

# 2009 NEBRASKA SOCCER

## ► Huskers Hope to Continue Momentum Against Baylor, Oklahoma

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**Baylor vs. Nebraska**  
 Friday, Oct. 9, 2009, 4 p.m.  
 Nebraska Soccer Field, Lincoln, Neb.  
*UNL Faculty & Staff Appreciation Day*

**Oklahoma vs. Nebraska**  
 Sunday, Oct. 11, 2009, 1 p.m.  
 Nebraska Soccer Field, Lincoln, Neb.  
*Free T-Shirt Game*



Game Notes

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Week 8 - Baylor/Oklahoma

### 2009 Nebraska Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
Aug. 18	Colorado College (Exh.)	W, 2-0
Aug. 22	Northern Colorado	W, 3-0
Aug. 28	Lehigh#	L, 1-3
Aug. 30	Villanova#	T, 2-2 (2OT)
Sept. 4	Lamar	W, 7-1
Sept. 11	North Dakota\$	W, 6-1
Sept. 13	Akron\$	W, 7-1
Sept. 18	South Dakota	W, 9-0
Sept. 20	#19 Arizona State	T, 1-1 (2OT)
Sept. 25	Colorado^	L, 0-1
Sept. 27	Texas Tech^	T, 3-3 (2OT)
Oct. 2	Green Bay	W, 3-1
Oct. 4	Oklahoma State^	W, 2-0
Oct. 9	Baylor^	4 p.m.
Oct. 11	Oklahoma^	1 p.m.
Oct. 16	Texas^	7 p.m.
Oct. 18	#16 Texas A&M^	1 p.m.
Oct. 23	Kansas^	3 p.m.
Oct. 25	Missouri^	1 p.m.
Oct. 30	Iowa State^	4 p.m.
Nov. 4-8	Big 12 Championship*	TBA
Nov. 13-15	NCAA First & Second Rounds#	TBA
Nov. 20-22	NCAA Third Round#	TBA
Nov. 27-29	NCAA Quarterfinals#	TBA
Dec. 4-6	NCAA College Cup@	TBA

-All times listed are Central  
 -Home games in bold played at Nebraska Soccer Field  
 -Rankings are current NSCAA/adidas Top 25 poll  
 # - Villanova Classic at Villanova, Pa.  
 \$ - adidas Husker Classic  
 ^ - Big 12 Conference game  
 \* - Big 12 Championship at San Antonio, Texas  
 # - NCAA Tournament at campus sites  
 @ - NCAA Championship at College Station, Texas



**NEBRASKA**  
 Record: 7-2-3 (1-1-1 Big 12)



**BAYLOR**  
 Record: 5-3-3 (1-2-1 Big 12)



**OKLAHOMA**  
 Record: 6-6-1 (1-3-0 Big 12)

### Game 13

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**Date/Time:** Friday, Oct. 9, 2009, 4 p.m.  
**Location:** Lincoln, Neb. (Nebraska Soccer Field)  
**Series History vs. Baylor:** NU leads, 12-5-0  
**Live Audio:** krnu.unl.edu  
**Live Stats:** www.huskers.com  
**Promotion:** UNL Faculty & Staff Appreciation Day

### Game 14

**Oklahoma vs. Nebraska**  
**Date/Time:** Sunday, Oct. 11, 2009, 1 p.m.  
**Location:** Lincoln, Neb. (Nebraska Soccer Field)  
**Series History vs. Oklahoma:** NU leads, 11-2-0  
**Live Audio:** krnu.unl.edu  
**Live Stats:** www.huskers.com  
**Promotion:** Free T-Shirt Game

Fresh off a victory over Oklahoma State, the Nebraska soccer team looks to keep its unbeaten home streak intact (6-0-1) as the Huskers host Baylor and Oklahoma in a pair of Big 12 Conference matches this weekend at the Nebraska Soccer Field.

The Huskers (7-2-3, 1-1-1 Big 12) are looking to make a move in the league standings as they will square off against the Bears on Friday at 4 p.m., before facing the Sooners on Sunday at 1 p.m.

Nebraska has been very strong at home, posting 6-0-1 mark this season. The only non-victory was a 1-1 tie against No. 19 Arizona State on Sept. 20. Last weekend, the Huskers defeated Green Bay (3-1) and Oklahoma State (2-0) in the beginning portion of a four-game homestand that concludes this week.

Friday's game is UNL Faculty & Staff Appreciation Day as the first 100 faculty and staff members will receive free admission and a bag of Colby Ridge popcorn.

Sunday is free T-shirt day, as the NU Marketing Department will give out Husker soccer T-shirts to the first 150 fans.

Live stats (Huskers.com) and live audio (krnu.unl.edu) will be available for both games.

### **N** Husker History vs. Baylor

Nebraska leads the all-time series against Baylor, 12-5-0, including wins in 10 of the first 11 meetings. The Bears have been tougher in recent years, defeating the Huskers four times in the past six matchups and winning the last two contests in 2007 and 2008.

Nebraska entered last year's game at Baylor riding a five-game winning streak, but a goal by



**General Information**

Location.....Lincoln, Neb.  
 Population.....251,624  
 Founded.....1869  
 Enrollment.....23,573  
 Nickname.....Cornhuskers, Huskers  
 Colors.....Scarlet and Cream  
 Home Field.....Nebraska Soccer Field (3,500)  
 Conference.....Big 12  
 Athletic Director.....Tom Osborne

**2009 Season Information**

2009 Record.....7-2-3  
 2009 Big 12 Record.....1-1-1  
 Home Record.....6-0-1  
 Away Record.....1-1-2  
 Neutral Record.....0-1-0  
 2008 Regular-Season Big 12 Record.....6-4-0  
 2008 Regular-Season Big 12 Finish.....5th  
 Starters Returning/Lost.....7/4  
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost.....16/7  
 All-Americans Returning/Lost.....0/0  
 Newcomers.....8

**Coaching Information**

Coach.....John Walker  
 Alma Mater/Year.....Queen's University/1987  
 Record at NU.....232-88-20 (16th season)  
 Career Record.....Same  
 Soccer Office Phone.....(402) 472-0456  
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 Asst. Coaches.....Wally Crittenden, Michelle Demko

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**Returning Starters**

.....Anna Caniglia, Sr., D  
 .....Colleen Goetzmann, Jr., MF  
 .....Brittany Goosen, Jr., D  
 .....Carly Peetz, Sr., D  
 .....Shay Powell, Sr., F  
 .....Molly Thomas, So., F  
 .....Anna White, Jr., MF

**Newcomers**

.....Bri Badje, Fr., D  
 .....Stacy Bartels, Fr., MF  
 .....Bri Exstrom, Fr., MF  
 .....Taylor Houck, Fr., D  
 .....Jordan Jackson, Fr., F/MF  
 .....Tara Macdonald, Jr., GK  
 .....Morgan Marlborough, Fr., F  
 .....Emma Stevens, Fr., GK

Bethany Johnston in the fourth minute was all the Bears needed en route to a 1-0 victory. The Huskers had a definitive advantage in shots (24-7), but were unable to find the back of the net. Nebraska is 70-32-1 all-time against Big 12 South Division opponents.

**Scouting the Baylor Bears**

Baylor (5-3-3, 1-2-1) handed Colorado its first conference loss of the season with a 2-1 victory in Waco last weekend to gain its first Big 12 win of the season. The Bears also suffered 1-0 defeats to Texas A&M and Texas Tech, while tying Texas in a scoreless double-overtime bout after a solid 4-1-2 record in the non-conference season.

Baylor's success has been based on its defense, where the Bears have produced five shutouts and allowed just seven goals (0.64 goals per game), the best average in the Big 12 Conference. Senior goalkeeper Gianna Quintana, who assisted on Baylor's game-winning goal against the Huskers last season, ranks No. 1 in the league in save percentage (.844) and goals-against average (0.59).

