks, Md.	The Boys' Latin School
7	Michael Richards	Jr.	M	6-0	174	Skaneateles, N.Y.	Skaneateles
8	Tyler Travis	R-Sr.	D	6-0	180	Geneva, N.Y.	Geneva
9	Ryan Guittare	So.	D	6-2	187	Garnet Valley, Pa.	Garnet Valley
10	Nick Aponte	Fr.	M	6-0	175	West Islip, N.Y.	West Islip
11	Kyle Baier	Jr.	A/M	5-10	165	Auburn, N.Y.	Hotchkiss (Conn.)
12	Kyle VanThof	R-Sr.	M	5-11	191	Penfield, N.Y.	Penfield
13	James Chakey	So.	D	6-0	188	Havertown, Pa.	The Haverford School
14	Billy Lombardi	Fr.	M	5-7	195	Rochester, N.Y.	Aquinas Institute
15	Anthony Santo	So.	D	5-11	181	West Islip, N.Y.	West Islip (Sacred Heart)
16	Connor Darcey	R-Fr.	GK	6-0	193	Wellesley, Mass.	Wellesley
18	Lucas Maloney	Fr.	A	5-6	166	Niskayuna, N.Y.	Niskayuna
19	Austin Kaut	Sr.	GK	6-1	197	Morton, Pa.	Springfield-Delco
20	Steven Bogert	Sr.	D	5-10	183	Carlsbad, Calif.	La Costa Canyon
21	Jack Donnelly	Jr.	D	6-0	170	Toronto, Ont.	The Hill Academy
22	Pat Manley	Jr.	A/M	5-10	168	Arnold, Md.	St. Mary's
23	James Burke	So.	D	6-0	169	Duxbury, Mass.	Duxbury
24	Ryan Mullen	Sr.	D	6-3	204	Hatboro, Pa.	Hatboro-Horsham
25	Tom LaCrosse	Sr.	M	5-10	180	Canandaigua, N.Y.	Canandaigua Academy
26	Matt Sexton	So.	A	5-11	178	Niskayuna, N.Y.	Niskayuna
28	Kessler Brown	Sr.	D	6-0	186	Springfield, Va.	West Springfield
29	TJ Sanders	So.	A	6-0	179	Orillia, Ont.	The Millbrook School (N.Y.)
30	Kyle Zittel	Jr.	M	6-0	190	Eden, N.Y.	Eden
31	Steve Aitken	Sr.	A	6-2	213	Wayne, Pa.	Haverford School
32	Bryan Gerrato	Jr.	M	5-9	168	Rockville Centre, N.Y.	South Side
33	Ryne Sternberg	Sr.	D	5-10	185	Toronto, Ont.	Culver Academy
35	Dan Craig	Fr.	A	6-1	178	Sherburne, Ont.	Centre Dufferin
37	Tommy O'Neill	So.	M	5-11	189	Shamong, N.J.	St. Augustine Prep
38	Drake Kreinz	R-Fr.	M	6-0	194	Delafield, Wis.	The Portsmouth Abbey School (R.I.)
39	Mike Sutton	Fr.	M	5-9	194	Sewell, N.J.	St. Augustine Prep
40	John Von Nessen	So.	M	6-2	210	Hillsborough, N.J.	Hillsborough
41	Gavin Ahern	Sr.	A	6-1	225	Rockville Centre, N.Y.	South Side
42	Tyler Chambers	Fr.	M	5-9	178	Media, Pa.	Episcopal Academy
43	Cole Rainier	Fr.	M	6-1	206	Pasadena, Md.	Calverton School
44	JP Burnside	Jr.	D	5-11	190	Garden City, N.Y.	Garden City
45	Peter Triolo	Fr.	D	6-1	188	Smithtown, N.Y.	Smithtown East

**Head Coach:** Jeff Tambroni (Hobart '92), Fourth Season

**Assistant Coach:** Peter Toner (Springfield '03), Fourth Season

**Assistant Coach:** Chris Doctor (Rutgers '07), Fourth Season

**Director of Operations:** David Shriver (Georgetown '11), Third Season

### PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Ahearn	AY-her-n
Baier	BAY-er
Chakey	CHAY-kee
Gerrato	JUR-ah-tow
Guittare	Gih-TARR
Kaut	KOWT
Kreinz	KRINES
Prestreau	PREST-row
Rainier	RAIN-eer
Ryne	RYE-nee
Stothoff	STOW-toff
Sturgis	STIR-juss
Tambroni	Tam-BRONE-ee
Triolo	TREE-ol-oh
Yeager	YAY-gur

### LIONS BY ELIGIBILITY

**Graduate Student (1):** Yeager  
**Redshirt Seniors (2):** Travis, VanThof  
**Seniors (9):** Ahern, Aitken, Bogert, Brown, Kaut, LaCrosse, Mullen, Sternberg, Sturgis  
**Juniors (9):** Baier, Burnside, Donnelly, Gerrato, Manley, Myers, Richards, Stothoff, Zittel  
**Sophomores (8):** Burke, Chakey, Guittare, O'Neill, Sanders, Santo, Sexton, Von Nessen  
**Redshirt Freshmen (2):** Darcey, Kreinz  
**Freshmen (10):** Aponte, Chambers, Craig, Lombardi, Maloney, Mazza, Prestreau, Rainier, Sutton, Triolo

### LIONS BY POSITION

**Attack (9):** Ahern, Aitken, Baier, Craig, Manley, Maloney, Sanders, Sexton, Sturgis  
**Midfielders (20):** Aponte, Baier, Chambers, Gerrato, Kreinz, LaCrosse, Lombardi, Maloney, Manley, Mazza, Myers, O'Neill, Prestreau, Richards, Stothoff, Sutton, VanThof, Von Nessen, Yeager, Zittel  
**Defenders (12):** Bogert, Brown, Burke, Burnside, Chakey, Donnelly, Guittare, Mullen, Santo, Sternberg, Travis, Triolo  
**Goalies (2):** Darcey, Kaut

### LIONS BY STATE/PROVINCE

**California (2):** Bogert, Myers  
**New Jersey (3):** O'Neill, Sutton, Von Nessen  
**New York (16):** Ahern, Aponte, Baier, Burnside, Gerrato, LaCrosse, Lombardi, Maloney, Prestreau, Richards, Santo, Sexton, Travis, Triolo, VanThof, Zittel  
**Maryland (4):** Manley, Mazza, Rainier, Stothoff  
**Massachusetts (2):** Burke, Darcey  
**Ontario (4):** Craig, Donnelly, Sanders, Sternberg  
**Pennsylvania (7):** Aitken, Chakey, Chambers, Guittare, Kaut, Mullen, Sturgis  
**Virginia (1):** Brown  
**Wisconsin (1):** Kreinz



# PENN STATE LACROSSE



## JEFF TAMBRONI

Head Coach • Fourth Year  
**HOBART '92**

**PENN STATE RECORD** 32-24 (.571)  
**OVERALL RECORD** 141-64 (.688)

**2009 USILA DIVISION I COACH OF THE YEAR**  
**2011 CAA CO-COACH OF THE YEAR**  
**2013 CAA COACH OF THE YEAR**

Jeff Tambroni completed his third season in 2013 by leading the Nittany Lions to one of their greatest seasons in program history while celebrating its 100th season. The Nittany Lions set new records for wins (12) and earned the program's first outright regular season conference title by sweeping the CAA with a 6-0 record. PSU rattled off 10 straight wins during the months of March, April and May to earn the school's third NCAA bid and first chance to host an NCAA game.

Tambroni was named CAA Coach of the Year for the second time in his career (2011), while goalkeeper Austin Kaut (under Tambroni's tutelage) was named Ensign C. Markland Kelly, Jr. Award for the nation's best goalie. Also, Kaut was CAA Player and Defensive Player of the Year. Freshman TJ Sanders was named Rookie of the Year and the Nittany Lions placed six on the All-CAA First Team.

During the 2012 campaign, Tambroni led the Nittany Lions to a second-place CAA finish with two USILA All-Americans and six All-CAA honorees. Penn State finished with a 9-6 overall record and a 5-1 mark in conference action.

The 2011 CAA Co-Coach of the Year, Tambroni led the Nittany Lions to a 7-7 record and their first-ever CAA tournament berth during his first year at the program's helm.

In 2011, eight Nittany Lions garnered All-CAA recognition and freshman goalkeeper Austin Kaut earned Rookie of the Year honors while being named a USILA Honorable Mention All-American.

Prior to Penn State, Tambroni spent 10 seasons as head coach at Cornell (2001-10). He guided the Big Red to a 109-40 record and three NCAA Final Four appearances (2007, 2009-10), including the

2009 national championship game.

Tambroni was named USILA Division I Coach of the Year following the 2009 season and was tabbed the 2007 and 2009 Field Turf/ NCAA Division I Coach of the Year. Tambroni was also the 2004 and 2009 Ithaca Journal Male Coach of the Year and a three-time National Coach of the Week.

While at Cornell, Tambroni became the 10th-fastest coach to reach the 100-win mark when he accomplished the feat in his 134th career game in March 2010.

During his tenure, his players earned 37 first-team All-Ivy honors, including five Ivy League awards, and three conference Rookie of the Year selections. In addition, 39 players garnered All-America recognition.

Prior to serving as Cornell's head coach, he spent four seasons as a Big Red assistant coach (1997-2000). Tambroni also served as assistant coach at Loyola College in 1997 and at his alma mater, Hobart College, for three seasons. With the Statesmen, he helped the program reach the 1994 NCAA Division III national championship game.

A 1992 graduate, Tambroni earned his bachelor's degree in American studies. He earned first-team All-America honors as a senior and was twice named a second-team All-American (1990-91). The MVP of the 1990 NCAA title game, Tambroni helped lead the team to back-to-back NCAA championships (1990-91) and left Hobart tied for seventh on the school's all-time scoring list with 202 points.

Before embarking upon his collegiate coaching career, Tambroni coached the Heaton Mersey Lacrosse Club of the English Lacrosse Union for one year and served as a visiting coach for the Czech-American Lacrosse Foundation in Prague in the summer of 1996.

Tambroni and his wife, Michelle, have three daughters, Carissa, Madison and Ella. Michelle played field hockey at Penn State from 1988-90 and earned All-America honors as a senior.

