



MILWAUKEE VOLLEYBALL GAME NOTES

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2025 SCHEDULE / RESULTS

DATE	OPPONENT	TV	TIME
AUGUST			
29	at Omaha	ESPN	L, 0-3
30	at Omaha	ESPN	L, 0-3
SEPTEMBER			
5	IOWA STATE	ESPN+	L, 0-3
6	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	ESPN+	L, 0-3
7	SOUTH ALABAMA	ESPN+	L, 1-3
9	at Wisconsin	BIG+	L, 0-3
12	vs. James Madison		L, 1-3
13	vs. Ball State		L, 0-3
14	at Marquette	ESPN+	L, 0-3
17	DEPAUL	ESPN+	L, 2-3
19	vs. Grand Canyon		L, 0-3
20	vs. Pepperdine		L, 0-3
21	at Arizona State	ESPN+	L, 0-3
26	OAKLAND *	ESPN+	6:00 pm
27	OAKLAND *	ESPN+	2:00 pm
30	GREEN BAY *	ESPN+	6:00 pm
OCTOBER			
3	at IU Indy *		5:00 pm
4	at IU Indy *		1:00 pm
10	NORTHERN KENTUCKY *		6:00 pm
11	NORTHERN KENTUCKY *		1:00 pm
17	at Wright State *		5:00 pm
18	at Wright State *		1:00 pm
24	at Youngstown State *		3:00 pm
25	at Youngstown State *		10:00 am
28	at Green Bay *		6:00 pm
31	PURDUE FORT WAYNE *	ESPN+	6:00 pm
NOVEMBER			
1	PURDUE FORT WAYNE *	ESPN+	2:00 pm
7	ROBERT MORRIS *		6:00 pm
8	ROBERT MORRIS *		2:00 pm
14	at Cleveland State *		5:00 pm
15	at Cleveland State *		1:00 pm
21	Horizon Quarterfinals ^	ESPN+	TBD
22	Horizon Semifinals ^	ESPN+	TBD
23	Horizon Championship ^	ESPN+	TBD

*Horizon League Game | ^ Horizon Postseason
All times Central

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SEPTEMBER 26-27, 2025 MILWAUKEE vs. OAKLAND

Milwaukee, Wis. | Klotsche Center | Friday at 6:00 pm | Saturday at 2:00 pm



PANTHERS

0-13 Overall
0-0 Horizon

HOME 0-4

AWAY 0-5

NEUTRAL 0-4

SUSIE JOHNSON (19th Season)

Career Record: 325-284

Record at Milwaukee: 305-237



GOLDEN GRIZZLIES

0-12 Overall
0-0 Horizon

HOME 0-3

AWAY 0-5

NEUTRAL 0-4

KRISTA RICE (Fourth Season)

Career Record: 36-67

Record at Oakland: Same

SERIES HISTORY

ALL-TIME SERIES

Milwaukee leads, 17-9

CURRENT STREAK

Milwaukee, 10 Wins

HOME / AWAY / NEUTRAL

9-3 / 8-5 / 0-1

LAST FIVE MEETINGS

Sept. 28, 2024	Milwaukee, 3-2
Sept. 27, 2024	Milwaukee, 3-2
Nov. 11, 2023	Milwaukee, 3-0
Oct. 13, 2023	Milwaukee, 3-0
Nov. 4, 2022	Milwaukee, 3-0

HEAD TO HEAD

MILWAUKEE	CATEGORY	OAKLAND
456	Kills	>> 500
261	Errors	>> 239
1,426	Attempts	>> 1,706
.137	Attacking Percent	>> .163
10.6	Kills per Set	>> 11.4
431	Assists	>> 456
10.0	Assists per Set	>> 10.4
37	Service Aces	>> 47
0.9	Aces per Set	>> 1.1
96	Reception Errors	>> 79
518	Digs	>> 669
12.0	Digs per Set	>> 15.2
74.0	Total Blocks	68.0
1.7	Blocks per Set	1.5

FIRST SERVE

» After playing eight non-conference matches over the past two weeks, the Milwaukee volleyball team will shift its focus to Horizon League play this weekend as the Panthers play host to the Oakland Golden Grizzlies for two matches. The Klotsche Center will be abuzz on Friday evening at 6:00 p.m. and Saturday afternoon at 2:00 p.m.

» Milwaukee enters the week off a trip to Arizona State, where the Panthers competed against three strong contenders from each of their respective conferences: Grand Canyon of the Mountain West, Pepperdine of the West Coast, and Arizona State of the Big 12.

» This weekend will be the Panthers' first home match since Sept. 17, which was also the team's best chance at cashing in a victory as the DePaul Blue Demons erased a 2-0 deficit to complete the reverse sweep with an 18-16 fifth-set win.

