



University of Iowa Volleyball

vs. Iowa State - Sept. 11, 7 p.m.
vs. Northern Colorado - Sept 12, Noon
vs. Drake - Sept. 12, 7 p.m.

Week Three

Sept. 8, 2009

University of Iowa Hawkeyes

6-0

VS.



Iowa State
Cyclones
5-1

Northern Colorado
Bears
5-3

Drake
Bulldogs
6-2

September 11, 7 p.m.
Hawkeye Challenge
Iowa City, IA

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HAWKEYE CHALLENGE AWAITS

The Iowa Hawkeyes return home this weekend to host the Hawkeye Challenge at Carver-Hawkeye Arena. Iowa will face Iowa State at 7 p.m. Friday and Northern Colorado at Noon and Drake at 7 p.m. Saturday.

Head Coach Sharon Dingman: "Preparation will be the key to our success. If we approach this week of practice with the discipline and effort it will take to win this weekend, then we will give ourselves a chance to continue having success."

HAWKEYES ONLINE

Fans can follow Hawkeye volleyball on hawkeyesports.com, where live audio and video and live stats will be available for all three weekend matches. Play-by-play voice of the Hawkeyes Mike Haberle will call the action live from Carver-Hawkeye Arena. Visit the Iowa volleyball schedule page for links to live video and stats.

FOLLOW THE TEAM WITH IOWA'S VOLLEYBLOG

Iowa volleyball fans will be able to follow along with senior **Megan Schipper**, junior **Aimee Huffman**, sophomore **Mallory Husz** and freshman **Emma Krieger Kittle** as they blog about the season. All four student-athletes will discuss things like upcoming matches, road trips and what it's like being a student-athlete at the University of Iowa. Visit the volleyball home page to check out Iowa's own VOLLEYBLOG.

HISTORICAL HAWKEYES

The Hawkeyes opened the 2009 campaign with six straight wins to become just the third Iowa team to open the volleyball season 6-0 (1978, 1988). No team in program history has started the season 7-0.

MEISTER EARNS BIG TEN HONORS

Junior libero **Christina Meister** was named Big Ten Defensive Player of the Week after her performance at last week's Green Bay Classic. Meister tied a school-record with 36 digs vs. Central Michigan to become the first Hawkeye to earn a Big Ten weekly honor since 2006 when her sister, Melanie Meister, took home the award on offense. Meister leads the Big Ten with an average of 5.19 digs per set.

2009 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
8/28-29	at Loyola Invitational (Chicago, IL)	
8/28	at Loyola-Chicago	W, 3-0
8/29	vs. Marquette	W, 3-1
	vs. Eastern Kentucky	W, 3-0
9/4-5	at Green Bay Country Inn and Suites Classic (Green Bay, WI)	
9/4	vs. South Dakota State	W, 3-1
9/5	vs. Central Michigan	W, 3-1
	at UW-Green Bay	W, 3-0
9/11-12	Hawkeye Challenge (Iowa City, IA)	
9/11	vs. Iowa State (Cy-Hawk Series)	7 p.m.
9/12	vs. Northern Colorado	12 p.m.
	vs. Drake	7 p.m.
9/18-20	at West Point Challenge (West Point, NY)	
9/18	vs. Binghamton	12 p.m.
	at Army	6 p.m.
9/20	vs. Morgan State	8 a.m.
9/23	at Wisconsin (BTN)	7 p.m.
9/26	at Minnesota	7 p.m.
10/2	at Penn State	6 p.m.
10/3	at Ohio State	6 p.m.
10/9	vs. Michigan	7 p.m.
10/11	vs. Michigan State	1 p.m.
10/16	at Indiana	6 p.m.
10/17	at Purdue	6 p.m.
10/23	vs. Northwestern	7 p.m.
10/24	vs. Illinois	7 p.m.
10/30	at Michigan State	6 p.m.
10/31	at Michigan	6 p.m.
11/6	vs. Ohio State	7 p.m.
11/7	vs. Penn State	7 p.m.
11/11	vs. Wisconsin (BTN)	7 p.m.
11/13	vs. Minnesota	7 p.m.
11/20	at Illinois	7 p.m.
11/21	at Northwestern	7 p.m.
11/27	vs. Purdue	7 p.m.
11/28	vs. Indiana	7 p.m.

all times listed are central





Hy-Vee Cy-Hawk Series

The Hy-Vee Cy-Hawk Series is in its sixth season in 2009-10. Iowa holds a 3-2 advantage in the in-state competition against Iowa State that began in 2004-05. The Hawkeyes captured the Hy-Vee Cy-Hawk Series a year ago by a 21-4 margin.

