

GAME 1

Villanova Men's Lacrosse VILLANOVA at PENN STATE FEBRUARY 10, 2024 - 12:00 PM

VILLANOVA WILDCATS (0-0, 0-0 BIG EAST)

2024 SCHEDULE

No.	Name	Cl.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School/Previous)	DATE	OPPONENT	TIME/RESULT
0	Eddie Jones	Fr.	Midfield	6'3	Newtown Square, Pa./Episcopal Academy	2.10	at No. 4 Penn State	12:00 PM
1	Aiden Haggerty	Fr.	Midfield	5'9	Manhasset, N.Y./Manhasset	2.17	at Yale	3:30 PM
2	Spencer Day	Fr.	Goalie	6'2	Boulder, Colo./Regis Jesuit	2.24	Colgate	12:00 PM
3	Tucker Goodelle *	Sr.	Midfield	6'0	Moorestown, N.C./Lake Norman	3.2	at Lehigh	11:00 AM
4	David Link	So.	Attack	5'11	Morristown, N.J./Delbarton	3.5	at Drexel	5:00 PM
5	David Evanchick	So.	Defense	5'10	Darien, Conn./Darien	3.9	Penn	1:00 PM
6	Lucas Kopecky	Sr.	Mid/FO	6'3	Rocky Hill, N.J./Montgomery	3.16	Monmouth	12:00 PM
7	Nick Lucchesi	Fr.	Midfield	6'0	Villanova, Pa./Radnor	3.19	at Navy	7:00 PM
8	Matthew Swirbalus	Fr.	Midfield	5'9	Westwood, Mass./ St. Sebastian's	3.25	at Brown	3:00 PM
9	Stephen Zupacich	5th.	Defense	6'2	Yonkers, N.Y./ Fordham Prep/Ohio State	3.30	Denver (*)	12:00 PM
10	Matt Licata	Sr.	Attack	5'9	Sandown, N.H./Timberlane	4.6	at Providence (*)	12:00 PM
11	Luke Williams	So.	Midfield	6'4	Hillsborough, Calif./St. Ignatius College Prep	4.13	at St. John's (*)	1:00 PM
12	Aidan Ahearn	Jr.	Defemse	6'3	Amherst, N.H./Bishop Guertin	4.20	at Marquette (*)	1:00 PM
13	Anthony Wilson	So.	Goalie	6'3	Finkburg, Md./McDonogh	4.26	Georgetown	7:00 PM
14	Lucas Newton	So.	Attack	6'0	Corona del Mar, Calif./Corona del Mar	5.2-4	BIG EAST Tournament	
15	Reilly Dugan	Jr.	Midfield	6'2	Malvern, Pa./Episcopal Academy			
16	Michael Tracanna	Sr.	Defense	6'2	Westford, Mass./Phillips Academy Andover			
17	Reid Colwell *	Sr.	Defense	6'1	Westfield, N.J./Westfield			
18	Garrett FitzSimons	5th.	Goalie	6'0	Garden City, N.Y./Chaminade/Bates College			
19	Jack Shoemaker	So.	Defense	6'1	Los Angeles, Calif./Loyola			
20	Tucker Milhous	Jr.	Attack	5'6	Villanova, Pa./Malvern Prep			
21	Stevie Jones *	5th.	Midfield	5'9	Reston, Va./South Lakes			
22	Justin Coppola	5th.	FO/Mid	5'5	Garden City, N.Y./Garden City			
23	Will Wheeler	Sr.	Midfield	6'2	Mercer Island, Wash./Mercer Island			
24	Sam Parkinson	5th.	Midfield	5'11	San Francisco, Calif./St. Ignatius College Prep			
25	Jake Melchionni	Fr.	LSM	6'1	Bernardsville, N.J./Delbarton			
26	Tyler Boes	Jr.	Midfield	6'1	Marblehead, Mass./Holderness School			
27	Jack Cerza	Sr.	Midfield	5'11	Essex Fells, N.J./Delbarton			
28	Colin Michener	So.	Attack	6'3	Plymouth Meeting, Pa./ Penn Charter			
29	Mason Reale	5th.	Midfield	5'10	Westport, Conn./Fairfield Prep			
30	Dan Martin	Jr.	Attack	6'2	Wall Township, N.J./Christian Brothers Academy			
31	Keith Carra	Sr.	Defense	6'2	Newtown Square, Pa./Malvern Prep			
32	Mack Prybylski	Jr.	Midfield	6'1	Westfield, N.J./Westfield			
33	Tripp Robinson	Jr.	Defense	5'11	Summit, N.J./Delbarton			
34	George Glomb	Fr.	FO/Mid	6'0	Wyndmoor, Pa./Penn Charter			
35	Ryan Cunningham	Fr.	FO/Mid	5'10	Avondale, Pa./Salesianum			
36	James Beeghly	So.	Midfield	6'5	Richmond, Va./The Collegiate School			
37	Scot Mackie	So.	FO/Mid	6'0	Larchmont, N.Y./Iona Prep			
41	Matthew Waterhouse	So.	Midfield	6'1	Manor, N.Y./Briarcliff			
42	Quinton Cepiel	Fr.	Midfield	5'11	Concord, N.H./Deerfield Academy			
43	Beau Kemler	Fr.	Defense	5'11	Fair Haven, N.J./Rumson Fair Haven Regional			
44	Luke Raymond	Jr.	Attack	5'11	Crownsville, Md./Gonzaga College HS			
46	Jack Gormley	Fr.	Defense	6'0	West Chester, Pa./Salesianum			
55	Jack Neill	Sr.	Midfield	5'7	Atlanta, Ga./Salisbury School			
66	Thomas McIntire	5th	Attack	6'0	Mattapoisett, Mass./Salisbury School/Holy Cross			
77	Tate Seeman	So.	Defense	6'3	Weston, Mass./Deerfield Prep			
88	Ben Baroni	So.	LSM	6'2	Portsmouth, N.H./The Governor's Academy			