» During the team's most recent match on Sunday afternoon, senior Josie Johnson became just the 10th all-time member of the 2,000 assist club.

» In addition to Johnson's record of 2,000 assists, Kara Erdmann moved up the all-time digs list and now sits at 1,329 for her career. The number ties her with Leanne Felsing, who finished her career sixth on the all-time digs list.

» Milwaukee enters this weekend on a 10-match winning streak against Oakland, having not lost a match since Nov. 8 of the 2019 season. Last season was close, however, as the Grizzlies forced both matches to five sets at the O'Rena.

» The Panthers have won their last four Horizon League conference opening matches, defeating Oakland (3-2) in 2024, IU Indy (3-0) in 2023, Purdue Fort Wayne (3-0) in 2022 and (3-1) in 2021.

» Milwaukee has opened the home conference schedule just once before against Oakland, which was the Golden Grizzlies' first-ever Horizon League match on Sept. 27, 2013, a 3-1 win for Milwaukee at the Klotsche Center.

**General Information**

Location	Milwaukee, Wis.
Founded	1885
Enrollment	22,882
Nickname	Panthers
Colors	Black and Gold
Facility / Capacity	Klotsche Center / 2,500
Affiliation	NCAA Division I
Conference	Horizon League
Chancellor	Dr. Thomas Gibson
Director of Athletics	Amanda Braun
Associate AD/SWA	Kathy Litau
Ticket Office Phone	414-229-5886

Team History

First Year of Volleyball	1973
All-Time Record	1173-717-9
First Year in Division I	1990
NCAA Division I Record	606-464
NCAA Tournament Appearances	10
Last NCAA Appearance	2013
Last NCAA Opponent	Wisconsin
Result	L, 3-0

Volleyball Staff

Head Coach	Susie Johnson
	Idaho State '93
Office Phone	414-229-4483
Associate Head Coach	Lindsey Vanden Berg
	Milwaukee '03
Assistant Coach	Katie Adams
	Parkside '19
Assistant Coach	Raina Terry
	Illinois '24

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2025 HORIZON LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	Horizon League			Overall			Strk
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.	
Wright State	-	-	---	6	5	.545	W1
IU Indy	-	-	---	6	6	.500	L1
Youngstown State	-	-	---	5	6	.455	L2
Northern Kentucky	-	-	---	4	7	.364	L1
Robert Morris	-	-	---	4	7	.364	W3
Cleveland State	-	-	---	2	9	.182	L1
Purdue Fort Wayne	-	-	---	2	9	.182	L2
Green Bay	-	-	---	1	10	.091	L7
Oakland	-	-	---	0	12	.000	L12
Milwaukee	-	-	---	0	13	.000	L13

AROUND THE HORIZON LEAGUE

Sept. 18	Kent State at Cleveland State	Cleveland State, 3-0
	Akron at Youngstown State	Akron, 3-1
	Western Michigan at Green Bay	Western Michigan, 3-2
	Eastern Michigan at IU Indy	IU Indy, 3-1
Sept. 19	Eastern Michigan at Oakland	Eastern Michigan, 3-0
	Wright State vs. Illinois State	Illinois State, 3-1
	Kent State at Youngstown State	Kent State, 3-2
	Saint Francis at Robert Morris	Robert Morris, 3-2
	Cleveland State at Akron	Akron, 3-0
	Northern Kentucky at Miami (Ohio)	Northern Kentucky, 3-0
	Tennessee Tech at Green Bay	Tennessee Tech, 3-1
	IU Indy at Butler	IU Indy, 3-2
	Mercyhurst at Purdue Fort Wayne	Purdue Fort Wayne, 3-1
	Wright State vs. UC Santa Barbara	UC Santa Barbara, 3-0
Sept. 20	Bellarmine at Purdue Fort Wayne	Bellarmine, 3-2
	Oakland at Butler	Butler, 3-0
	Northern Iowa at Green Bay	Northern Iowa, 3-0
	Miami (Ohio) at Northern Kentucky	Miami (Ohio), 3-2
	Buffalo at Robert Morris	Robert Morris, 3-0
	Wright State at Dayton	Wright State, 3-0
	Toledo at Purdue Fort Wayne	Toledo, 3-0
	IU Indy at Purdue	Purdue, 3-1
	Sept. 21 Cleveland State at Northern Kentucky	5:00 pm / 1:00 pm
	Sept. 26-27 IU Indy at Wright State	5:00 pm / 1:00 pm
Sept. 30	Robert Morris at Purdue Fort Wayne	6:00 pm / 1:00 pm
	Youngstown State at Green Bay	6:00 pm / 1:00 pm
	Wright State at Northern Kentucky	5:00 pm
	Cleveland State at Oakland	5:00 pm
	Robert Morris at Youngstown State	5:00 pm
	Purdue Fort Wayne at IU Indy	6:00 pm
	Oct. 3-4 Northern Kentucky at Youngstown State	4:00 pm / 12:00 pm
	Wright State at Cleveland State	5:00 pm / 1:00 pm

IT'S "MILWAUKEE"

A lot has been made of the correct way to talk about the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, especially in the area of athletics. It would be appreciated if you would refer to the athletics teams as either "Milwaukee" or "MKE".

