



# UW-Stout

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## Schedule

Monday, February 18

W Basketball hosts WIAC Quarterfinals, 7 p.m.  
vs. UW-La Crosse

Tuesday, February 19

M Basketball at WIAC Quarterfinals, 7 p.m.  
at UW-Whitewater

Wednesday, February 20

W Basketball WIAC Semi-Finals, 7 p.m.

Thursday, February 21

M Basketball WIAC Semi-Finals, 7 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 22

Gymnastics at WIAC Championships, River Falls, 7 p.m.  
M & W Track host Blue Devil Invite, 4 p.m.

February 22-23

M Basketball WIAC Championships, 3/7 p.m.

W Basketball WIAC Championships, 3/7 p.m.

Wednesday, February 27

W Basketball NCAA First Round, 7 p.m.

Thursday, February 28

M Basketball NCAA First Round, 7 p.m.

Friday, March 1

UW-Stout John Zuerlein Invitational 7 p.m.

M & W Track at WIAC Championships

Saturday, March 2

W Basketball NCAA Second Round, 3/7 p.m.

M & W Track at WIAC Championships

Monday, March 4

Baseball vs. Dubuque, 12:30 p.m.

Metrodome

Friday, March 8

Gymnastics at NCGA

West Regionals, St. Peter, Minn., 6 p.m.

March 8-9

NCAA Hockey Playoffs begin, TBA

W Basketball NCAA Sectionals, 6/8 p.m.

M & W Track at NCAA DIII Championships

March 15-16

W Basketball NCAA Finals, 6/8 p.m.

Sunday, March 17

Baseball vs. NE Oklahoma 10 a.m.

Baseball at Missouri Southern, 4 p.m.

Monday, March 18

Baseball at Pittsburg State, 11 a.m.

Baseball at Missouri Southern, 2 p.m.

Tuesday, March 19

Baseball at Evangel University, 1 p.m.

Thursday, March 21

Baseball at Pittsburg State, 1 p.m.

Friday, March 22

Baseball vs. William Penn, 11 a.m.

March 17-23

Softball Spring Break Trip, the Bahamas

Track & Field Spring Trip, San Diego, Calif.

March 22-23

Gymnastics at NCGA Championships, Ithaca, NY

## UP THIS WEEK!!!

### WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

It's a new season for the 2001-02 WIAC champion Blue Devils (20-4, 15-1). The No. 1 seeded Blue Devils will open the WIAC tournament Monday, Feb. 18 by hosting No. 8 UW-La Crosse (7-17, 3-13) at 7 p.m. Stout has swept all conference series this season except one and has won the last 12 meetings with the Eagles. Stout defeated La Crosse, 92-72, in December in Menomonie, then took a 95-84 decision over the Eagles at La Crosse in January. The winner of this game will play the winner of the UW-Eau Claire/UW-Platteville game. **Last week:** The Blue Devils grabbed their first undisputed conference championship when they defeated UW-Superior, 91-53, Feb. 13 in Superior. **Player of the week:** Erin Churchill, Fr, Plum City, Wis.

### MEN'S BASKETBALL

The Blue Devils (12-12, 7-9) will repeat last year's first round WIAC playoff match-up when they travel to UW-Whitewater, Tuesday, Feb. 19. The Blue Devils pounded the Warhawks, 90-49, last season in the first round of the WIAC tournament. Stout is the No. 6 seed in the tournament, while the Warhawks are No. 3. Stout split their series with the Warhawks this year, winning the first, 85-72, in January, but falling, 89-82, in February in Whitewater. **Last week:** The Blue Devils defeated UW-Superior, 70-61, Feb. 13 to wrap-up the regular season. **Player of the week:** Steve Krueger, Sr, Three Lakes, Wis.

### ICE HOCKEY

The Blue Devils (11-15-1, 4-10-0 NCHA, 2-6-0 WIAC) closed out the season last weekend with two losses in the NCHA quarterfinals at UW-Stevens Point, dropping a 5-2 decision, Feb. 15 and a 7-5 setback, Feb. 16. **Player of the week:** Nate Anderson, Fr, Rosemount, Minn.

### GYMNASTICS

The Blue Devils will participate in the WIAC Championships, Friday, Feb. 22 at UW-River Falls. Stout's Tasha Pasch is the two-time defending WIAC all-around champion and last year won the balance beam crown. **Last week:** The Blue Devils lost to UW-Eau Claire, 171.55-167.10, Feb. 15. **Gymnast of the week:** Tasha Pasch, Jr, Northfield, Minn.