### WINNINGEST ACTIVE NCAA DIVISION I COACHES

(Minimum 150 games)

Rank	Coach	School	W	L	Pct.
1	John Desko	Syracuse	195	61	.762
2	Bill Tierney	Denver	331	115	.742
3	Dom Starsia	Virginia	357	133	.729
4	Dave Pietramala	Johns Hopkins	176	70	.715
5	<b>Jeff Tambroni</b>	<b>Penn State</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>.688</b>

### CAREER RECORD

Season	Overall	Pct.	Conf.	Pct.	Finish	Championships	Postseason Finish
2001	7-6	.538	4-2	.667	T-2nd		
2002	11-4	.733	4-2	.667	T-2nd		NCAA Quarterfinals
2003	9-4	.692	5-1	.833	T-1st	Co-Ivy Champions	
2004	9-5	.643	5-1	.833	T-1st	Co-Ivy Champions	NCAA Quarterfinals
2005	11-3	.786	6-0	1.000	1st	Ivy Champions	NCAA Quarterfinals
2006	11-3	.786	5-1	.833	T-1st	Co-Ivy Champions	NCAA First Round
2007	15-1	.938	6-0	1.000	1st	Ivy Champions	NCAA Semifinals
2008	11-4	.733	5-1	.833	T-1st	Co-Ivy Champions	NCAA First Round
2009	13-4	.764	5-1	.833	T-1st	Co-Ivy Champions	NCAA Runner-Up
2010	12-6	.667	4-2	.667	T-1st	Co-Ivy Champions	NCAA Semifinals
<i>At Cornell</i>	<i>109-40</i>	<i>.732</i>	<i>49-11</i>	<i>.817</i>		<i>8 Ivy League Titles</i>	<i>8 NCAA Tournaments</i>
2011	7-7	.500	4-2	.667	2nd		CAA Tournament
2012	9-6	.600	5-1	.833	2nd		CAA Tournament
2013	12-5	.706	6-0	1.000	1st	CAA Regular Season	NCAA First Round
2014	4-6	.400	0-2	.000			
<i>At PSU</i>	<i>32-24</i>	<i>.571</i>	<i>15-5</i>	<i>.750</i>		<i>1 CAA Title</i>	<i>3 CAA, 1 NCAA Tourney</i>
<b>Career</b>	<b>141-64</b>	<b>.688</b>	<b>64-16</b>	<b>.800</b>			

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22-7

Feb. 8

Holuba Hall

University Park, Pa.



Score by period	1	2	3	4	Final
Michigan (0-1)	0	1	3	3	7
Penn State (1-0)	8	3	7	4	22

**PSU Goals:** Sturgis (6), Sanders (5), Baier (3), VanThof, Kreinz, Sexton, Sutton, Prestreau, Mazza, Myers, Chambers

**PSU Assists:** Bogert, Craig, Kreinz, Sexton, Sturgis, VanThof

**PSU Saves:** Kaut (6), Darcey (4)

**PSU Faceoffs:** Kreinz (15-22), Yeager (4-6), Sternberg (1-4)

**MICH Goals:** King (2), McCormack, Hernandez, Paras, Schlosser, Joseph

**MICH Assists:** Kennedy (3)

**MICH Saves:** Zonino (5), D'Alessio (1)

**MICH Faceoffs:** Biagi (4-9), Brown (7-19), Wylie (1-4)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
Michigan	35	6	23	8	12-32	3-7	12-13
Penn State	43	10	29	13	20-32	1-2	15-17

## No. 9 Nittany Lions Storm Past Michigan, 22-7

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** -- No. 9 Penn State men's lacrosse scored the first 10 goals on Saturday at Holuba Hall en route to a 22-7 win over future Big Ten rival Michigan. **Shane Sturgis** (Downingtown, Pa.) tallied a career-high six goals and **TJ Sanders** (Orillia, Ont.) scored five goals for the fourth time in career in the win.

The Nittany Lions scored the most goals since a 21-7 victory over Lafayette on March 26, 1994. The six goals by Sturgis were the most by a Penn State player since 2009 when Jack Forster notched the feat vs. St. John's on April 11, 2009. The 15-goal margin was the largest since a 20-4 victory over Stony Brook on April 8, 1995.

Penn State (1-0) opened the game with a goal just six seconds after the opening faceoff as Sturgis put away a feed from face-off man **Drake Kreinz** (Delefield, Wis.). The Nittany Lions would out-score the Wolverines 6-0 in the first five minutes and 8-0 in the opening frame. Sanders opened up his 2014 account just a minute later off an assist from **Kyle VanThof** (Penfield, N.Y.).

Sturgis doubled his total at 12:14 before Kreinz won the ensuing faceoff and scored his first career goal with 12:08 left for a 4-0 Penn State lead. Kreinz finished with two points, a 15-7 record at the faceoff X and a game-high nine ground balls.

**Kyle Baier** (Auburn, N.Y.) scored with 11:14 left in the first period on a bounce shot for his second career goal and a 5-0 PSU lead. Baier would go on to register his first collegiate hat trick in the romp as Penn State improved to 3-0 all-time against the Wolverines (0-1).

Sanders scored back-to-back goals to push the lead to 7-0, one a left-handed rocket the other a roll out from behind the net. Sturgis made it 8-0 with 1:26 left in the period after a tremendous save by 2013 All-American **Austin Kaut** (Morton, Pa.) and a transition play pushed by **Steven Bogert** (Carlsbad, Calif.). Kaut made six saves in 39:45 of action and just three goals allowed, while Bogert tallied his first assist of the year on the play.


The second period started much like the first as **Erik Myers** (Del Mar, Calif.) tallied a right-handed goal for a 9-0 lead just 41 seconds in. Sturgis scored goal No. 4, assisted by **Matt Sexton** (Niskayuna, N.Y.) for the 10-0 lead with 12:09 remaining in the second.

Penn State went on to out-score the Wolverines 11-1 in the first half, 7-3 in the third quarter and 4-3 in the fourth quarter.

Penn State held decisive margins in shots (43-35), shots on goal (28-10), ground balls (29-23) and faceoff wins (20-12). In addition to Kreinz's work at center, **Cole Yeager** (Radnor, Pa.) went 4-for-6 in his Nittany Lion debut, earning three ground balls.

Nearly all the suited Nittany Lions played on Saturday afternoon including redshirt-freshman goalkeeper **Connor Darcey** (Wellesley, Mass.) who made four saves and allowed four goals in 20:15.

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11-12 (OT)

Feb. 15

Holuba Hall

University Park, Pa.

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Score by period	1	2	3	4	OT	Final
Loyola (1-1)	3	2	5	1	1	12
Penn State (1-1)	1	2	4	4	0	11

**PSU Goals:** Sturgis (3), VanThof (2), Myers (2), Sanders (2), Ahern, Baier

**PSU Assists:** Sturgis (2), VanThof (2), Bogert

**PSU Saves:** Kaut (6)

**PSU Faceoffs:** Kreinz (15-27)

**LOY Goals:** Pontrello (3), Chase (3), Albrecht (3), Schultz, Ryan, Sherlock

**LOY Assists:** Ward (2), Pontrello (2), Ryan, Sawyer, Schultz

**LOY Saves:** Runkel (12)

**LOY Faceoffs:** Monticello (4-7), Savio (8-18), Burkhard (0-2)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
Loyola	30	12	21	11	12-27	1-4	16-16
Penn State	41	6	29	8	15-27	2-4	13-13

## No. 9 Nittany Lions Drop OT Thriller to No. 12 Loyola, 12-11

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** -- The No. 9 Penn State men's lacrosse team came back from a four-goal deficit in the fourth quarter to force overtime, but No. 12 Loyola scored on its first shot in the extra frame for a 12-11 victory Saturday at Holuba Hall in front of 1,067 fans.

Penn State (1-1) attackman **Shane Sturgis** (Downingtown, Pa.) followed up his seven-point outing last week with a five-point afternoon against Loyola (1-1) by scoring three goals and two assists. Senior midfielder **Kyle VanThof** (Penfield, N.Y.) had a career day with four points on two goals and two assists to aid the Nittany Lion offense. **Erik Myers** (Del Mar, Calif.) and **TJ Sanders** (Orillia, Ont.) added two goals each.

Loyola (1-1) opened an 11-7 lead with 12:10 to go in the fourth quarter on a Nikko Pontrello rebound goal. Penn State (1-1) refused to give up as Sanders scored a man-up goal with 9:48 remaining. While Penn State was unable to eat into the lead for the next five-plus minutes, the Nittany Lion defense kept the Greyhounds off the board as well, including a great penalty kill that ended with 4:22 left.

The Nittany Lion charge began with a Myers man-up goal with 3:55 to go as he scored from the left wing with an assist from Sturgis, his second of the day, as Loyola maintained an 11-9 lead.

Penn State's momentum continued when **Austin Kaut** (Morton, Pa.) made his sixth save of the game and eventually collected the ground ball 15 yards from net and pushed transition. **Steven Bogert** (Carlsbad, Calif.) cleared and fed Sturgis on the fast break as Sturgis beat Loyola's Jack Runkel (12 saves) top left to cut the deficit to one with 1:42 remaining.

Nittany Lion faceoff man **Drake Kreinz** (Delefield, Wis.) won the ensuing draw as PSU entered its offensive set. VanThof found Myers to the right side of the net as the Californian buried his second goal of the year with 63 seconds left on the clock, setting the Holuba Hall crowd into a full roar. Kreinz finished the afternoon with a game-high 12 ground balls, the first Nittany Lion to earn 10 or more pickups in a game since Bogert (10) pulled the feat at Delaware on April 20, 2013.

The Greyhounds countered with a faceoff win of its own, but a Justin Ward (two assists) shot at the buzzer went wide and the two teams went to overtime. There, Loyola won the opening faceoff and Pontrello's fifth goal of the year gave the Greyhounds their fifth straight win in the long-time series that saw its 53rd edition on Saturday. The Lions still lead the series 29-23-1.

Penn State owned many of the major statistical categories such as shots (41-30), ground balls (29-21), faceoff wins (15-12) and extra-man opportunities (2-for-4, 1-for-4). The Greyhounds were buoyed by a superior shot percentage (.400) and never allowing Penn State to hold a lead all game, which was tied on five different occasions. Penn State shot just 26.9 percent.



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8-7

Feb. 22  
Arlotta Stadium  
Notre Dame, Ind.



