

CAROLINA FIELD HOCKEY

2020-21 GAME NOTES >> 8 NCAA Championships >> 23 Atlantic Coast Conference Championships

THE MATCHUP April 9 at 4 p.m. • Charlottesville, Va. • Turf Field • ACC Network Extra

North Carolina (13-1)

Head Coach: Karen Shelton (West Chester, 1979)
Record at North Carolina: 705-165-9 (40th season)
Career Record: Same



VS.



Virginia (6-10)

Head Coach: Michele Madison
Record at Virginia: 207-111 (15th season)
Career Record: 418-255-8 (32nd season)

FALL 2020 RESULTS

Fall: 10-1 overall, 4-1 ACC, 8-0 home, 2-1 Away



W 3-1 At Wake Forest (Non-conf.)
Sunday, Sept. 20
TV: ACCNX
Winston-Salem, N.C.



L 3-1 At Louisville
Friday, Oct. 2
TV: ACC Network
Louisville, Ky.



W 4-0 At Duke
Sunday, Oct. 4
TV: ACC Network
Durham, N.C.



W 5-1 Virginia
Sunday, Oct. 11
TV: ACC Network
Chapel Hill, N.C.



W 2-1 Virginia (Non-Conference)
Monday, Oct. 12
TV: RSN
Chapel Hill, N.C.



W 1-0 Syracuse
Friday, Oct. 16
TV: ACC Network
Chapel Hill, N.C.



W 5-4 OT Duke (Non-Conference)
Sunday, Oct. 18
TV: ACC Network
Chapel Hill, N.C.



W 5-0 Wake Forest
Friday, Oct. 30 @ 4:30 PM
TV: ACC Network
Chapel Hill, N.C.



W 4-0 Boston College
(ACC Quarterfinals)
Thursday, Nov. 5 @ 4:30 PM
TV: ACC Network
Chapel Hill, N.C.



W 4-3 OT Syracuse
(ACC Semifinals)
Friday, Nov. 6 @ 4 PM
TV: ACC Network
Chapel Hill, N.C.



W 4-2 Louisville
(ACC Championship)
Nov. 8, Noon
TV: ACC Network
Chapel Hill, N.C.

SPRING 2021 RESULTS

Spring: 3-0 overall, 3-0 ACC, 2-0 home, 1-0 Away



W 2-0 Louisville
Friday, March 5
TV: ACCNX
Chapel Hill, N.C.



W 2-0 At Wake Forest
Saturday, March 13
TV: ACCNX
Winston-Salem, N.C.



W 4-3 OT Duke
Friday, April 2
TV: ACCNX
Chapel Hill, N.C.



Virginia
Friday, April 9, 4 PM
TV: ACC Network Extra
Chapel Hill, N.C.



Syracuse
Sunday, April 18, 1 PM
TV:
Chapel Hill, N.C.



ACC Automatic Qualifier
Friday, April 23, 1 PM
TV: ACC Network
Chapel Hill, N.C.

QUICK HITS

- Senior Bryn Boylan, whose penalty stroke in double OT was the gamewinner against Duke last Friday, is the ACC Co-Offensive Player of the Week. She's the first player this year to earn both Offensive Player of the Week and Defensive Player of the Week during the season. The last to win both honors in a season was UNC's Ashley Hoffman in 2018.
- UNC closed the fall by winning the 23rd ACC Championship in program history, the team's fourth in a row.
- Coach Karen Shelton now has 705 career victories and is the winningest coach in college field hockey history.
- Nine different Tar Heel players have scored at least one goal this season, with Erin Matson accounting for 18 of the team's 46. She scored all four of UNC's goals in the first two spring games, both 2-0 wins.
- With two goals at Wake Forest on March 13, Matson moved into fourth on UNC's career goals list with a current total of 68. With 41 career assists, she's one away from moving into a tie for seventh on that list.
- With a goal and an assist against Duke, Matson moved into a tie for third in career points.
- The win over Duke on April 2 was UNC's first game in almost three weeks, following the cancellation of a March 19 match-up with Boston College due to Covid protocols within the BC program.

BY THE NUMBERS

14

» Goals that junior forward Erin Matson needs to become UNC's all-time leader in career goals.

40

» Years for Karen Shelton at the Tar Heel helm. She is now the winningest coach in NCAA field hockey history with 705 career victories.

47

» Number of consecutive wins for UNC before a loss on Oct. 2 at Louisville. The streak set ACC and school records for consecutive victories.

STATS LEADERS

Goals: Erin Matson 18, Paityn Wirth 6, Eva Smolenaars 5

Assists: Matson 8, Madison Orobono 6, Romea Riccardo 5, Abby Pitcairn 5

Points: Matson 44, Wirth 14, Smolenaars 10, Orobono 10, Sumfest 10

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Fast Facts

University of North Carolina

Location.....Chapel Hill, N.C.
 Chartered.....1789
 Undergraduate Enrollment.....19,117
 Chancellor.....Kevin Guskiewicz
 Director of Athletics.....Bubba Cunningham
 Faculty Athletic Representative.....Lissa Broome
 Senior Woman Administrator.....Marielle vanGelder
 Affiliation.....NCAA Division I
 Conference.....Atlantic Coast Conference
 Nickname.....Tar Heels
 School colors.....Carolina blue and white
 Athletic department phone.....(919) 962-6000
 Athletic department website.....GoHeels.com

Carolina Field Hockey

Head Coach.....Karen Shelton (40th season at UNC)
 Career Record.....705-165-9
 Record at UNC.....Same
 Associate Head Coach.....Grant Fulton (16th season at UNC)
 Assistant Coach.....Robbert Schenk (2nd season at UNC)
 Performance Analyst.....Chris Fry
 Team Captains.....Courtne Williamson (captain)
Amanda Hendry (vice captain)
Erin Matson (vice captain)

Program History

National Championships.....8
 1989, 1995, 1996, 1997, 2007, 2009, 2018, 2019
 ACC Tournament Championships.....23
 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1993, 1994, 1995,
 1996, 1997, 2004, 2007, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020

Team Information

2020 record.....13-1 (4-1 ACC fall, 3-0 ACC spring)
 2020 ACC Tournament.....Champion
 (Beat Boston College 4-0 in quarterfinals; Beat Syracuse 4-3 OT in
 semifinals; Beat Louisville 4-2 in championship)
 Letterwinners returning/lost.....15/9
 Starters returning/lost.....6/5

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Noting the Tar Heels

Tar Heels vs. Cavaliers

- UNC won both Tar Heel-Cavalier fall match-ups, played on back-to-back days in October. On Oct. 11 in the designated conference game, UNC won 5-1 on a rainy Sunday afternoon. Paityn Wirth scored twice and the Tar Heels got single goals from Erin Matson, Eva Smolenaars and Hannah Griggs. On Oct. 12 in a nonconference game, UNC’s Smolenaars scored in the fourth minute of play and the Tar Heels led 1-0 until a Virginia goal by Anneloes Knol at the end of third quarter. UNC’s Meredith Sholder scored the gamewinner in the 52nd minute, assisted by Erin Matson.
- The last time the teams met in Charlottesville was Sept. 27, 2019, in a top-five matchup. The No. 1 Tar Heels beat fifth-ranked Virginia 5-0.
- Virginia’s last win in the series came in the 2016 ACC Tournament, when the Cavaliers won 4-2 in the championship game, played in Winston-Salem, N.C.
- UNC leads the overall series 57-17.

ACC’s Best

The Atlantic Coast Conference has long been hailed as a power in women’s athletics, with member schools excelling in a range of sports. Amongst that excellence, two members of the Carolina field hockey program stand out.

As the ACC Network recognized top female athletes and coaches on March 15 in celebration of Women’s History Month, it named UNC coach Karen Shelton the top female coach in ACC history and ranked junior Erin Matson 10th on its list of the top 10 female athletes in ACC history.

Matson was one of three Tar Heels on the list, along with women’s soccer standouts Mia Hamm (No. 1) and Kristine Lilly (No. 7).

Last fall, Shelton, now in her 40th season at UNC, became the winningest coach in the history of collegiate field hockey. She now has a total of 704 wins, all as the coach at Carolina, and has led the Tar Heels to eight NCAA Championships and 23 ACC crowns.