### WOMEN'S TRACK & FIELD

The Blue Devils will conduct their final home meet of the season when they host the Blue Devil Invitational, Friday, Feb. 22 at 4 p.m. **Last week:** The Blue Devils competed at the unscored Wisconsin/Minnesota Challenge at UW-Eau Claire, Feb. 16. **Track athlete of the week:** Heather Stiles, So, Eden Prairie, Minn.

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### BASEBALL

The UW-Stout baseball team is gearing up for their season opener, Monday, March 4, at the Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome when they face the University of Dubuque at 12:30 p.m. Craig Walter takes over the reins as head coach.

## BLUE DEVILS DON'T MESS AROUND, CLAIM OUTRIGHT WIAC TITLE

**SUPERIOR** - From top to bottom, the UW-Stout women's basketball team knew they had a job to do - and that was to win the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WIAC) title outright. The Blue Devils took care of business early and often as they closed out the regular season with a 91-53 win at UW-Superior, Wednesday, Feb. 13. The outright conference title is not only the basketball program's first outright, but for the entire Blue Devil women's program. Stout shared the title in the 1996-97 season.

There was very little drama in this game as Stout (20-4, 15-1) raced out to an 8-0 lead with four minutes off the clock, then moved out to a 23-5 lead with 11 minutes left in the half. Stout held a 45-22 halftime lead. Stout's biggest lead was 41 points, 84-43, with four minutes remaining in the game. Stout scored 44 points off turnovers, forcing 36 Superior turnovers. The Blue Devils got 51 points from their bench players, while Superior's bench scored 18. Stout's **Tanya Halbach (Jr, Janesville)** led all scorers with 17 points. **Erin Churchill (Fr, Plum City)** was only other Blue Devil in double digits with 10. Churchill had six steals. **Amy Zelinger (Sr, Racine)** scored eight points to run her career totals to 988 points. The Yellowjackets (3-20, 0-15) got 13 points from Lindsey Anderson, 12 points from Stephanie Janigo and 10 points and 14 rebounds from Heidi McKay.

The 20 wins in the season is one short of the most in a season, a mark Stout has hit twice in their history (1992-93, 1993-94). This is the first time Stout has won 15 games in conference play. The win gave Stout a 10-game winning streak, their third longest in team history and their longest since 1993-94 when they ran off 15 straight wins.

As the No. 1 seed in the WIAC tournament, Stout will play host as long as they keep on winning. The tournament opens Monday, Feb. 18 at 7 p.m. The semi-finals are Wednesday, Feb. 20 and the finals are Saturday, Feb. 23.

## BLUE DEVIL MEN SNAP FIVE GAME LOSING SKID

**MENOMONIE** - **Steve Krueger (Sr, Three Lakes)** returned to midseason form and led UW-Stout to a 70-61 win over UW-Superior to snap a five game losing streak, Wednesday, Feb. 13 at Johnson Fieldhouse. Krueger, who had sunk into a slump and was pulled from the starting line-up three games ago, responded to his first start since then by pouring in 26 points, 15 in the first half as Stout jumped out to a 39-22 halftime lead. Krueger was 7-for-9 in the first half and finished the game hitting 9-of-12 shots from the floor. Krueger connected on 8-of-9 free throws for the game. The Blue Devils (12-12, 7-9) ran their lead out to as much as 19 points several times in the second half. **Andy Bray (So, Menominee, Mich)** came off the bench to score 14 points, while **Casey Chapman (Jr, Hartland)** scored 12 and **Dave Larson (Sr, LaCrescent, Minn)** added 10. The Blue Devils had nine blocked shots on the evening, holding Superior to only 33 percent shooting from the floor. Krueger had three blocks, while **Dave Loewe (Sr, Hiles)**, Bray and **Nate Templer (So, Beaver Dam)** each had two. The Yellowjackets (11-13, 3-12) had four players in double digits. Jason Strilzuk led the way with 19 points, while Brandon Vesel chipped in 18. Dan DeFoe came off the bench to score 12 points, the only bench player to score. Alin Andre added 10 points.

Stout will take to the road for the WIAC tournament beginning Tuesday, Feb. 19.