Milwaukee Athletics is making an effort to brand itself as "Milwaukee" instead of other references. Please avoid UW-Milwaukee, UW-M, Wisc.-Mil, UW-MIL, Wisconsin-Milwaukee, etc.

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

2025 HORIZON LEAGUE PRESEASON POLL

School (1st place votes)	Points
1. Wright State (6)	94
2. Milwaukee (1)	86
3. Green Bay (1)	80
4. Cleveland State (2)	65
5. IU Indy	62
6. Northern Kentucky	57
7. Purdue Fort Wayne	35
T8. Oakland	26
T8. Robert Morris	26
10. Youngstown State	19

MILWAUKEE VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (High School/College)	Pronunciation
1	Sam Vanda	OPP/OH	5-10	Fr.	Geneva, Ill. (Geneva Community)	VAN-duh
2	Julia Kellner	MB	6-3	Fr.	Racine, Wis. (Racine Lutheran)	
3	Annie Eschenbach	OPP/MB	6-4	So.	Downers Grove, Ill. (Benet Academy/McHenry/Xavier)	esh-IN-bahk
4	Josie Johnson	S	5-7	Sr.	Burlington, Wis. (Waterford Union)	
5	Milica Tomic	S	5-7	So.	Dyer, Ind. (Lake Central)	mil-LEET-za toe-mitch
6	Josie Noble	MB	6-2	Fr.	Caledonia, Mich. (Caledonia)	
7	Hailey Hutchings	MB/RS	5-9	Gr.	Flower Mound, Texas (Flower Mound/Grand Canyon)	
8	Jenna Soerens	OH/RS	5-11	So.	Oostburg, Wis. (Oostburg)	SOAR-ins
9	Kati Goba	DS	5-4	Jr.	Mukwonago, Wis. (Wisconsin Lutheran)	GOE-buh
10	Braylin Bosetski	DS	5-6	Fr.	De Pere, Wis. (De Pere)	buh-set-skee
11	Natalie Schmitz	OH	6-1	Sr.	Ham Lake, Minn. (Blaine)	
12	Bella Lipski	MB	6-2	Jr.	Milwaukee, Wis. (Divine Savior Holy Angels)	
13	Kara Erdmann	DS	5-6	Sr.	Forreston, Ill. (Forreston)	
14	Ella Schuetz	OH	6-1	Fr.	Lake Mills, Wis. (Lakeside Lutheran)	schuhtz
15	Emily Hansen	OH/RS	5-10	So.	Mayville, Wis. (Mayville)	
16	Carol Herrero	OH	5-10	Jr.	Sao Caetano Do Sul, Brazil (Eduardo Gomes/Iowa West.)	cah-ro er-hair-oh
17	Hallie Cook	DS/L	5-8	Sr.	Springfield, Mo. (Springfield Catholic/UNC Greensboro)	HAL-lee

Head Coach: Susie Johnson (19th season)**Associate Head Coach:** Lindsey Vanden Berg (19th season)**Assistant Coach:** Katie Adams (second season)**Assistant Coach:** Raina Terry (first season)**Athletic Trainer:** Katie Wissing (fourth season)**Strength & Conditioning:** Bennett Reed (third season)

TELEVISION ROSTER

Sam
VandaJulia
KellnerAnnie
EschenbachJosie
JohnsonMilica
TomicJosie
NobleHailey
HutchingsJenna
SoerensKati
GobaBraylin
BosetskiNatalie
SchmitzBella
LipskiKara
ErdmannElla
SchuetzEmily
HansenCarol
HerreroHallie
CookSusie
Johnson

TEAM BREAKDOWN

Class

Graduate – 1
Seniors – 4
Juniors – 3
Sophomores – 4
Freshmen – 5

Position

Hitters – 7
Middles – 4
Setters – 2
Defensive – 4

Home State

Wisconsin – 8
Illinois – 3
Brazil – 1
Indiana – 1
Michigan – 1
Minnesota – 1
Missouri – 1
Texas – 1

Height

6-2 Plus – 4
6-0 to 6-1 – 2
5-8 to 5-11 – 6
5-4 to 5-7 – 5

Status

Returners – 9
Freshmen – 5
Transfers – 3

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LOOKING AT OAKLAND

Oakland enters the season with an 0-12 mark in matches this season, the program's worst start since the 2006 season, when it started the year 0-16 and finished with a 1-25 record. In now her fourth season with the program, Krista Rice's team is looking to bounce back and get back to the Horizon League postseason since 2023, when the team finished fifth in the league.