Matson, a junior forward from Chadds Ford, Pa., already ranks among the program’s leaders in goals (fourth all-time), assists (eighth) and points (also fourth). In 2020 she became the first sophomore ever to win the Mary Garber Award as the ACC’s female athlete of the year (recognizing the 2019 season). She also won the Honda Award as the field hockey player of the year after leading the Tar Heels to a second-consecutive undefeated season and the 2019 NCAA title.

Shelton, Matson and the Tar Heels are ranked No. 1 in the nation this spring as they seek a third straight title, this one on their home turf. The delayed 2020 NCAA Championship, set to be played in May in Chapel Hill, will take place at a facility that stands as a testament to the phenomenal success the ACC Network honored on Monday.

The facility’s name? Karen Shelton Stadium.

Two Tar Heels Honored As Scholars of Distinction

Senior Mimi Leonard went four-for-four for her career and freshman Dorrit Eisenbeis notched her first honor as the National Field Hockey Coaches Association (NFHCA) announced its Scholars of Distinction in late March.

The honor recognizes student-athletes who have a cumulative GPA of 3.9 or better through the fall semester of the 2020-21 academic year.

Leonard, a midfielder from Trumbull, Conn., is in her second year at UNC after two years at Saint Louis University. She is majoring in business administration and will graduate from Carolina in May. She was honored as a Scholar of Distinction in all four years of college.

Eisenbeis, a forward from Cary, N.C., is in her first year on the squad. Both players were part of UNC’s 2020 ACC Championship in the fall. The NCAA season is ongoing this spring with the Tar Heels 12-1 overall. Their next game is on April 2 against Duke at Karen Shelton Stadium.

- Fifteen Tar Heels were named to the National Academic Squad in recognition of a cumulative GPA of 3.3 or better. They are: Brooke Behan, Katie Dixon, Dorrit Eisenbeis, Julia Herrington, Mimi Leonard, Mia Leonhardt, Erin Matson, Madison Orobono, Abby Pitcairn, Ciana Riccardo, Meredith Sholder, Eva Smolenaars, Cassie Sumfest, Kiersten Thomassey and Paityn Wirth.

- Additionally, the Tar Heels were honored with a NFHCA National Academic Team Award for having a team GPA of 3.0 or better in the fall semester. All 79 DI programs earned the honor.

ACC, National Honors for Hendry

Senior goalkeeper Amanda Hendry was the Atlantic Coast Conference and National Defensive Player of the Week following the Tar Heels’ win over Louisville in the spring opener. A senior from Wilton, Conn., Hendry made eight

At the Tar Heel Helm

Now in her 40th season as coach of the Tar Heels, UNC's Karen Shelton sports a career record of 705-165-9.



- With the ACC semifinals victory on Nov. 6, 2020, she became the all-time wins leader in NCAA field hockey, passing UConn's Nancy Stevens, who retired during the offseason with a total of 700 career wins.

- Shelton has coached UNC to eight NCAA titles: 1989, 1995, 1996, 1997, 2007, 2009, 2018 and 2019.

- Shelton has led the Tar Heels to 23 ACC Championships, more than any other program in the conference.

- The head coach at Carolina since 1981, she has led the Tar Heels to winning records in all but two years: 1981 (8-9-1) and 2002 (9-11).

- Shelton is a five-time National Coach of the Year (most recently in 2009) and a 10-time ACC Coach of the Year (most recently in 2018). The past two seasons, the Tar Heel staff has been honored by the NFHCA as the nation's best. (The staff award replaced the award for head coaches.)

- A longtime member of the U.S. National Team, she helped the squad to a bronze medal at the 1984 Olympic Games in Los Angeles. That remains the best U.S. women's field hockey finish in Olympic competition.

- Shelton is a member of the U.S. Field Hockey Association Hall of Fame, the National Field Hockey Coaches Association Hall of Fame, the North Carolina Sports Hall of Fame, the West Chester Athletics Hall of Fame and the Chester County Sports Hall of Fame.

Noting Milestone Wins:

- First game as a head coach: Lost 2-1 at Duke on 9/22/81
- First win as a head coach: Beat High Point 2-0 at home on 9/24/81
- 100th win: UNC beat New Hampshire 4-0 in Boston on 9/17/88
- 200th win: UNC beat Penn State 2-1 in penalty strokes in Piscataway, N.J. on 11/20/93 (NCAA semifinals)
- 300th win: UNC beat Wake Forest 3-1 at home on 10/27/98
- 400th win: UNC won 3-1 at William & Mary on 9/3/05
- 500th win: UNC beat Radford 5-0 at home on 10/31/10
- 600th win: UNC won 5-1 at VCU on 10/18/15
- 700th win: UNC beat BC 4-0 at home on 11/5/20

Noting the Tar Heels

saves in the win over the Cardinals.

The honor was the third of 2020-21 for Hendry, who also earned All-ACC Tournament honors in the fall. The shutout was the fifth of the season for the Tar Heels, with Hendry earning the win in each one.

Hendry leads the ACC in goals against average (1.08) and saves percentage (.811).

Back on the field

This fall marked the return of two Tar Heels who missed the entirety of the 2019 season. Cassie Sumfest and Meredith Sholder, both with previous starting experience, are back on the turf as redshirt juniors and they returned with a bang, each scoring in UNC's 3-1 win over the host Demon Deacons.

Sumfest, a defender/midfielder, suffered a torn ACL in the spring of 2019 and was sidelined for the year. During her first two years, she started 42 of 44 games in which she appeared as a key part of the Tar Heel defense.

Sholder, a forward, broke a bone in her foot during the 2019 preseason and missed the fall. She started eight games as a freshman and came off the bench to play in all 23 games as a sophomore in 2018, with nine goals and 10 assists over her first two seasons.

New to the Tar Heel roster

Sophomore forward Paityn Wirth was an offseason addition to the Tar Heel lineup. She spent 2019 at Penn State, starting all 20 games for the Nittany Lions as a true freshman. She totaled five goals and a team-best five assists and was named to the All-Mideast Region second team.

Wirth transferred to UNC over the summer of 2020 and played in all 11 games, starting nine. "She's going to contribute immediately and we're delighted that she's here," UNC coach Karen Shelton said during the preseason. "She's still learning our system but I think she's going to be a force on our front line."

Wirth didn't score in UNC's first three games but broke out with a pair of goals against Virginia on Oct. 11. She had another two-goal game against BC in the ACC Tournament quarterfinals and scored again in the ACC semis to earn All-ACC Tournament honors.

UNC RECORD BOOK

SINGLE-SEASON OFFENSE

Season Goals	Yr	G	Gls
1. Cindy Werley	1997	23	36
2. Erin Matson	2019	20	33
3. Bashi Buba	1978	23	27
Kristen McCann	2000	24	27
5. Charlotte Craddock	2012	19	26
Kathy Staley	1989	22	26
7. Imke Lempers	1989	22	25
8. Cindy Werley	1994	23	24
Kate Barber	1995	24	24
Lauren Moyer	2016	26	24

Season Points	Yr	Pts
1. Cindy Werley	1997	87
2. Erin Matson	2019	81
3. Cindy Werley	1994	61
4. Kathy Staley	1989	60
5. Erin Matson	2018	59
6. Charlotte Craddock	2012	58
Kate Barber	1995	58
8. Imke Lempers	1989	56
Kristen McCann	2000	56
10. Cindy Werley	1996	55
Kelsey Kolojchick	2011	55

CAREER OFFENSE

Career Goals	Gms	Gls
1. Cindy Werley (1993-97)	90	84
2. Nancy Pelligreen (1995-98)	89	82
3. Bashi Buba (1975-78)	59	81
4. Erin Matson (2018-20)	57	71
5. Kelsey Kolojchick (2009-12)	97	68
Louise Hines (1982-85)	74	68
7. Kristen McCann (1997-2000)	89	59
8. Julie Blaisse (1986-88)	62	57
9. Kate Barber (1994-97)	92	56
Rachel Dawson (2003-05, '07)	84	56

Career Assists	Gms	A
1. Katelyn Falgowski (2007-11)	81	63
2. Joy Driscoll (1994-97)	91	58
3. Emily Wold (2012-15)	91	52
4. Kelsey Kolojchick (2009-12)	97	48
5. Katie Ardrey (2009-12)	88	46
6. Cindy Werley (1993-97)	90	44
T7. Laura Douglas (2001-04)	80	42
T7. Erin Matson (2018-20)	57	42
9. Peggy Anthon (1987-90)	74	40
Nancy Lang (1988-91)	77	40
10. Kate Barber (1994-97)	92	39

Career Points	Pts (G/A)
1. Cindy Werley (1993-97)	212 (84/44)
2. Nancy Pelligreen (1995-98)	193 (82/29)
T3. Kelsey Kolojchick (2009-12)	184 (68/48)
T3. Erin Matson (2018-20)	184 (71/42)
5. Bashi Buba (1975-78)	162 (81/na)
6. Louise Hines (1982-85)	152 (68/16)
7. Kate Barber (1994-97)	151 (56/39)
8. Julie Blaisse (1986-88)	139 (57/25)
9. Rachel Dawson (2003-5, '07)	135 (56/23)
10. Kristen McCann (1997-2000)	131 (59/13)

Tar Heel leaders

Each fall the team votes on the year's captains. This season's selections, announced on Sept. 12, are:

Grad student Courtnie Williamson, a defender from Radnor, Pa., is the team captain.