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11-8

March 1  
Ohio Stadium  
Columbus, Ohio



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Score by period	1	2	3	4	Final
<b>Penn State (2-1)</b>	2	3	3	0	8
<b>Notre Dame (1-1)</b>	1	2	3	1	7

**PSU Goals:** Sturgis (5), Sanders (2), LaCrosse  
**PSU Assists:** Baier, Myers, Sanders, Sturgis  
**PSU Saves:** Kaut (13)  
**PSU Faceoffs:** Kreinz (9-19)  
**ND Goals:** Kavanagh (3), Hopkins, Doyle, Scioscia, Mix  
**ND Assists:** Kavanagh (2), Brenneman  
**ND Saves:** Kelly (7)  
**ND Faceoffs:** Ossello (4-5), O'Connor (6-14)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
<b>Penn State</b>	34	13	26	15	9-19	1-2	16-18
<b>Notre Dame</b>	29	7	25	12	10-19	1-2	14-17

## No. 12 Nittany Lions Upend No. 4 Notre Dame, 8-7

**NOTRE DAME, Ind.** -- The 12th-ranked Penn State men's lacrosse team bounced back from a tough loss last week to upset No. 4 Notre Dame, 8-7, at Arlotta Stadium Saturday afternoon. Senior **Shane Sturgis** (Downingtown, Pa.) scored five times in a six-point performance, while senior goalie **Austin Kaut** (Morton, Pa.) made 13 crucial saves in Penn State's 13th straight road win.

"I'm proud of the way the team responded after last week's loss (to Loyola)," Head coach **Jeff Tambroni** said. "We have a great deal of respect for Notre Dame and we are happy to leave South Bend with a win."

Penn State (2-1) held a 7-3 lead with 11:46 remaining in the third period before Notre Dame (1-1) began its charge back. Three straight tallies by the Fighting Irish in a two-minute span cut the lead to 7-6 before Sturgis fired his 14th goal of the year on a **TJ Sanders** (Orillia, Ont.) feed with 5:06 to go in the frame. That goal, which would be Penn State's last in the game, proved to be the game-winner as the Nittany Lions were held scoreless over the final 20:06 of the game.

Notre Dame again trimmed the lead down to one on a Matt Kavanagh (three goals, two assists) unassisted tally on a tight-angled shot with 7:25 to go in the fourth. That would be Notre Dame's only goal of the fourth quarter and the only one the Irish would tally in the final 21:30 of the game.

The Irish were held scoreless by the spectacular play of Kaut, whose 13 saves were the most this season. Moreover, Kaut moved into sole possession of second place on the Penn State chart for career saves with 577 and is now 117 behind all-time leader Drew Adams (694).

In a less than three-minute span from 6:16 to 4:29, Kaut made saves of shots from Will Corrigan, Kavanagh, Trevor Brosco and John Scioscia to keep it a one-goal game in the fourth quarter. After an extended Penn State possession that yielded a 30-second timer-on situation and eventually led to a turnover, Notre Dame went on the attack with 2:03 to go.

In the final 45 seconds, Notre Dame swung the ball behind the net as Kavanagh found Jim Marlatt in front of net who lost control of the ball. Penn State looked to gain possession, but a 30-second penalty was called on **JP Burnside** (Garden City, N.Y.) that gave the Irish one final chance to force overtime. Almost immediately after the restart, Kavanagh threw the ball over the head of a teammate, giving Penn State possession as the Nittany Lions ran out the clock and defeated the Irish for the second time in three times.

Saturday's game was the third straight decided by a goal between the two teams, but the only one not in need of overtime. Last year, Notre Dame won 10-9 at Holuba Hall, while PSU upset the then-No. 2 Fighting Irish, 4-3, at Arlotta Stadium in 2012, which kicked off the 13-game winning streak in true road games. Penn State is 6-15 all-time against Notre Dame and 3-7 all-time in South Bend. Tambroni moves to 5-4 all-time when coaching against ND.

Score by period	1	2	3	4	Final
<b>Penn State (3-1)</b>	0	4	4	3	11
<b>Ohio State (1-3)</b>	1	1	2	4	8

**PSU Goals:** Sturgis (4), VanThof (3), Sanders, LaCrosse, Craig, Prestreau  
**PSU Assists:** VanThof (2), Sanders, Sexton, Sturgis  
**PSU Saves:** Kaut (9)  
**PSU Faceoffs:** Yeager (11-16), Kreinz (4-5), Brown (1-1)  
**OSU Goals:** King (4), Evans (2), Planning, Brown  
**OSU Assists:** Comeault (2), King (2), Planning, Brown  
**OSU Saves:** Dutton (12)  
**OSU Faceoffs:** Withers (4-14), Imbordino (2-8)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
<b>Penn State</b>	31	9	31	17	16-22	0-2	20-25
<b>Ohio State</b>	28	12	20	13	6-22	0-0	22-22

## No. 9 Penn State Downs OSU, 11-8, to Claim Creator's Trophy

**COLUMBUS, Ohio.** -- The ninth-ranked Penn State men's lacrosse team used a six-goal run spanning two quarters to capture its second Creator's Trophy in an 11-8 victory over No. 19 Ohio State at Ohio Stadium Saturday afternoon. Penn State (3-1) won its 14th straight true road game.

"Our seniors made several plays down the stretch today against a very good Ohio State team," head coach **Jeff Tambroni** said. "We feel fortunate to have come away with a road win and we are very proud to have the Creator's Trophy back in Happy Valley."

The Nittany Lions received four goals and an assist from the NCAA Division I leading scorer **Shane Sturgis** along with a five-point outing from **Kyle VanThof** to pace the PSU attack.

Sturgis, who came into the game averaging a ntion-leading 6.0 points a game and 4.67 goals per game continued his torrid pace with his fourth game of five or more points. He was 4-for-6 shooting and picked up a ground ball for good measure. Sturgis has twice been named Colonial Athletic Association Player of the Week for his outstanding play. Sturgis has 18 goals and 23 points through four games with an outstanding shooting percentage of .643.

As for VanThof, he earned his second game with four or more points following a two-goal, two-assist game against Loyola (Feb. 15). VanThof is third on the team with 11 points on six goals and five points.

Penn State went on a 6-0 run over a span of 10:13 in the second and third quarters, turning a 2-1 deficit into a 7-2 advantage. Penn State's stifling attack held Ohio State (1-3) to just 28 shots on the afternoon and didn't allow the Buckeyes to score for over 19 minutes to open the wide margin. **Austin Kaut** (Morton, Pa.) made nine saves, including six second-half stops. Kaut also picked up seven ground balls in the winning effort.

The Buckeyes led 2-1 early in the second quarter. The Nittany Lions' 6-0 run started with a **Dan Craig** with 5:41 left in the first half. Craig streaked through the Buckeye zone defense and was fed by fellow Canadian **TJ Sanders** for his first collegiate goal.

Penn State took its first lead of the day on Sanders's first goal and 10th of the season as the Lions again carved the Buckeye defense. Sturgis tallied his fifth assist of the year on the play with 4:32 to go in the second quarter.

VanThof gave Penn State a 4-2 lead entering halftime on an unassisted run through traffic with a top-right corner shot, his fourth of the year with just 1:43 remaining in the period.

The Nittany Lions came out firing in the early stages of the second half on consecutive goals by Sturgis, **Brian Prestreau** and Sturgis again. All three goals came in the first 3:32 of action for the 7-2 Penn State lead.

A key to Penn State's victory was the faceoff group of **Cole Yeager**, **Drake Kreinz** and **Kessler Brown**. Penn State won 16-of-22 draws with Yeager leading the way going 11-for-16 and four ground balls. Kreinz was 4-of-5 with three grounders and Brown 1-for-1 with a single pick up.

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<b>5</b>		<b>11-15</b> March 10 Barton Stadium Denver, Colo.		<b>9</b>
<b>Score by period</b>				
<b>Penn State (3-2)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Denver (5-2)</b>	<b>Final</b>			
	4	3	1	3
	3	4	3	5
	11			15

**PSU Goals:** Sturgis (3), LaCrosse (2), Manley (2), Baier (2), VanThof, Prestreau  
**PSU Assists:** Sturgis (3), Aponte, Kreinz, LaCrosse, Sanders  
**PSU Saves:** Kaut (8)  
**PSU Faceoffs:** Kreinz (21-28), Yeager (0-2)  
**DEN Goals:** Adamson (4), Pace (3), Berg (2), Bobzien (2), Cannizzaro, Miller, Noble, Riis  
**DEN Assists:** Adamson, Berg, Bobzien, Cannizzaro, Miller  
**DEN Saves:** Faus (5), LaPlante (3)  
**DEN Faceoffs:** Thomas (7-17), Bano (1-5), Hampton (1-7), Miller (0-1)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
<b>Penn State</b>	29	8	28	14	21-30	0-1	9-10
<b>Denver</b>	34	8	23	5	9-30	1-2	19-19

## No. 5 Nittany Lions Fall at No. 9 Denver, 15-11

**DENVER, Colo.** -- The fifth-ranked Nittany Lion men's lacrosse team couldn't keep pace with the offense of No. 9 Denver in a 15-11 loss at Barton Stadium on Monday night. The loss ended Penn State's 14-game winning streak in true road games, a stretch that dated to the beginning of the 2012 season. Penn State's last road loss came April 30, 2011 at Hofstra, which game 1,045 days ago.

**Shane Sturgis** led Penn State (3-2) with a six-point game on three goals and three assists. Joining Sturgis in the scoring ledger were **Tom LaCrosse**, **Pat Manley** and **Kyle Baier** with two goals apiece. **Kyle VanThof** and **Brian Prestreau** chipped in with a goal each.

Sturgis's six points moves him into 11th all-time at Penn State with 137 career points. Sturgis has 21 goals and eight assists this season for 29 points as he is well on his way to eclipsing his career-best season of 27 goals, 17 assists and 44 points from last year.

Freshman **Drake Kreinz** finished the game with a career-high 21 faceoff wins on 28 attempts. Kreinz also picked up a game-high 11 ground balls, one off his career high set against Michigan (Feb. 8), while pitching in with an assist.

Both teams shot the ball well with Denver connecting on 44.1 percent of its shots and Penn State shooting 37.9 percent. For Denver, it was their second win over a top 10 team in three days following its two-goal win over Notre Dame on Saturday. Penn State received its highest ranking in program history earlier on Monday, rising to fifth from its previous high of seventh.

Denver (5-2) used a 5-0 run spanning the second and third quarters, while holding Penn State scoreless for nearly 22 minutes to earn a 9-7 lead. Ultimately, the Pioneers used a 3-0 run in the final 8:41 of the game to make a one-goal game into a four-goal victory.