Junior midfielder Lotto Smith leads the Bears in scoring with four goals, while freshman forward Hannah Gilmore has three goals and three assists to tie Smith for the team-lead with nine points each. A pair of bench players led Baylor's victory over Colorado, as the Bears got second-half goals from freshman defender Lisa Sliwnski and sophomore midfielder Christine Clark to down the Buffs.

Head coach Marci Jobson is in her second season at Baylor after leading the squad to a 5-10-3 record in 2008. The SMU graduate had previously spent three years at Northern Illinois.

**Husker History vs. Oklahoma**

Nebraska has historically dominated Oklahoma with an 11-2 advantage in the all-time series, including four straight victories. The Huskers defeated the Sooners last year in Norman, 1-0, on a game-winning header by Carly Peetz in the 71st minute.

Oklahoma's last win over Nebraska came in 2004, while its last victory in Lincoln happened in 2000 to account for the two Sooner wins in the series. The Huskers have shut out Oklahoma eight times in 13 matchups, including 1-0 battles the past three seasons.

**Scouting the Oklahoma Sooners**

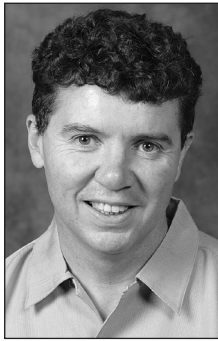
Oklahoma (6-6-1, 1-3-0) won its first four games of the season, but has lost six of its last eight, including back-to-back losses at Colorado and Texas Tech. Prior to last weekend's road setbacks, the Sooners upset No. 13 Texas A&M (3-2) in Norman on Sept. 27.

Junior forward Whitney Palmer is responsible for more than half of her team's scoring this season, as she has 12 of Oklahoma's 22 goals in 2009. Her individual total is second in the Big 12 Conference (behind NU's Morgan Marlborough), while no other Sooner has more than two goals. Palmer has five goals in the first four conference games after she was named second-team All-Big 12 in 2008.

Freshman goalkeeper Kelsey Devonshire has started all 13 games in the net and leads the league in saves (60, 4.62 per game). However, she is ninth in save percentage (.707) and has given up 1.74 goals

**2009 NEBRASKA ROSTER**

No.	Name	Yr.	Ht.	Pos.	Hometown (High School/Othe School)
0	Emma Stevens	Fr.	5-7	GK	Corona, Calif. (Santiago)
1	Tara Macdonald	Jr.	5-10	GK	Austin, Texas (James Bowie)
2	Shay Powell	Sr.	5-5	F	Dallas, Texas (Lutheran)
4	Colleen Goetzmann	Jr.	5-7	MF	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
5	Katie Goetzmann	So.	5-7	D	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
6	Blair Slapper	So.	5-8	D	Prairie Village, Kan. (Shawnee Mission East)
7	Stacy Bartels	Fr.	5-6	MF	Omaha, Neb. (Skutt)
8	Molly Thomas	So.	5-5	F	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
9	Taylor Houck	Fr.	5-4	D	Chalfont, Pa. (Germantown Academy)
10	Carly Peetz	Sr.	5-8	D	Lincoln, Neb. (Pius X)
11	Jessica Mills	Jr.	5-7	GK	Houston, Texas (Clear Lake)
12	Brittney Lanier	Sr.	5-7	F	Carrollton, Texas (Trinity Christian Academy)
13	Jamie Sanchez	So.	5-7	D	Lincoln, Neb. (Lutheran)
14	Bri Badje	Fr.	5-4	D	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
15	Morgan Marlborough	Fr.	6-0	F	Lee's Summit, Mo. (O'Hara)
16	Jordan Jackson	Fr.	5-7	F/MF	Overland Park, Kan. (Blue Valley West)
18	Bri Exstrom	Fr.	5-6	MF	Lincoln, Neb. (Southwest)
20	Anna Caniglia	Sr.	5-8	D	Omaha, Neb. (Millard North)
21	Michaela Fulmer	Jr.	5-4	F	Lee's Summit, Mo. (O'Hara)
23	Brittany Goosen	Jr.	5-7	D	Olathe, Kan. (Olathe South)
24	Julie Berkshire	Sr.	5-10	F	Omaha, Neb. (Westside)
27	Jaclyn White	Jr.	6-0	F	Long Beach, Calif. (Bishop Montgomery)
30	Alexa Cardona	So.	5-5	F	Lincoln, Neb. (Pius X)
77	Lauren Isenhower	Sr.	5-9	MF	Lenexa, Kan. (Shawnee Mission Northwest)
91	Anna White	Jr.	5-7	MF	Warrensburg, Mo. (Warrensburg)



# John Walker

- 16th Year
- 232-88-20 Record
- 14th in winning pct. for active D-I coaches
- Current Canadian National Team Staff Coach
- Only head coach in Nebraska soccer history

In his 16th year at the helm for the Huskers, Walker has produced the 14th-best career winning percentage among active Division I women's soccer coaches at .712 (225-86-17) at the start of the 2009 season. He also ranks 14th for all-time coaches and 20th among active Division I women's soccer coaches in victories with 225.

Under Walker, The Huskers have become perennial Big 12 Conference and national title contenders. NU has posted at least 10 victories every season in the history of the program. The Huskers have made NCAA Sweet 16 appearances in eight of the last 12 years, including two trips to the Elite Eight. They have won three Big 12 regular-season crowns and five Big 12 Tournament titles. NU swept both conference titles in 1996, 1999 and 2000.

### Walker in the NCAA Record Books Division I All-Time Winningest Coaches by Percentage (entering 2009)

(Minimum 10 years as a Division I head coach; includes all victories as coach at a four-year institution)

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Pct.
1. Anson Dorrance, North Carolina	30	.940*
2. Clives Charles, Portland	14	.799
3. Jillian Ellis, UCLA	12	.792*
4. Randy Waldrum, Notre Dame	19	.785*
5. Becky Burleigh, Florida	19	.774*
<b>14. John Walker, Nebraska</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>.724*</b>

\*represents an active coach

### Division I Winningest Active Coaches by Percentage (Minimum five years as a Division I head coach; includes all victories as coach at a four-year institution)

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Pct.
1. Anson Dorrance, North Carolina	30	.940
2. Bill Irwin, Portland	6	.854
3. Jillian Ellis, UCLA	12	.792
4. Randy Waldrum, Notre Dame	19	.785
5. Becky Burleigh, Florida	19	.774
<b>14. John Walker, Nebraska</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>.712</b>

### Division I Winningest Active Coaches by Victories (Minimum five years as a Division I head coach; includes all victories as coach at a four-year institution)

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Wins
1. Anson Dorrance, North Carolina	30	673
2. Len Tsantiris, Connecticut	28	463
3. Jerry Smith, Santa Clara	22	342
4. Becky Burleigh, Florida	19	330
5. Randy Waldrum, Notre Dame	19	318
<b>20. John Walker, Nebraska</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>225</b>

per game.

Head coach Nicole Nelson is in her second season with the Sooners after a 3-15-1 campaign in 2008 that included conference wins over Baylor and Iowa State. Nelson was previously an assistant coach at Baylor (2005) and Texas (2006-07) after a three-year head coaching stint Stephen F. Austin (2002-04).

### **N** Marlborough Among Nation's Best in 2009

Freshman Morgan Marlborough has only been in a Husker uniform for seven weeks, but is already making a name with one of the best starts in NU soccer history.

For the fourth straight week, the Lee's Summit, Mo., native is the NCAA leader in women's college soccer in numerous offensive categories, including goals (16), goals per game (1.333), points (36) and points per game (3.00). Marlborough had one goal in last Friday's game against Green Bay to put her in a tie for the ninth-most single-season goals in school history.

Nebraska's matchup against Oklahoma on Sunday will put two of the nation's top goal scorers head-to-head, as the Sooners' Whitney Palmer is tied for second nationally with 12 goals (also Stanford's Kelley O'Hara).