Last season, Iowa captured victories in football, women's soccer, women's cross country, men's basketball, women's basketball, wrestling, women's gymnastics (twice) and softball. The Cyclones recorded wins in volleyball and men's cross country.

Along with the series win a year ago, Iowa captured the inaugural Hy-Vee Cy-Hawk Series (13-8) in 2004-05 and won again in 2006-07 (13-8). Iowa State won the competition in 2005-06 (13-8) and 2007-08 (18-9).

The 13-event series awards two points (except football, which is worth three) to the winning school in each head-to-head match-up between the two institutions. Additionally, two points are awarded to an institution if the graduation rate of its student-athletes is greater than the national average as reported each fall by the NCAA. Women's tennis has been added to the competition for the first time in 2009-10.

A commemorative Hy-Vee Cy-Hawk Series Cup, which stands 31 inches tall and weighs 19 pounds, is displayed on the winning team's campus for an entire year after a victory. Replica cups are also presented as "traveling trophies" for individual victorious teams in the head-to-head competition.

This season's sixth annual Hy-Vee Cy-Hawk Series schedule is listed below. All events are worth two points, except football, which is worth three points:

Date	Event	Site/Result
9/11	Volleyball	Iowa City
9/12	Football	Ames
9/18	Women's Soccer	Iowa City
11/14	M. Cross Country	Springfield, MO
11/14	W. Cross Country	Springfield, MO
12/6	Wrestling	Ames
12/10	Women's Basketball	Ames
12/11	Men's Basketball	Ames
12/11	Women's Swim. & Diving	Ames
2/21	Women's Gymnastics	Iowa City
2/21	Women's Tennis	Iowa City
3/5	Women's Gymnastics	Ames
3/31	Softball	Ames

Academic Opportunities

Two points for an institution if the student-athlete graduation rate for all student-athletes is greater than the national average for all student-athletes, according to the annual graduation rate report issued each September/October by the NCAA.

CY-HAWK OPENER

Friday's contest with Iowa State will kickoff the 2009-10 Cy-Hawk Series. Since its inaugural year in 2004-05, the winner of the first series event has gone on to win the overall series three times. Iowa State has won all three volleyball meetings since the conception of the Cy-Hawk Series.

HAWKEYE HONORS

Junior setter **Mara Hilgenberg** was named MVP of the Country Inn and Suites Classic last weekend. The Lake Forest, IL, native set a career-high with 47 assists vs. South Dakota State en route to Iowa's tournament championship. Junior outside hitter **Aimee Huffman** and senior libero **Christina Meister** also earned all-tournament honors. Huffman added 34 kills and 26 digs in the Classic, while Meister collected 75 digs, including a career-high 36 in Iowa's win over Central Michigan, tying an Iowa record.

Huffman was named MVP of the Loyola Invitational in Iowa's weekend opener, Aug. 28-29. The Poth, TX native totaled 29 kills, 19 digs, 10 blocks and seven assists in the three-game tournament sweep. Junior **Becky Walters** earned all-tournament accolades after a dominating weekend at the net and service line. Walters matched a career high with seven blocks vs. Eastern Kentucky and served a career-best four aces vs. Marquette.

DEFENSIVE CHARGE

Iowa has remained undefeated through six matches due in large part to its defense. The Hawkeyes rank number one in the conference in digs, averaging 18.2 per game. The senior duo of **Christina Meister** and **Megan Schipper** have led the defensive efforts. Meister's 5.8 digs/game lead the Big Ten, while Schipper's 3.7 average ranks eighth.

BIG TEN LEADERS

Three Hawkeyes sit atop the conference in five individual match categories. Junior setter **Mara Hilgenberg** leads the Big Ten in three-set assists (45) and four-set assists (t-47). Senior **Christina Meister** leads the conference in three-set digs (t-19) and four-set digs (36), while **Megan Schipper** leads the Big Ten in match service aces (7 vs. South Dakota State).

SCHIPPER ACROSS THE BOARD

Senior **Megan Schipper** is the only Big Ten player to rank among the top 10 in points (4th, 4.55/game), kills (8th, 3.62/game), service aces (4th, 0.52/game) and digs (8th, 3.71/game). The Hawkeye captain served a career-best seven aces in Iowa's 3-1 win over South Dakota State.



