

# PURDUE BASKETBALL POSTGAME NOTES

Purdue (3-0, 0-0 Big Ten) vs. UT Martin (3-1, 0-0 Ohio Valley)  
November 20, 2011 ♦ Keady Court at Mackey Arena ♦ Attendance: 8,045  
Purdue Boilermakers 65, UT Martin Skyhawks 39

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## **GAME NOTES**

- This was the first meeting between Purdue and UT Martin in women's basketball and gives Purdue the 1-0 edge.
- Today's win is the 700<sup>th</sup> victory since the inception of the Purdue women's basketball program in 1975-76. The overall program record is 700-380.
- Courtney Moses scored the first five points for the Boilermakers, giving them a 5-0 lead to start the game. In the middle of the first half Purdue went on an 11-0 run over the course of six minutes, which helped propel the Boilermakers to a 27-15 halftime lead.
- Purdue held UT Martin to 15 first-half points. The Skyhawks made just 6 of their 26 first-half shots for 23.1 percent.
- To start the second half, the Boilermakers went on a 13-3 scoring run to push the lead to 22 points at 40-18. Purdue's largest lead of the game was the final margin of 65-39.
- The Boilermakers held the Skyhawks to 39 points, 40.7 points below their season average.
- Purdue's defense held UT Martin to just 27.8 percent (15 of 54) from the field, including 27.3 percent (6 of 22) from three-point range. It is the second time this season that the Boilermakers have limited an opponent to a field goal percentage below 28 percent.
- The Boilermakers limited UT Martin's leading scorer to just two points, 23.3 points below her average coming into the game. Newsome ended the game with eight of the Skyhawks 20 turnovers.
- Purdue outrebounded UT Martin 44-37 after recording a 26-15 rebounding margin in the first half.
- After committing 23 turnovers at Bowling Green State, Purdue had just seven miscues against UT Martin. KK Houser went from a career-high 10 turnovers on Thursday to zero turnovers, three assists and three steals against the Skyhawks.
- All 12 Boilermakers played and nine of the 12 scored.

## **TEAM HIGHS AND LOWS**

- Purdue had seven turnovers in today's contest, tying for sixth place in school history for fewest turnovers in a game.
- The Boilermakers set a season high for assists with 20 for an impressive assist to turnover ratio of 2.9, and 20 assists to Purdue's 25 made field goals.
- Purdue had three players in double-digit scoring: game leader Sam Ostarello with 13, Courtney Moses with 12 and Brittany Rayburn with 11.
- Ostarello had a season-high 13 points, just five shy of her career record. She also set a season-high for made field goals with six and assists with one.
- Guyton in her first start of the season, set season highs for rebounds (seven) and steals (two).

- Samantha Woods hit her first three-pointer of the season, which also set her season-high points total with five.
- Chelsea Jones set tied her career high for steals with three. She set a season-high for rebounds with seven and assists with three. She also tied her season high for blocked shots with two.
- KK Houser hit her first three-pointer of the season. She also tied her season-high assists with three.
- Dee Dee Williams grabbed her first two rebounds of the season and set a season-high assists total with two.