After finishing as one of the top digging teams in the Horizon League and the nation in 2024, the Golden Grizzlies are right back in the top 75 nationally and are second in the conference. Lyse Bates leads the team with 134 on the year, with Delaney Stern second on the team with 95, Mya Kattula with 86 and Kalli Cook with 83. Meanwhile the front line of defense is led by Grace Cooney with 25 blocks and Anika Prisby with 21.

Another area where Oakland is excelling in through the first month of the season is total attacking attempts with 1,706 on the year. However, the team only has 500 kills on the year, which is sixth in the Horizon League. Libby Smith has a team-best 98 kills, with Ella Schomer second on the team with 81. Stern paces the offense with 227 assists, while Kattula has 157. Seven players have at least six service

UP NEXT

Milwaukee will host Green Bay on Tuesday evening at the Klotsche Center to close out the month of September. The team will then head to Indianapolis for a pair of matches against IU Indy. The Panthers will play just three matches at home the entire month of October with Northern Kentucky on Oct. 10-11, and Purdue Fort Wayne on Oct. 31.

ALL-TIME DIGS COUNTER

1. Lauren Felsing (2006-09): 1,929
2. Becky Peters (2005-08): 1,875
3. Jess Grabowski (2018-21): 1,859
4. Kaley Blake (2020-23): 1,760
5. Myanna Ruiz (2013-16): 1,700
6. Laura Dallenbach (1998-01): 1,600
- T7. Kara Erdmann (2022-present): 1,329
- T7. Leanne Felsing (2004-07): 1,329

JOHNSON REACHES 2,000

In the team's match against Arizona State, Josie Johnson became the 10th player in program history to reach 2,000 career assists. The last player to reach the mark was Jenn Dore, who finished her career with 3,751, which is fourth-most in Milwaukee history. The program's all-time leader is Katie Schneider with 5,276 in four seasons from 1996-99.

NOBLE'S WEEKEND AT MARQUETTE

This past weekend at Marquette, Josie Noble had an impressive showing with a .392 hitting percentage over the three matches with 27 kills including a career-best 12 kills against James Madison. She had two blocks in each match over the weekend amassing 31 points total.

REACHING THE MARK

Senior Natalie Schmitz became the latest Panther to join the 1,000 kill club with her sixth kill on Friday against Iowa State. In doing so, Schmitz became the first Panther to reach 1,000 since Madi Malone did so during her junior season in 2023. Former teammate and all-time kills leader Ari Miller reached 1,000 career kills a season prior in 2022 and finished her career with 1,563.

BELLA'S BREAKOUT

Junior Bella Lipski put together some big time marks this past weekend at the 2025 Panther Invitational with back-to-back 11-kill performances against Central Michigan on Saturday and South Alabama on Sunday. The Milwaukee native entered the season with a match-high of four kills but has since surpassed that mark three times this year. Defensively she already has 13 blocks on the season, one shy of her career-best 13 as a freshman.

THE RETURN OF ERDMANN

The 2024 Horizon League Defensive Player of the Year Kara Erdmann is back for her senior season with the Panthers. On top of earning the league's top defensive honor, she also earned a spot on the All-League First Team. Erdmann finished the year with a program-best 718 digs and 5.85 digs per set, both of which were second-most in all of Division I.

Erdmann also had the most digs in a single-match with 47 on Oct. 19 against Wright State, while she also wrote her name into the top-five dig performances in three-set, four-set, and five-set matches.

ALL-LEAGUE HONORS

In addition to Kara Erdmann, Natalie Schmitz was an All-Horizon League selection as a member of the second team. Schmitz finished her junior season with a career-best 345 kills leaving her just shy of 1,000 for her career with 977 entering 2025. Schmitz also had a career-best 27 service aces and 106 digs last year.

ALL-FRESHMAN HONORS

Putting together an impressive rookie campaign, Milica Tomic became the first Panther to earn a spot on the All-Freshman team since Natalie Schmitz did so in 2022. Tomic had 549 assists in Milwaukee's 6-2 offense for an average of 4.46 assists per set, Tomic's service game was also a key factor in her game with 28 as she returns as the team's top server from 2024.