The Nittany Lions, down two goals with 4:45 left in the third, **Austin Kaut** made a save of Tyler Pace to kill off a Penn State man-down situation and stave off a potential sixth straight Pioneer goal. Eventually, Penn State would cut the two-goal deficit in half with Baier's second of the game and sixth of the year with 1:16 remaining. The goal was assisted by Sturgis from behind the net and Baier pushed it in on the one-timer.

DU's Erik Adamson, who had six goals in the win over Notre Dame, notched a hat trick with 29 ticks on the clock in the third quarter to answer the Penn State goal. That was the first of four series of responses by each team with Denver answering every Penn State second-half goal. Denver took a 10-8 lead into the fourth quarter.

Denver improved to 4-2 all-time in the series, avenging last year's 15-12 loss at the hands of the Nittany Lions in Jacksonville, Fla. in 2013.

<b>5</b>		<b>6-8</b> March 15 PSU Lacrosse Field University Park, Pa.		<b>14</b>
<b>Score by period</b>				
<b>UMass (6-1, 1-0)</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Penn State (3-3, 0-1)</b>	<b>Final</b>			
	1	4	2	1
	2	1	1	2
	8			6

**PSU Goals:** Sanders (3), Sturgis (2), LaCrosse  
**PSU Assists:** VanThof (2), Sturgis  
**PSU Saves:** Kaut (10)  
**PSU Faceoffs:** Kreinz (9-15)  
**UM Goals:** Mariano (2), Mooney (2), Lynott, Whiteway, George, Hegarty  
**UM Assists:** Lynott, Mariano, Whiteway  
**UM Saves:** Oliveri (15)  
**UM Faceoffs:** Calvello (6-15)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
<b>UMass</b>	33	15	21	15	6-15	1-5	19-20
<b>Penn State</b>	36	10	28	11	9-15	2-5	20-21

## No. 14 UMass Takes Defensive Battle over No. 5 Lions, 8-6

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** -- An extended 7-2 run by No. 14 Massachusetts over a 29-minute span was too much for No. 5 Nittany Lion men's lacrosse in an 8-6 loss Saturday afternoon at Penn State Lacrosse Field.

Penn State (3-3, 0-1 CAA) dropped back-to-back games for the first time this season as a stodgy UMass (6-1, 1-0 CAA) defense overwhelmed the Nittany Lions. Penn State led 2-1 with 2:04 remaining in the first quarter, but the Minutemen allowed just two goals in the next 45 minutes to open an 8-4 lead. Saturday's game was Penn State's last CAA season opener.

Sophomore **TJ Sanders** scored a game-high three goals, registering his 11th career hat trick in the process. The player of the game was UMass goalie Zach Oliveri who saved 15 shots, including 11 in the second half as the Minutemen built their lead.

One of the featured matchups entering the contest was that of the faceoff men: Penn State's **Drake Kreinz** and UMass' Joe Calvello, who came in ranked 13th and 11th, respectively, in win percentage this year. Kreinz got the better of Calvello, winning 9-of-15 faceoffs. Calvello, who was a member of the 2013 All-CAA Second Team, was also flagged for an illegal stick late in the fourth quarter in addition to four faceoff violations.

Accompanying Sanders's offensive game was Penn State leading scorer **Shane Sturgis**, who scored his 22nd and 23rd goals of the season on Saturday. Sturgis finished the game with three points, the first time he was held to less than five points in a single game all year.

The physical game featured 12 penalties for 11:30 of penalty time, but the two teams combined to go just 3-for-10 on the extra-man. PSU was 2-for-5 and UMass was 1-for-5. Penn State won the ground ball battle, 28-21, while holding a 36-33 shot advantage. UMass committed 15 turnovers and Penn State had 11.

In addition to three goals, Sanders had four ground balls, which tied his career high (vs. Yale; May 11, 2013). **Steven Bogert** had one of his best games of the season with four ground balls and two caused turnovers. Senior defender **Kessler Brown** forced a career-high three caused turnovers.

Massachusetts improved to 11-6 all-time against the Nittany Lions, holding Penn State to its fewest goals since a 9-5 loss to Lehigh (March 20, 2012).



# PENN STATE LACROSSE

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10-6

March 18

PSU Lacrosse Field  
University Park, Pa.



Score by period	1	2	3	4	Final
Dartmouth (1-3)	2	1	1	2	6
Penn State (4-3)	2	1	4	3	10

**PSU Goals:** Sanders (4), Craig, Baier, Kreinz, Richards, O'Neill, Ahern

**PSU Assists:** Sturgis (2), Aponte, Craig, Myers, Prestreau, VanThof

**PSU Saves:** Kaut (13)

**PSU Faceoffs:** Yeager (6-10), Kreinz (4-9)

**DART Goals:** Olentine (2), Beard, Lee, Ahmad, Osborne

**DART Assists:** Beard, Connolly, Heidt

**DART Saves:** Friedensohn (7)

**DART Faceoffs:** Hession (9-19)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
Dartmouth	39	7	34	17	9-19	0-3	15-19
Penn State	30	13	36	16	10-19	1-2	18-19

## Sanders, Kaut Lead No. 12 Lions by Dartmouth, 10-6

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** -- Sophomore **TJ Sanders** scored four goals and senior **Austin Kaut** saved 13 shots as No. 12 Nittany Lion men's lacrosse defeated Dartmouth, 10-6, Tuesday evening at Penn State Lacrosse Field.

Penn State (4-3, 0-1 CAA) broke open a 4-4 deadlock by scoring six of the next seven goals in the second half to run away from the Big Green (1-3, 0-0 Ivy League). Crucial to PSU's victory was a strong third quarter where Penn State out-scored Dartmouth 4-1 behind a 10-4 margin in shots and a 15-7 edge in ground balls. Sanders scored all four of his goals during the decisive 6-1 run.

The Nittany Lions spread the scoring among seven with **Dan Craig, Kyle Baier, Gavin Ahern, Michael Richards, Tommy O'Neill and Drake Kreinz** scoring one goal apiece.

Penn State's balanced offense filtered into the passing game as seven of its 10 goals came off assists. **Shane Sturgis** was held scoreless for the first time all season, but helped on two goals, while **Nick Aponte, Erik Myers, Kyle VanThof, Brian Prestreau** and Craig each pitched in with an assist.

Sanders made the game 6-4 on back-to-back goals from Aponte and Myers with just 42 seconds remaining in the third quarter. Penn State's **Cole Yeager** won the ensuing faceoff and Baier slipped a low shot past Dartmouth's Blair Friedensohn (seven saves) for a 7-4 lead at the end of three quarters.

Sanders completed the hat trick 45 seconds into the fourth quarter to briefly double up Dartmouth, 8-4 on a quick feed from Prestreau. Wiley Osborne brought Dartmouth within three goals a minute later, but Sanders answered right back with 11 minutes to go and restore Penn State's four-goal lead, 9-5.

Ahern's man-up goal from Craig cemented Penn State's victory with 7:42 remaining as the Nittany Lions gathered their largest lead of the game at 10-5.

The Penn State defense turned in its best game of the season by allowing a season-low six goals on 39 shots. Key to that defensive performance was that of Kaut who matched a season-high 13 stops (Notre Dame, Feb. 22) Tuesday evening. Kaut saved four shots in the first period, two each in the second and third quarters and fifth in the final quarter to shut the door on the Big Green.

In front of Kaut featured strong performances from **James Burke, Tyler Travis, Kessler Brown, JP Burnside and Steven Bogert**. Burke picked up a career-high five ground balls as the unit forced 12 of Dartmouth's 17 turnovers as Bogert and Brown each earned two caused turnovers.

Penn State improved to 4-0 all-time in the series against Dartmouth as the two teams met for the first time since 2006. The four-goal victory was the largest margin in the four meetings, which date back to 1929.

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10-17

March 22

PSU Lacrosse Field  
University Park, Pa.



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Score by period	1	2	3	4	Final
Albany (3-3)	3	4	6	4	17
Penn State (4-4)	1	4	1	4	10

**PSU Goals:** Craig (3), Manley (3), Sanders (2), VanThof, Richards

**PSU Assists:** Ahern, Aponte, Prestreau, Richards, Sturgis, VanThof

**PSU Saves:** Kaut (6)

**PSU Faceoffs:** Kreinz (20-31)

**ALB Goals:** M. Thompson (4), L. Thompson (3), T. Thompson (2),

Feuerstein (2), E. Lasda (2), Maloney, Garziano, Stenberg, Bertrams

**ALB Assists:** L. Thompson (5), M. Thompson (2), T. Thompson (2), Cantor, Haugen

**ALB Saves:** Riorden (19)

**ALB Faceoffs:** Marrapese (11-30), L. Thompson (0-1)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
Albany	36	19	32	17	11-31	1-2	20-23
Penn State	50	6	50	12	20-31	1-4	16-19

## No. 18 Albany Runs Away from No. 12 Nittany Lions, 17-10

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** -- Hat tricks from **Pat Manley** and **Dan Craig** weren't enough as No. 12 Penn State men's lacrosse fell to No. 18 Albany, 17-10, at wind-swept Penn State Lacrosse Field Saturday afternoon.

Albany (3-3), the nation's leading offense averaging 15.8 goals per game entering Saturday, used a 9-1 burst over 16:42 of game time to open a nine-goal lead in the fourth quarter. Albany was led by the Thompson trio of Miles (4 goals, 2 assists), Lyle (3 goals, 5 assists) and Ty (2 goals, 2 assists) in the victory.

Penn State (4-4) put up 10 goals or more for the sixth time in eight games, but the goalkeeping of Blaze Riorden (19 saves) kept the Nittany Lions at bay. Penn State out-shot Albany, 50-36. The Great Danes shot 47.2 percent, while the Nittany Lions shot just 20 percent.

Albany raced out to a 5-1 lead with 11:40 left in the second quarter on goals from Lyle Thompson (2), Miles Thompson, Eli Lasda and Ryan Feuerstein. Sandwiched in that Albany barrage was **TJ Sanders** who scored twice on Saturday. His first goal was assisted by **Shane Sturgis**. Sturgis was kept off the board for a second consecutive game.

Penn State fought back with a 4-1 run on goals from Manley, **Michael Richards**, Sanders and **Kyle VanThof** to cut the lead to just one, 6-5, with 56 remaining in the second quarter. Sanders had his goal assisted by **Brian Prestreau**, while VanThof's man-up tally was helped by **Gavin Ahern**.