Marlborough was voted Big 12 Offensive Player and Newcomer of the Week on Sept. 15 after she turned in six goals and two assists in wins over North Dakota (Sept. 11) and Akron (Sept. 13), including four goals against the Zips to tie the single-game school record. It marked just the third time in Big 12 history that a player has earned two awards in the same week.

Aside from holding four nation-best marks, Marlborough is also the Big 12 leader in shots per game (4.83 pg), second in game-winning goals (3) and tied for seventh in assists (4). Her four-goal performance against Akron is the tied for the best single-game performance in the Big 12 Conference this season. Colorado's Nikki Marshall matched Marlborough's four-goal game in the Buffs' 5-1 win over Oklahoma last Friday.

Marlborough has scored in all but three games this season (vs. Lehigh, at Colorado, vs. Oklahoma State) and has five multiple-goal games.

### Marlborough's Season Numbers

GP	Goals	Assists	Points	Shots	Sh%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
12	16	4	36	58	.276	29	.500	3	1-1

### **N** Huskers Rank Among Best Scoring Offenses in the Nation

Entering the final month of the regular season, Nebraska is ranked No. 2 in the nation in goals (44) and goals per game (3.67). Those marks lead the Big 12 Conference by a wide margin, as Texas Tech is second with 33 goals for an average of 2.54 per contest.

The Huskers have put up 35 goals in seven home games to break the Nebraska Soccer Field season record of 26 set in both 2005 and 2006.



Freshman Morgan Marlborough came to Lincoln as Missouri's high school state record holder with 232 career goals.

## Around The Big 12

	Conference		Pts.	Overall	
	W-L-T	Pct.		W-L-T	Pct.
Colorado	4-1-0	0.800	-	7-6-0	0.538
Texas Tech	3-0-1	0.875	-	6-4-1	0.591
Texas	2-0-2	0.750	-	5-5-2	0.500
Texas A&M	2-1-1	0.625	-	7-4-1	0.625
Missouri	1-0-2	0.667	-	6-4-3	0.577
<b>Nebraska</b>	<b>1-1-1</b>	<b>0.500</b>	-	<b>7-2-3</b>	<b>0.708</b>
Baylor	1-2-1	0.375	-	5-3-3	0.591
Iowa State	1-2-0	0.333	-	6-3-4	0.615
Oklahoma	1-3-0	0.250	-	6-6-1	0.500
Oklahoma State	1-4-0	0.200	-	7-6-0	0.538
Kansas	0-3-0	0.000	-	8-4-1	0.654

### Big 12 Weekend Schedule

#### Friday, Oct. 9

Baylor at Nebraska	4 p.m.
Texas Tech at Kansas	4 p.m.
Oklahoma at Iowa State	7 p.m.
Colorado at Missouri	7 p.m.
Texas A&M at Oklahoma State	7 p.m.
Loyola-Chicago at Texas	7 p.m.

#### Sunday, Oct. 11

Oklahoma at Nebraska	1 p.m.
Baylor at Iowa State	1 p.m.
Colorado at Kansas	1 p.m.
Texas Tech at Missouri	1 p.m.
Texas at Oklahoma State	1 p.m.
Loyola-Chicago at Texas A&M (FCS)	4 p.m.

### Big 12 Leaders (All Games)

Shots	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Nebraska	12	280	23.33
2. Missouri	13	268	20.62
3. Texas A&M	12	259	21.58

Goals	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Nebraska	12	44	3.67
2. Texas Tech	13	33	2.54
3. Missouri	13	32	2.46

Points	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Nebraska	12	125	10.42
2. Texas Tech	13	90	6.92
3. Missouri	13	88	6.77

Assists	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Nebraska	12	37	3.08
2. Texas Tech	12	28	2.33
3. Kansas	13	25	1.92

Goals Allowed Average	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Baylor	11	7	0.64
2. Oklahoma State	13	11	0.85
Iowa State	13	11	0.85

Saves	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Oklahoma	13	64	4.92
2. Missouri	13	57	4.38
3. Nebraska	12	53	4.42

Shutouts	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Oklahoma State	13	7	0.54
2. Baylor	11	5	0.45
Kansas	13	5	0.38

Corners	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Texas A&M	12	79	6.58
2. Nebraska	12	78	6.50
Missouri	13	78	6.00

On Sept. 27, NU scored three goals in the first half at Texas Tech to mark the most first-half goals in a Big 12 game by the Huskers since Oct. 30, 2005 (also at Texas Tech). Nebraska's nine goals in a 9-0 victory over South Dakota on Sept. 18 is the best single-game total in the Big 12 this season.

### Nebraska Powell Coming on Strong in Conference Play

Nebraska's leading goal scorer the past two seasons looks to have found her offensive rhythm again, as senior Shay Powell has scored in the Huskers' last two Big 12 games.

Powell produced just one goal in Nebraska's first nine contests, but has increased her offensive production to reach the double-digit point plateau on three goals and four assists (10 points). She had one of the biggest goals of the season last Sunday against Oklahoma State, as she knocked in the game-winner in the 10th minute.

Powell was the Huskers' leading scorer in 2007 (11 points) and 2008 (19 points).

### Nebraska Thomas Continues to Score, Surpasses Freshman Totals

Sophomore Molly Thomas turned in a career-best two-goal, two-assist game in Nebraska's 9-0 win against South Dakota on Sept. 18. Those numbers upped her season totals to six goals and three assists (15 points) to surpass her season numbers from 2008, when she finished the year with five goals and one assist. Thomas is tied for fifth in the Big 12 Conference in points.

### Nebraska Peetz, Caniglia Head Down Final Stretch

Senior defenders Carly Peetz and Anna Caniglia are bidding to end their collegiate careers having started every single game as a Husker. Now in their fourth seasons, the duo had each started all 71 games from 2006 to 2009. The seniors are primary reasons NU has held opponents to 1.17 goals per game, including a big shutout over Oklahoma State last Sunday.

Perhaps even more impressive has been the offensive production. Peetz has a career-high eight points this season, including one of the biggest goals of her career against the Cowgirls, as Peetz headed in a free kick from Caniglia to wrap up Nebraska's 2-0 victory. Caniglia and sophomore teammate Blair Slapper are tied for fifth in the Big 12 with five assists each, but Caniglia has the highest total among defenders.

### Nebraska Freshmen See Playing Time in First Year with Huskers

Freshman Jordan Jackson has played in all 12 games this season, scoring three goals on 25 shots, while also tallying one assist. Freshman Bri Exstrom saw her first game action of the 2009 season against South Dakota on Sept. 18 and made the most of her opportunity by notching a goal in the 82nd minute. The freshman class scored five goals in the 9-0 win over the Coyotes and have 20 as a unit (Marlborough-16, Jackson-3, Exstrom-1).

Nebraska has high hopes for its freshman class, which includes goalkeeper Emma Stevens, forward/midfielder Stacy Bartels, defender/midfielder Taylor Houck and defender Bri Badje.

### Nebraska Review: Huskers Knock Off Defending Big 12 Champs, 2-0

Nebraska used one of its most complete-game efforts of the season to earn its first Big 12 victory with a 2-0 win over Oklahoma State on Oct. 4 at the Nebraska Soccer Field.

Shay Powell put the Huskers on the scoreboard quickly, when her shot from 10 yards away hit the crossbar and bounced over the line to put Nebraska on top, 1-0, at the 10:24 mark of the first half. Nebraska held OSU to two shots in the first half and a 1-0 lead into halftime that it would not relinquish behind a strong effort in the net from goalkeeper Jessica Mills. The Houston, Texas native played one of the best games of her career to keep a talented Cowgirl squad scoreless for just the third time this season.

The NU defense aided Mills' effort by holding OSU to eight total shots, and was responsible for the Huskers' second goal of the afternoon as Carly Peetz and Anna Caniglia teamed up to ensure Nebraska would go home with its first Big 12 win of the season.