HITTING THE PORTAL

Milwaukee welcomes a trio of newcomers by way of transfer; Hailey Hutchings joins the Panthers as a graduate student following a four-year beach volleyball career at Grand Canyon University. Junior Carol Herrero comes to the Cream City following a two-year junior college career at Iowa Western, while sophomore Annie Eschenbach makes her way to Milwaukee following a successful campaign at McHenry County College. Eschenbach spent her true freshman season at Xavier University in Cincinnati.

NEW KIDS ON THE BLOCK

Milwaukee welcomes five true freshmen to the roster this season including Sam Vanda (Geneva, Ill.), Julia Kellner (Racine, Wis.), Braylin Bosetski (De Pere, Wis.), Ella Schuetz (Lake Mills, Wis.) and Josie Noble (Caledonia, Mich.). Noble is the first player in program history to

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make their way to Milwaukee coming from the State of Michigan.

SUSIE APPROACHING 200

After reaching 300 total coaching wins with Milwaukee in 2024, head coach Susie Johnson boasts a 196-92 record in Horizon League matches and is four away from reaching 200 for her league career. Chuck Voss, current head coach at Cleveland State will enter the season with 220 wins in league play.

TERRY JOINS COACHING STAFF

Earlier this summer, head coach Susie Johnson announced the addition of All-American Raina Terry to the Panther coaching staff beginning in 2025. Terry had a successful five-year career at the University of Illinois and is also playing professionally for the Columbus Fury of Major League Volleyball.

PANTHERS VS. RANKED

Milwaukee is scheduled to two teams that have garnered attention from the American Volleyball Coaches Association. The Panthers are slated to play Preseason No. 8 Wisconsin on Sept. 9 before taking on Marquette on Sept. 14, the Golden Eagles are receiving votes in the poll. The schedule also features preseason No. 13 Arizona State in Tempe on Sept. 21.

The Panthers are 2-39 in all-time meetings against top-25 programs, which includes the losses earlier this season to Wisconsin and Arizona State.

ON THE HORIZON

Next season, Northern Illinois will join the Horizon League as its 12th full-time member. Not far from Milwaukee, the Panthers and Huskies have met 20 times on the volleyball court with NIU leading the series by a 12-8 margin. However, the Panthers have won three of the last four matchups, including a five-set win over Northern Illinois on Sept. 1, 2024.



SUSIE JOHNSON

HEAD COACH

19TH SEASON / 29TH OVERALL

IDAHO STATE '93

Head Coaching Records

Head Coaching Record at Milwaukee: 305-237

Head Coaching Conference Record at Milwaukee: 196-92

Head Coaching Career Record: 325-284

Career Coaching Records

Total Career Record at Milwaukee: 531-308

Total Career Conference Record at Milwaukee: 314-106

Total Career Record: 576-390

Postseason Appearances / Awards

NCAA Tournament Berths: 10 *

20-Win Seasons: 17 *

Regular Season Titles: 14 *

League Coach of the Year Titles: 5 *

Coaching Timeline

2007-present - Milwaukee, Head Coach *

1997-2006 - Milwaukee, Assistant Coach *

1995-96 - Indiana State, Assistant Coach

1993-94 - Parkside, Head Coach

Panthers Record When ...

At Home	0-4
On the Road	0-5
at a Neutral Site	0-4
vs. Horizon	0-0
In Three-Set Matches	0-10
In Four-Set Matches	0-2
In Five-Set Matches	0-1
Winning the First Set	0-3
Leading After Two Sets	0-1
Trailing After Two Sets	0-9
Tied After Two Sets	0-3
On Weekdays	0-6
On Weekends	0-7
On Mondays	0-0
On Tuesdays	0-1
On Wednesdays	0-1
On Thursdays	0-0
On Fridays	0-4
On Saturdays	0-4
On Sundays	0-3
In August	0-2
In September	0-11
In October	0-0
In November	0-0

2025 SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Set-by-Set	Overall	Horizon	Time	Att
Aug. 29	at Omaha	L, 0-3	16-25, 20-25, 18-25	0-1		1:22	1,510
Aug. 30	at Omaha	L, 0-3	13-25, 22-25, 21-25	0-2		1:30	1,394

PANTHER INVITATIONAL

SEPT. 5	IOWA STATE	L, 0-3	18-25, 14-25, 20-25	0-3		1:21	597
SEPT. 6	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	L, 0-3	19-25, 19-25, 26-28	0-4		1:28	407
SEPT. 7	SOUTH ALABAMA	L, 1-3	25-21, 20-25, 23-25, 22-25	0-5		1:56	249