2009 Big Ten Standings

	Conf.	Overall
1. Iowa	0-0	6-0
Michigan State	0-0	6-0
Penn State	0-0	6-0
Michigan	0-0	5-0
5. Minnesota	0-0	6-1
Ohio State	0-0	6-1
7. Illinois	0-0	3-1
8. Indiana	0-0	5-2
9. Purdue	0-0	4-2
10. Wisconsin	0-0	3-3
Northwestern	0-0	3-3

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Iowa on the Web

Updated statistics, rosters, game notes, schedules and more can be found at the University of Iowa Athletic Department's website. The address is:

hawkeyesports.com

Media Information

PRACTICE ATTENDANCE - All practices are open to the media, and interviews may be conducted 15 minutes prior to or at the completion of practice. However, media must inform Chris Brewer of their intention to attend practice. The Hawkeyes practice daily from 3:30-6:30 p.m. at Carver-Hawkeye Arena.

PLAYER INTERVIEWS - All player interviews are coordinated through Chris Brewer of the Iowa Sports Information Office. Please contact Chris (319-335-9267) so that he may set a time for an interview which does not interfere with the student-athlete's academic or practice schedules.

IOWA STATE (game one)

The Cyclones are members of the Big 12 and led by fourth-year Head Coach Christy Johnson-Lynch and junior OH Victoria Henson, who earned all-tournament honors at the Diet Coke Classic last week in Minneapolis. Iowa leads the all-time series, 21-19. The Cyclones have won the last four meetings, including last year's 3-0 win at Ames. Iowa last beat the Cyclones, 3-0, in 1997.

NORTHERN COLORADO (game two)

The Bears are members of the Big Sky Conference and led by Head Coach Lyndsey Benson and senior MB Taylor Smith, who earned conference POTW honors after leading UNC to a 3-1 start at the North Texas Mean Green Volleyball Classic. The Hawkeyes lead the all-time series, 1-0, having defeated the Bears, 3-1, in 2007.

DRAKE (game three)

The Bulldogs are members of the Missouri Valley Conference and led by second-year Head Coach Phil McDaniel and junior libero Alana Wittenburg, MVP of last week's Hampton Inn Drake Invitational. Iowa leads the all-time series, 21-11-1, and has won the last four meetings.

HAWKEYE CAPTAINS

Senior outside hitter **Megan Schipper** and junior setter **Mara Hilgenberg** are Iowa's team captains for the 2009 season. In 2008, Schipper ranked among the team leaders in kills, service aces, digs and total blocks. Hilgenberg is the Hawkeyes' top returner in assists and is a third generation Hawkeye captain. Her great-uncle Wally and her uncle Jim were football team captains in 1963 and 1977, respectively.

SECOND GENERATION

Mara Hilgenberg's father Jay and **Emma Krieger Kittle's** father Bruce played football together at Iowa from 1977-1980. Jay was a four-time letterwinner and went on to win Super Bowl XX with the 1985 Chicago Bears. Bruce used a redshirt in 1980 and came back as a team captain for Hayden Fry's 1981 Big Ten Championship team.

HAWKEYE SCHEDULE

Iowa opened the season with two three-game road trips and will continue to pound the pavement with a three-game road tilt following this weekend's Hawkeye Challenge. To kick off 2009, the Hawkeyes play 11 of their first 14 matches away from home. Eleven of Iowa's 32 contests are against 2008 NCAA Tournament qualifiers. They include Iowa State, Minnesota (2), Penn State (2), Michigan (2), Purdue (2) and Illinois (2).

Bump, Set, BLOCK!

The Iowa defense dominated the net in the opening weekend at the Loyola Invitational. The Hawkeyes outblocked their opponents 35-16 in the season's first tournament competition. Three Hawkeyes recorded double-digit block totals in the tournament, with MB **Becky Walters** leading the way with 15. Senior OH **Megan Schipper** and junior OH **Aimee Huffman** recorded 10 blocks each and junior MB **Katie Kennedy** came off the bench to contribute eight blocks.



Head Coach Sharon Dingman



Sharon Dingman was hired as the eighth coach in Iowa volleyball history March 21, 2008.

The second-year head Hawkeye owns a career record of 356-230 (18 years) after leading Iowa to its most successful campaign in eight seasons in 2008. The Hawkeyes' 14 overall victories and six conference wins were the most by an Iowa Volleyball team

since 2000.

Dingman also reached a personal milestone in her inaugural Hawkeye season, recording career victory No. 350 November 14 in a five-set victory over Northwestern.

Iowa re-established a home-court advantage in Dingman's first season, posting its first winning season at North Carver since 1998 and setting a program attendance record.