Senior Amanda Hendry, a goalkeeper from Wilton, Conn., and junior Erin Matson, a forward from Chadds Ford, Pa., are the vice captains.

Matson in the history books

Three seasons into her Tar Heel career, Erin Matson has already made her mark on the program's history. Through 57 games as a Tar Heel:

- Matson has 71 career goals, fourth on UNC's career list.
- She has 42 assists, tied for seventh on UNC's career list.
- She has 184 points, tied for third UNC's career list.
- Both of her previous season point totals rank among the top five in school history. In 2018 as a freshman, she totaled 59 points (20 goals, 19 assists), which ranks fifth overall. In 2019 as a junior, she totaled 81 points (33 goals, 15 assists, both team highs), which is second on the single-season list.
- Matson's 2019 total of 33 goals ranks second on UNC's single-season list.

Freshman class

The Tar Heels welcomed a freshman class of six to the team in 2020. The newcomers are:

- Katie Dixon, No. 14, a midfielder from Cary, N.C.
- Dorrit Eisenbeis, No. 29, a forward from Cary, N.C.
- Mia Leonhardt, No. 33, a midfielder from Media, Pa.
- Ciana Riccardo, No. 8, a defender from Downingtown, Pa.
- Britt Schlatmann, No. 20, a defender/midfielder from Bloemendaal, the Netherlands.
- Kiersten Thomassey, No. 35, a midfielder from Westerville, Ohio.

"I adore this freshman class," Shelton said. "I think it's the strongest top to bottom we've had in years. A couple of them will have immediate impact and others are going to be developing but are starting from a higher platform."

Missing the seniors

Following the 2019 season, Carolina said goodbye to eight seniors: Marissa Creatore, Megan DuVernois, Feline Guenther, Alex Halpin, Catherine Hayden, Yentl Leemans, Ellen Payne and Ali Rushton. Five (Creatore, DuVernois, Guenther, Hayden and Leemans) were starters in 2019, and Halpin was the backup goalkeeper and made three starts.

- Although Matson led the 2019 team in points by a wide margin with 81, seniors were in the next five spots, with Creatore second with 38, Hayden third with 29, Leemans with 24, DuVernois with 15 and Guenther with 14.

Player notes

- After graduating from UNC in May of 2020 with a degree in business administration, Courtnie Williamson is working toward her MBA through UNC's Kenan-Flagler Business School.
- Freshman Ciana Riccardo joins older sister Romea Riccardo on the Carolina roster. Romea, a sophomore, started in the backfield last season as a redshirt freshman. Another sister, Celina, plays at Michigan State. Romea, Celina and Ciana are the oldest of eight Riccardo siblings.
- Erin Matson became the first sophomore ever to win the Mary Garber Award as the 2019 ACC Female Athlete of the Year. Up to this point, all of the honors had been juniors or seniors. She's one of nine Tar Heels to win on 10 occasions – Mia Hamm won twice, in 1993 and 1994.
- Amanda Hendry's younger sister, Jessica, is a junior on the field hockey team at Richmond. Older sister, Madison, played at Penn.

Karen Shelton Stadium

After spending 2017 playing and practicing at Duke's stadium in Durham, the Tar Heels moved into their new facility at the start of preseason in August of 2018, and Karen Shelton Stadium was dedicated on Oct. 6, 2018. The facility was named for UNC's head coach following a gift from Tar Heel supporters Ken and Cheryl Williams.

The Carolina blue chairback seats accommodate 900 fans, with

2020-21 Honors and Awards

Top Female Coach in ACC History (ACC Network): Karen Shelton

Top 10 Female Athletes in ACC History (ACC Network): Erin Matson, 10th

Preseason All-ACC: Erin Matson, Eva Smolenaars

NFHCA National Offensive Player of the Week

Meredith Sholder, Sept. 23

Erin Matson, Oct. 21, Nov. 4, Nov. 11

NFHCA National Defensive Player of the Week

Bryn Boylan, Sept. 23

Amanda Hendry, Oct. 14, Nov. 11, March 10

ACC Offensive Player of the Week

Meredith Sholder, Sept. 22

Erin Matson, Oct. 20 and Nov. 3

Bryn Boylan, April 6

ACC Defensive Player of the Week

Bryn Boylan, Sept. 22

Amanda Hendry, Oct. 13 and March 9

ACC Tournament MVP: Erin Matson

All-ACC Tournament Team: Erin Matson, Bryn Boylan, Amanda Hendry, Paityn Wirth

NFHCA Scholars of Distinction (3.9 or better GPA): Mimi Leonard, Dorrit Eisenbeis

NFHCA National Academic Squad: Brooke Behan, Katie Dixon, Dorrit Eisenbeis, Julia Herrington, Mimi Leonard, Mia Leonhardt, Erin Matson, Madison Orobono, Abby Pitcairn, Ciana Riccardo, Meredith Sholder, Eva Smolenaars, Cassie Sumfest, Kiersten Thomassey and Paityn Wirth

more seating on the grass around the field for a total capacity of 1,000. The playing area includes a massive videoboard, European-soccer inspired benches and a three-level press box. The turf field is top-of-the-line and is a rarity among collegiate fields in being FIH-certified, attesting that it meets the high standards required for international competition.

UNC's team building provides more than 10,000 square feet of space and includes home and visitor locker rooms, a team meeting room/theater, a coaches' office, a sports medicine room, and an area for team meals and functions.

- Shelton Stadium is the only UNC facility named for a female coach or a current head coach and marks just the second time in school history that an individual will coach in a facility named for him or her. The first was the Dean E. Smith Center, where Smith coached the men's basketball team for 11 and a half seasons between the building's opening in 1986 and his retirement in 1997.

- Shelton is the only NCAA DI field hockey coach ever to coach in a facility named for her. There are two other DI facilities named for coaches, but both are former coaches.

- Now in their third season of playing there, the Tar Heels are 33-0 on the KSS turf.

- Shelton Stadium will host the 2020 NCAA Championship on May 7 and 9. The Tar Heels are also set to host in 2023.

Although the Tar Heels host first and second round action on a regular basis, Chapel Hill has been the site of the field hockey championship just once, in 1987, in the days when the event was held at the home turf of one of the participating schools. In that game, Maryland beat UNC 2-1 in OT to take the national title.