## POINTERS PUT END TO BLUE DEVILS HOCKEY SEASON IN QUARTERFINALS

**STEVENS POINT** - A comeback by UW-Stout fell just short as the Blue Devils were eliminated, 7-5, by UW-Stevens Point in the first round of the Northern Collegiate Athletic Conference (NCHA) tournament, Saturday, Feb. 16 in Stevens Point. After dropping a 5-2 decision the night before, all did not look good for the Blue Devils heading into the final period in the best of three series. Trailing 5-2, the Blue Devils (11-15-1) scored three goals over the first 12 minutes of the period to knot the score. **Tony Ross (So, Buffalo, Minn)** got the Blue Devils going only three minutes into the stanza, getting an assist from **Tony Tomaino (Fr, Duluth, Minn)** and **Cullen Flaherty (Jr, Duluth, Minn)**. Stout pulled to within 5-4 on a power play goal by **Aaron Decker (Sr, Mound, Minn)**, assisted by **Dan Moes (Jr, North St. Paul, Minn)** and **Cale Finseth (So, Austin, Minn)** at the 11 minute mark. Three minutes later, **Nathan Legler (So, Lakeville, Minn)** tied the score with eight minutes remaining, assisted by **Matt Olson (Sr, Buffalo, Minn)** and Moes. After a number attacks, the Pointers (17-8-2) pierced the Stout net with a goal by Randy Enders with three minutes left. Stout pulled the goalie in attempt to force the tie, but the Pointers' Mike Brolsma got his hat trick with the empty net to seal the win. The Pointers advance to the championship round, Friday, March 1 at St. Norbert College.

## POINTERS SCORE THREE GOALS IN FINAL PERIOD TO DOWN STOUT

**STEVENS POINT** - UW-Stevens Point scored three goals in the final period - including an empty net goal - to down UW-Stout, 5-2, in the opening game of the Northern Collegiate Hockey Association (NCHA) tournament, Friday, Feb. 15 at Stevens Point. With the scored knotted at 2-2 heading into the third, the Pointers scored with about nine minutes remaining to go up 3-2. Stevens Point (16-8-2) added a goal with about two minutes left, then put in an empty net goal in the final minute to hand Stout a loss. During the season, Stevens Point won both meetings in overtime. The Blue Devils (11-14-1) jumped into the early lead when **Lewie Kellin (So, Cohasset, Minn)** scored three minutes into the game, getting assists from **Dan Riffe (So, Byron, Ill)** and **Jake Hemmah (Fr, Red Wing, Minn)**. The Pointers scored off the power play midway through the first period to knot the score. Stout took the lead again, this time midway through the second period with a **Cale Finseth (So, Austin, Minn)** goal and assist by **Aaron Decker (Sr, Mound, Minn)**. But that would be it as the Pointers scored the final four goals of the game, closing out the second period when Bryan Fricke scored his first of two goals. Stout's **Nate Anderson (Fr, Rosemount, Minn)** recorded 36 saves, while the Pointers' Bob Gould had 15 saves.

## TASHA PASCH TAKES THREE EVENTS, MANDI NEUMAN WINS BEAM

**MENOMONIE** - UW-Stout's **Tasha Pasch (Jr, Northfield, Minn)** won three events and **Mandi Neuman (Fr, St. Paul, Minn)** captured the balance beam, but the Blue Devils fell, 171.55-167.10, to UW-Eau Claire, Friday, Feb. 15 at Johnson Fieldhouse. Pasch took the vault (9.25), the floor exercise (9.35) and the all-around (35.85). Neuman scored the top score on the beam (8.75). Pasch was second in the uneven bars (8.65) and fourth on the beam (8.60). **Erika Opoien (Jr, Superior)** was second on the vault (9.00) with her best score of the season. Opoien tied for third on the bars (8.55), was third in the all-around (34.70) and was fourth on the floor (8.85). The Blue Devils will be at the WIAC Championships, Friday, Feb. 22 at UW-River Falls.