Dingman came to Iowa after serving as head coach at Illinois State from 2000-07, where she compiled a 147-98 record. In 2007, Dingman led the Redbirds to their first at-large berth into the NCAA Tournament since 1997. Illinois State reached the championship match of the Missouri Valley Conference Tournament and finished with a 21-12 overall record.

Illinois State produced winning seasons in seven of the eight seasons under Dingman and never finished lower than fifth in the Missouri Valley Conference. Dingman produced 21 all-Missouri Valley Conference selections, including Player of the Year, Libero of the Year and two Freshman of the Year honorees.

Redbird teams under Dingman were also strong in the classroom. Eleven players were named to the league's scholar-athlete squad in her eight seasons. In 2004, four volleyball student-athletes earned perfect 4.00 grade-point-averages and the team recorded a 3.32 GPA.

Dingman started her head coaching career in 1991 at Auburn, where she led the Tigers to a 22-13 record in her only season at the helm. Her 1991 squad became the first Auburn volleyball team to receive votes in the national poll and Auburn's fourth place finish in the SEC that season marked the highest finish ever for Auburn at the time.

She then moved to Butler in 1992, where she served as head coach for eight seasons. Dingman led the Bulldogs to four 20 win seasons and three postseason tournaments, including an appearance in the NCAA Tournament in 1997 after capturing the Midwestern Collegiate Conference title. She was named MCC Coach of the Year in 1997 after compiling a 28-7 record.

Prior to becoming a head coach, Dingman spent seven seasons as an assistant coach at three Division I programs. After one season at Northern Michigan (1984), she assisted at Texas Tech for three seasons (1985-87). Dingman then spent three seasons at Kentucky (1988-90) and helped the Wildcats to an SEC Championship in 1988 along with three-straight regional finals appearances in the NCAA Tournament.

ESKEW OUT

Junior outside hitter **Megan Eskew** sustained a torn ACL during summer workouts and will miss the 2009 campaign. Eskew earned academic all-Big Ten honors in 2008 and was named MVP of the 2007 Hawkeye-Holiday Inn Challenge as a freshman.

AMONG THE NATION'S BEST

The Big Ten is widely recognized as one of the nation's premier conferences. Penn State returns as the conference champion, winner of the last two NCAA Championships and ranked atop the 2009 AVCA Coaches Poll. Other Big Ten schools ranked in the top 25 include Michigan (7), Minnesota (9), Illinois (14) and Michigan State (18).

- The Big Ten led the nation in attendance in 2008 and has been the national leader on six occasions in the last 12 years, including three of the past five seasons.
- The Big Ten has sent three or more teams to NCAA regionals on 14 occasions, including each of the past seven years.
- Big Ten volleyball players have been named all-America by the AVCA over 100 times since 1984.
- The Big Ten accumulated 10 or more wins in each of the last six NCAA Championships.
- Big Ten teams have combined to reach the NCAA semifinals on 15 occasions.
- The Big Ten owns a .616 overall record in NCAA competition and has posted a record of .500 or better in each of the past 18 NCAA tournaments.

BIG IN '08

Iowa volleyball made significant strides and put together the most successful campaign in recent memory in 2008, including:

- six conference wins, most since 2000 (11)
- 14 overall wins, most since 2000 (15)
- seven-match win streak (fourth-longest streak in school history)
- won 15-consecutive sets, longest since 1990 (22)
- winning record at North Carver (7-6), first time since '98
- set school-record for average attendance (1,146)
- recorded five of the ten largest crowds in program history
- Dingman recorded career win No. 350 vs. N'western (11/14)
- snapped 18-match conference road losing streak
- snapped 39-match losing streak to Ohio State (3-1)
- snapped 26-match losing streak to Wisconsin (3-0)

IOWA ON THE BTN

The 2009 Hawkeyes will make two appearances on the Big Ten Network this season. Iowa will open the Big Ten season at Wisconsin Wednesday, Sept. 23. The contest will be aired live at 7 p.m. CT. The rematch between the Hawkeyes and Badgers, Wednesday, Nov. 11, will be broadcast live from Carver-Hawkeye Arena at 7 p.m. CT. Both matches will be broadcast in high-definition.



Iowa's Record When...