HEELS ON CORNERS

UNC scored on 13 of 69 penalty corner opportunities during the fall portion of the season (18.8 percent)

In the spring so far, they're four of 21 (19 percent)

Wake Forest, Sept. 20

2 of 7, Scored on third and fourth of the game

- Cassie Sumfest (Madison Orobono, Abby Pitcairn), 23:25
- Erin Matson (Orobono, Pitcairn), 29:49

Louisville, Oct. 2

0 of 2

Duke, Oct. 4

1 of 8, scored on eighth of the game

- Romea Riccardo (Erin Matson), 56:16

Virginia, Oct. 11

1 of 7, scored on sixth of the game

- Paityn Wirth (Cassie Sumfest), 32:38

Virginia, Oct. 12

0 of 6

Syracuse, Oct. 16

1 of 6, scored on fifth of the game

- Erin Matson, 52:08

Duke, Oct. 18

2 of 5, scored on first and second of the game

- Cassie Sumfest (Abby Pitcairn, Romea Riccardo), 4:00
- Erin Matson, 22:24

Wake Forest, Oct. 30

2 of 6, scored on third and fourth of the game

- Erin Matson (Cassie Sumfest), 2:34
- Cassie Sumfest (Abby Pitcairn, Romea Riccardo), 3:46

Boston College, Nov. 5

2 of 15, scored on seventh and 15th of the game

- Paityn Wirth, 17:57 (after initial shot was saved)
- Erin Matson, 57:42 (after her first shot was blocked)

Syracuse, Nov. 6

1 of 4, scored on first

- Bryn Boylan (Madison Orobono), 3:08

Louisville, Nov. 8

1 of 3, scored on first

- Erin Matson (Romea Riccardo, Abby Pitcairn), 22:45

Louisville, March 5

2 of 5, scored on first and third

- Erin Matson (Paityn Wirth, Madison Orobono), 1:30
- Matson (Meredith Sholder), 28:17

Wake Forest, March 13

0 of 2

Duke, April 2

2 of 14, scored on first and third

- Erin Matson (Madison Orobono), 3:05
 - Cassie Sumfest (Paityn Wirth, Romea Riccardo). 35:48
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STARTING LINEUPS

The Tar Heel lineup has been consistent through much of the season, with only a few changes:

- In the opener against Wake Forest, freshman Katie Dixon started in the midfield with senior Bryn Boylan coming off the bench. Beginning in the following game against Louisville, Boylan has started with Dixon coming off the bench.
- In the home game against Wake Forest on Oct. 30, forward Hannah Griggs made her first career start, replacing Paityn Wirth in the lineup. Griggs also started on Nov. 5, with Wirth returning to the starting lineup on Nov. 6.
- Dixon has started in the midfield in the three spring games.
- Griggs started at forward against Duke.

Wake Forest, Sept. 20

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Dixon, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Louisville, Oct. 2

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Duke, Oct. 4

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Virginia, Oct. 11

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Virginia, Oct. 12

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Syracuse, Oct. 16

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Duke, Oct. 18

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Wake Forest, Oct. 30

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Griggs; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Boston College, Nov. 5

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Griggs; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Syracuse, Nov. 6

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Louisville, Nov. 8

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Pitcairn, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Louisville, March 5

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Dixon, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Wake Forest, March 13

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Wirth; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Dixon, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

Duke, April 2

Forwards: Matson, Sholder, Griggs; **Midfielders:** Boylan, Dixon, Smolenaars, Sumfest; **Backs:** Orobono, Riccardo, Williamson; **Goalkeeper:** Hendry

TAR HEELS WHEN ...

At Home.....	10-0	When outshooting opponent.....	10-0
Away.....	3-1	When outshot	3-1
At neutral sites.....	0-0	When shots are tied.....	0-0
ACC games	7-1	When drawing more corners	9-0
Overtime games	3-0	When opponent has more corners	3-1
When scoring first.....	11-0	When corners are tied	1-0
When opponent scores first.....	2-1	UNC scores on first corner opportunity	5-0
When leading at halftime	9-0		
When trailing at halftime	2-1		
When tied at halftime.....	2-0		
When scoring in 1st five minutes.....	6-0		

2020-21 RESULTS**Sept. 20, 2020: UNC 3, Wake Forest 1***Winston-Salem, N.C. (Kentner Stadium)*

UNC 0-2-1-0—3

Wake 0-1-0-0—1

Scoring: UNC – Cassie Sumfest (Abby Pitcairn, Madison Orobono), 23:25; WF – Nat Friedman (Eleanor Winants), 26:54; UNC – Erin Matson (Pitcairn, Orobono), 29:49; UNC – Meredith Sholder (Matson), 37:01

Shots: UNC 18 (4/7/3/4), WFU 7 (1/2/1/3)**Penalty corners:** UNC 7 (1/3/2/1), WFU 1 (0/1/0/0)

Goalkeeper saves: UNC 3 (Amanda Hendry, 60:00, 1 goal allowed, 3 saves), WFU 2 (Tori Glaister, 30:00, 2 goals allowed, 1 save; Ally Butler, 30:00, 1 goal allowed, 1 save)

Records: UNC 1-0 (0-0 ACC), WFU 0-1 (0-0 ACC)**Oct. 2, 2020: Louisville 3, UNC 1***Louisville, Ky. (Trager Stadium)*

UNC 0-0-1-0—1

UL 1-1-0-1—3

Scoring: UL – Mercedes Pastor (Meghan Schneider, Alli Bitting), 12:07; UL – Margot Lawn (Pastor), 29:20; UNC – Erin Matson, 35:51; UL – Lawn (Aimee Plumb), 59:54

Shots: UNC 7 (1/1/4/1), UL 12 (2/4/3/3)**Penalty corners:** UNC 2 (0/1/1/0), UL 4 (1/1/0/2)

Goalkeeper saves: UNC 7 (Amanda Hendry, 52:50, 2 goals allowed, 7 saves; Team, 7:10, 1 goal allowed), UL 3 (Hollyn Barr, 60:00, 1 goal allowed, 3 saves)

Records: UNC 1-1 (0-1 ACC), Louisville 3-0 (2-0 ACC)**Oct. 4, 2020: UNC 4, Duke 0***Durham, N.C. (Williams Field)*

UNC 1-0-1-2—4

DU 0-0-0-0—0

Scoring: UNC – Erin Matson, 12:58; UNC – Eva Smolenaars (Meredith Sholder), 33:49; UNC – Hannah Griggs, 54:42; UNC – Romea Riccardo (Matson), 56:16

Shots: UNC 17 (4/4/2/7); Duke 3 (1/0/2/0)**Penalty Corners:** UNC 8 (1/3/0/4); Duke 1 (0/0/1/0)

Goalkeeper saves: UNC 1 (Amanda Hendry, 58:57, 1 save, 0 goals allowed; Megan Ragusa, 1:03, 0 saves, 0 goals allowed); Duke 4 (Piper Hampsch, 60:00, 4 saves, 4 goals allowed)

Defensive saves: Duke 1 (Eva Nunnink)**Records:** UNC 2-1 (1-1 ACC); Duke 0-3 (0-2 ACC)**Oct. 11, 2020: UNC 5, Virginia 1***Chapel Hill, N.C. (Karen Shelton Stadium)*

UVA 0-0-0-1—1

UNC 0-1-3-1—5

Scoring: UNC – Matson (Griggs), 20:33; UNC – Paityn Wirth (Cassie Sumfest), 32:38; UNC – Eva Smolenaars, 34:25; UNC – Wirth, 42:21; UVA – Laura Janssen (Meghen Hengerer), 49:31; UNC – Griggs (Matson), 59:48

Shots: UNC 21 (4/6/8/3); UVA 10 (0/3/0/7)**Penalty Corners:** UNC 7 (2/2/2/1); UVA 4 (0/1/0/3)

Goalkeeper Saves: UNC 7 (Amanda Hendry, 58:37; 7 saves, 1 goal allowed; Megan Ragusa, 1:23, 0 saves, 0 goals allowed); UVA 10 (Taylor Henriksen, 34:35, 7 saves, 3 goals allowed; Lauren Hausheer, 25:25, 3 saves, 2 goals allowed)

Records: UNC 3-1 (2-1 ACC), Virginia 3-2 (2-1 ACC)**Oct. 12, 2020: UNC 2, Virginia 1***Chapel Hill, N.C. (Karen Shelton Stadium)*

UVA 0-0-1-0—1

UNC 1-0-0-1—2

Scoring: UNC – Eva Smolenaars, 3:52; UVA – Anneloes Knol, 43:00; UNC – Meredith Sholder (Erin Matson), 51:41

Shots: UNC 15 (3/7/2/3), UVA 4 (1/0/1/2)**Penalty Corners:** UNC 6 (1/4/1/0), UVA 3 (2/0/0/1)

Goalkeeper Saves: UNC 1 (Amanda Hendry, 60:00, 1 save, 1 goal allowed); UVA 7 (Lauren Hausheer, 56:54, 7 saves, 2 goals allowed; Team, 3:06, 0 saves, 0 goals allowed)