Just two minutes after Mills' diving save, Caniglia took a free kick from 30 yards out near the Husker bench, which Peetz headed into the top-right corner of the net to give Nebraska an important insurance goal en route to its sixth home victory of the year and third shutout in 2009.

### Nebraska Up Next: Huskers Take on the Lonestar State

Nebraska will see another pair of Big 12 South opponents next weekend, as the Huskers travel to Texas on Friday, Oct. 16 (7 p.m.) and then host Texas A&M on Sunday, Oct. 18 at the Nebraska Soccer Field (1 p.m.). The Huskers upset No. 8 Texas last year in Lincoln, 1-0, but lost to No. 7 Texas A&M, 2-0, in College Station.

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Morgan Marlborough

**2009 National Leaders**  
Individual

Goals	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Morgan Marlborough, Nebraska	12	16	1.333
2. Kelley O'Hara, Stanford	11	12	1.091
Whitney Palmer, Oklahoma	13	12	0.923

Points	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Morgan Marlborough, Nebraska	12	36	3.00
2. Kelley O'Hara, Stanford	11	30	2.73
Christen Press, Stanford	11	30	2.73

Assists	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Christen Press, Stanford	11	10	0.91
2. Natalie Santana, Southeast L	10	9	0.90
3. Teresa Rynier, James Madison	12	10	0.83

Goals-Against Average	Games	GA	GAA
1. Mollie Patton, South Carolina	12	2	0.168
2. Alyssa Whitehead, Samford	10	2	0.195
3. Katherine Boone, Dayton	12	3	0.261

Team Scoring Offense	Games	No.	Avg.
1. Louisiana Tech	14	49	3.50
2. Nebraska	12	44	3.67
3. Florida State	11	42	3.82

**2009 Nebraska Leaders**

Shots	No.	Pct.
1. Morgan Marlborough	58	.276
2. Molly Thomas	47	.128
3. Anna Caniglia	27	.037

Shots on Goal	No.	Pct.
1. Morgan Marlborough	29	.500
2. Molly Thomas	16	.340
3. Jordan Jackson	11	.440

Goals	No.
1. Morgan Marlborough	16
2. Molly Thomas	6
3. Colleen Goetzmann	4

Points	No.
1. Morgan Marlborough	36
2. Molly Thomas	15
3. Shay Powell	10

Assists	No.
1. Anna Caniglia	5
Blair Slapper	5
2. Lauren Isenhower	4
Morgan Marlborough	4
Shay Powell	4

Saves	No.
1. Tara Macdonald	41
2. Jessica Mills	11

Goals Allowed Average	GA	Avg.
1. Jessica Mills	4	0.91
2. Tara Macdonald	9	1.10

**Rankings**

**NSCAA/adidas Top 25 (Oct. 6)**

- Stanford
- North Carolina
- UCLA
- Portland
- Florida State
- Boston College
- South Carolina
- Notre Dame
- Purdue
- Rutgers
- Wake Forest
- Virginia Tech
- LSU
- Florida
- Santa Clara
- Central Florida
- Texas A&M**
- Georgia
- Maryland
- Arizona State*
- California
- St. John's
- USC
- Connecticut
- Ohio State

**Soccer America (Oct. 5)**

- Stanford
- Portland
- North Carolina
- UCLA
- Florida State
- Virginia Tech
- Boston College
- South Carolina
- Notre Dame
- Michigan State
- St. Johnis
- Rutgers
- Connecticut
- USC
- LSU
- Georgia
- Maryland
- BYU
- California
- Wake Forest
- Purdue
- Texas A&M**
- Mississippi
- Oregon

**Soccer Times Top 25 (Oct. 6)**

- Stanford
- North Carolina
- Portland
- UCLA
- Florida State
- Boston College
- South Carolina
- Notre Dame
- Wake Forest
- LSU
- Rutgers
- Virginia Tech
- BYU
- Texas A&M**
- Santa Clara
- Georgia
- Florida
- Purdue
- USC
- Virginia
- Ohio State
- California
- Michigan State
- St. John's
- Central Florida

-**Bold** indicates Big 12 opponent

-*Italics* indicates non-conference opponent

**Opponent Outlook**

**Baylor (5-3-3, 1-2-1 Big 12)**

8/21	at Rice	T, 1-1 (2OT)
8/23	vs. Lamar	W, 3-0
8/28	vs. North Dakota State	T, 0-0 (2OT)
9/4	at McNeese State	W, 4-0
9/6	at Louisiana	W, 3-1
9/11	at North Texas	L, 1-2
9/20	at UTSA	W, 1-0 (OT)
9/25	at #10 Texas A&M	L, 0-1
9/27	vs. Texas	T, 0-0 (2OT)
10/2	at Texas Tech	L, 0-1
10/4	vs. Colorado	W, 2-1

Team Statistics	BU	OPP
Shot Statistics		
Goals-Shot attempts	15-176	7-102
Goals scored per game	1.36	0.64
Shot pct.	.085	.069
Shots on goal-Attempts	86-176	43-102
SOG pct.	.489	.422
Shots/Game	16.0	9.3
Corner Kicks	52	69
Penalty Kicks	1-1	1-1
Penalties		
Yellow cards	6	6
Red cards	0	1

**Oklahoma (6-6-1, 1-3-0 Big 12)**

8/21	vs. Missouri State	W, 3-0
8/23	vs. Sam Houston State	W, 3-0
8/28	vs. Oral Roberts	W, 2-0
8/30	vs. Tulsa	W, 3-1
9/4	at Middle Tennessee	T, 2-2 (2OT)
9/6	at Vanderbilt	L, 1-3
9/11	at LSU	L, 0-4
9/18	vs. Lamar	W, 2-0
9/20	vs. USC	L, 0-1
9/25	vs. Texas	L, 1-2
9/27	vs. #13 Texas A&M	W, 3-2
10/2	at Colorado	L, 1-5
10/4	at Texas Tech	L, 1-3

Team Statistics	OU	OPP
Shot Statistics		
Goals-Shot attempts	22-223	23-209
Goals scored per game	1.69	1.77
Shot pct.	.099	.110
Shots on goal-Attempts	113-223	87-209
SOG pct.	.507	.416
Shots/Game	17.2	16.1
Corner Kicks	50	53
Penalty Kicks	1-3	1-1
Penalties		
Yellow cards	10	9
Red cards	0	2

**2009 Nebraska Breakdown**

	W	L	T
All Games	7	2	3
Big 12	1	1	1
Home	6	0	1
Away	1	2	1
Neutral	0	1	0
Ahead at half	7	0	2
Behind at half	0	0	1
Tied at half	0	1	0
Scoring First	7	0	2
Overtime	0	0	3

## Game-by-Game Box Scores

### Nebraska 3 Northern Colorado 0

Saturday, Aug. 22, Greeley, Colo.  
Attendance: 344

**Scoring:**

NU-Marlborough, 44:44 (1-0, NU)  
NU-Thomas, 46:13 (2-0, NU)  
NU-Thomas, 73:52 (3-0, NU)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	F
Nebraska	1	2	3
Northern Colorado	0	0	0

Shots: NU 24, UNC 12  
Shots on Goal: NU 7, UNC 8  
Corner Kicks: NU 4, UNC 6  
Fouls: NU 9, UNC 11  
Saves: NU 8 (Macdonald 8), UNC 4 (Salminen)  
Cautions: None

**Notes:** The Huskers began the 2009 season on a strong note Aug. 22, defeating Northern Colorado, 3-0, at Jackson Stadium in Greeley, Colo.

It was only the third time in school history that the Huskers have opened the season on the road (4-0 win at Minnesota in 2000; 4-3 loss at Northwestern in 2008), but Nebraska (1-0-0) outshot Northern Colorado (0-1-0) and posted its first shutout since last October.

The Huskers used strong performances from two of its youngsters, as sophomore Molly Thomas recorded a pair of goals, while freshman Morgan Marlborough also scored one goal and added an assist in her Husker debut.