Three-Set Match:.....	3-0
Four-Set Match:.....	3-0
Five-Set Match:.....	0-0
Iowa Wins First Set:.....	4-0
Opponent Wins First Set:	2-0
Iowa Wins Second Set:	5-0
Opponent Wins Second Set:.....	1-0
Iowa Wins Third Set:.....	6-0
Opponent Wins Third Set:.....	0-0
Iowa Wins Fourth Set:	3-0
Opponent Wins Fourth Set:.....	0-0
Iowa To Eight First in Fifth Set: ..	0-0
Opponent To Eight First in Fifth Set: ..	0-0
At Home:	0-0
On the Road:	2-0
At Neutral Site:	4-0
Day Match:	2-0
Night Match:.....	4-0
vs. Ranked Opponents:.....	0-0
Iowa Has More Kills:.....	5-0
Opponent Has More Kills:	1-0
Iowa Has Higher Hitting %:	6-0
Opponent Has Higher Hitting %:.....	0-0
Iowa Has More Assists:.....	5-0
Opponent Has More Assists:	1-0
Equal Number of Assists:.....	0-0
Iowa Has More Aces:.....	5-0
Opponent Has More Aces:	1-0
Equal Number of Aces:.....	0-0
Iowa Has More Digs:.....	6-0
Opponent Has More Digs:	0-0
Iowa Has More Blocks:	3-0
Opponent Has More Blocks:.....	0-0
Wearing White/Black Uniforms:.....	2-0
Wearing Black/Gold Uniforms:..	4-0
In Eastern Time Zone:.....	0-0
In Central Time Zone:	6-0
In Mountain Time Zone:.....	0-0
On Big Ten Network:.....	0-0
In Iowa:.....	0-0
In Indiana:.....	0-0
In Illinois:	3-0
In Minnesota:	0-0
In Michigan:.....	0-0
In New York	0-0
In Ohio:.....	0-0
In Pennsylvania:	0-0
In Wisconsin:	3-0
On Wednesday:	0-0
On Friday:	1-0
On Saturday:.....	2-0
On Sunday:	0-0

2009 Hawkeye Roster

No.	Name	Ht.	Cl.	Pos.	Hometown/Previous School
2	Emma Krieger Kittle	5-11	Fr.	OH	Iowa City, IA/West HS
3	Mallory Husz	6-0	So.	MB	Council Bluffs, IA/Lewis Central HS
4	Christina Meister	5-9	Sr.	S/DS	West Des Moines, IA/Valley HS
5	Lauren Friedman	6-0	Fr.	MB	Waterloo, IA/Columbus HS
6	Paige Stevens	6-1	So.	S	Naperville, IL/Neuqua Valley HS
7	Katie Kennedy	6-1	Jr.	MB	Iowa City, IA/City HS
10	Becky Walters*	6-3	Jr.	MB	Parkersburg, IA/Aplington-Parkersburg
11	Samantha Brannigan	5-7	Jr.	DS	Palos Heights, IL/Amos Alonzo Stagg
12	Tiffany Nilges	5-11	So.	OH	Tripoli, IA/Tripoli HS
13	Aimee Huffman	6-0	Jr.	RS/S	Poth, TX/Poth HS
14	Megan Eskew	5-9	Jr.	OH	Schererville, IN/Marist HS
15	Megan Schipper	5-11	Sr.	OH	Aplington, IA/Aplington-Parkersburg
16	Signe Mueller	5-7	Jr.	DS	Iowa City, IA/City HS
21	Mara Hilgenberg	5-9	Jr.	S	Lake Forest, IL/Indiana University
22	Allison Straumann	5-11	Fr.	OH	Cary, IL/Cary Grove HS
23	Jordanne LeTourneau	5-6	Fr.	DS	McHenry, IL/Marian Central Catholic
24	Katie Wessels	5-11	Jr.	OH	Manchester, IA/West Delaware HS

* indicates redshirt

Head Coach: Sharon Dingman (second season, 20-18)

Assistant Coaches: Jason Allen and Ben Boldt

Volunteer Assistant: Curt Sivertsen

Director of Volleyball Operations: Angie Boldt

2009 Coaching Staff

Sharon Dingman is in her second season as the head Hawkeye. She is joined by second-year assistant **Jason Allen** and newcomers **Ben Boldt** and **Curt Sivertsen**.

Allen is in his second season as an assistant coach at Iowa. Allen was also promoted to the team's recruiting coordinator following the 2008 season. Allen previously served as an assistant coach and recruiting coordinator at Sam Houston State University prior to serving as the 16U head coach for the Texas Tornados club program in 2007.

Boldt is in his first season as an assistant coach at Iowa. Boldt spent the last two seasons as an assistant coach at the University of Alabama. Prior to joining Alabama, Boldt served as a staff assistant for five seasons at the University of Nebraska. In his final season, the Cornhuskers finished 33-1 en route to the 2006 NCAA Championship.

Sivertsen is in his first season at Iowa after having served the last two years as head coach of the men's and women's programs at Missouri Valley College.