Records: UNC 4-1 (2-1 ACC); UVA 3-3 (2-1)**Oct. 16, 2020: UNC 1, Syracuse 0***Chapel Hill, N.C. (Karen Shelton Stadium)*

SU 0-0-0-0—0

UNC 0-0-0-1—1

Scoring: UNC – Erin Matson, 52:08**Shots:** UNC 11 (2/4/3/2), SU 5 (1/0/3/1)**Penalty corners:** UNC 6 (1/1/2/2), SU 3 (0/0/2/1)

Goalkeeper saves: UNC 0 (Amanda Hendry, 60:00, 0 saves, 0 goals allowed); SU 2 (Syd Taylor, 60:00, 2 saves, 1 goal allowed)

Defensive saves: UNC 1 (Britt Schlatmann), SU 1 (Eefke Van Den Nieuwenhof)

Records: UNC 5-1 (3-1 ACC), SU 1-3 (1-2 ACC)**Oct. 18, 2020: UNC 5, Duke 4, OT***Chapel Hill, N.C. (Karen Shelton Stadium)*

DU 1-1-0-2-0—4

UNC 1-1-1-1-1—5

Scoring: DU – Josie Varney (Alayna Burns), 3:41; UNC – Cassie Sumfest (Abby Pitcairn, Romea Riccardo), 4:00; DU – Lily Posternak (Hannah Miller), 18:13; UNC – Erin Matson, 22:24; UNC – Eva Smolenaars (Madison Orobono), 40:53; UNC – Smolenaars (Matson), 46:32; DU – Leah Crouse (Eva Nunnink), 48:20; DU – Lexi Davidson (penalty stroke), 59:50; UNC – Hannah Griggs (Matson), 64:16

Shots: UNC 18 (2/5/3/7/1), Duke 15 (5/2/0/7/1)**Penalty corners:** UNC 5 (1/1/1/2/0), DU 5 (1/0/0/4/0)

Goalkeeper saves: UNC 5 (Amanda Hendry, 64:16, 5 saves, 4 goals allowed), DU 4 (Piper Hampsch, 62:42, 4 saves, 5 goals allowed; Team, 1:34)

Records: UNC 6-1 (3-1 ACC), Duke 0-5 (0-3 ACC)**Oct. 30, 2020: UNC 5, Wake Forest 0***Chapel Hill, N.C. (Karen Shelton Stadium)*

WFU 0-0-0-0—0

UNC 2-1-0-2—5

Scoring: UNC – Erin Matson (Cassie Sumfest), 2:34; UNC – Sumfest (Abby Pitcairn, Romea Riccardo), 3:46; UNC – Meredith Sholder, 19:52; UNC – Erin Matson (Katie Dixon), 47:34; UNC – Matson, 54:52

Shots: UNC 14 (6/3/2/3); WFU 10 (1/7/1/1)**Penalty Corners:** UNC 6 (5/0/1/0); WFU 5 (0/3/1/1)

Goalkeeper Saves: UNC 6 (Amanda Hendry, 55:31, 6 saves, 0 goals allowed; Megan Ragusa, 4:29, 0 saves, 0 goals allowed); WFU 2 (Tori Glaister, 30:00, 1 save, 3 goals allowed; Ally Butler, 30:00, 1 save, 2 goals allowed)

Records: UNC 7-1 (4-1 ACC), WFU 2-7 (1-4 ACC)**Nov. 5, 2020: UNC 4, Boston College 0***Chapel Hill, N.C. (Karen Shelton Stadium)*

BC 0-0-0-0—0

UNC 1-1-1-1—4

Scoring: UNC – Paityn Wirth, 7:47; UNC – Wirth, 17:57; UNC – Orobono, 44:41; UNC – Matson, 57:42

Shots: UNC 26 (8/6/10/2), BC 13 (6/0/3/4)**Penalty Corners:** UNC 15 (5/4/4/2), BC 5 (2/0/2/1)

Goalkeeper Saves: UNC 9 (Amanda Hendry, 60:00, 9 saves, 0 goals allowed); BC 11 (Jonna Kennedy, 60:00, 11 saves, 4 goals allowed)

Records: UNC 8-1, BC 0-3**Nov. 6, 2020: UNC 4, Syracuse 3, OT***Chapel Hill, N.C. (Karen Shelton Stadium)*

SU 0-0-1-2-0—3

UNC 1-0-0-2-1—4

Scoring: UNC – Bryn Boylan (Madison Orobono), 3:08; SU – E. van den Nieuwenhof (SJ Quigley, Claire Cooke), 30:46; UNC – Erin Matson (Meredith Sholder), 48:31; UNC – Paityn Wirth (Matson), 50:45; SU – Pleun Lammers (Carly Bothof), 51:22; SU – Hailey Bitters (Carolin Hoffmann), 59:12; UNC – Bryn Boylan (penalty stroke), 64:52

Shots: UNC 16 (3/5/2/3/3), SU 17 (2/2/4/7/2)**Penalty Corners:** UNC 4 (1/1/2/0/0), SU 5 (0/0/3/2/0)

Goalkeeper Saves: UNC 8 (Amanda Hendry, 64:52, 8 saves, 3 goals allowed); SU 6 (Syd Taylor, 64:52, 6 saves, 4 goals allowed)

Defensive Saves: UNC 1 (Courtne Williamson)**Records:** UNC 9-1, SU 5-4

2020-21 RESULTS

Nov. 8, 2020: UNC 4, Louisville 2

Chapel Hill, N.C.

LOU 1-1-0-0—2

UNC 0-1-2-1—4

Scoring: UL – Katie Schneider (Charlie van Oirschot), 7:19; UL – Schneider (Alli Bitting), 18:53; UNC – Erin Matson (Romea Riccardo, Abby Pitcairn), 22:45; UNC – Bryn Boylan (Riccardo), 38:50; UNC – Madison Orobono (Hannah Griggs), 43:20; UNC – Matson, 58:59

Shots: UNC 10 (1/2/5/2), UL 16 (3/3/6/4)

Penalty corners: UNC 3 (0/2/0/1), UL (1/1/4/2)

Goalkeeper saves: UNC 4 (Amanda Hendry, 60:00, 4 saves, 2 goals allowed); UL 2 (Hollyn Barr, 58:12, 2 saves, 3 goals allowed)

Defensive saves: UL 2 (Julie Kouijzer 2)

Records: UNC 10-1, UL 8-2

March 5, 2021: UNC 2, Louisville 0

Chapel Hill, N.C.

LOU 0-0-0-0—0

UNC 1-1-0-0—2

Scoring: UNC – Erin Matson (Paityn Wirth, Madison Orobono), 1:30; UNC – Matson (Meredith Sholder), 28:17

Shots: UNC 14 (5/5/1/3), UL 16 (3/4/7/2)

Penalty Corners: UNC 5 (2/1/0/2), UL 10 (2/2/5/1)

Goalkeepers: UNC – Amanda Hendry (60:00, 8 saves, 0 goals allowed); UL – Sam Minrath (60:00, 3 saves, 2 goals allowed)

Defensive saves: UNC 1 (Madison Orobono)

Records: UNC 11-1, UL 8-3

March 13, 2021: UNC 2, Wake Forest 0

Winston-Salem, N.C.

UNC 2-0-0-0—2

Wake 0-0-0-0—0

Scoring: UNC – Erin Matson (Kiersten Thomassey), 7:07; UNC – Matson, 10:37

Shots: UNC 12 (2/1/2/7), WFU 2 (1/0/0/1)

Penalty Corners: UNC 2 (0/0/0/2), WFU 1 (1/0/0/0)

Goalkeeper Saves: UNC 1 (Amanda Hendry, 60:00, 1 save, 0 goals allowed); WFU 3 (Tori Glaister, 60:00, 3 saves, 2 goals allowed)

Records: UNC 12-1, WFU 4-8

April 2, 2021: UNC 4, Duke 3, OT

Chapel Hill, N.C.