### UW-Eau Claire 171.55, UW-Stout 167.10

**Vault:** 1. Tasha Pasch (Stout) 9.25; 2. Erika Opoien (S) 9.00; 3. Kristina Reitzel (EC) 8.975; 4. Alison Eagles (EC) 8.95; 5. Adria Walin (EC) 8.675; 6. Jill Birschbach (S) 8.45; 7. Lisa Harris (EC) 8.40; 8. Erin Henrich (EC) 8.35; 9. Sarah Aldridge (EC), Mandi Neuman (S) 8.10; 11. Jennie Rosinsky (S) 7.60; 12. Scarlett Ramey (S) 7.25; **Uneven bars:** 1. Kristina Reitzel (EC) 8.90; 2. Tasha Pasch (S) 8.65; 3. Adria Walin (EC), Erika Opoien (S) 8.55; 5. Alison Eagles (EC) 8.40; 6. Mandi Neuman (S) 8.350; 7. Lacey Schroedl (S) 8.05; 8. Sarah Aldridge (EC), Amy Berg (EC) 7.75; 10. Joy Donaldson (EC) 7.70; 11. Scarlett Ramey (S) 6.95; Exh: Alicia Geving (EC) 7.40; Lara Harris (EC) 6.20; **Balance beam:** 1. Mandi Neuman (S) 8.75; 2. Alison Eagles (EC), Adria Walin (EC) 8.60; 4. Tasha Pasch (S) 8.60; 5. Sarah Aldridge (EC) 8.45; 6. Joy Donaldson (EC), Erin Henrich (EC) 8.35; 8. Erika Opoien (S) 8.30; 9. Kristina Reitzel (EC) 7.70; 10. Jill Birschbach (S) 7.40; 11. Jennie Rosinsky (S) 7.30; 12. Scarlett Ramey (S) 5.90; Exh: Melissa Nguyen (EC) 7.85; Jessica Kitchner (EC) 7.75; **Floor exercise:** 1. Tasha Pasch (S) 9.35; 2. Adria Walin (EC) 9.25; 3. Kristina Reitzel (EC) 9.10; 4. Erika Opoien (S) 8.85; 5. Alison Eagles (EC), Sarah Aldridge (EC), Mandi Neuman (S) 8.70; 8. Amy Berg (EC) 8.65; 9. Jennie Rosinsky (S) 8.55; 10. Jill Birschbach (S) 8.35; 11. Melissa Nguyen (EC) 8.20; 12. Scarlett Ramey (S) 8.00; Exh: Erin Henrich 8.60. **All-around:** 1. Tasha Pasch (S) 35.85; 2. Adria Walin (EC) 35.125; 3. Erika Opoien 34.70; 4. Alison Eagles (EC) 34.70; 5. Kristina Reitzel (EC) 34.675; 6. Mandi Neuman (S) 33.90; 7. Sarah Aldridge (EC) 33.00; 8. Scarlett Ramey (S) 28.10.

## JENNEY LUER OUTTHROWS THE COMPETITION AT EAU CLAIRE MEET

**EAU CLAIRE** - UW-Stout's **Jenny Luer (Sr, Colfax)** matched the NCAA Division III automatic qualifying distance in finishing first in the shot put at the Wisconsin/Minnesota Challenge at UW-Eau Claire, Saturday, Feb. 16. The toss this time was not as dramatic as the last time Luer threw, when she shattered the school indoor record with a throw well over 45 feet. At Eau Claire, Luer simply outpaced the field by more than three feet with a mark of 43-feet, 11.25-inches. **Heather Stiles (So, Eden Prairie, Minn)** was second in the 600-meter run (1:44.72) and **Heidi Bedsted (Jr, Plainview, Minn)** placed third in the 5000-meter run (19:36.45). Stout returns home Friday, Feb. 22 for the Blue Devil Invitational at 4 p.m.

### Individual Results

#### (First place, all Stout finishers)

**55:** Katie Miller (EC) 7.56; 8. Sarah Jenne 8.19; 9. Sara Manion 8.26; **200:** 1. Rebecca Brandner (EC) 27.05; 8. Sarah Jenne 29.10; 9. Danielle Wojcik 29.40; 12. Tricia Lipke 29.92; 13. Marci Schachtner 30.04; 17. Sharon Klingen 30.93; 18. Kristin Becker 33.10; **400:** 1. Breanna McMullen (EC) 59.65; 5. Angie McConnell 1:03.28; 11. Lisnday Steinmeyer 1:06.92; 14. Kelly Young 1:09.79; **600:** Kit Neubauer (St. Ben) 1:43.44; 2. Heather Stiles 1:44.72; **800:** 1. Jane Ovanin (EC) 2:24.29; 13. Michelle Beckman 2:42.22; 14. Denise Hady 2:43.45; **1500:** 1. Melissa Wright (EC) 4:58.93; 5. Amy Arndt 5:13.65; 6. Tracy Oostdyk 5:16.65; 11. Mara Anderson 5:39.95; 13. Valori Schaffer 5:48.80; 14. Jenny Hopps 5:50.07; **3000:** 1. Steph Noonan (St. Ben) 11:09.23; 6. Terra Dahlheimer 11:46.83; 11. Nacole Ewerdt 12:14.24; **5000:** 1. Jane Ovanin (EC) 17:50.52; 3. Heidi Bedsted 19:36.45; **55-hurdles:** 1. Breana McMullen (EC) 8.490; 10. Linnea Kersten 10.51; 11. Amy Beigel 10.64; **4X200-relay:** 1. Eau Claire 1:48.27; 3. Stout A 1:56.13; 5. Stout B 1:57.65; **4X400-relay:** 1. Eau Claire 4:06.10; 6. Stout A 4:32.20; 8. Stout B 4:42.35; 9. Stout 4:50.42;