Marlborough accounted for the game-winning score, as she found the net on a rebound just 16 seconds before halftime. Thomas took advantage of a rebound as well, as she made it a 2-0 lead just two minutes later. Thomas added her second goal of the evening with 16 minutes remaining, receiving a pass from Marlborough for the final margin.

Marlborough is coming off a solid preseason in which she was one of Nebraska's most impressive freshmen, while Thomas is building on a strong first season in which she was named to the Big 12 All-Newcomer Team.

Junior transfer Tara Macdonald was superb in the net for NU, playing all 90 minutes at goalkeeper and stopping eight shots for her first shutout as a Husker.

The victory improved head coach John Walker's record to 9-5-2 in season openers.

### Lehigh 3 Nebraska 1

Friday, Aug. 28, Villanova, Pa.  
Attendance: 219

**Scoring:**

LEH-Hojnacki, 10:16 (1-0, LEH)  
LEH-Carlos, 54:22 (2-0, LEH)  
NU-Goetzmann, C, 66:36 (2-1, LEH)  
LEH-Pepe, 86:24 (3-1, LEH)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	F
Lehigh	1	2	3
Nebraska	0	1	1

Shots: NU 19, LEH 12  
Shots on Goal: NU 11, LEH 7  
Corner Kicks: NU 7, LEH 1  
Fouls: NU 7, LEH 12  
Saves: NU 4 (Mills, 3; Berkshire 1), LEH 10 (Mains, 10)  
Cautions: None

**Notes:** Nebraska took 11 shots on goal and junior Colleen Goetzmann tallied her first score of the season, but the Husker soccer team couldn't overcome an early deficit as Nebraska dropped a 3-1 decision to Lehigh on Aug. 28 at the Villanova Classic.

Goetzmann's goal came in the 66th-minute when she found the bottom left corner of the net on an assist from freshman Jordan Jackson. The goal cut a 2-0 Mountain Hawk lead in half, but Lehigh was able to hold off Nebraska following an insurance score with just over four minutes remaining in the game.

Nebraska took 19 shots overall, but had a tough time getting past Lehigh goalkeeper Lauren Mains, who played all 90 minutes and stopped 10 of the 11 shots Nebraska fired on goal. Senior defender Anna Caniglia had a team-high four shots for the Huskers, while freshman Morgan Marlborough led NU in shots on goal with three.

Lehigh got on the board 10 minutes into the game when Natalie Hojnacki converted from the left side of the box off a pass from Jana Basubas. Nebraska controlled the ball in the first half, as it outshot Lehigh, 9-3, but still went into the locker room trailing 1-0.

The Mountain Hawks struck quickly again in the second half, as Liz Carlos used a header on a rebound in the 54th minute to give Lehigh a 2-0 lead. Following Goetzmann's goal to make it a 2-1 contest, Lehigh's Genna Pepe put the game away with 4:36 remaining on a goal from the middle of the box.

Nebraska's 11 shots on goal were the most in a game in nearly a year, when the Huskers also had 11 in a 2-1 win over Stephen F. Austin on Sept. 21, 2008. Goetzmann's goal was the second of her career as she also scored in Nebraska's 3-1 win against Iowa State last season.

### Nebraska 2 Villanova 2

Sunday, Aug. 30, Villanova, Pa.  
Attendance: 303

**Scoring:**

VU-Carnevale, 31:30 (1-0, VU)  
NU-Marlborough, 57:10 (1-1)  
NU-Peetz, 77:45 (2-1, NU)  
VU-Ryan, 89:51 (2-2)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	OT	2OT	F
Nebraska	0	2	0	0	2
Villanova	1	1	0	0	2

Shots: NU 26, VU 25  
Shots on Goal: NU 14, VU 11  
Corner Kicks: NU 6, VU 5  
Fouls: NU 9, VU 9  
Saves: NU 9 (Macdonald, 9), VU 12 (Williams, 12)  
Cautions: None

**Notes:** Nebraska carried a one-goal lead into the final minute, but the Huskers gave up a score with nine seconds remaining in regulation as they battled to a 2-2 double overtime tie against Villanova on Aug. 30 in Villanova, Pa.

Senior defenders Carly Peetz and Anna Caniglia teamed up for what looked to be the game-winning score in the 77th minute, when Caniglia sent a free kick from the right sideline directly in front of the goalie box. Congestion ensued in front of the net, but Peetz was able to push the ball past Villanova goalkeeper Molly Williams to give the Huskers a 2-1 lead.

Villanova forward Katie Ryan then turned up the heat and took four shots in the final minutes, including one attempt in the 89th minute that slid near the post before Nebraska goalkeeper Tara Macdonald snagged the ball from crossing the goal line. Sixty-two seconds later, Ryan made good on her final opportunity when she chased down a long ball near the top of the penalty box and sent it over Macdonald's head for the game-tying score.

Neither team was able to convert in the overtime periods, as both teams had ample opportunities to score with seven shots apiece in the extra sessions, including three shots on goal.

Nebraska trailed 1-0 at halftime before notching its first goal of the game in the 57th minute on a header by freshman Morgan Marlborough. The Lee's Summit, Mo., native used a terrific pass from the corner from senior Shay Powell and headed the ball into the upper left side of the goal for her second score of the season. Nebraska outshot Villanova, 26-25, marking the most shots by the Huskers in a road game since Oct. 12, 2007 in a 4-0 shutout at Lamar (44 shots).

In the net, Macdonald registered nine saves for Nebraska, while playing all 110 minutes.

## Game-by-Game Box Scores

### Nebraska 7 Lamar 1

Friday, Sept. 4, Lincoln, Neb.  
Attendance: 478

#### Scoring:

NU-Marlborough, 7:21 (1-0, NU)  
NU-Powell, 13:38 (2-0, NU)  
LU-Maudsley, 34:30 (2-1, NU)  
NU-Isenhower, 37:52 (3-1, NU)  
NU-Isenhower, 42:11 (4-1, NU)  
NU-Marlborough, 46:35 (5-1, NU)  
NU-Goetzmann, C., 60:08 (6-1, NU)  
NU-Fulmer, 89:36 (7-1, NU)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	F
Lamar	1	0	1
Nebraska	4	3	7

Shots: NU 27, LU 6  
Shots on Goal: NU 15, LU 3  
Corner Kicks: NU 12, LU 0  
Fouls: NU 16, LU 8  
Saves: NU 2 (Mills 2, Macdonald 0), LU 8 (Gibbs, 8)  
Cautions: YC-White, NU (43:21), YC-Caniglia, NU (47:24), YC-Marlborough, NU (73:48)

**Notes:** Nebraska opened the home season in fine fashion on Friday, Sept. 4 as it ran past the Lamar Cardinals, 7-1, at the Nebraska Soccer Field. The Huskers played strong defense by limiting Lamar to just six total shots, while the offensive power came from senior Lauren Isenhower and freshman Morgan Marlborough, who each scored two goals.

The Huskers' seven goals set a Nebraska Soccer Field record and also marked the most NU has scored in a game since the 2004 NCAA Sweet 16 squad had seven against Northern Colorado.

Isenhower's scores broke the game open near the end of the first half as she found the net twice on assists from junior Michaela Fulmer within a span of five minutes to give the Huskers a 4-1 lead at the break.

The Cardinals' lone goal came at the 34:30 mark of the first half after NU jumped out to an early 2-0 lead on scores from Marlborough and senior Shay Powell in the first 14 minutes of the contest. Marlborough added her second goal just 95 seconds into the second half on a penalty kick that beat Lamar goalkeeper Jennifer Gibbs on the right side of the net and increase the Husker lead to 5-1.

The Huskers' final scores came from junior Colleen Goetzmann off a corner kick from senior Anna Caniglia, while Fulmer wrapped up the scoring by adding a goal with 24 seconds left when she scored in the box off a free kick from sophomore Blair Slapper.

Marlborough finished the game with five points as she assisted on Powell's score, while Fulmer and Isenhower turned in four-point performances. Marlborough increased her team-leading goal total to four.

