MISSOURI WOMEN'S BASKETBALL
February 4, 1990

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Missouri Tigers

No.	Name	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown
4	Rhonda Moore	So.	G	5-7	Florissant, Mo.
11	Tracy Willis	Fr.	G	5-1	St. Louis, Mo.
14	Nancy Hoover	Fr.	G	5-8	Huntington, Ind.
21	Carla Yancey	Jr.	G	5-6	Athens, Ga.
22	Sharon Bax	Sr.	F	5-10	Rich Fountain, Mo.
23	Rona Jackson	Fr.	C	6-3	Fairfield, Conn.
25	Ericka Fields	So.	F/C	6-0	Renton, Wash.
30	Terri Simpson	Fr.	C	6-3	Cincinnati, Ohio
31	Lori Sandbothe	Sr.	F	6-0	Washington, Mo.
32	Marcia Brooks	Sr.	G	5-7	Milwaukee, Wis.
34	Lisa Sandbothe	Jr.	F/C	6-1	Washington, Mo.
40	Stacey Primus	Jr.	C/F	6-0	Williamsburg, Mo.
44	Lynette Linneman	Fr.	F/C	6-1	Salisbury, Mo.

Head Coach ..... Dr. Joann Rutherford
Assistant Coaches ..... Missy Bequette, Jody Runge
Theresa Kackley
Trainer ..... Sandy Rathbun
Nickname ..... Tigers
Colors ..... Old Gold and Black
Enrollment 23,434

Kansas State Lady Cats

No.	Name	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown
11	Dawn Stoehr	So.	G	5-4	Plattsmouth, Neb.
13	Rita Matteucci	Sr.	F	5-10	Albuquerque, N.M.
14	Kelly Moylan	Fr.	G	5-9	Emmett, Kan.
20	Elyse Funk	Sr.	G	5-5	Newton, Kan.
21	Mary Jo Miller	So.	G	5-5	Milroy, Minn.
22	Polly Williams	Fr.	C	6-2	Sterling Heights, Mich.
23	Arneetrice Cobb	Sr.	G/F	5-9	Gary, Ind.
30	Nadira Hazim	Jr.	G	5-7	Topeka, Kan.
32	Leah Honeycutt	Fr.	F	5-9	Chesterfield, Mo.
33	Diana Miller	Jr.	F	5-10	Hutchinson, Kan.
42	Sheila Cherry	Jr.	F	6-0	Salina, Kan.
44	Kristie Bahner	Jr.	F/C	5-11	Topeka, Kan.
45	Amy Davidson	Sr.	G	5-9	Edina, Minn.
52	Stephanie Lane	Sr.	C	6-4	Wentzville, Mo.
54	Jennifer Grebing	So.	C	6-2	Frohna, Mo.

Head Coach ..... Gaye Griffin
Assistant Coaches ..... Susan Kubala, Lynne Fitzgerald
Nickname ..... Lady Cats
Colors ..... Purple and White
Enrollment 20,110

Tonight's Game

TIGERS MEET KANSAS STATE: The Missouri Tigers, 14-6 overall and 5-2 in Big Eight play, meet the conference-leading Lady Cats of Kansas State, 15-5 overall and 7-0 in conference action, today at the Hearnes Center.

THE COACHES: Missouri's Dr. Joann Rutherford is in her 15th season with the Tigers and has a 309-143 career record. The Big Eight Conference's Coach-of-the-Decade for the 1980s, Rutherford has won 20 or more games 10 times and has gone to the NCAA tournament five of the last eight years.

Gaye Griffin is in her first season as the interim head coach at Kansas State. Griffin was in her second season as an assistant before being elevated to her present position following the resignation of Matilda Mossman on Dec. 5, 1989. Griffin currently posts a 12-3 record in her brief career as the Kansas State head coach, and is 1-0 versus the Tigers.

THE SERIES: Kansas State leads Missouri, 18-17, and broke a series deadlock earlier this season with a 66-53 victory over the Tigers in Manhattan, Kan. Last season, the teams split the two-game series with Mizzou taking the first game, 82-75, in Columbia. Kansas State then followed up with a 96-78 victory on its home court in Manhattan.

MIZZOU TIGERS TO WATCH: Junior Lisa Sandbothe continues to pace the Tigers in scoring and rebound totals. Lisa Sandbothe recorded her 15th double-figure scoring game of the season and led the team with 17 points in MU's 69-65 victory over Iowa State. She is also the Big Eight's leading shot blocker with 22 rejects on the season. Senior Marcia Brooks hit a perfect 4-4 from the free throw line against the Cyclones. She is shooting .790 from the charity stripe this season. Following the seven assists she dished out against ISU, senior Sharon Bax now leads the Tigers with 58 for the season.

KANSAS STATE LADY CATS TO WATCH: Junior Diana Miller leads Kansas State's offense, averaging 17.1 points per game overall. Junior Nadira Hazim is the Lady Cats' second leading scorer with a 15.4 overall point average. Pacing Kansas State's board game, junior Kristie Bahner is pulling down an average of 6.9 rebounds per game.