The Nittany Lion momentum would be stopped there, however, as Lasda's second of the day with only six seconds remaining gave Albany a 7-5 halftime lead to kick off the decisive 9-1 run.

Penn State won the ground ball battle, 50-32, with **Drake Kreinz** earning 10 pickups, his third game of double-digit ground balls. Kreinz was effective at the X as well, winning 20-of-31 faceoffs, his second 20-win game of the season. **Steven Bogert** notched six ground balls and two caused turnovers, while **James Burke** and **Tom LaCrosse** each collected four pickups.

Penn State went 1-for-4 on the man-up, while Albany was 1-for-3. Clears were 20-23 for Albany and 16-19 for PSU. Albany committed 17 turnovers to Penn State's 12.

# PENN STATE LACROSSE

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7-9

March 29  
PSU Lacrosse Field  
University Park, Pa.



12-13 (3OT)

April 5  
Vidas Field  
Philadelphia, Pa.



Score by period	1	2	3	4	Final
Villanova (4-5)	3	3	2	1	9
Penn State (4-5)	1	3	1	2	7

**PSU Goals:** Sturgis (2), Richards (2), LaCrosse, Sanders, Manley

**PSU Assists:** Sturgis

**PSU Saves:** Kaut (13)

**PSU Faceoffs:** Kreinz (11-19)

**VU Goals:** O'Neil (3), Frederick (3), Gartner (2), Curran

**VU Assists:** Gartner (2), LoCascio, O'Neil

**VU Saves:** Willis (9)

**VU Faceoffs:** T. Croonquist (8-19)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
Villanova	29	9	25	16	8-19	1-2	19-22
Penn State	31	13	32	21	11-19	1-5	20-24

## No. 17 Nittany Lions Held Off by Villanova, 9-7

**UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa.** -- The visiting Villanova Wildcats built a four-goal lead in the third quarter and fended off a late Nittany Lion rally to win, 9-7, Saturday afternoon at rainy Penn State Lacrosse Field. **Austin Kaut** matched his season-high in saves (13), while **Michael Richards** and **Shane Sturgis** tallied two goals apiece for the Nittany Lions.

Penn State (4-5, 0-1 CAA) committed a season-high 21 turnovers and was unable to solve the staunch Villanova defense, shooting just 22.6 percent. On the other hand, Villanova (4-5, 2-0 Big East) won its third game in a row led by Kevin O'Neil (three goals, one assist) and Austin Frederick (three goals).

The Wildcats and Nittany Lions traded goals early as VU's Eric Gartner and PSU's Richards had it at one goal apiece with 6:33 left in the opening frame. Villanova then went on a 3-0 run on goals from O'Neil and Frederick to earn a 4-1 lead with 10:56 remaining in the second period.

**Pat Manley** made a quick move through traffic on the crease to score his sixth of the season with 7:25 to go, but Austin answered nearly immediately, scoring 22 seconds later to regain the three-goal lead, 5-2.

Penn State looked to mount a comeback before halftime on Sturgis's first goal in three games with 2:54 left in the half. The senior had been held scoreless in his past two games against Dartmouth and Albany.

Sturgis then connected with **TJ Sanders** on the extra-man a shade under three minutes left in the quarter. For Sanders it was his 20th of the year, while Sturgis earned his 13th assist of the season and Penn State was within a goal, 5-4.

The Nittany Lions held possession at the end of the quarter and seemed destined for the final shot of the half, but a turnover by Sturgis went the other way and O'Neil scored in transition with four seconds remaining on an assist from John Locascio for a 6-4 advantage after 30 minutes.

Coming out of the break, Villanova doubled its lead on tallies from Jack Curran and Gartner for an 8-4 advantage with 9:51 remaining. Penn State would snap a nearly 15-minute scoreless drought when **Tom LaCrosse** fought through traffic for his sixth marker of the year with 3:20 left in the third and the score, 8-5 for Villanova.

Sturgis notched his second of the game and 25th of the season 3:48 into the fourth quarter to bring Penn State within two goals at 8-6. The Wildcats responded with O'Neil's third goal of the day with 10 minutes to go, re-establishing the three goal lead.

Richards notched his first multi-goal game of his collegiate career as he rolled around the cage with 3:45 left and the comeback was on again.

**Drake Kreinz** won his 11th faceoff of the day in 19 tries, setting up Penn State's offense. VU goalkeeper Dan Willis would make three of his nine saves in the game's final three minutes to hand the Nittany Lions their fourth defeat in their past five games. Kreinz finished with five ground balls.

Score by period	1	2	3	4	OT	O2	O3	Final
Penn State (4-6)	3	6	2	1	0	0	0	12
Drexel (7-4)	3	4	3	2	0	0	1	13

**PSU Goals:** Sutton (5), Craig, Manley, VanThof, LaCrosse, Ahern, Baier, Aponte

**PSU Assists:** Craig (3), Manley, Richards, Sturgis

**PSU Saves:** Kaut (17)

**PSU Faceoffs:** Yeager (13-21), Kreinz (6-9)

**DU Goals:** McIntosh (5), Belka (3), de Snoo (2), Shafer, Trizano, Thomas

**DU Assists:** Bourdreau (3), McIntosh (3), Thomas

**DU Saves:** Gabrielsen (6)

**DU Faceoffs:** Saputo (6-18), Thomas (5-11), Barnes (0-1)

Stats	SH	SV	GB	TO	FO	EMO	Clears
Penn State	33	17	30	21	19-30	4-7	14-18
Drexel	53	6	28	12	11-30	0-2	18-18

## Nittany Lions Fall to Drexel in Triple OT Thriller, 13-12

**PHILADELPHIA** -- The Nittany Lion men's lacrosse team fought valiantly Saturday at Vidas Field, but ultimately fell, 13-12, in a dramatic triple overtime thriller to Drexel. Mitch de Snoo scored the game-winning goal with 46 seconds remaining in the third extra frame to propel the Dragons to victory.

Freshman **Mike Sutton** made the most of his first collegiate start by scoring five goals on the day. Fellow freshman **Dan Craig** tallied four points on a goal and three assists, while senior goalkeeper **Austin Kaut** did all he could with a 17-save performance, a season-high showing. His 17 stops were the most since an 18-save game at Notre Dame (Feb. 26, 2012) and matched a 17-save game vs. Villanova (March 31, 2012).

Penn State (4-6, 0-2 CAA), which found itself down 7-4 with 6:14 left in the second quarter fought back with a 5-0 run to take a 9-7 lead into half-time. Drexel responded with a 3-0 spurt of its own to regain the lead, 10-9, with 8:06 remaining in the third. A 3-1 spurt in the third and fourth quarters gave the Nittany Lions a 12-11 advantage with 9:29 left in regulation, but Penn State would fail to score over the final 20:43 of the game.

Drexel's Ben McIntosh scored his fifth goal of the game with just 81 seconds remaining in regulation as he sliced through the defense for his 32nd of the year. McIntosh finished with a game-high eight points, while Ryan Belka added a hat trick of his own.

In the first two overtime periods, **Cole Yeager** won both faceoffs to get the Nittany Lions on attack. Yeager finished the day by going 13-for-21 with six ground balls at the X. Coupled with **Drake Kreinz's** 6-for-9 outing, Penn State went 19-for-30 in draws against the reigning CAA Player of the Week, Nick Saputo and company. Saputo went 6-for-18 on Saturday and entered the game fourth nationally in faceoff winning percentage (67 percent).

Despite winning the opening draws, it was team defense that won out. Penn State out-shot Drexel, 2-1, in the first extra stanza, but turned it over two times. In the second stands, it was Drexel with a 4-1 shot advantage, forcing Kaut into two saves, while PSU committed three turnovers.

The end of the second overtime didn't come without controversy, however, as Drexel appeared to score the game-winning goal. After a PSU turnover, Drexel attempted a quick restart, but two balls were on the field at the same time as the Dragons scored in the unsettled situation.

Despite the Drexel bench storming the field in celebration, the officials congregated and ruled the goal was no good and play restarted at midfield. Penn State's defense held strong and forced its first triple OT game since March 5, 2011 at Ohio State.

The third overtime saw Saputo win his sixth faceoff the game, and the Dragons never relinquished possession. Drexel held a 5-0 advantage in shots with Cole Shafer's effort careening off the upright and being picked up by de Snoo, who fired his second goal of the game and lifted the Dragons to victory.



# PENN STATE LACROSSE



## 2014 Penn State Men's Lacrosse Penn State Overall Team Statistics All games (as of Apr 08, 2014)

Overall: 4-6 Conf: 0-2 Home: 2-4 Away: 2-2 Neut: 0-0

TEAM STATISTICS	PSU	OPP
<b>SHOT STATISTICS</b>		
Goals-Shot attempts	108-358	102-346
Goals scored per game	10.80	10.20
Shot pct.	.302	.295
Shots on goal-Attempts	209-358	207-346
SOG pct.	.584	.598
Shots/Game	35.8	34.6
Assists	50	52
<b>MAN-UP OPPORTUNITIES</b>		
Goals-Opportunities	13-34	9-29
Conversion Percent	.382	.310
<b>GOAL BREAKDOWN</b>		
Total Goals	108	102
Man-up	13	9
Man-down	0	0
Unassisted	58	50
Overtime	0	2
Goals scored average	10.60	10.01
GROUND BALLS	319	252
TURNOVERS	148	126
CAUSED TURNOVERS	79	92
FACEOFFS (W-L)	150-244	94-244
Faceoff W-L Pct.	.615	.385
CLEARs	161-184	174-189
Clear Pct.	.875	.921
<b>PENALTIES</b>		
Number	34	42
Minutes	28:30	32:30
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>		
Total	4766	5111
Dates/Avg Per Date	6/794	4/1278
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	OT3	Total
Penn State	24	30	28	26	0	0	0	108
Opponents	20	26	30	24	1	0	1	102

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	OT3	Total
Penn State	26	24	21	31	0	2	1	105
Opponents	25	21	25	29	0	1	0	101

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	OT3	Total
Penn State	82	99	82	92	2	1	0	358
Opponents	74	97	80	84	2	4	5	346

Shots on Goal	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	OT3	Total
Penn State	49	51	53	55	0	1	0	209
Opponents	46	50	51	55	1	2	2	207