All times are listed in Eastern Time.

Bold Home games at Villanova Stadium

* Regular season BIG EAST game

The BIG EAST Tournament will be held at Villanova Stadium

TOP STATISTICAL LEADERS 2023 SEASON

Goals	Ground Balls
40 - Patrick Daly *	124 - Justin Coppola
37 - Matt Campbell *	50 - Chet Comizio *
24 - Austin Fraser *	34 - Patrick Daly *
24 - Matt Licata	Reid Colwell
Assists	Caused Turnovers
25 - Matt Campbell *	21 - Reid Colwell
18 - Austin Fraser *	17 - Tripp Robinson
15 - Matt Licata	15 - Brody Laporte *
10 - Luke Raymond	14 - David Evanchick
Points	Saves
62 - Matt Campbell *	151 - Will Vitton *
48 - Patrick Daly *	2 - Justin Clark *
42 - Austin Fraser *	
39 - Matt Licata	
Face Off Wins	Goals Against Average
184 - Justin Coppola	10.82 - Will Vitton *
15 - Scot Mackie	13.24 - Justin Clark *

*denotes 2023 graduate

* detonates team captain

Head Coach: Mike Corrado (Villanova '87), 18th Season
 Associate Head Coach: Simon Connor (Villanova '04), 18th Season
 Assistant Coach: Chris Miller (Wesley '05), Seventh Season
 Volunteer Assistant Coach: John "Woody" Derham (Villanova '88), 18th Season
 Volunteer Director of Operations: Brian Coughlin (Villanova '12), 10th Season
 Athletic Trainer: Lenny Currier; Assistant AD/Sports Medicine
 Strength & Conditioning: Sean Doherty; Sports Performance Coach

PRESEASON OUTLOOK

Villanova loses many key pieces from a season ago and will have familiar faces stepping into new roles looking to make an impact right away.

Reid Colwell was named to the All-BIG EAST Preseason Team and a Preseason All-American Honorable Mention by USA Lacrosse, Inside Lacrosse, and USILA Lacrosse

The 'Cats return four fifth year players in Justin Coppola, Stevie Jones, Sam Parkinson and Mason Reale. The team also gains three graduate transfers Garrett FitzSimons (Bates College), Thomas McIntire (Holy Cross) and Stephen Zupicich (Ohio State).

2023 RECAP

It was a highly successful 2023 for the Wildcats, as head coach Mike Corrado led VU to 10 wins and a BIG EAST Tournament appearance.

Villanova's most recent campaign saw Matt Campbell take home BIG EAST Midfielder of the Year and six Wildcats earned BIG EAST Honors

Justin Coppola became the programs all time leader in face off wins and ground balls.

BIG EAST COACHES POLL

SCHOOL	VOTES	2023 RECORD
1. Georgetown (5)	25	13-4
2. Denver (1)	21	10-5
3. Marquette	16	6-8
4. Villanova	14	10-5
5. Providence	9	6-9
6. St. John's	5	0-14