The Huskers had 27 shots overall, including 15 on goal. Junior goalkeepers Tara Macdonald and Jessica Mills split time in net for NU, with Mills recording each of the Huskers' two saves.

### Nebraska 6 North Dakota 1

Friday, Sept. 11, Lincoln, Neb.  
Attendance: 496

#### Scoring:

NU-Own Goal, 2:30 (1-0, NU)  
NU-Marlborough, 26:49 (2-0, NU)  
UND-Ballon, 33:21 (2-1, NU)  
NU-Goetzmann, C, 46:55 (3-1, NU)  
NU-Jackson, 51:55 (4-1, NU)  
NU-Marlborough, 53:07 (5-1, NU)  
NU-Fulmer, 77:35 (6-1, NU)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	F
North Dakota	1	0	1
Nebraska	2	4	6

Shots: NU 25, UND 8  
Shots on Goal: NU 10, UND 5  
Corner Kicks: NU 4, UND 2  
Fouls: NU 12, UND 9  
Saves: NU 4 (Macdonald, 4), UND 4 (Sera, 4)  
Cautions: None

**Notes:** The Huskers turned in another offensive outburst Sept. 11, scoring six goals in 10 attempts on net to defeat North Dakota, 6-1, at the Nebraska Soccer Field.

Freshman Morgan Marlborough increased her team-leading goal total to six in the win, as she found the net twice to lead Nebraska to its second straight victory. The Huskers' 13 goals in the last two games are the most in a two-game span since 2000.

Nebraska put the game out of reach 10 minutes into the second half when the Huskers scored three goals in just over six minutes.

Junior Colleen Goetzmann began the outburst when she scored on an assist from Marlborough (26:49) directly in front of the North Dakota goalkeeper. Freshman Jordan Jackson then used a deflection in the goalie box to find the net (51:55), before Marlborough added her second and most impressive goal on a sliding cross shot from the left side of the penalty box (53:07).

Marlborough's first goal came from the top of the penalty box with 18 minutes remaining in the first half to give NU a 2-0 lead before North Dakota's Rhaya Ballon cut the margin in half seven minutes later. The Huskers' scoring barrage started on an own goal that deflected off a North Dakota player in front of the Fighting Sioux net just 4:24 into the game.

For the second straight game, junior Michaela Fulmer added Nebraska's last goal (77:35) to produce the final score.

The Huskers took 25 shots overall, while connecting on six of 10 shots on goal. The NU defense was strong again, limiting the Fighting Sioux to eight shots.

Juniors Tara Macdonald and Jessica Mills split time in goal for the Huskers, as Macdonald played the first 59 minutes (4 saves, 1 goal allowed) before Mills shut out the Sioux for the remainder of the game, as NU's defense held North Dakota without a shot on goal with Mills at the back.

### Nebraska 7 Akron 1

Sunday, Sept. 18, Lincoln, Neb.  
Attendance: 479

#### Scoring:

NU-Marlborough, 3:25 (1-0, NU)  
NU-Thomas, 6:30 (2-0, NU)  
NU-Marlborough, 26:00 (3-0, NU)  
NU-Peetz, 42:06 (4-0, NU)  
NU-Marlborough, 46:02 (5-0, NU)  
NU-Marlborough, 68:30 (6-0, NU)  
AU-Phillip, 74:11 (6-1, NU)  
NU-Thomas, 76:20 (7-1, NU)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	F
Akron	0	1	1
Nebraska	4	3	7

Shots: NU 30, AU 12  
Shots on Goal: NU 14, AU 5  
Corner Kicks: NU 11, AU 2  
Fouls: NU 8, AU 8  
Saves: NU 4 (Macdonald, 4), AU 7 (Smith, 6; Wolbert, 1)  
Cautions: AU-Barowski (52:16); AU-TM (65:00)

**Notes:** Freshman forward Morgan Marlborough tied the single-game school record with four goals as she led the Huskers to a 7-1 win over Akron on Sept. 13 at the Nebraska Soccer Field.

Marlborough was nearly unstoppable versus the Zips, scoring four times on six shots to match Kim Essenger (vs. Baylor; Nov. 7, 1997) and Meghan Anderson (vs. Oral Roberts; Sept. 3, 1999) for the most goals in a single game in Husker history. The Lee's Summit, Mo., native already ranks No. 6 on the Nebraska freshman all-time charts for goals and points in a season.

Marlborough struck early and often on Sunday, as she scored her first goal just 3:25 into the contest when she slipped past the Akron goalkeeper at the top of the penalty box. The freshman added her second score following a corner kick midway through the first half, before accounting for both of Nebraska's goals to begin the final 45 minutes. Seniors Shay Powell and Lauren Isenhower assisted on the second-half goals as each sent the ball to Marlborough from the corner to help the Huskers mount a commanding 6-0 lead.

Nebraska held a 4-0 halftime advantage after senior defender Carly Peetz cleaned up a loose ball in front of the net following a corner kick with 2:54 remaining.

Sophomore forward Molly Thomas had an impressive outing as well, scoring two goals on six shots. A member of the 2008 Big 12 All-Newcomer team, Thomas gave Nebraska a 2-0 lead 6 1/2 minutes into the game when she took a pass from junior Brittany Goosen and fired a shot past the Akron goalkeeper from the right side of the penalty box.

Thomas added a second score off another long assist when junior goalkeeper Jessica Mills sent a free kick to the top of the penalty box where Thomas beat the Zip goalkeeper for Nebraska's final goal of the game.

## Game-by-Game Box Scores

### Nebraska 9 South Dakota 0

Friday, Sept. 18, Lincoln, Neb.  
Attendance: 458

#### Scoring:

NU-Marlborough, 0:42 (1-0, NU)  
NU-Goetzmann, C., 20:04 (2-0, NU)  
NU-Marlborough, 49:34 (3-0, NU)  
NU-Thomas, 52:07 (4-0, NU)  
NU-Jackson, 59:44 (5-0, NU)  
NU-White, J., 62:14 (6-0, NU)  
NU-Jackson, 66:20 (7-0)  
NU-Thomas, 80:14 (8-0)  
NU-Exstrom, 81:36 (9-0)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	F
South Dakota	0	0	0
Nebraska	2	7	9

Shots: NU 35, USD 4  
Shots on Goal: NU 22, USD 1  
Corner Kicks: NU 7, USD 0  
Fouls: NU 7, USD 5  
Saves: NU 1 (Macdonald, 1), USD 13 (Ogren, 7; Truba 6)  
Cautions: None

**Notes:** Nebraska tied the school record for goals in a half as it scored seven times in the final 45 minutes to defeat South Dakota, 9-0, on Sept. 18 at the Nebraska Soccer Field. The win was the fourth in a row for the Huskers.

Nebraska upped its season goal total to 35, four more than the entire 2008 season. The Huskers entered the weekend as the nation's third-best scoring team, featuring freshman Morgan Marlborough, who added to her NCAA-leading goal total with two scores.

Marlborough was one of three Huskers with a multi-score game, as sophomore Molly Thomas and freshman Jordan Jackson also registered a pair of goals.

Thomas continued a spectacular start to her second season, adding two assists versus South Dakota to finish with six points in the contest. The Omaha, Neb., native now has 15 points (6 goals, 3 assists) to surpass her freshman total of 11. Jackson and Thomas were the driving force in the second half as they scored all their goals in Nebraska's stretch of seven scores over the final 45 minutes.

Junior Colleen Goetzmann gave Nebraska a 2-0 lead with 24:56 to go in the first half when senior Anna Caniglia contributed the first of two assists in the game to pull into a tie for the team lead with four on the season.

Nebraska used a total team-effort to spread the margin in the second half, including a goal by junior Jaclyn White on a penalty kick to give the Huskers a 6-0 lead with 27:46 remaining.

Husker freshmen scored five of Nebraska's nine goals, as Bri Exstrom made the most of her first appearance of the season, scoring with 8:24 left off Caniglia's cross into the penalty box.