# PENN STATE LACROSSE



## 2014 Penn State Men's Lacrosse Penn State Overall Individual Statistics All games (as of Apr 08, 2014)

Overall: 4-6 Conf: 0-2 Home: 2-4 Away: 2-2 Neut: 0-0

##	Player	gp-gs	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	up	dn	gb	t/o	ct	faceoff	pct	pen-min
3	Sturgis, Shane	10-10	25	14	39	65	.385	45	.692	1	0	13	16	1	-	-	-
29	Sanders, TJ	10-9	20	3	23	54	.370	32	.593	4	0	13	11	1	-	-	2-1.5
12	VanThof, Kyle	10-0	9	9	18	42	.214	26	.619	1	0	12	18	0	-	-	-
35	Craig, Dan	9-4	6	5	11	14	.429	10	.714	1	0	4	8	0	-	-	-
11	Baier, Kyle	10-6	8	1	9	19	.421	12	.632	0	0	9	12	1	-	-	-
25	LaCrosse, Tom	10-0	7	1	8	45	.156	22	.489	0	0	8	4	3	-	-	-
22	Manley, Pat	10-0	7	1	8	15	.467	11	.733	0	0	1	5	1	-	-	-
39	Sutton, Mike	3-1	6	0	6	20	.300	12	.600	2	0	2	5	0	-	-	-
7	Richards, Michael	10-7	4	2	6	8	.500	6	.750	0	0	16	2	4	-	-	2-1.0
1	Prestreau, Brian	7-0	3	2	5	17	.176	7	.412	0	0	1	1	1	-	-	-
4	Myers, Erik	9-0	3	2	5	14	.214	6	.429	1	0	5	6	0	-	-	1-0.5
41	Ahern, Gavin	10-0	3	1	4	14	.214	5	.357	2	0	0	2	0	-	-	-
38	Kreinz, Drake	10-10	2	2	4	4	.500	3	.750	0	0	62	2	1	114-184	.620	2-1.5
10	Aponte, Nick	8-0	1	3	4	8	.125	3	.375	0	0	4	8	1	-	-	-
26	Sexton, Matt	9-0	1	2	3	6	.167	3	.500	1	0	1	1	0	-	-	-
20	Bogert, Steven	10-5	0	2	2	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0	29	7	11	-	-	3-2.5
5	Mazza, Nick	2-0	1	0	1	2	.500	1	.500	0	0	0	1	0	-	-	-
42	Chambers, Tyler	1-0	1	0	1	1	1.000	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
37	O'Neill, Tommy	10-0	1	0	1	1	1.000	1	1.000	0	0	7	0	1	-	-	-
30	Zittel, Kyle	10-0	0	0	0	2	.000	0	.000	0	0	10	1	4	-	-	1-1.0
23	Burke, James	10-6	0	0	0	2	.000	1	.500	0	0	24	5	13	-	-	4-4.0
13	Chakey, James	10-3	0	0	0	2	.000	0	.000	0	0	13	6	0	-	-	-
31	Aitken, Steve	2-0	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0	1	1	0	-	-	-
8	Travis, Tyler	10-10	0	0	0	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0	11	3	11	-	-	6-5.5
45	Triolo, Peter	8-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	1	0	0	-	-	-
44	Burnside, JP	9-9	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	7	2	7	-	-	5-5.0
40	Von Nessen, John	2-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	0	1	0	-	-	-
33	Sternberg, Ryne	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	1-4	.250	1-0.5
28	Brown, Kessler	10-6	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	14	1	11	1-1	1.000	2-1.5
24	Mullen, Ryan	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
21	Donnelly, Jack	4-4	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	3	1	1	-	-	2-2.0
19	Kaut, Austin	10-10	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	29	5	4	-	-	-
18	Maloney, Lucas	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
16	Darcey, Connor	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	-
15	Santo, Anthony	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	-	-	1-1.0
9	Guittare, Ryan	9-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	2	0	1	-	-	-
6	Stothoff, Taylor	3-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	1	0	0	-	-	-
2	Yeager, Cole	5-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0	16	2	0	34-55	.618	-
Total		10	108	50	158	358	.302	209	.584	13	0	319	148	79	150-244	.615	34-28.5
Opponents		10	102	52	154	346	.295	207	.598	9	0	252	126	92	94-244	.385	42-32.5

##	Goalie	gp-gs	min	ga	gaavg	saves	pct	w	l	t	shots faced
19	Kaut, Austin	10-10	591:18	98	9.94	101	.508	4	6	0	332
16	Darcey, Connor	1-0	20:15	4	11.85	4	.500	0	0	0	14
Total		10	611:33	102	10.01	105	.507	4	6	0	346
Opponents		10	611:33	108	10.60	101	.483	6	4	0	358

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	OT3	Total
Penn State	24	30	28	26	0	0	0	108
Opponents	20	26	30	24	1	0	1	102

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	OT3	Total
Penn State	26	24	21	31	0	2	1	105
Opponents	25	21	25	29	0	1	0	101

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	OT3	Total
Penn State	82	99	82	92	2	1	0	358
Opponents	74	97	80	84	2	4	5	346

Attendance Summary	PSU	Opponent
Total	4766	5111
Dates/Avg Per Date	6/794	4/1278
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

Shots on Goal	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	OT3	Total
Penn State	49	51	53	55	0	1	0	209
Opponents	46	50	51	55	1	2	2	207

CLEARs: Penn State -- 161-184 .875, Opponents -- 174-189 .921.  
MAN-UP OPPS: Penn State -- 13-34 .382, Opponents -- 9-29 .310.



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## #41 GAVIN AHERN

### Career Highs

Points	4	2x, last vs. Drexel	5/2/12
Goals	3	2x, last vs. Delaware	4/23/11
Assists	2	2x, last vs. Towson	5/3/13
Shots	9	2x, last vs. UMass	3/17/12
GBs	3	3x, last vs. UMass	3/17/12
CTs	1	North Carolina	2/11/12

### Season Highs

Points	1	3x, last at Drexel	4/5/14
Goals	1	3x, last at Drexel	4/5/14
Assists	1	Albany	3/22/14
Shots	4	Loyola	2/15/14
GBs	-		

## #31 STEVE AITKEN

### Career Highs

Points	3	at Hofstra	4/27/13
Goals	3	at Hofstra	4/27/13
Shots	4	at Hofstra	4/27/13
GBs	2	at Hofstra	4/27/13

### Season Highs

Points	-		
Goals	-		
Shots	1	Michigan	2/8/14
GBs	1	UMass	3/15/14

## #10 NICK APONTE

### Season/Career Highs

Points	1	3x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
Goals	-		
Assists	1	3x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
Shots	3	Albany	3/22/14
GBs	1	Albany	3/22/14

## #11 KYLE BAIER

### Career Highs

Points	3	Michigan	2/8/14
Goals	3	Michigan	2/8/14
Assists	1	at Notre Dame	2/22/14
Shots	5	Michigan	2/8/14
GBs	2	Loyola	2/15/14
CT	1	Dartmouth	3/18/14

### Season Highs

Points	3	Michigan	2/8/14
Goals	3	Michigan	2/8/14
Assists	1	at Notre Dame	2/22/14
Shots	5	Michigan	2/8/14
GBs	2	Loyola	2/15/14
CTs	1	Dartmouth	3/18/14

## #20 STEVEN BOGERT

### Career Highs

Points	1	4x, last vs. Loyola	2/15/14
Goals	1	Towson	5/3/13
Shots	1	2x, last at Denver	3/10/14
Assists	1	3x, last vs. Loyola	2/15/14
GBs	10	at Delaware	4/20/13
CTs	5	vs. UMass	5/1/13

### Season Highs

Points	-		
Goals	-		
Shots	1	at Denver	3/10/14
Assists	1	2x, last vs. Loyola	2/15/14
GBs	7	at Drexel	4/5/14
CTs	2	5x, last at Drexel	4/5/14

## #28 KESSLER BROWN

### Career Highs

GBs	4	2x, last vs. Villanova	3/29/14
CTs	3	2x, last vs. UMass	3/15/14
Faceoff W	2	Yale	5/13/13
Faceoffs	2	2x, last vs. Yale	5/13/13

### Season Highs

GBs	4	Villanova	3/29/14
CTs	3	UMass	3/15/14
Faceoff W	1	at Ohio State	3/1/14
Faceoffs	1	at Ohio State	3/1/14

## #23 JAMES BURKE

### Career Highs

Shots	1	4x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
GBs	5	2x, last vs. Villanova	3/29/14
CTs	5	Villanova	3/29/14

### Season Highs

Shots	1	2x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
GBs	5	2x, last vs. Villanova	3/29/14
CTs	5	Villanova	3/29/14

## #44 JP BURNSIDE

### Career Highs

GBs	6	at Hofstra	4/27/13
CTs	3	4x, last vs. Drexel	4/6/13

### Season Highs

GBs	2	2x, last vs. Dartmouth	3/18/14
CTs	2	3x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14

## #13 JAMES CHAKEY

### Career Highs

Shots	1	2x, last vs. UMass	3/15/14
GBs	3	at Denver	3/10/14

### Season Highs

Shots	1	2x, last vs. UMass	3/15/14
GBs	3	at Denver	3/10/14

## #21 JACK DONNELLY

### Career Highs

Points	1	Saint Joseph's	3/23/13
Goals	1	Saint Joseph's	3/23/13
Shots	1	Saint Joseph's	3/23/13
GBs	3	2x, last vs. Towson	4/13/13
CTs	3	Yale	5/13/13

### Season Highs

GBs	1	2x, last at Ohio State	3/1/14
CTs	1	at Ohio State	3/1/14

## #19 AUSTIN KAUT

### Career Bests

Saves	25	UMass	3/19/11
Goals Ag.	2	2x, last vs. Saint Joseph's	3/23/13
Shots	1	3x, last vs. Saint Joseph's	3/24/12
GBs	7	at Ohio State	3/1/14
CTs	2	2x, last vs. Yale	5/13/13

### Season Bests

Saves	17	at Drexel	4/5/14
Goals Ag.	3	Michigan	2/8/14
GBs	7	at Ohio State	3/1/14
CTs	1	3x, last at Drexel	4/5/14

## #38 DRAKE KREINZ

### Season/Career Highs

Points	2	Michigan	2/8/14
Goals	1	2x, last vs. Dartmouth	3/18/14
Assists	1	2x, last at Denver	3/10/14
Shots	1	4x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
GBs	12	Loyola	2/15/14
CTs	1	Dartmouth	3/18/14
Faceoff Ws	21	at Denver	3/10/14
Faceoffs	31	Albany	3/22/14