COMING UP: Following today's game, the Tigers hit the road for games against the Colorado Lady Buffs on Wed., Feb. 7, and the Nebraska Cornhuskers on Sat., Feb. 10.

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Lori Sandbothe



Senior Lori Sandbothe began the 1989-90 season with high hopes. After transferring from Moberly Junior College to finish her collegiate career her at Mizzou, she finally felt comfortable with last season's on-court adjustment from an inside post player to an outside guard. This season, with all of her skills in place, she once again would be teamed with best friend Marcia Brooks and sister Lisa Sandbothe.

It all began on a high note, too. During the Tigers' season-opener against Evansville, Sandbothe came off the bench to score a career-high 12 points and help lead MU to a 99-61 victory. Only six games later, she had worked her way into a starting role against Creighton, and it looked as if everything might go according to plan.

Unfortunately, about midway through the second half of the Creighton game, a torn medial collateral ligament dashed many of those plans and left a frustrated Sandbothe sidelined for the remainder of the Tigers' non-conference schedule.

"Until this happened, I had never really been hurt enough before to have to miss a game. It was really hard to just sit on the bench and watch knowing I couldn't even come in and contribute if they needed me," Sandbothe said.

Determined to make every minute of her senior year count, Sandbothe has returned to the court in record time following an intense rehabilitation program. Although she was back in uniform for Mizzou's first Big Eight game, her playing time has been limited. However, in only 25 minutes of playing time, she is shooting 100 percent from the free throw line, and is averaging 1.2 points per conference game. Overall, she is averaging 2.3 points and 1.5 rebounds per contest.

Although her season plans have been altered, Sandbothe said the end result remains the same. "I just really want to play and contribute to the team's success, whether it's coming off the bench or whatever. I don't want to look back on my last year and regret anything for myself or the team," Sandbothe said.

MISSOURI TIGERS (14-6, 5-2)

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KANSAS ST. LADY CATS (15-5, 7-0)

No.	Name	Scoring	PF
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1989-90 Missouri Women's Basketball Schedule

Date	Opponent	Site/Results	Record
Nov. 24-25	Kentucky Tourney	(Second)	
	Evansville	N W 99-61	1-0
	Kentucky	A L 84-102	1-1
Nov. 27	**Louisiana State**	**H L 50-56**	**1-2**
Dec. 1-2	**Mid-America Class.**	**(First)**	
Dec. 1	**Louisville**	**H W 72-61**	**2-2**
Dec. 2	**Cal State-Fullerton**	**H W 71-55**	**3-2**
Dec. 5	SW Missouri State	A L 67-71	3-3
Dec. 9	Creighton	A W 93-92	4-3
Dec. 16	**Memphis State**	**H W 89-57**	**5-3**
Dec. 19	**Loyola**	**H W 90-71**	**6-3**
Dec. 29	**Chicago State**	**H W 104-44**	**7-3**
Dec. 31	Texas Christian	A W 67-59	8-3
Jan. 2	Baylor	A W 68-56	9-3
Jan. 4	Southern Methodist	A L 72-74 (OT)	9-4
Jan. 10	**Oklahoma State**	**H W 76-70**	**10-4**
Jan. 13	**Nebraska**	**H W 67-62**	**11-4**
Jan. 17	Kansas State	A L 53-66	11-5
Jan. 20	Kansas	A L 59-82	11-6
Jan. 24	**Colorado**	**H W 64-52**	**12-6**
Jan. 27	Oklahoma	A W 79-75	13-6
Jan. 31	**Iowa State**	**H W 69-65**	**14-6**
Feb. 4	**Kansas State**	**Home (3:30 p.m.)**	
Feb. 7	Colorado	Away (8 p.m.)	
Feb. 10	Nebraska	Away (1 p.m.)	
Feb. 14	**Kansas**	**Home (7 p.m.)**	
Feb. 17	Oklahoma State	Away (1 p.m.)	
Feb. 21	Iowa State	Away (7 p.m.)	
Feb. 24	**Oklahoma**	**Home (1 p.m.)**	
March 3-5	Big Eight Postseason Tourney	Salina, Kan.	

Home Games in Boldface.
Starting times subject to change.

Statistical Leaders

Scoring	FG	FT	Pts.	Avg.
Lisa Sandbothe	110	50	270	13.5
Sharon Bax	99	57	255	12.8
Marcia Brooks	78*	79	250	12.5
Team	544*	388	1493	74.7

Rebounds	ORB	DRB	TRB	Avg.
Lisa Sandbothe	52	92	144	7.2
Sharon Bax	48	70	118	5.9
Stacey Primus	35	71	106	5.3
Team	294	465	841	42.1

Assists-- Sharon Bax 58, Carla Yancey 54, Marcia Brooks 50
Steals--Carla Yancey 43, Lisa Sandbothe 40, Sharon Bax 35
*--includes some three-point field goals