Duke 0-2-1-0-0—3

UNC 1-0-2-0-0—4

Scoring: UNC – Erin Matson (Madison Orobono), 3:05; DU – Libby Thompson, 20:21; DU – Darcy Bourne (Lily Posternak, Mary Harkins), 24:34; UNC – Cassie Sumfest (Paityn Wirth, Romea Riccardo), 35:48; UNC – Wirth (Matson), 37:56; DU – Noor van de Laar, 38:49; UNC – Bryn Boylan (penalty stroke), 77:04

Shots: UNC 32 (3/2/9/9/2/7), Duke 13 (1/3/4/0/5/0)

Penalty corners: UNC 14 (2/0/4/7/0/1); DU 7 (1/2/2/0/2/0)

Goalkeeper saves: UNC 6 (Amanda Hendry, 77:04, 6 saves, 3 goals allowed); Duke 19 (Piper Hampsch, 77:04, 19 saves, 4 goals allowed)

Records: UNC 13-1, Duke 3-11

2020-21 ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown / Previous School
1	Erin Matson	F	5-4	Jr.	Chadds Ford, Pa. / Unionville
2	Meredith Sholder	F	5-8	R-Jr.	Alburtis, Pa. / Emmaus
3	Hannah Griggs	F	5-6	Jr.	Faversham, England / Kent College, Canterbury
4	Julia Herrington	F/M	5-4	Sr.	Ocean City, N.J. / Ocean City
5	Madison Orobono	B	5-4	So.	Macungie, Pa. / Emmaus
6	Bryn Boylan	F/M	5-4	Sr.	Doylestown, Pa. / Central Bucks West
8	Ciana Riccardo	B	5-6	Fr.	Downingtown, Pa. / Downingtown West
10	Paityn Wirth	M	5-6	So.	Thompsontown, Pa. / Greenwood / Penn State
11	Romea Riccardo	B	5-7	So.	Downingtown, Pa. / Downingtown West
12	Cassie Sumfest	M/B	5-5	R-Jr.	Lewisburg, Pa. / Lewisburg
14	Katie Dixon	M/B	5-5	Fr.	Cary, N.C. / Cary Christian
15	Steph Weber	M/F	5-3	R-Fr.	Tadworth, England / Reigate Grammar School
16	Abby Pitcairn	M	5-4	Jr.	Pittsburgh, Pa. / Fox Chapel
17	Liz Pelligreen	M	5-4	R-Fr.	St. Louis, Mo. / Villa Duchesne
19	Kit Olmsted	GK	5-2	R-Fr.	Hershey, Pa. / Hershey
20	Britt Schlatmann	B/M	5-10	Fr.	Bloemendaal, The Netherlands / Mendel College
21	Eva Smolenaars	M	5-6	Sr.	Weert, The Netherlands / College Weert
24	Brooke Behan	F	5-6	R-Fr.	St. Louis, Mo. / Villa Duchesne
25	Courtne Williamson	B	5-4	Gr.	Radnor, Pa. / The Episcopal Academy
26	Riley Fulmer	F	5-6	Jr.	Virginia Beach, Va. / Norfolk Academy
27	Mimi Leonard	M	5-6	Sr.	Trumbull, Conn. / Trumbull
28	Cassie Halpin	GK	5-5	So.	Mohegan Lake, N.Y. / Lakeland Senior
29	Dorrit Eisenbeis	F	5-7	Fr.	Cary, N.C. / Cary Academy
30	Amanda Hendry	GK	5-5	Sr.	Wilton, Conn. / Wilton
33	Mia Leonhardt	M/F	5-4	Fr.	Media, Pa. / Academy of Notre Dame de Namur
35	Kiersten Thomassey	M	5-4	Fr.	Westerville, Ohio / Columbus Academy
88	Megan Ragusa	GK	5-3	Sr.	Wake Forest, N.C. / Ravenscroft

COACHING STAFF

Head Coach: Karen Shelton
Associate Head Coach: Grant Fulton
Assistant Coach: Robbert Schenk
Volunteer Assistant Coach: Lauren Moyer
Performance Analyst: Chris Fry

Pronunciation Guide

Brooke Behan: BEE-in
 Dorrit Eisenbeis: DOOR-it EYE-zen-bice
 Mia Leonhardt: LEN-hart
 Madison Orobono: or-o-BO-no
 Abby Pitcairn: PITT-carn
 Megan Ragusa: ruh-GOO-suh
 Ciana Riccardo: see-AH-na
 Romea Riccardo: rho-MAY
 Eva Smolenaars: AY-vuh (like Ava) SMOH-len-ahz
 Kiersten Thomassey: KEER-sten tuh-MASS-ee
 Steph Weber: WEBB-er

BY MAJOR

Biology

Riley Fulmer, Cassie Halpin, Abby Pitcairn, Meredith Sholder

Business Administration

Mimi Leonard, Cassie Sumfest, Courtne Williamson (now in MBA program)

Pre-Business

Britt Schlatmann

Communication Studies

Romea Riccardo*

Journalism and Media

Bryn Boylan, Erin Matson, Madison Orobono*, Romea Riccardo*, Eva Smolenaars, Paityn Wirth

Exercise and Sport Science

Dorrit Eisenbeis, Hannah Griggs, Kit Olmsted, Madison Orobono*

Management and Society

Amanda Hendry

Nursing

Julia Herrington

Undeclared

Brooke Behan, Katie Dixon, Mia Leonhardt, Liz Pelligreen, Ciana Riccardo, Kiersten Thomassey, Steph Weber

* – double major

BY CLASS

6

Freshmen

4

RS Freshmen

4

Sophomores

7

Juniors

5

Seniors

1

Grad Student

ALPHABETICALLY

Brooke Behan – 24
 Bryn Boylan – 6
 Katie Dixon – 14
 Dorrit Eisenbeis – 29
 Riley Fulmer – 26
 Hannah Griggs – 3
 Cassie Halpin – 28
 Amanda Hendry – 30
 Julia Herrington – 4
 Mimi Leonard – 27
 Mia Leonhardt – 33
 Erin Matson – 1
 Kit Olmsted – 19
 Madison Orobono – 5
 Liz Pelligreen – 17
 Abby Pitcairn – 16
 Megan Ragusa – 88
 Ciana Riccardo – 8
 Romea Riccardo – 11
 Britt Schlatmann – 20
 Meredith Sholder – 2
 Eva Smolenaars – 21
 Cassie Sumfest – 12
 Kiersten Thomassey – 35
 Steph Weber – 15
 Courtne Williamson – 25
 Paityn Wirth – 10

PLAYER BIO UPDATES

#1 Erin Matson

Reigning National Player of the Year and Honda Award winner (2019 honors) ... Third year starter at forward ... Could become just the second player in program history to earn first-team All-America honors all four years ... Already ranks in the program's top 10 in career goals, assists and points

#2 Meredith Sholder

Starter in every game ... Scored the Tar Heels' third goal in the win over Wake Forest ... Named ACC and National Offensive Player of the Week ... Scored the gamewinner in the Oct. 12 nonconference matchup with UVa ... Returned to the field after missing all of the 2019 season ... Broke a bone in her foot in the preseason and was sidelined for the fall

#3 Hannah Griggs

Made her first career start on Oct. 30 against Wake Forest and also started on April 2 vs. Duke ... Has three goals, including the gamewinner in overtime against Duke in the fall ... Also scored a goal at Duke and one in the first game against Virginia ... Appeared in all 23 games last season

#4 Julia Herrington

Provides depth at forward ... Plans to go to nursing school after graduation ... Appeared in eight games in 2019 and has played in three in 2020-21

#5 Madison Orobono

Has started every game in her UNC career ... Had two assists (on stick stops) in the win at Wake Forest and has a total of six on the season ... Earned All-ACC Tournament honors in 2019, when she was the only true freshman in the regular starting lineup ... Goes by "Maddi"

#6 Bryn Boylan

Came off the bench to play in the 9/20 game at Wake Forest and earned ACC and National Defensive Player of the Week honors for her play ... Has started every game since then ... Organizes the team's community outreach efforts, including the "Power of Pink" game vs Wake Forest on Oct. 30. UNC surpassed its fundraising goal of \$5,000 ... Scored twice against Syracuse, including the gamewinner on a penalty stroke in OT ... Named to the All-ACC Tournament Team ... Scored the gamewinner on a penalty stroke in UNC's double OT win over Duke on April 2 ... Was named the ACC Co-Offensive Player of the Week after that game, becoming the first player since 2018 to earn both offensive and defensive honors in the same season

#8 Ciana Riccardo

Younger sister of sophomore Romea Riccardo ... Is the third-oldest of eight Riccardo siblings ... After Romea, the oldest, is Celina, who plays field hockey at Michigan State, and then Ciana ... Has played in four games