## #25 TOM LACROSSE

### Career Highs

Points	3	4x, last at Denver	3/10/14
Goals	3	3x, last at Villanova	3/30/13
Assists	2	UMass	3/16/13
Shots	8	Delaware	4/21/12
GBs	4	Albany	3/22/14
CTs	1	7x, last vs. Villanova	3/29/14

### Season Highs

Points	3	at Denver	3/10/14
Goals	2	at Denver	3/10/14
Assists	1	at Denver	3/10/14
Shots	8	at Notre Dame	2/22/14
GBs	4	Albany	3/22/14
CTs	1	2x, last vs. Villanova	3/29/14

## #22 PAT MANLEY

### Career Highs

Points	3	Albany	3/22/14
Goals	3	Albany	3/22/14
Assists	2	2x, last vs. Towson	5/3/13
Shots	5	Albany	3/22/14
GBs	2	Yale	5/13/13
CTs	1	3x, last vs. Dartmouth	3/18/14

### Season Highs

Points	3	Albany	3/22/14
Goals	3	Albany	3/22/14
Assists	1	at Drexel	4/5/14
Shots	5	Albany	3/22/14
GBs	1	Dartmouth	3/18/14
CTs	1	Dartmouth	3/18/14

## #5 NICK MAZZA

### Season/Career Highs

Points	1	Michigan	2/8/14
Goals	1	Michigan	2/8/14
Assists	-		
Shots	2	Michigan	2/8/14
GBs	-		

## #24 RYAN MULLEN

### Career Highs

GBs	1	Saint Joseph's	3/23/13
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### Season Highs

GBs	-		
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## #4 ERIK MYERS

### Career Highs

Points	2	Loyola	2/15/14
Goals	2	Loyola	2/15/14
Assists	1	3x, last at Notre Dame	2/22/14
Shots	6	Loyola	2/15/14
GBs	3	UMass	3/15/14
CTs	1	Bucknell	3/26/13

### Season Highs

Points	2	Loyola	2/15/14
Goals	2	Loyola	2/15/14
Assists	1	2x, last vs. Dartmouth	3/18/14
Shots	6	Loyola	2/15/14
GBs	3	UMass	3/15/14
CTs	-		

## #37 TOMMY O'NEILL

### Career Highs

Points	2	Michigan	2/9/13
Goals	1	2x, last vs. Dartmouth	3/18/14
Assists	2	Michigan	2/9/13
Shots	1	3x, last vs. Dartmouth	3/18/14
GBs	2	2x, last vs. Villanova	3/29/14
CTs	1	3x, last at Denver	3/10/14

### Season Highs

Points	1	Dartmouth	3/18/14
Goals	1	Dartmouth	3/18/14
Assists	-		
Shots	1	Dartmouth	3/18/14
GBs	2	Villanova	3/29/14
CTs	1	at Denver	3/10/14

## #1 BRIAN PRESTREAU

### Season/Career Highs

Points	1	5x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
Goals	1	3x, last at Denver	3/10/14
Assists	1	2x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
Shots	3	4x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
GBs	1	Albany	3/22/14
CTs	1	Albany	3/22/14

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## #7 MICHAEL RICHARDS

### Career Highs

Points	2	2x, last vs. Villanova	3/29/14
Goals	2	Villanova	3/29/14
Assists	1	2x, last at Drexel	4/5/14
Shots	2	2x, last vs. Villanova	
3/29/14GBs	5	Lehigh	3/9/13
CTs	3	Bucknell	3/26/13

### Season Highs

Points	2	2x, last vs. Villanova	3/29/14
Goals	2	Villanova	3/29/14
Assists	1	2x, last at Drexel	4/5/14
Shots	2	2x, last vs. Villanova	3/29/14
GBs	4	Michigan	2/8/14
CTs	2	Albany	3/22/14

## #29 TJ SANDERS

### Career Highs

Points	6	Lehigh	3/9/13
Goals	5	4x, last vs. Michigan	2/8/14
Assists	2	at Delaware	4/20/13
Shots	11	Bucknell	3/26/13
GBs	4	2x, last vs. UMass	3/15/14
CTs	2	Saint Joseph's	3/23/13

### Season Highs

Points	5	Michigan	2/8/14
Goals	5	Michigan	2/8/14
Assists	1	2x, last at Ohio State	3/1/14
Shots	9	2x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
GBs	4	UMass	3/15/14
CTs	1	Loyola	2/15/14

## #15 ANTHONY SANTO

### Season/Career Highs

GBs	-
CTs	-

## #26 MATT SEXTON

### Career Highs

Points	2	2x, last vs. Michigan	2/8/14
Goals	1	Michigan	2/8/14
Assists	2	Lehigh	3/9/13
Shots	2	2x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
GBs	1	2x, last vs. Loyola	2/15/14

### Season Highs

Points	2	Michigan	2/8/14
Goals	1	Michigan	2/8/14
Assists	1	2x, last at Ohio State	3/1/14
Shots	2	2x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
GBs	1	Loyola	2/15/14

## #33 RYNE STERNBERG

### Career Highs

GBs	3	Rutgers	3/12/11
CTs	4	Rutgers	3/12/11
Faceoff Ws	1	Michigan	2/8/14
Faceoffs	4	Michigan	2/8/14

### Season Highs

Faceoff Ws	1	Michigan	2/8/14
Faceoffs	4	Michigan	2/8/14

## #6 TAYLOR STOTHOFF

### Career Highs

Points	1	2x, last vs. Towson	4/14/12
Goals	1	Michigan	2/18/12
Assists	1	Towson	4/14/12
Shots	2	Lehigh	3/20/12
GBs	1	4x, last vs. Michigan	2/8/14
CTs	1	Denver	3/10/12

### Season Highs

GBs	1	Michigan	2/8/14
CTs	-		

## #3 SHANE STURGIS

### Career Highs

Points	7	Michigan	2/8/14
Goals	6	Michigan	2/8/14
Assists	3	8x, last vat Denver	3/10/14
Shots	12	2x, last vs. UMass	5/1/13
GBs	4	vs. UMass	5/1/13
CTs	2	Delaware	4/21/12

### Season Highs

Points	7	Michigan	2/8/14
Goals	6	Michigan	2/8/14
Assists	3	at Denver	3/10/14
Shots	11	UMass	3/15/14
GBs	3	2x, last vs. UMass	3/15/14
CTs	1	UMass	3/15/14

## #39 MIKE SUTTON

### Season/Career Highs

Points	5	at Drexel	4/5/14
Goals	5	at Drexel	4/5/14
Shots	13	at Drexel	4/5/14
GBs	2	Villanova	3/29/14

## #8 TYLER TRAVIS

### Career Highs

Points	1	Towson	4/13/13
Assists	1	Towson	4/13/13
Shots	1	at Ohio State	3/1/14
GBs	4	Yale	5/13/13
CTs	3	4x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14

### Season Highs

Points	-		
Assists	-		
Shots	1	at Ohio State	3/1/14
GBs	3	Albany	3/22/14
CTs	3	Albany	3/22/14

## #45 PETER TRIOLO

### Season/Career Highs

GBs	1	Dartmouth	3/18/14
CTs	-		

## #12 KYLE VANTHOF

### Career Highs

Points	5	at Ohio State	3/1/14
Goals	4	at UMass	3/19/11
Assists	3	2x, last at Delaware	4/20/13
Shots	7	2x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
GBs	3	3x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
CTs	1	2x, last vs. Lehigh	3/9/13

### Season Highs

Points	5	at Ohio State	3/1/14
Goals	3	at Ohio State	3/1/14
Assists	2	3x, last vs. UMass	3/15/14
Shots	7	2x, last vs. Albany	3/22/14
GBs	3	Albany	3/22/14
CTs	-		

## #40 JOHN VON NESSEN

### Career Highs

Shots	1	at Hofstra	4/27/13
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### Season Highs

Shots	-
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## #2 COLE YEAGER

### Career Highs (including time at Yale 2010-13)

Points	1	5x, last vs. Cornell	5/6/11
Goals	1	5x, last vs. Cornell	5/6/11
Assists	-		
Shots	1	8x, last vs. Cornell	5/6/11
GBs	14	Georgetown	4/23/11
Faceoff Ws	16	Georgetown	4/23/11
Faceoffs	25	Georgetown	4/23/11

### Season Highs

Points	-		
Goals	-		
Assists	-		
Shots	-		
GBs	6	at Drexel	4/5/14
Faceoff Ws	13	at Drexel	4/5/14
Faceoffs	21	at Drexel	4/5/14

## #30 KYLE ZITTEL

### Career Highs

Points	2	2x, last at Delaware	4/20/13
Goals	2	Denver	2/17/13
Assists	1	4x, last vs. Towson	5/3/13
Shots	4	UMass	3/16/13
GBs	4	at Denver	3/10/14
CTs	2	at Denver	3/10/14

### Season Highs

Shots	1	2x, last at Drexel	4/5/14
GBs	4	at Denver	3/10/14
CTs	2	at Denver	3/10/14



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## GAME RECORDS

### GOALS

10	Rich Russo	4/30/1983	Montclair State
9	Bill Hess	6/24/1957	Penn
	Jim Trenz	5/9/1972	Bucknell
8	Bob Hamel	4/30/1954	Hobart
	John Behne	4/4/1959	Loyola
	Tom Hayes	4/28/1962	Rutgers
	Glenn Thiel	5/11/1966	Lehigh
	Jim Trenz	4/19/1972	Loyola
	Jim Trenz	4/29/1972	Rutgers
7	Steve Schraeder	5/16/1961	Gettysburg
<b>6</b>	<b>Shane Sturgis</b>	<b>2/8/2014</b>	<b>Michigan</b>

### ASSISTS

9	Gary Martin	5/2/1983	Bucknell
8	John Meisel	5/6/1964	Lehigh
	Ken Edwards	4/6/1968	Franklin & Marshall
7	Bill Hess	4/20/1957	Adelphi
	Ken Edwards	5/18/1968	Delaware
	Bob Schoeflin	4/16/1969	Franklin & Marshall
	Karl Hurtzig	5/12/1973	Lafayette
	Gary Martin	4/28/1982	Loyola
	Gary Martin	4/30/1983	Montclair State