South Dakota attempted just four shots, including one on goal to mark season-best totals for the Husker defense in both categories.

### Nebraska 1 Arizona State 1

Sunday, Sept. 20, Lincoln, Neb.  
Attendance: 594

#### Scoring:

NU-Marlborough, 44:44 (1-0, NU)  
ASU-McCarter, 75:54 (1-1)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	OT	2OT
Arizona State	0	1	0	0
Nebraska	1	0	0	0

Shots: ASU 21, NU 16  
Shots on Goal: ASU 5, NU 2  
Corner Kicks: ASU 10, NU 6  
Fouls: NU 15, ASU 11  
Saves: NU 4 (Macdonald, 4), ASU 1 (Silvestri, 1)  
Cautions: YC-Goetzmann, C., NU (34:11), YC-Goetzmann, K., NU (66:54), YC-Caniglia, NU (99:24); YC-McCarter, ASU (99:40)

**Notes:** Freshman Morgan Marlborough found the back of the net with 16 seconds remaining in the first half, but Nebraska was unable to hold off Arizona State as the Huskers and Sun Devils fought to a 1-1 double overtime tie at the Nebraska Soccer Field on Sept. 20.

Marlborough's NCAA-leading 13th goal of season came after she gained control near the top left side of the penalty box and beat an ASU defender to score from 15 yards away. With 13 goals and 30 points this season, the freshman has already put up the highest season totals by a Husker in both categories since 2005.

Nebraska held on to the 1-0 lead for the next 36 minutes behind solid goalkeeping by junior Tara Macdonald. The Husker goalie played all 110 minutes and did not allow a goal until 14:06 to go in the game when Arizona State's Taylor McCarter scored from nearly the same spot as Marlborough's goal in the first half. Macdonald finished the game with four saves, including three in the final 15 minutes of the first half.

Although Nebraska finished with two shots on goal, the offensive production was greater than the final stats indicate. Following a corner kick just 14 minutes into the game, junior Anna White headed a shot off the right post, before Marlborough hit the left post from 18 yards out two minutes later. Arizona State outshot Nebraska, 21-16 overall, with both teams registering three shots apiece in the overtime periods.

Aside from the goal, the Huskers' other shot on net came off the leg of junior midfielder Colleen Goetzmann with 2:42 remaining in the first half.

The tie was the second overtime game of the season for the Huskers, as Nebraska also tied Villanova, 2-2, on Aug. 30.

### Colorado 1 Nebraska 0

Friday, Sept. 25, Boulder, Colo.  
Attendance: 855

#### Scoring:

CU-Fitzpatrick, 68:10 (1-0, CU)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	F
Nebraska	0	0	0
Colorado	0	1	1

Shots: NU 21, CU 13  
Shots on Goal: CU 8, NU 5  
Corner Kicks: NU 5, CU 4  
Fouls: NU 9, CU 8  
Saves: NU 7 (Macdonald, 7), CU 5 (Linder, 5)  
Cautions: None

**Notes:** Nebraska outshot Colorado, 21-13, but the Buffaloes found some offensive punch in the second half to score the game-winning goal with 22 minutes remaining and drop the Huskers in their Big 12 Conference opener.

The Huskers were in control offensively for the majority of the first half, outshooting Colorado, 11-5. Sophomore Molly Thomas had four shots in the first 45 minutes, including one attempt in the 36th minute that hit the cross bar, but Nebraska found itself in a scoreless game at halftime for the first time this season.

Junior goalkeeper Tara Macdonald dealt with a more aggressive Buffalo offense in the second half, which took advantage of a rare scoring opportunity in the 68th minute. Macdonald was forced to come out of the goalie box to make a save, but was caught in cluster of players from both teams after she deflected the ball into the air. Colorado's Kassidy Fitzpatrick gained control of the loose ball and fired a shot into the open net for the game's only goal and eventually send Nebraska to its first loss since Aug. 28.

The Buffaloes took eight shots on goal to the Huskers' five, led by a pair from junior Colleen Goetzmann. Thomas, sophomore Blair Slapper and freshman Morgan Marlborough also registered shots on net for Nebraska, which was held scoreless for the first time this season.

Macdonald finished the game with seven saves.

## Game-by-Game Box Scores

### Nebraska 3 Texas Tech 3

Sunday, Sept. 25, Lubbock, Texas  
Attendance: 479

#### Scoring:

NU-Marlborough, 1:40 (1-0, NU)  
NU-Marlborough, 22:50 (2-0, NU)  
TTU-Mihelich, 39:57 (2-1, NU)  
NU-Powell, 41:08 (3-1, NU)  
TTU-Lytle, 45:35 (3-2, NU)  
TTU-Mihelich, 56:02 (3-3)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	OT	OT	F
Nebraska	3	0	0	0	3
Texas Tech	1	2	0	0	3

Shots: NU 18, TTU 13  
Shots on Goal: NU 8, TTU 7  
Corner Kicks: TTU 9, NU 6  
Fouls: NU 12, TTU 6  
Saves: NU 4 (Macdonald, 4), TTU 5 (Wikelius, 5)  
Cautions: NU-C. Goetzmann (59:38); NU-Peetz (74:00)

**Notes:** Nebraska jumped out to a 3-1 halftime lead, but Texas Tech scored two second-half goals as the Huskers and Red Raiders battled to a 3-3 double-overtime tie in Lubbock, Texas, the highest scoring Big 12 Conference game since Nov. 5, 2008.

Freshman Morgan Marlborough led a strong offensive attack with two goals to move into a tie for 10th all-time on the Nebraska single-season scoring charts with 15 goals this year. Marlborough's efforts helped the Huskers to a 3-1 halftime lead, but the advantage disappeared quickly after the break as the Red Raiders scored twice in the first 12 minutes of the second half to produce the final 3-3 score.

Marlborough struck early when she knocked in a 25-yard shot off the left post just 1:40 into the game, before scoring her second goal at the 22:50 mark after she cleaned up a missed header and beat Texas Tech goalkeeper Erin Wikelius.

The Red Raiders cut the lead to 2-1 with five minutes remaining in the first half on Leanne Mihelich's first of two goals in the game.

Powell responded for the Huskers just over a minute later on an open net goal after Wikelius was attempting to clear the ball out of the penalty box. The goal gave Nebraska a 3-1 halftime lead and marked the most scoring in a first half by the Huskers since Oct. 30, 2005 at Texas Tech.

Leading by two, the Huskers were unable to slow down a high-paced game as Texas Tech midfielder Taylor Lytle found the net 35 seconds into the second half before Mihelich scored her second goal of the game in the 56th minute.

After a combined six goals in the first 56 minutes of the game, the two teams went scoreless over the last 64 minutes.

The Huskers' offensive attack was slowed down with only two shots on goal in the second half after taking six in the first 45 minutes. Nebraska outshot Texas Tech overall, 18-13.

### Nebraska 3 Green Bay 1

Friday, Oct. 2, Lincoln, Neb.  
Attendance: 257

#### Scoring:

NU-Marlborough, 32:28 (1-0, NU)  
NU-Fulmer, 44:07 (2-0, NU)  
NU-Caniglia, 49:27 (3-0, NU)  
GB-Own Goal, 89:37 (3-1 NU)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	F
Green Bay	0	1	1
Nebraska	2	1	3

Shots: NU 24, GB 4  
Shots on Goal: NU 12, GB 4  
Corner Kicks: NU 8, GB 0  
Fouls: NU 13, GB 4  
Saves: GB 9 (Drusch, 5), NU 3 (Mills, 3)  
Cautions: GB-Schiro (74:09)

**Notes:** Cold temperatures and strong winds swept through the Lincoln area on Oct. 2, but that did not slow the Huskers in their final non-conference game of the season, as Nebraska defeated Green Bay, 3-1, at the Nebraska Soccer Field.

Morgan Marlborough broke a scoreless game at the 32:28 mark with her nation-leading 16th goal of the season to put herself in a tie with Christine Latham (2002) for the ninth-most single-season goals in school history.