Sept. 9	at Wisconsin	L, 0-3	7-25, 15-25, 11-25	0-6		1:11	5,934
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Marquette Tournament

Sept. 12	vs. James Madison	L, 1-3	25-23, 22-25, 14-25, 15-25	0-7		1:47	150
Sept. 13	vs. Ball State	L, 0-3	17-25, 11-25, 15-25	0-8		1:06	140
Sept. 14	at Marquette	L, 0-3	17-25, 20-25, 19-25	0-9		1:21	867

SEPT. 17	DEPAUL	L, 2-3	34-32, 25-20, 16-25, 19-25, 16-180-10			2:34	345
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Arizona State Tournament

Sept. 19	vs. Grand Canyon	L, 0-3	20-25, 16-25, 18-25	0-11		1:24	275
Sept. 20	vs. Pepperdine	L, 0-3	21-25, 24-26, 15-25	0-12		1:31	229
Sept. 21	at Arizona State	L, 0-3	10-25, 9-25, 18-25	0-13		1:09	2,113

SEPT. 26	OAKLAND *					6:00 PM	
SEPT. 27	OAKLAND *					2:00 PM	
SEPT. 30	GREEN BAY *					6:00 PM	

Oct. 3	at IU Indy *					5:00 pm	
Oct. 4	at IU Indy *					1:00 pm	
OCT. 10	NORTHERN KENTUCKY *					6:00 PM	
OCT. 11	NORTHERN KENTUCKY *					1:00 PM	
Oct. 17	at Wright State *					5:00 pm	
Oct. 18	at Wright State *					1:00 pm	
Oct. 24	at Youngstown State *					3:00 pm	
Oct. 25	at Youngstown State *					10:00 am	
Oct. 28	at Green Bay *					6:00 pm	
OCT. 31	PURDUE FORT WAYNE *					6:00 PM	

NOV. 1	PURDUE FORT WAYNE *					2:00 PM	
NOV. 7	ROBERT MORRIS *					6:00 PM	
NOV. 8	ROBERT MORRIS *					2:00 PM	
Nov. 14	at Cleveland State *					5:00 pm	
Nov. 15	at Cleveland State *					1:00 pm	

Nov. 21-23	Horizon League Championship					TBD	
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Home Games in **BOLD** | * Horizon League Match | ^ Horizon League Tournament



2025 MILWAUKEE MATCH-BY-MATCH

			Attack				Set			Serve				Recept				Blocking							
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	SCORE	
08/29/2025	at Omaha	3	29	19	102	.098	28	106	.264	1	5	56	.911	5	63	.921	37	2	6	1	5.0	0	35.0	0-3	
08/30/2025	at Omaha	3	36	18	109	.165	34	107	.318	5	5	58	.914	5	71	.930	38	0	10	1	5.0	0	46.0	0-3	
09/05/2025	Iowa St.	3	26	11	75	.200	26	77	.338	2	7	54	.870	8	64	.875	16	0	10	1	5.0	0	33.0	0-3	
09/06/2025	Central Mich.	3	43	19	114	.211	40	116	.345	5	6	65	.908	8	71	.887	47	0	8	0	4.0	0	52.0	0-3	
09/07/2025	South Alabama	4	53	31	134	.164	50	131	.382	1	8	91	.912	9	83	.892	53	4	14	2	11.0	0	65.0	1-3	
09/09/2025	at Wisconsin	3	14	15	73	-.014	14	76	.184	1	5	35	.857	10	63	.841	27	0	6	1	3.0	0	18.0	0-3	
09/12/2025	vs James Madison	4	50	23	140	.193	48	145	.331	2	7	77	.909	6	90	.933	53	3	10	5	8.0	0	60.0	1-3	
09/13/2025	vs Ball St.	3	29	15	93	.151	26	98	.265	0	8	45	.822	4	65	.938	35	1	2	3	2.0	0	31.0	0-3	
09/14/2025	at Marquette	3	35	15	106	.189	32	105	.305	4	7	58	.879	6	65	.908	40	0	4	2	2.0	0	41.0	0-3	
09/17/2025	DePaul	5	60	30	192	.156	56	194	.289	8	12	111	.892	9	112	.920	71	3	16	3	11.0	0	79.0	2-3	
09/19/2025	vs Grand Canyon	3	33	22	99	.111	31	103	.301	2	6	55	.891	8	67	.881	33	0	6	0	3.0	0	38.0	0-3	
09/20/2025	vs Pepperdine	3	31	20	102	.108	31	107	.290	4	7	62	.887	8	66	.879	40	1	10	0	6.0	0	41.0	0-3	
09/21/2025	at Arizona St.	3	17	23	87	-.069	15	84	.179	2	7	39	.821	10	68	.853	28	0	18	1	9.0	0	28.0	0-3	
Totals		43	456	261	1426	.137	431	1449	.297	37	90	806	.888	96	948	.899	518	14	120	20	74.0	0	567.0		
Opponents		43	611	179	1382	.313	579	1380	.420	96	99	1047	.905	37	716	.948	608	20	172	16	106.0	2	813.0		