### POINTS

14	Gary Martin	5/2/1983	Bucknell
13	Bill Hess	4/20/1957	Adelphi
	Ken Edwards	5/18/1968	Delaware
	Jim Trenz	5/9/1972	Bucknell
12	Bob Hamel	4/30/1954	Hobart
	Gary Martin	4/21/1982	Drexel
	Gary Martin	4/28/1982	Loyola
11	Ken Edwards	5/18/1968	Delaware
	Bob Schoeflin	4/16/1969	Franklin & Marshall
	Jim Trenz	5/11/1971	Bucknell

### SAVES

40	Jim Houck	4/13/1957	Navy
34	Joe Guterding	4/10/1982	Hofstra
30	John Divine	4/20/1977	Delaware
29	Dave Wilkinson	5/16/1959	Rutgers
	Rich Caravella	5/7/1976	Penn
	Tom Florence	3/30/1983	UMBC
28	Phil Bennediti	4/14/1951	Navy
27	J.J. Pearl	3/17/1990	Villanova
	E.G. Rall	5/4/1985	C.W. Post
	Joe Guterding	4/10/1982	Hofstra

## SEASON RECORDS

### GOALS

49	Bill Hess	1957
48	Erik Merkel	1995
	Will Driscoll	2002
<b>44</b>	<b>TJ Sanders</b>	<b>2013</b>
42	Jim Trenz	1972
	Gary Martin	1982
41	Bill Hess	1956
	Ted Peddy	1990
	Jack Forster	2013
40	Scot McKeon	1987
38	Rich Russo	1983
	Will Driscoll	2001
<b>25</b>	<b>Shane Sturgis</b>	<b>2014</b>

### ASSISTS

44	Gary Martin	1982
	Jeff Connor	1988
42	John Meisel	1962
40	Gary Martin	1981
	Gary Martin	1983
	Jeff Connor	1987
38	John Hollerbach	1989
36	Ken Edwards	1968
35	Bob Schoeflin	1969
32	Gary Martin	1984

### POINTS

86	Gary Martin	42g, 44a	1982
70	Tim Trenz	42g, 28a	1972
69	Bill Hess	49g, 20a	1957
62	Bill Hess	41g, 21a	1956
61	Erik Merkel	48g, 13a	1995
60	John Hollerbach	22g, 38a	1989
59	Ken Edwards	23g, 36a	1968
58	Jeff Connor	14g, 44a	1988
57	Gary Martin	17g, 40a	1983
	Jack Forster	41g, 16a	2013
56	Greg Jackson	34g, 22a	1995
<b>39</b>	<b>Shane Sturgis</b>	<b>25g, 14a</b>	<b>2014</b>

**Bold** denotes current student-athlete

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## GOALKEEPER RECORDS

### SEASON SAVES

264	Jim Houck	1957
237	Rich Caravella	1975
235	Burt Houseworth	1958
212	Drew Adams	2009
210	Jim McGoune	1967
205	J.J. Pearl	1992
194	Vin Tedesco	1963
	Joe Guterding	1981
	<b>Austin Kaut</b>	<b>2013</b>
193	Don Bell	1995
	Chip Robertson	1987

SEASON SAVE PERCENTAGE	GA	Saves	Year
.752	Joe Guterding	64	194
.718	Rich Caravella	93	237
.674	Rich Caravella	73	151
.668	Joe Guterding	95	191
.652	Drew Adams	113	212
.637	J.J. Pearl	117	205
.635	J.J. Pearl	108	188
<b>.635</b>	<b>Austin Kaut</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>191</b>
.631	E.G. Rall	107	183
.630	Chris Garrity	52	90

### CAREER SAVES

694	Drew Adams	2006-09
<b>653</b>	<b>Austin Kaut</b>	<b>2011-present</b>
571	Joe Guterding	1979-82
564	Kevin Keenan	1996-99
557	J.J. Pearl	1989-92
530	Vin Tedesco	1962-64
510	Rich Caravella	1972-73, 75-76
444	Chris Garrity	2000-03
425	E.G. Rall	1983-86
363	Jim McGoune	1967-69
360	Chip Robertson	1985-88

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## CAREER SCORING RECORDS

### GOALS

127	Will Driscoll	1999-2002
104	Greg Jackson	1994-97
	Jack Forster	2008-13
102	Ted Peddy	1988-91
101	Nate Whitaker	2002-06
	Matthew Mackrides	2009-12
97	Jim Laverty	1988-91
96	Gary Alex	1974-77
	Gary Martin	1981-84
95	John Chescavage	1995-99
94	John Hollerbach	1986-89
93	Bill Hess	1956-58

<b>89</b>	<b>Shane Sturgis</b>	<b>2011-present</b>
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### ASSISTS

156	Gary Martin	1981-84
102	Keith McGuire	1974-77
87	Jeff Connor	1984, 87-88
82	John Hollerbach	1986-89
80	Karl Hurtzig	1973-76
77	Greg Jackson	1994-97
74	John Meisel	1962-64
67	Chris Lehman	1990-93
64	Luke Oglesby	2000-03
59	Pete Makover	1990-92, 94
<b>58</b>	<b>Shane Sturgis</b>	<b>2011-present</b>

### POINTS

252	Gary Martin	96g, 156a	1981-84
181	Greg Jackson	104g, 77a	1994-97
176	John Hollerbach	94g, 82a	1986-89
156	Will Driscoll	127g, 29a	1999-2002
154	Keith McGuire	52g, 102a	1974-77
148	Jack Forster	104g, 44a	2008-13
<b>147</b>	<b>Shane Sturgis</b>	<b>89g, 58a</b>	<b>2011-pres.</b>
144	Matthew Mackrides	101g, 43a	2009-12
143	Chris Lehman	76g, 67a	1990-93
141	Nate Whitaker	101g, 40a	2002-06
138	Jim Laverty	97g, 41a	1988-91
134	Bill Hess	93g, 41a	1956-58
131	Tom Lion	81g, 50a	1981-84



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## CAREER MISCELLANEOUS RECORDS

<b>FACEOFF PERCENTAGE *</b>		<b>W-Att.</b>	<b>Years</b>
.650	Chris Marcus	395-606	1990-93
.630	Dave O'Donnell	400-633	1993-96
.580	Greg Gurenlian	508-875	2003-06
.580	Bill Schoonmaker	352-601	1982-85
.540	Kevin Haggerty	350-647	1998-2001
.537	Danny Henneghan	510-949	2010-13
.520	Scott Bailor	279-534	1989-92

\* Minimum 500 attempts

<b>FACEOFF WINS</b>		<b>Years</b>
510	Danny Henneghan	2010-13
508	Greg Gurenlian	2003-06
400	Dave O'Donnell	1993-96
395	Chris Marcus	1990-93
352	Bill Schoonmaker	1982-85
350	Kevin Haggerty	1998-2001
279	Scott Bailor	1989-92
271	Tim Conway	1986-89

<b>GROUND BALLS</b>		
440	Chris Marcus	1990-93
347	Bill Schoonmaker	1982-86
336	Chris Dent	1985-88
305	Greg Gurenlian	2003-06
292	Scott Bailor	1989-92
368	Tim Conway	1986-89
259	Bill Turri	1979-82
258	Mike Busza	1992-95
236	Rob Bateman	2001-03
226	Danny Henneghan	2010-13
201	Tom Lion	1981-84
186	Dave O'Donnell	1993-96
182	Kevin Haggerty	1998-2001
175	Gary Martin	1981-84
<b>163</b>	<b>Steven Bogert</b>	<b>2011-present</b>

<b>CAUSED TURNOVERS</b>		
<b>44</b>	<b>Steven Bogert</b>	<b>2011-present</b>
<b>34</b>	<b>Tyler Travis</b>	<b>2010-present</b>
<b>31</b>	<b>Jack Donnelly</b>	<b>2012-present</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>Kessler Brown</b>	<b>2011-present</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>JP Burnside</b>	<b>2012-present</b>
25	Ryan Link	2009-12

**Bold** denotes current student-athlete

## TEAM RECORDS

<b>WINS</b>		
12	2013	
<b>LOSSES</b>		
11	2010	
<b>CONSECUTIVE WINS</b>		
11	4/20/91-4/11/92	
<b>CONSECUTIVE WINS IN A SEASON</b>		
10	3/16/13-5/1/13	
<b>CONSECUTIVE HOME WINS</b>		
10	4/18/90-4/11/92; 4/2/94-4/15/95	
<b>CONSECUTIVE ROAD WINS</b>		
14	2/26/12-3/10/14	
<b>CONSECUTIVE LOSSES</b>		
13	5/15/43-5/26/45	
<b>CONSECUTIVE LOSSES IN A SEASON</b>		
6	1944, 2/20-3/20/2010	
<b>MOST GAMES PLAYED IN A SEASON</b>		
17	2013	
<b>MOST OVERTIME GAMES PLAYED IN A SEASON</b>		
4	2009 (2-2)	
<b>MOST SHUTOUTS IN A SEASON</b>		
2	1951	
<b>MOST GOALS SCORED IN A GAME</b>		
26	at Lafayette (26-5)	4/21/76
<b>FEWEST GOALS SCORED IN A GAME</b>		
0	19 times, last at Maryland (17-0)	4/12/67
<b>MOST GOALS ALLOWED IN A GAME</b>		
29	vs. Navy (29-3)	4/11/59
<b>FEWEST GOALS SCORED IN A GAME</b>		
0	11 times, last vs. Colgate (7-0)	4/15/67
<b>MOST GOALS SCORED IN A SEASON</b>		
221	15 games (10-5)	1987
<b>MOST GOALS ALLOWED IN A SEASON</b>		
166	11 games (2-9)	1979
<b>FEWEST GOALS ALLOWED IN A SEASON</b>		
50	9 games (6-3)	1948
<b>LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY</b>		
21	at Lafayette (26-5)	4/21/76
	vs. Kutztown (25-4)	4/8/90
<b>LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT</b>		
26	vs. Navy (29-3)	4/11/59
<b>HIGHEST SCORING AVERAGE IN A SEASON</b>		
16.2	146 goals in 9 games	1976
<b>LOWEST SCORING AVERAGE IN A SEASON</b>		
4.3	43 goals in 10 games	1960
<b>HIGHEST OPPONENT SCORING AVERAGE IN A SEASON</b>		
14.8	133 goals in 9 games	1954
<b>LOWEST OPPONENT SCORING AVERAGE IN A SEASON</b>		
4.7	52 goals in 11 games	1947