**High jump:** 1. Kady Kleven (RF) 5-5; 9. Amy Beigel 4-7; 10. Sara Manion 4-3.25; 12. Marci Schachtner 4-01.25; **Long jump:** 1. Nicole Pronschinske (RF) 16-9.25; 11. Marci Schachtner 13-1.50; 13. Sarah Manion 12-6; **Shot put:** 1. Jenny Luer (Stout) 43-11.25a; 9. Tabitha Martin 33-10.75; 12. Marci Schachtner 33-1.75; 19. Donna Goodman 29-1.75; 22. Wendy Keller 26-11; **20-lb wt:** 1. Anna Nelson (EC) 44-0.75; 12. Donna Goodman 30-0.25; 13. Wendy Keller 27-6.50.

## JEFF ROTERING WINS VAULT, DAVE HANSON RUNNER-UP IN HURDLES

**EAU CLAIRE** - UW-Stout's **Jeff Rotering (Sr, Waumandee)** won the pole vault and Dave Hanson (Jr, Sun Prairie) was runner-up in the 55-meter hurdles at the Wisconsin/Minnesota Challenge at UW-Eau Claire, Saturday, Feb. 16. Rotering, who has already qualified to the NCAA Division III Championships, cleared 14-feet, 9.50-inches to win the pole vault. Hanson clocked a 7.87 second finish to place second in the hurdle event. Hanson was fourth in the 200-meter dash (23.06). **Kevin Riester (So, Red Wing, Minn)** was third in the 600-meter run (1:24.11) and **Justin Zymewski (Fr, Houston, Minn)** was third in the high jump (6-6.75). The 4x200-meter relay team won the event (1:31.55). Stout returns home Friday, Feb. 22 for the Blue Devil Invitational at 4 p.m.

### Individual Results

#### (First place, all Stout finishers)

**55:** David Hanson (EC) 6.55; 11. Steve Wenhardt 6.96; **200:** 1. David Hanson (EC) 22.68; 4. Dave Hanson 23.06; 6. Mike Twining 23.18; 7. Sam Werner, Brady Hurtgen 23.25; 9. Brad Vick 23.40; 11. Matt Schlough 23.74; 12. Tim Faber 23.82; 22. Steve Wenhardt 24.91; **400:** 1. John Brumund-Smith (EC) 50.25; 5. James Dvorak 52.18; 6. Steven Floyd 52.56; **600:** 1. Sean Gavigan (EC) 1:22.32; 3. Kevin Riester 1:24.11; 8. Scott Barthel 1:26.79; **1000:** 1. Matt Goertz (EC) 2:35.29; 11. John Maresh 2:47.83; **1500:** 1. Andrew Cole (St. Olaf) 4:04.48; 10. Chris Emerson 4:18.40; **3000:** 1. Eric Jajtner (EC) 8:53.40; 15. Ryan Chernik 9:34.90; 16. Tim King 9:54.57; 17. Todd Dexheimer 10:17.60; **5000:** 1. Rich Maleniak (EC) 15:09.07; 4. Dave Huber 15:39.75; 5. Ethan Webinger 15:41.00; **55-hurdles:** 1. Craig Benson (St. Thomas) 7.79; 2. Dave Hanson (St. Thomas) 7.87; 5. Jeff Miller 8.27; 6. Aaron Revitius 8.32; **4X200-relay:** 1. Stout 1:31.55; **4X400-relay:** 1. St. Olaf 3:22.29; 4. Stout 3:25.56; 5. Stout B 3:32.87;

**High jump:** 1. Cory Dingels (St. Olaf) 6-8.75; 3. Justin Zymewski 6-6.75; 6. Jay Sitek 5-8.75; **Pole vault:** 1. Jeff Rotering (Stout) 14-9.50; 4. Aric Hanusa 14-3.50; 7. Lewis Cassellius 13-9.75; **Long jump:** 1. Scott Whirry (EC) 23-1.25; 4. Mark Swenson 20-7.75; 7. Nate Olsen 19-1.50; 8. Jay Sitek 16-9.75; **Triple jump:** 1. Tommy Ngo (Unattached) 47-6.25; 9. Nate Olsen 38-10.50; **35-lb wt:** 1. Glen Rogers (EC) 54-9.25; 7. Dave Luety 36-8.50.

## TONY BECKHAM NAMED BLUE DEVIL FOOTBALL MVP

**MENOMONIE** - All-America defensive back **Tony Beckham (Sr, Ocala, Fla)** was named the most valuable player of the 2001 University of Wisconsin-Stout football team, head football coach Ed Meierkort announced at the annual football banquet, Sunday, Feb. 17. Beckham was named to the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA) All-America team and played in the Blue Gray Senior Classic and the Rotary Gridiron All-Star Classic.