#10 Paityn Wirth

Starter at forward through the first seven games then came off the bench for two games before returning to the starting lineup vs. Syracuse ... Scored twice against Virginia, her first goals as a Tar Heel ... Also scored twice against BC ... Named to the All-ACC Tournament Team ... Transferred to UNC from Penn State after playing there as a freshman

#11 Romea Riccardo

Starter on defense ... Started every game on the back line in 2019 as a redshirt freshman ... Younger sister Ciana is a freshman on the UNC team ... Another sister, Celina, plays at Michigan State ... Oldest of eight siblings

#12 Cassie Sumfest

Starter in the midfield ... Scored a penalty corner in the second quarter against Wake for the Tar Heels' first goal of the season ... Missed the entire 2019 season after tearing her ACL in the spring ... Starter on the back line in 2018

#14 Katie Dixon

Started the fall opener then came off the bench for the rest of the fall ... Has started all three spring games

#15 Steph Weber

Saw her first action on Oct. 30 vs Wake ... Twin sister, Taylor, plays at Harvard

#16 Abby Pitcairn

Has five assists this season as an inserter on penalty corners ... Winner of the 2019 NCAA Elite 90 Award

#17 Liz Pelligreen

Redshirt freshman who has not yet seen game action ... Her aunt, Nancy Pelligreen, was a member of UNC's 1995, 1996 and 1997 NCAA Championship teams and earned first-team All-America honors in 1998

#19 Kit Olmsted

Redshirt freshman who provides depth at keeper

#20 Britt Schlatmann

Came off the bench to play in every game in the fall ... Had a defensive save in the regular-season win over Syracuse

#21 Eva Smolenaars

Starter in the midfield ... Has five goals through 14 games, equal to her total in 23 games last season ... Named Preseason All-ACC ... 2019 NCAA All-Tournament

#24 Brooke Behan

Saw her first game action as a Tar Heel against Wake Forest on Oct. 30 ... Her mother, Peggy Anthon, was a member of UNC's first NCAA Championship team in 1989 and earned All-America honors in 1990

#25 Courtnie Williams

In her second year as a starter on the back line ... Voted team captain ... Graduated from UNC in May with a degree in business administration and is now working toward her MBA

#26 Riley Fulmer

Comes off the bench to provide depth at forward

#27 Mimi Leonard

In her second season as a Tar Heel after transferring from Saint Louis ... Her mother, Jackie Kane, is the head field hockey coach at Fairfield University ... Honored as an NFHCA Scholar of Distinction for the fourth year in a row

#28 Cassie Halpin

Backup goalkeeper ... Older sister Alex was also a Tar Heel goalkeeper and graduated in December of 2019

#29 Dorrit Eisenbeis

Both older siblings are UNC graduates ... Competed in rock climbing before focusing on field hockey ... Honored as an NFHCA Scholar of Distinction

#30 Amanda Hendry

In her fourth year as UNC's starting goalkeeper ... National and ACC Defensive Player of the Week after she made eight saves in the spring opener vs. Louisville ... Named to the 2020 All-ACC Tournament Team ... Earned second-team All-ACC honors in 2019, when she was a two-time ACC Defensive Player of the Week

#33 Mia Leonhardt

Has come off the bench to play in four games ... Last name is pronounced LEN-hart

#35 Kiersten Thomassey

Has come off the bench to play in the midfield in every game ... Assisted on the gamewinner at Wake Forest ... Last name is pronounced tuh-MASS-ee

#88 Megan Ragusa

Backup goalkeeper ... Played the final 1:03 of the game at Duke, the final 1:23 against Virginia and the final 4:29 against Wake ... Will graduate in May and plans to go on to medical school

The Automated ScoreBook
North Carolina Combined Team Statistics (as of Apr 02, 2021)
All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	13-1	9-0	4-1	0-0
CONFERENCE	7-1	5-0	2-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	6-0	4-0	2-0	0-0

Date	Opponent	Score	Att.	#	Player	gp	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	gw	ps-att	dsv
Sep 20	at Wake Forest	w	3-1	30	1 Erin Matson	14	18	8	44	89	.202	7	0-1	0
* Oct 02	at Louisville	L	1-3	211	10 Paityn Wirth	14	6	2	14	21	.286	1	0-0	0
* Oct. 4	at Duke	w	4-0	0	21 Eva Smolenaars	14	5	0	10	20	.250	0	0-0	0
* Oct 11	VIRGINIA	w	5-1	75	12 Cassie Sumfest	14	4	2	10	33	.121	0	0-0	0
Oct 12	VIRGINIA	w	2-1	45	5 Madison Orobono	14	2	6	10	5	.400	1	0-0	1
* Oct 16	SYRACUSE	w	1-0	75	2 Meredith Sholder	14	3	3	9	20	.150	1	0-0	0
Oct 18	DUKE	Wot	5-4	75	6 Bryn Boylan	14	4	0	8	11	.364	2	2-2	0
* Oct 30	WAKE FOREST	w	5-0	71	3 Hannah Griggs	14	3	2	8	16	.188	1	0-0	0
Nov 05	BOSTON COLLEGE	w	4-0	50	11 Romea Riccardo	14	1	5	7	3	.333	0	0-0	0
Nov 06	SYRACUSE	Wot	4-3	50	16 Abby Pitcairn	14	0	5	5	2	.000	0	0-0	0
Nov 08	at Louisville	w	4-2	140	35 Kiersten Thomassey	14	0	1	1	5	.000	0	0-0	0
* Mar 05	LOUISVILLE	w	2-0	202	14 Katie Dixon	14	0	1	1	4	.000	0	0-0	0
* Mar 13	at Wake Forest	w	2-0	132	33 Mia Leonhardt	4	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	0
* Apr 02	#15 DUKE	Wo2	4-3	225	26 Riley Fulmer	9	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	0

TEAM STATISTICS	NC	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	46-231	18-143
Goals scored per game	3.29	1.29
Shot pct.	.199	.126
Shots/Game	16.5	10.2
PENALTY CORNERS	90	62
PENALTY STROKES	2-3	1-1
PENALTIES		
Green cards	14	14
Yellow cards	2	4
Red cards	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	868	513
Dates/Avg Per Date	9/96	5/103
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

88 Megan Ragusa	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
30 Amanda Hendry	14	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
29 Dorrit Eisenbeis	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
27 Mimi Leonard	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
25 Courtnie Williamson	14	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	1
24 Brooke Behan	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
22 Galen Gray	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
20 Britt Schlatmann	11	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	1
15 Steph Weber	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
8 Ciana Riccardo	4	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
4 Julia Herrington	3	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	0
Total	14	46	35	127	231	.199	13	2-3	3
Opponents	14	18	17	53	143	.126	1	1-1	4

#	Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W-L-T	Sho
88	Megan Ragusa	3	6:55	0	0.00	0	.000	0-0-0	0/2
30	Amanda Hendry	14	852:07	17	1.20	66	.795	12-1-0	4/2
	Total	14	866:12	18	1.25	69	.793	12-1-0	6
	Opponents	14	866:12	46	3.19	82	.641	1-12-0	0

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	Total
North Carolina	11	8	12	12	2	1	46
Opponents	3	6	3	6	0	0	18

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	Total
North Carolina	48	58	56	56	6	7	231
Opponents	28	30	35	42	8	0	143

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	Total
North Carolina	13	16	13	21	6	0	69
Opponents	16	19	17	21	4	5	82

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	OT2	Total
North Carolina	22	23	20	24	0	1	90
Opponents	11	11	20	18	2	0	62