Angie Boldt is in her second season as the Director of Volleyball Operations. She came to Iowa City in 2008 after serving as the Director of Volleyball Operations at Alabama for two seasons.



2009 HAWKEYE VOLLEYBALL

2 • Emma Kriegman Kittle • Fr • OH

Career High '09 Season High
7 vs UW-Green Bay, 9/5/09 .. Kills 7 vs UW-Green Bay, 9/5
.400 vs Marquette, 8/29/09 .. Attack %400 vs Marquette, 8/29
n/a..... Assists n/a
n/a..... Aces na
n/a..... Digs n/a
n/a..... Solo Blocks n/a
n/a..... Total Blocks..... n/a

3 • Mallory Husz • So • MB

Career High '09 Season High
11 vs UW-Green Bay, 9/5/09 ... Kills 11 vs UW-Green Bay, 9/5
.400 vs N'western, 9/27/08 ... Attack %333 vs Marquette, 9/29
1, three times Assists 1 vs Loyola, 9/29
n/a..... Aces n/a
3, two times Digs 3 vs UW-Green Bay, 9/5
2 vs S. Dakota St, 9/4/09 ... Solo Blocks 2 vs S. Dakota St. 9/4
3, four times Total Blocks 3 vs S. Dakota St, 9/4

4 • Christina Meister • Sr • S/DS

Career High '09 Season High
1, four times Kills n/a
n/a..... Attack % n/a
15 vs Wisconsin, 10/21/06 .. Assists 2 vs Marquette, 9/29
4 vs Minnesota, 10/20/06 Aces 2, two times
36 vs Central Michigan 9/5/09..... Digs 36 vs Central Michigan, 9/5
n/a..... Solo Blocks n/a
n/a..... Total Blocks n/a

5 • Lauren Friedman • Fr • MB

Career High '09 Season High
4 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29/09 Kills 4 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
.286 vs E. Kentucky 8/29/09 .. Attack %286 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
n/a..... Assists n/a
n/a..... Aces na
1 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29/09 Digs 1 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
n/a..... Solo Blocks n/a
2 vs E. Kentucky, 9/29/09 ... Total Blocks 2 vs E. Kentucky, 9/29

6 • Paige Stevens • So • S

Career High '09 Season High
1, two times Kills 1 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
n/a..... Attack % n/a
11 vs E. Kentucky, 9/29/09 Assists 11 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
n/a..... Aces na
2 vs E. Kentucky, 9/29/09 Digs 2 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
n/a..... Solo Blocks n/a
1 vs E. Kentucky, 9/29/09 .. Total Blocks 1 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29

7 • Katie Kennedy • Jr • MB

Career High '09 Season High
14 vs S. Dakota St, 9/4/09..... Kills 14 vs S. Dakota St, 9/4
.417 vs Marquette, 9/29/09 ... Attack %417 vs Marquette, 8/29
3 vs UT Arlington, 9/14/07 .. Assists 1 vs Central Michigan, 9/4
n/a..... Aces na
4 vs Central Michigan, 9/5/09 .. Digs 4 vs Central Michigan, 9/5
2 at Indiana, 10/31/08 Solo Blocks 1, three times
8 vs Xavier, 9/13/08 Total Blocks... 3 vs Central Michigan, 9/5

10 • Becky Walters • Jr • MB

Career High '09 Season High
19 vs UT Arlington, 9/14/07 Kills 9 vs Marquette, 8/29
.600 at N. Colorado, 9/1/07 .. Attack %500 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/28
2, three times Assists 1 vs Marquette, 8/29
4 vs Marquette, 8/29/09 Aces 4 vs Marquette, 8/29
6 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/29/09 .. Digs 6 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/29
2, four times Solo Blocks 2 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
7, two times Total Blocks..... 7 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29

11 • Samantha Brannigan • Jr • DS

Career High '09 Season High
1 vs UW-Green Bay, 9/5/09 .. Kills 1 vs Green Bay, 9/5
n/a..... Attack % n/a
1, two times Assists 1, two times
3, S. Dakota St, 9/4/09 Aces 3, S. Dakota St, 9/4
10 vs S. Dakota St, 9/4/09..... Digs 10 vs S. Dakota St, 9/4
n/a..... Solo Blocks n/a
n/a..... Total Blocks n/a

12 • Tiffany Nilges • So • OH

Career High '09 Season High
6 vs E. Kentucky 8/29/09 Kills 6 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
.167 vs E. Kentucky 8/29/09 . Attack %167 vs E. Kentucky 8/29
2 vs Loyola-Chicago, 9/29/09 .. Assists 2 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/29
n/a..... Aces na
3 vs E. Kentucky 8/29/09 Digs 3 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
n/a..... Solo Blocks n/a
3 vs E. Kentucky 8/29/09... Total Blocks 3 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29