Linebacker **Jamie Spielman (Jr, Menomonie)** was named the most valuable defensive player and running back **Luke Bundgaard (So, Weyerhauser)** was named the most valuable offensive player. Defensive lineman **Joe Kersten (So, Menasha)** was named the most improved player.

Senior awards went to: fullback **Eric Baker (Sarona/Spooner HS)**; defensive back **Tony Beckham (Ocala, Fla./Forest HS)**; running back/receiver **Mark Bergman (Grantsburg)**; tight end **Brian Johnson (Hudson)**.

The Blue Devils finished the 2001 season with a 6-3 overall record, 4-3 in the Wisconsin Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (WIAC), good for third place.

### 2001 UW-Stout Football Awards

**Most Valuable Player:** Tony Beckham (Sr, Ocala, Fla); **Most Valuable Defensive Player:** Jamie Spielman (Jr, Menomonie, Wis); **Most Valuable Offensive Player:** Nick Ohman (Fr, Glenwood City, Wis); **Most Valuable Special Teams Player:** Chris Parent (Fr, Racine, Wis); **Outstanding Defensive Back:** Tony Beckham (Sr, Ocala, Fla.); **Outstanding Linebacker:** Mark Ralph (Jr, Colfax, Wis); **Outstanding Defensive Lineman:** Matt Mueller (So, Chaska, Minn); **Outstanding Offensive Back:** Luke Bundgaard (So, Weyerhauser, Wis.); **Outstanding Receiver:** Brian Johnson (Sr, Hudson, Wis); **Outstanding Offensive Lineman:** Josh Towner (So, La Crosse, Wis); **Offensive Scout Player of the Year:** John Hendricks (Fr, Ramsey, Minn); **Defensive Scout Player of the Year:** Bobby Langston (Fr, Milwaukee, Wis); **Freshman of the Year:** Julio Vargas (Fr, Luxemburg, Wis); **Outstanding Newcomer:** Chuck Vander Linden (So, Golden Valley, Minn); **Most Improved Player:** Joe Kersten (So, Menasha, Wis); **Coaches Award:** Mark Bergman (Sr, Grantsburg, Wis).

## Men's Basketball Record: 12-12, 7-9

**Date / Opponent / Time or Result**  
Fri., Nov. 16 / University of Mary / L 75-74  
Sat., Nov. 17 / West Con Ind. (Exh) / W 80-68  
Tues., Nov. 20 / at St. John's / W 72-65  
Wed., Nov. 21 / at Southwest St. / L 67-58  
Fri., Nov. 23 / at Huron State Tourney / TBA  
vs. Huron, W 73-55  
Sat., Nov. 24 / at Huron State Tourney / TBA  
vs. NW Missouri State, L 85-48  
Tues., Nov. 27 / Northland College / W 105-48  
Sat., Dec. 1 / UW-Platteville\* / W 87-58  
Wed., Dec. 5 / at UW-La Crosse\* / L 65-60  
Sat., Dec. 8 / UW-Stevens Point\* / W 72-61  
Wed., Dec. 12 / at UW-Eau Claire\* / W 80-74  
Sat., Dec. 15 / Viterbo University / W 71-53  
Wed., Jan. 2 / at UW-River Falls\* / L 79-61  
Sat., Jan. 5 / UW-Oshkosh\* / L 73-68 OT  
Wed., Jan. 9 / at UW-Superior\* / L 55-52  
Sat., Jan. 12 / UW-Whitewater\* / W 85-72  
Thurs., Jan. 17 / at Northwestern College / W 79-60  
Sat., Jan. 19 / at UW-Stevens Point\* / W 95-87  
Wed., Jan. 23 / UW-La Crosse\* / W 78-63  
Sat., Jan. 26 / at UW-Platteville\* / L 58-51  
Wed., Jan. 30 / UW-Eau Claire\* / L 69-67  
Sat., Feb. 2 / at UW-Oshkosh\* / L 66-64 OT  
Wed., Feb. 6 / UW-River Falls\* / L 70-68  
Sat., Feb. 9 / at UW-Whitewater\* / L 89-82  
Wed., Feb. 13 / UW-Superior\* / W 70-61  
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\*denotes WIAC games