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Date	Opponent	Score	Goals	Assists	Shots	On Goal	Corners	YC	RC
Sep 20	Wake Forest	3-1	3/1	5/1	18/7	5/4	7/1	0/0	0/0
Oct 02	Louisville	1-3	1/3	0/4	7/12	4/10	2/4	1/0	0/0
Oct. 4	Duke	4-0	4/0	2/0	17/3	9/1	8/1	0/0	0/0
Oct 11	VIRGINIA	5-1	5/1	3/1	21/10	15/8	7/4	0/0	0/0
Oct 12	VIRGINIA	2-1	2/1	1/0	15/4	9/2	6/3	0/0	0/0
Oct 16	SYRACUSE	1-0	1/0	0/0	11/5	4/1	6/3	1/1	0/0
Oct 18	DUKE	5-4	5/4	5/3	18/15	9/9	5/5	0/1	0/0
Oct 30	WAKE FOREST	5-0	5/0	4/0	14/10	7/6	6/5	0/0	0/0
Nov 05	BOSTON COLLEGE	4-0	4/0	0/0	26/13	15/9	15/5	0/0	0/0
Nov 06	SYRACUSE	4-3	4/3	3/4	16/17	10/12	4/5	0/0	0/0
Nov 08	Louisville	4-2	4/2	4/2	10/16	8/6	3/8	0/0	0/0
Mar 05	LOUISVILLE	2-0	2/0	3/0	14/16	5/9	5/10	0/1	0/0
Mar 13	Wake Forest	2-0	2/0	1/0	12/2	5/1	2/1	0/0	0/0
Apr 02	DUKE	4-3	4/3	4/2	32/13	23/9	14/7	0/1	0/0
Totals		46-18	46/18	35/17	231/143	128/87	90/62	2/4	0/0

Note: Game totals are displayed in the format TEAM/OPPONENT for each category

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North Carolina - TEAM GAME HIGHS

POINTS	15	vs Duke (Oct 18)
	14	vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
GOALS	5	vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
	5	vs Duke (Oct 18)
	5	vs Virginia (Oct 11)
ASSISTS	5	vs Duke (Oct 18)
	5	at Wake Forest (Sep 20)
SHOTS	32	vs Duke (Apr 02)
	26	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
SHOT PERCENT	.400 (4-10)	at Louisville (Nov 08)
	.357 (5-14)	vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
SHOTS ON GOAL	23	vs Duke (Apr 02)
	15	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	15	vs Virginia (Oct 11)
ON GOAL PERCENT	.800 (8-10)	at Louisville (Nov 08)
	.719 (23-32)	vs Duke (Apr 02)
SAVES	9	vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	9	vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	9	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
PENALTY CORNERS	15	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	14	vs Duke (Apr 02)

Opponent - GAME HIGHS

POINTS	11	vs Duke (Oct 18)
	10	vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	10	at Louisville (Oct 02)
GOALS	4	vs Duke (Oct 18)
	3	vs Duke (Apr 02)
	3	vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	3	at Louisville (Oct 02)
ASSISTS	4	vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	4	at Louisville (Oct 02)
SHOTS	17	vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	16	vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	16	at Louisville (Nov 08)
SHOT PERCENT	.267 (4-15)	vs Duke (Oct 18)
	.250 (3-12)	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	.250 (1-4)	vs Virginia (Oct 12)
SHOTS ON GOAL	12	vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	10	at Louisville (Oct 02)
ON GOAL PERCENT	.833 (10-12)	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	.800 (8-10)	vs Virginia (Oct 11)
SAVES	19	vs Duke (Apr 02)
	11	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
PENALTY CORNERS	10	vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	8	at Louisville (Nov 08)

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North Carolina - GAME LOWS

POINTS	2	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	2	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
GOALS	1	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	1	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
ASSISTS	0	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	0	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
	0	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
SHOTS	7	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	10	at Louisville (Nov 08)
SHOTS ON GOAL	4	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	4	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
SAVES	1	at Duke (Oct. 4)
	1	vs Virginia (Oct 12)
	1	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
	1	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
PENALTY CORNERS	2	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	2	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
FOULS	0	at Wake Forest (Sep 20)
	0	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	0	at Duke (Oct. 4)
	0	vs Virginia (Oct 11)
	0	vs Virginia (Oct 12)
	0	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
	0	vs Duke (Oct 18)
	0	vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
	0	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	0	vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	0	at Louisville (Nov 08)
	0	vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	0	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
	0	vs Duke (Apr 02)

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Opponent - GAME LOWS

POINTS	0	at Duke (Oct. 4)
	0	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
	0	vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
	0	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	0	vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	0	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
GOALS	0	at Duke (Oct. 4)
	0	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
	0	vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
	0	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	0	vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	0	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
ASSISTS	0	at Duke (Oct. 4)
	0	vs Virginia (Oct 12)
	0	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
	0	vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
	0	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	0	vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	0	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
SHOTS	2	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
	3	at Duke (Oct. 4)
SHOTS ON GOAL	1	at Duke (Oct. 4)
	1	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
	1	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
SAVES	2	at Wake Forest (Sep 20)
	2	vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
PENALTY CORNERS	1	at Wake Forest (Sep 20)
	1	at Duke (Oct. 4)
	1	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
FOULS	0	at Wake Forest (Sep 20)
	0	at Louisville (Oct 02)
	0	at Duke (Oct. 4)
	0	vs Virginia (Oct 11)
	0	vs Virginia (Oct 12)
	0	vs Syracuse (Oct 16)
	0	vs Duke (Oct 18)
	0	vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
	0	vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	0	vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	0	at Louisville (Nov 08)
	0	vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	0	at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
	0	vs Duke (Apr 02)

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North Carolina - INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

POINTS	6	Erin Matson vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
	4	Erin Matson at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
	4	Erin Matson vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	4	Erin Matson at Louisville (Nov 08)
	4	Bryn Boylan vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	4	Paityn Wirth vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	4	Erin Matson vs Duke (Oct 18)
	4	Eva Smolenaars vs Duke (Oct 18)
	4	Paityn Wirth vs Virginia (Oct 11)
GOALS	3	Erin Matson vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
	2	Erin Matson at Wake Forest (Mar 13)
	2	Erin Matson vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	2	Erin Matson at Louisville (Nov 08)
	2	Bryn Boylan vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	2	Paityn Wirth vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	2	Eva Smolenaars vs Duke (Oct 18)
	2	Paityn Wirth vs Virginia (Oct 11)
ASSISTS	2	Romea Riccardo at Louisville (Nov 08)
	2	Erin Matson vs Duke (Oct 18)
	2	Abby Pitcairn at Wake Forest (Sep 20)
	2	Madison Orobono at Wake Forest (Sep 20)
SHOTS	11	Erin Matson vs Duke (Apr 02)
	9	Erin Matson vs Virginia (Oct 11)
SHOTS ON GOAL	7	Erin Matson vs Duke (Apr 02)
	5	Cassie Sumfest vs Duke (Apr 02)
	5	Erin Matson vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	5	Erin Matson vs Wake Forest (Oct 30)
SAVES	9	Amanda Hendry vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	8	Amanda Hendry vs Louisville (Mar 05)
	8	Amanda Hendry vs Syracuse (Nov 06)

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North Carolina - OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL GAME HIGHS

POINTS	4	Katie Schneider at Louisville (Nov 08)
	4	Margot Lawn at Louisville (Oct 02)
GOALS	2	Katie Schneider at Louisville (Nov 08)
	2	Margot Lawn at Louisville (Oct 02)
ASSISTS	1	Harkins, Mary vs Duke (Apr 02)
	1	Posternak, Lily vs Duke (Apr 02)
	1	Alli Bitting at Louisville (Nov 08)
	1	Charlie van Oirschot at Louisville (Nov 08)
	1	Carly Bothof vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	1	Carolin Hoffmann vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	1	SJ Quigley vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	1	Claire Cooke vs Syracuse (Nov 06)
	1	Miller, Hannah vs Duke (Oct 18)
	1	Burns, Alayna vs Duke (Oct 18)
	1	Nunnink, Eva vs Duke (Oct 18)
	1	Meghen Hengerer vs Virginia (Oct 11)
	1	Alli Bitting at Louisville (Oct 02)
	1	Mercedes Pastor at Louisville (Oct 02)
	1	Aimee Plumb at Louisville (Oct 02)
	1	Meghan Schneider at Louisville (Oct 02)
	1	Eleanor Winants at Wake Forest (Sep 20)
SHOTS	9	Mercedes Pastor at Louisville (Nov 08)
	7	Nunnink, Eva vs Duke (Apr 02)
SHOTS ON GOAL	4	Nunnink, Eva vs Duke (Apr 02)
	4	Fusine Govaert vs Boston College (Nov 05)
	4	Margot Lawn at Louisville (Oct 02)
SAVES	19	Hampsch, Piper vs Duke (Apr 02)
	11	Jonna Kennedy vs Boston College (Nov 05)