13 • Aimee Huffman • Jr • RS/S

Career High '09 Season High
20 vs N'Western, 9/27/08..... Kills 13 vs Green Bay, 9/5
.625 vs Tulsa 9/20/08 Attack %500 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/29
40 at N. Colorado, 9/1/07 Assists 4 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
4, two times Aces na
14 vs LSU, 9/8/07 Digs 9, three times
1, three times Solo Blocks 1, two times
9 vs Illinois, 10/12/07 Total Blocks... 4 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/29

15 • Megan Schipper • Sr • OH

Career High '09 Season High
20 vs Tennessee, 9/5/08 Kills 16 vs Central Michigan, 9/5
.545 vs Tulsa, 9/20/08 Attack %250 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
4, vs DePaul, 9/20/08 Assists 1, three times
7 vs S. Dakota St, 9/4/09..... Aces 7 vs S. Dakota St, 9/4
18, three times Digs 18, three times
4 vs Marquette, 8/29/09 .. Solo Blocks 4 vs Marquette, 8/29
7 at Ohio State, 10/26/08 ... Total Blocks 4 vs Marquette, 8/29

16 • Signe Mueller • Jr • DS

Career High '09 Season High
1, two times Kills n/a
n/a..... Attack % n/a
1, three times Assists 1 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/29
1 vs Marquette, 8/26/07 Aces na
17 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/29/09... Digs 17 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/29
n/a..... Solo Blocks n/a
n/a..... Total Blocks n/a



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21 • Mara Hilgenberg • Jr • S

Career High	'09 Season High
2, four times	Kills 2, four times
1.000 vs E. Kentucky 8/29/09	Attack % ... 1.000 vs E. Kentucky, 8/29
47 vs. S. Dakota St 9/4/09	Assists 47 vs S. Dakota St, 9/4
3 vs Wisconsin, 9/26/08	Aces 2 vs Loyola-Chicago, 8/29
11, two times	Digs 11, two times
1 vs Marquette, 8/29/09	Solo Blocks 1 vs Marquette, 8/29
3, two times	Total Blocks 3, two times

22 • Allison Straumann • Fr • OH

Career High	'09 Season High
n/a	Kills n/a
n/a	Attack % n/a
n/a	Assists n/a
n/a	Aces na
n/a	Digs n/a
n/a	Solo Blocks n/a

23 • Jordanne LeTourneau • Fr • DS

Career High	'09 Season High
n/a	Kills n/a
n/a	Attack % n/a
n/a	Assists n/a
n/a	Aces na
n/a	Digs n/a
n/a	Solo Blocks n/a
n/a	Total Blocks n/a

24 • Katie Wessels • Jr • OH

Career High	'09 Season High
11 vs Purdue, 9/22/07	Kills n/a
.269 vs Purdue, 9/22/07	Attack % n/a
1 vs Purdue, 9/22/07	Assists n/a
2 vs Purdue, 9/22/07	Aces 1 vs Central Michigan, 9/5
7 vs Central Michigan 9/5/09	Digs 7 vs Central Michigan, 9/5
n/a	Solo Blocks n/a

HAWKEYE/OPPONENT SEASON HIGHS

IOWA HAWKEYES.....	Category	Opponent
53 vs Marquette, South Dakota State	Kills	Central Michigan, 53
156 vs Central Michigan	Attacks	Central Michigan, 172
.259 vs Eastern Kentucky	Hitting %	Green Bay, .211
49 vs Green Bay	Assists	Central Michigan, 49
84 vs Central Michigan	Digs	Central Michigan 76
10 vs South Dakota State	Services Aces.....	Central Michigan, 10
14 vs Eastern Kentucky	Blocks	Marquette, 9

INDIVIDUAL SEASON BESTS

IOWA HAWKEYES.....	Category	Opponent
16, Schipper vs Central Michigan	Kills	Bielski, Marquette, 17
56, Schipper vs Central Michigan	Attacks	Bielski, Marquette, 47
.500, Walters/Huffman vs. Loyola-Chicago	Hitting %	Gitter, Green Bay, .526
47, Hilgenberg vs South Dakota State	Assists	Budde, Central Michigan, 44
36, Meister vs Central Michigan	Digs	Lonneman, Central Michigan, 30
7, Schipper vs South Dakota State	Services Aces.....	Detweiler, Central Michigan, 3
7, Walters vs Loyola-Chicago	Blocks	Gonyo, Marquette, 4.5