Team Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set	Ball handling error per set	Reception errors per set
43	10.60	10.02	0.86	12.05	1.72	13.19	0.00	2.23

ACTIVE CAREER LEADERS (NCAA STATS ONLY)

Matches Played

Josie Johnson	108
Natalie Schmitz	108
Kara Erdmann	96

Consecutive Matches Played

Josie Johnson	105
Natalie Schmitz	105
Kati Goba	54

Sets Played

Josie Johnson	399
Natalie Schmitz	393
Kara Erdmann	334

Kills

Natalie Schmitz	1,086
Hallie Cook	133
Bella Lipski	86
Josie Noble	75
Josie Johnson	70

Double-Figure Kills

Natalie Schmitz	57
Hallie Cook	3
Bella Lipski / Josie Noble	2
Ella Schuetz / Sam Vanda	1

Double-Doubles

Josie Johnson	14
Milica Tomic	10
Erdmann / Schmitz / Vanda	1

Assists

Josie Johnson	2,004
Milica Tomic	706
Kara Erdmann	237

Service Aces

Josie Johnson	67
Natalie Schmitz	51
Milica Tomic	32
Kara Erdmann / Kati Goba	27
Hallie Cook	24

Digs

Kara Erdmann	1,329
Josie Johnson	644
Kati Goba	377

Double-Figure Digs

Kara Erdmann	54
Kati Goba	14
Josie Johnson	14
Milica Tomic	10
Ella Schuetz / Sam Vanda	1

Total Blocks

Natalie Schmitz	124
Bella Lipski	52
Josie Noble	39
Annie Eschenbach	15



2025 OVERALL STATISTICS

			Attack					Set		Serve				Dig		Blocking						
##	Player	SP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SE	SA/S	RE	DIG	DIG/S	BS	BA	TOT/S	BLK/S	BE	BHE	PTS
1	Vanda, Sam	37	61	1.65	38	187	.123	9	0.24	6	12	0.16	37	74	2.00	0	14	14	0.38	3	0	74.0
3	Eschenbach, Annie	30	34	1.13	25	113	.080	1	0.03	0	1	0.00	0	5	0.17	0	15	15	0.50	2	0	41.5
4	Johnson, Josie	43	8	0.19	1	31	.226	197	4.58	6	15	0.14	1	51	1.19	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	14.0
5	Tomic, Milica	43	3	0.07	2	17	.059	157	3.65	4	12	0.09	0	59	1.37	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	7.0
6	Noble, Josie	40	75	1.88	34	184	.223	2	0.05	6	24	0.15	0	7	0.18	7	32	39	0.98	3	0	104.0
7	Hutchings, Hailey	9	7	0.78	6	28	.036	2	0.22	0	2	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	3	3	0.33	0	0	8.5
9	Goba, Kati	42	0	0.00	2	6	-.333	22	0.52	7	7	0.17	10	62	1.48	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	7.0
11	Schmitz, Natalie	42	109	2.60	49	314	.191	3	0.07	0	0	0.00	0	18	0.43	1	12	13	0.31	5	0	116.0
12	Lipski, Bella	42	72	1.71	33	195	.200	4	0.10	0	1	0.00	0	4	0.10	6	26	32	0.76	4	0	91.0
13	Erdmann, Kara	43	1	0.02	0	3	.333	31	0.72	7	6	0.16	18	186	4.33	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	8.0
14	Schuetz, Ella	39	60	1.54	43	236	.072	2	0.05	0	3	0.00	16	29	0.74	0	8	8	0.21	1	0	64.0
15	Hansen, Emily	19	14	0.74	13	57	.018	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	10	0.53	0	7	7	0.37	2	0	17.5
16	Herrero, Carol	15	12	0.80	15	55	-.055	1	0.07	0	3	0.00	5	13	0.87	0	3	3	0.20	0	0	13.5
17	Cook, Hallie	10	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	1	4	0.10	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0
MILWAUKEE		43	456	10.60	261	1426	.137	431	10.02	37	90	0.86	96	518	12.05	14	120	74	1.72	20	0	567.0
Opponents		43	611	14.21	179	1382	.313	579	13.47	96	99	2.23	37	608	14.14	20	172	106	2.47	16	2	813.0