## Women's Basketball Record: 20-4, 15-1

**Date / Opponent / Time or Result**  
Sat., Nov. 17 / at U of Chicago Tournament / 2/4 p.m.  
vs. Nazareth, NY, College, W 79-62  
Sun., Nov. 18 / at U of Chicago Tournament / 11 a.m./1 p.m.  
vs. U of Chicago, W 62-57  
Tues., Nov. 20 / at Northwestern College / L 81-71  
Sat., Nov. 24 / at Washington Univ. Tourney / 1 p.m.  
vs. Swarthmore, W 74-64  
Sun., Nov. 25 / at Washington Univ. Tourney / 1/3 p.m.  
vs. Washington, L 101-47  
Tues., Nov. 27 / Northland College / W 79-61  
Sat., Dec. 1 / at UW-Platteville\* / W 86-79  
Wed., Dec. 5 / UW-La Crosse\* / W 92-72  
Sat., Dec. 8 / at UW-Stevens Point\* / W 72-71  
Wed., Dec. 12 / UW-Eau Claire\* / W 87-79  
Fri., Dec. 28 / UW-Stout Snowflake Jamboree / W 91-74  
vs. Dubuque  
Sat., Dec. 29 / UW-Stout Snowflake Jamboree / L 66-63  
vs. Tir-Slate  
Wed., Jan. 2 / UW-River Falls\* / W 63-57  
Sat., Jan. 5 / at UW-Oshkosh\* / L 88-60  
Wed., Jan. 9 / UW-Superior\* / W 110-71  
Sat., Jan. 12 / at UW-Whitewater\* / W 82-79  
Sat., Jan. 19 / UW-Stevens Point\* / W 82-64  
Wed., Jan. 23 / at UW-La Crosse\* / W 95-84  
Sat., Jan. 26 / UW-Platteville\* / W 77-64  
Wed., Jan. 30 / at UW-Eau Claire\* / W 71-65  
Sat., Feb. 2 / UW-Oshkosh\* / W 72-71  
Wed., Feb. 6 / at UW-River Falls\* / W 72-65  
Sat., Feb. 9 / UW-Whitewater\* / W 80-62  
Wed., Feb. 13 / at UW-Superior\* / W 91-53  
Mon., Feb. 18 / WIAC Quarterfinals / 7 p.m.  
vs. UW-Superior  
Wed., Feb. 20 / WIAC Semi-Finals / 7 p.m.  
Sat., Feb. 23 / WIAC Championships / 7 p.m.  
Wed., Feb. 27 / NCAA Round 1 / 7 p.m.  
Sat., March 2 / NCAA Round 2 / 3/7 p.m.  
March 8-9 / NCAA Sectionals / 6/8 p.m.  
March 15-16 / NCAA Finals / 6/8 p.m.  
\*denotes WIAC game  
2001-02 WIAC Champions

## Ice Hockey Final Record: 11-15-1, 4-10\*, 2-6^

**Date / Opponent / Time or Result**  
Fri., Oct. 26 / at Lawrence / W 5-1  
Sat., Oct. 27 / at Lawrence / W 8-2  
Fri., Nov. 2 / UW-Stevens Point\*\* / L 2-1 OT  
Sat., Nov. 3 / UW-Eau Claire\*\* / L 6-2  
Fri., Nov. 9 / UW-Superior\*\* / L 5-4 OT  
Sat., Nov. 10 / St. Scholastica\* / L 7-2  
Fri., Nov. 16 / at Bethel / W 8-6  
Sat., Nov. 17 / at Hamline / W 2-1  
Sat., Nov. 30 / at St. Norbert\* / L 7-5  
Sat., Dec. 1 / at Lake Forest\* / L 3-1  
Fri., Dec. 7 / St. Mary's / L 3-2 OT  
Sat., Dec. 8 / St. Thomas / L 6-3  
Sat., Dec. 15 / Augsburg / T 2-2 OT  
Fri., Jan. 4 / at Gustavus Adolphus / W 5-3  
Sat., Jan. 5 / St. Olaf / L 2-1 OT  
Fri., Jan. 11 / MSOE / W 8-4  
Sat., Jan. 12 / MSOE / W 9-4  
Fri., Jan. 18 / UW-River Falls\*\* / W 2-1 OT  
Sat., Jan. 19 / at UW-River Falls\*\* / L 5-0  
Thurs., Jan. 24 / at UW-Eau Claire\*\* / W 8-2  
Sat., Jan. 26 / at UW-Stevens Point\*\* / L 4-3 OT  
Fri., Feb. 1 / at St. Scholastica\* / W 4-3  
Sat., Feb. 2 / at UW-Superior\*\* / L 10-2  
Fri., Feb. 8 / Lake Forest\* / W 2-0  
Sat., Feb. 9 / St. Norbert\* / L 6-1  
Fri., Feb. 15 / at NCHA Quarterfinals / L 5-2  
at UW-Stevens Point  
Sat., Feb. 16 / at NCHA Quarterfinals / L 7-5  
at UW-Stevens Point  
March 1-2 / NCHA Finals / TBA  
March 8-9 / NCAA Playoffs begin / TBA  
\*denotes NCHA game ^denotes WIAC game