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IOWA Combined Team Statistics (as of Sep 05, 2009)
All matches

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	6-0	0-0	2-0	4-0
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	6-0	0-0	2-0	4-0

##	Player	sp	Attack				Set		Serve			re	Dig		Blocking					points		
			k	k/s	e	ta	pct	a	a/s	sa	se		sa/s	dig	dig/s	bs	ba	total	blk/s		be	bhe
15	SCHIPPER, Megan	21	76	3.62	33	250	.172	3	0.14	11	5	0.52	2	78	3.71	5	7	12	0.57	0	1	-
13	HUFFMAN, Aimee	21	63	3.00	16	160	.294	13	0.62	0	3	0.00	1	45	2.14	3	15	18	0.86	0	0	-
7	KENNEDY, Katie	17	36	2.12	13	81	.284	2	0.12	0	0	0.00	0	9	0.53	3	15	18	1.06	2	0	-
3	HUSZ, Mallory	17	34	2.00	12	80	.275	1	0.06	0	0	0.00	0	4	0.24	2	6	8	0.47	0	0	-
10	WALTERS, Becky	10	23	2.30	7	50	.320	1	0.10	7	5	0.70	0	11	1.10	4	11	15	1.50	1	0	-
2	KRIEGER KITTLE, Em	13	23	1.77	10	66	.197	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	5	0.38	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	-
12	NILGES, Tiffany	10	13	1.30	11	52	.038	3	0.30	0	0	0.00	0	6	0.60	0	4	4	0.40	1	0	-
21	HILGENBERG, Mara	21	9	0.43	5	31	.129	218	10.38	4	10	0.19	0	52	2.48	1	7	8	0.38	0	1	-
5	FRIEDMAN, Lauren	3	4	1.33	2	7	.286	0	0.00	0	2	0.00	0	1	0.33	0	2	2	0.67	0	0	-
11	BRANNIGAN, Samanth	15	1	0.07	0	1	1.000	2	0.13	6	8	0.40	3	31	2.07	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
6	STEVENS, Paige	3	1	0.33	1	3	.000	12	4.00	0	1	0.00	0	2	0.67	0	1	1	0.33	0	1	-
4	MEISTER, Christina	21	0	0.00	0	1	.000	4	0.19	5	5	0.24	6	109	5.19	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
16	MUELLER, Signe	5	0	0.00	0	0	.000	1	0.20	0	2	0.00	0	22	4.40	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
24	WESSELS, Katie	4	0	0.00	1	1	-1.000	0	0.00	1	0	0.25	0	7	1.75	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	-
	TEAM	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	IOWA	21	283	13.48	111	783	.220	260	12.38	34	41	1.62	22	382	18.19	18	68	52.0	2.48	4	4	-
	Opponents	21	230	10.95	135	800	.119	215	10.24	22	45	1.05	34	338	16.10	12	34	29.0	1.38	8	7	-

Team Statistics	IOWA	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	283	230
Errors	111	135
Total Attacks	783	800
Attack Pct	.220	.119
Kills/Set	13.5	11.0
SET		
Assists	260	215
Assists/Set	12.4	10.2
SERVE		
Aces	34	22
Errors	41	45
Aces/Set	1.6	1.0
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	22	34
Errors/Set	1.0	1.6
DEFENSE		
Digs	382	338
Digs/Set	18.2	16.1
BLOCKING		
Block Solo	18	12
Block Assist	68	34
Total Blocks	52.0	29.0
Blocks/Set	2.5	1.4
Block Errors	4	8
Ball handling errors	4	7
ATTENDANCE		
Total	0	702
Dates/Avg Per Date	0/0	2/351
Neutral site #/Avg	4/124	
Current win streak	6	-
Home win streak	0	-

Date	Opponent	Score	Score by set	Att.
Aug 28	at Loyola	W 3-0	25-9,25-19,25-19	334
Aug 29	vs Marquette	W 3-1	25-23,23-25,25-18,25-15	194
Aug 29	vs Eastern Kentucky	W 3-0	25-17,25-12,25-21	303
Sep 04	vs South Dakota State	W 3-1	20-25,25-18,25-15,25-22	0
Sep 05	vs Central Michigan	W 3-1	22-25,25-18,25-22,25-21	0
Sep 05	at Green Bay	W 3-0	26-24,25-21,25-23	368

Record in 3-set matches: 3-0
Record in 4-set matches: 3-0
Record in 5-set matches: 0-0