The Lee's Summit, Mo., native took a pass from Blair Slapper near the left side of the penalty box and fired a shot past Green Bay goalkeeper Maddie Drusch on the left side of the net to give Nebraska a 1-0 lead. Marlborough's goal also helped the Huskers find some offensive rhythm that led to Michaela Fulmer's third goal of the season just before halftime for a 2-0 advantage at the intermission.

Also a native of Lee's Summit, Mo., Fulmer was able to shield off a defender in the penalty box as she received a pass from Jaclyn White and scored from 15 yards out to become the fifth Husker to reach the three-goal plateau this season.

Following the break, defender Anna Caniglia cashed in on an offensive opportunity 4 1/2 minutes into the action, as she fielded an overpass on the left side of the net and easily knocked in Nebraska's third goal of the game. Caniglia and defender Carly Peetz both tallied two shots on goal Friday night in each starting their 70th consecutive game.

Jessica Mills started in the net for the Huskers, tallying three saves and allowing one goal to improve her season goals-allowed average to 1.17 per contest.

Nebraska entered the weekend as the nation's second-highest scoring team and now has 42 this season for an average of 3.82 goals per game. The victory over the Phoenix lifted NU to a final non-conference record of 6-1-2.

### Nebraska 2 Oklahoma State 0

Sunday, Oct. 4, Lincoln, Neb.  
Attendance: 490

#### Scoring:

NU-Powell, 10:24 (1-0, NU)  
NU-Peetz, 78:54 (2-0, NU)

Scoring by Periods	1	2	F
Oklahoma State	0	0	0
Nebraska	1	1	2

Shots: NU 15, OSU 8  
Shots on Goal: NU 5, OSU 3  
Corner Kicks: NU 2, OSU 1  
Fouls: NU 11, OSU 7  
Saves: NU 3 (Mills, 3), OSU 3 (Franch, 3)  
Cautions: None

**Notes:** Nebraska used one of its most complete-game efforts of the season to earn its first Big 12 victory with a 2-0 win over Oklahoma State on Oct. 4 at the Nebraska Soccer Field.

The Huskers were a determined team in their Big 12 home opener after beginning conference play with a pair of road games, dropping a 1-0 battle at Colorado and fighting to a 3-3 tie at Texas Tech.

Shay Powell put the Huskers on the scoreboard quickly, when her shot from 10 yards away hit the crossbar and bounced over the line to put Nebraska on top, 1-0, at the 10:24 mark of the first half.

Nebraska held OSU to two shots in the first half and a 1-0 lead into halftime that it would not relinquish behind a strong effort in the net from goalkeeper Jessica Mills. The Houston, Texas native played one of the best games of her career to keep a talented Cowgirl squad scoreless for just the third time this season.

Oklahoma State nearly broke up Mills' shutout with 13 minutes remaining, but a Seira Strawser shot from 15 yards away was snagged by the Husker goalkeeper on the left side of the net for her most notable save of the game.

The NU defense aided Mills' effort by holding OSU to eight total shots, and was responsible for the Huskers' second goal of the afternoon as Carly Peetz and Anna Caniglia teamed up to ensure Nebraska would go home with its first Big 12 win of the season.

Just two minutes after Mills' diving save, Caniglia took a free kick from 30 yards out near the Husker bench, which Peetz headed into the top-right corner of the net to give Nebraska an important insurance goal en route to its sixth home victory of the year and third shutout in 2009.

**2009 Nebraska Soccer**  
**Nebraska Combined Team Statistics (as of Oct 05, 2009)**  
**All games**

<b>RECORD:</b>	<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>HOME</b>	<b>AWAY</b>	<b>NEUTRAL</b>
ALL GAMES	7-2-3	6-0-1	1-1-2	0-1
CONFERENCE	1-1-1	1-0	0-1-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	6-1-2	5-0-1	1-0-1	0-1

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
Aug 22	at Northern Colorado	W 3-0	344
Aug 28	vs Lehigh	L 1-3	219
Aug 30	at Villanova	To2 2-2	303
Sep 04	LAMAR	W 7-1	478
Sep 11	NORTH DAKOTA	W 6-1	496
Sep 13	AKRON	W 7-1	479
Sep 18	SOUTH DAKOTA	W 9-0	458
Sept 20	ARIZONA STATE	To2 1-1	594
* Sep 25	at Colorado	L 0-1	855
* Sep 27	at Texas Tech	To2 3-3	479
Oct 2	GREEN BAY	W 3-1	257
* Oct 4	OKLAHOMA STATE	W 2-0	490

	<b>NU</b>	<b>OPP</b>
<b>TEAM STATISTICS</b>		
<b>SHOT STATISTICS</b>		
Goals-Shot attempts	44-280	14-138
Goals scored per game	3.67	1.17
Shot pct.	.157	.101
Shots on goal-Attempts	125-280	67-138
SOG pct.	.446	.486
Shots/Game	23.3	11.5
CORNER KICKS	78	40
PENALTY KICKS	2-2	0-0
<b>PENALTIES</b>		
Yellow cards	8	4
Red cards	0	0
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>		
Total	3252	1981
Dates/Avg Per Date	7/465	4/495
Neutral Site #/Avg	1/219	

#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	sog	sog%	qw	pk-att
15	Marlborough, Morgan	12	16	4	36	58	.276	29	.500	3	1-1
8	Thomas, Molly	12	6	3	15	47	.128	16	.340	1	0-0
2	Powell, Shay	10	3	4	10	19	.158	8	.421	2	0-0
21	Fulmer, Michaela	8	3	3	9	11	.273	6	.545	1	0-0
4	Goetzmann, Colleen	10	4	0	8	20	.200	11	.550	0	0-0
10	Peetz, Carly	12	3	2	8	18	.167	10	.556	0	0-0
77	Isenhower, Lauren	12	2	4	8	11	.182	6	.545	0	0-0
16	Jackson, Jordan	12	3	1	7	25	.120	11	.440	0	0-0
20	Caniglia, Anna	12	1	5	7	27	.037	10	.370	0	0-0
6	Slapper, Blair	12	0	5	5	9	.000	3	.333	0	0-0
27	White, Jaclyn	9	1	2	4	3	.333	3	1.000	0	1-1
18	Exstrom, Bri	4	1	0	2	4	.250	2	.500	0	0-0
5	Goetzmann, Katie	12	0	2	2	9	.000	5	.556	0	0-0
30	Cardona, Alexa	10	0	2	2	4	.000	1	.250	0	0-0
23	Goosen, Brittany	11	0	1	1	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
11	Mills, Jessica	7	0	1	1	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
91	White, Anna	12	0	0	0	13	.000	2	.154	0	0-0
24	Berkshire, Julie	11	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
13	Sanchez, Jamie	5	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
12	Lanier, Brittny	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
1	Macdonald, Tara	9	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
<b>Total</b>		12	44	39	127	280	.157	125	.446	7	2-2
<b>Opponents</b>		12	14	13	41	138	.101	67	.486	2	0-0

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
11	Mills, Jessica	7	396:51	4	0.91	11	.733	2-1-0	1
1	Macdonald, Tara	9	735:34	9	1.10	41	.820	5-1-3	1
24	Berkshire, Julie	1	7:35	1	11.87	1	.500	0-0-0	0
<b>Total</b>		12	1140:00	14	1.11	53	.791	7-2-3	3
<b>Opponents</b>		12	1140:00	44	3.47	81	.648	2-7-3	1

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Nebraska	20	24	0	0	44
Opponents	5	9	0	0	14

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Nebraska	131	138	5	6	280
Opponents	57	68	6	7	138

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Nebraska	24	25	2	2	53
Opponents	43	35	1	2	81

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Nebraska	41	35	0	2	78
Opponents	20	16	3	1	40

Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	OT	OT2	Total
Nebraska	60	62	3	3	128
Opponents	49	41	5	3	98