## Gymnastics

**Date / Opponent / Time or Result**  
Fri., Dec. 7 / at UW-Oshkosh / 3rd of 3, 157.225  
Fri., Dec. 14 / at UW-River Falls / 4th of 4, 160.65  
Fri., Jan. 11 / at Hamline / L 171.525-160.85  
Mon., Jan. 14 / at Gustavus / L 174.70-165.825  
Fri., Jan. 18 / at Seattle Pacific / 3rd of 3  
Seattle Pacific 190.325; UC Davis 189.300; UW-Stout 172.575  
Wed., Jan. 30 / at Winona State / L 177.475-164.15  
Fri., Feb. 1 / at UW-Whitewater / L 175.525-166.25  
Fri., Feb. 8 / at UW-River Falls / 4th of 4, 170.30  
Fri., Feb. 15 / UW-Eau Claire / L 171.55-167.10  
Fri., Feb. 22 / at WIAC Championships / 7 p.m.  
at River Falls  
Fri., March 1 / John Zuerlein Invite / 7 p.m.  
w/LaCrosse, Gustavus Adolphus, Winona  
Fri., March 8 / at NCGA West Reg's / 6 p.m.  
at Gustavus Adolphus, St. Peter, Minn.  
March 22-23 / at NCGA Nationals / TBA  
at Ithaca, NY, College

## Men's Track & Field

**Indoor**  
**Date / Opponent / Time or Result**  
Fri., Jan. 18 / UW-Stout Quad / not scored  
Sat., Jan. 26 / at St. Mary's Invite / not scored  
Sat., Feb. 2 / UW-Stout Invite / 2nd of 5  
Fri., Feb. 8 / UW-Stout Pentangular / 2nd of 5  
Sat., Feb. 9 / Warren Bowls Invite / Noon  
Sat., Feb. 16 / at Wis/Minn Challenge / 4th of 4  
Fri., Feb. 22 / Blue Devil Invite / 4 p.m.  
March 1-2 / at WIAC Championships / TBA  
Whitewater, Wis.  
March 8-9 / at NCAA DIII Championships / TBA  
(Ohio Northern hosts)  
**Outdoor**  
March 15-20 / at Spring Break Trip / TBA  
San Diego, Calif  
Sat., April 6 / at St. Thomas Invite / 11 a.m.  
Sat., April 13 / at UW-La Crosse Triangular / 10:30 a.m.  
Sat., April 20 / at Carleton Relays / TBA  
Sat., April 27 / at UW-La Crosse Classic / 10:30 a.m.  
May 3-4 / at WIAC Championships / 11 a.m.  
La Crosse, Wis.  
Wed., May 8 / at UW-La Crosse Qualifier / 3 p.m.  
Sat., May 11 / at U of Minnesota Qualifier / 4 a.m.  
May 23-25 / at NCAA DIII Championships / TBA  
Minneapolis, Minn.

## Women's Track & Field

**Indoor**  
**Date / Opponent / Time or Result**  
Fri., Jan. 18 / UW-Stout Quad / not scored  
Sat., Jan. 26 / at St. Mary's Invite / not scored  
Sat., Feb. 2 / UW-Stout Invite / 1st of 4  
Fri., Feb. 8 / UW-Stout Pentangular / 2nd of 5  
Sat., Feb. 16 / at Wis/Minn Challenge / 4th of 4  
Fri., Feb. 22 / Blue Devil Invite / 4 p.m.  
March 1-2 / at WIAC Championships / TBA  
Whitewater, Wis.  
March 8-9 / at NCAA DIII Championships / TBA  
(Ohio Northern hosts)  
**Outdoor**  
March 15-20 / at Spring Break Trip / TBA  
San Diego, Calif  
Sat., April 6 / at St. Thomas Invite / 11 a.m.  
Sat., April 13 / at Gustavus Adolphus Invite / 10:30 a.m.  
Sat., April 20 / at St. Olaf Relays / TBA  
Sat., April 27 / at UW-La Crosse Classic / 10:30 a.m.  
May 3-4 / at WIAC Championships / 11 a.m.  
La Crosse, Wis.  
Wed., May 8 / at UW-La Crosse Qualifier / 3 p.m.  
Sat., May 11 / at U of Minnesota Qualifier / 4 a.m.  
May 23-25 / at NCAA DIII Championships / TBA  
Minneapolis, Minn.