FINAL 2024 HORIZON LEAGUE STATISTICS

			Attack					Set		Serve					Dig		Blocking						
##	Player	SP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SE	SA/S	RE	DIG	DIG/S	BS	BA	TOT/S	BLK/S	BE	BHE	PTS	
1	Catalano, Tatum	1	0	0.00	1	1	-1.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0	
2	Geurts, Bri	52	77	1.48	44	203	.163	2	0.04	0	0	0.00	0	20	0.38	1	12	13	0.25	3	0	84.0	
3	Graves, Lakyn	71	100	1.41	36	284	.225	4	0.06	13	19	0.18	1	46	0.65	19	67	86	1.21	6	0	165.5	
4	Johnson, Josie	71	16	0.23	0	56	.286	394	5.55	15	14	0.21	0	140	1.97	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	31.0	
5	Tomic, Milica	71	4	0.06	0	23	.174	335	4.72	21	6	0.30	0	131	1.85	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	25.0	
6	Lewis, Alexis	70	123	1.76	39	271	.310	4	0.06	0	0	0.00	0	14	0.20	4	45	49	0.70	5	0	149.5	
7	Wire, Gabby	9	19	2.11	9	53	.189	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	1	5	0.56	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	19.0	
9	Goba, Kati	68	1	0.01	1	17	.000	41	0.60	16	12	0.24	36	109	1.60	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	17.0	
10	Beneby, Czen	50	63	1.26	33	161	.186	1	0.02	0	1	0.00	0	20	0.40	3	23	26	0.52	4	1	77.5	
11	Schmitz, Natalie	66	202	3.06	50	554	.274	4	0.06	16	18	0.24	21	66	1.00	2	11	13	0.20	5	0	225.5	
12	Lipski, Bella	3	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	1	0.33	1	0	0.5	
13	Erdmann, Kara	71	1	0.01	2	6	-.167	81	1.14	4	12	0.06	31	444	6.25	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	5.0	
14	Malone, Madi	71	248	3.49	85	713	.229	17	0.24	10	17	0.14	28	193	2.72	0	30	30	0.42	1	0	273.0	
16	Scott, Rachel	61	100	1.64	32	282	.241	6	0.10	0	0	0.00	0	55	0.90	1	37	38	0.62	0	0	119.5	
17	Cook, Hallie	17	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	2	4	0.12	0	7	0.41	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	2.0	
MILWAUKEE		71	954	13.44	332	2624	.237	889	12.52	97	103	1.37	138	1250	17.61	30	226	143	2.01	25	2	1,194.0	
Opponents		71	861	12.13	421	2732	.161	825	11.62	138	111	1.94	97	1172	16.51	24	227	137.5	1.94	22	1	1,136.5	

2025 SEASON BESTS

ATTACK PERCENTAGE (min. 10 kills)

Team: .211 vs. Central Michigan (Sept. 6)
Opponent: .457 vs. Iowa State (Sept. 5)
Individual: .500 (Noble) vs. James Madison (Sept. 12)

KILLS

Team: 60 vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)
Opponent: 68 vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)
Individual: 17 (Schmitz) vs. South Alabama (Sept. 7)

ASSISTS

Team: 56 vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)
Opponent: 67 vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)
Individual: 26 (Tomic) vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)

DIGS

Team: 71 vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)
Opponent: 88 vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)
Individual: 26 (Erdmann) vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)

SERVICE ACES

Team: 8 vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)
Opponent: 10 (Twice)
Individual: 3 (Erdmann) vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)

TOTAL BLOCKS

Team: 11 (Twice)
Opponent: 16 vs. South Alabama (Sept. 7)
Individual: 8 (Noble) vs. DePaul (Sept. 17)

2025 SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

1 Sam Vanda | Fr. | OPP/OH**2025 Season Highs**

Kills 11 vs. DePaul (9/17)
 Attempts 27 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
 Hitting %357 vs. Iowa State (9/5)
 Assists 2 (Three Times)
 Aces 2 vs. DePaul (9/17)
 Digs 14 vs. DePaul (9/17)
 Blocks 3 (Twice)

Career Highs

Kills same
 Attempts same
 Hitting % same
 Assists same
 Aces same
 Digs same
 Blocks same

4 Josie Johnson | Sr. | S**2025 Season Highs**

Kills 2 (Twice)
 Attempts 5 vs. James Madison (9/12)
 Hitting %667 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
 Assists 25 vs. James Madison (9/12)
 Aces 2 (Twice)
 Digs 7 at Marquette (9/14)
 Blocks n/a

Career Highs

Kills 3 (Five Times)
 Attempts 16 (8/31/24 vs. Western Ill.)
 Hitting % ... 1.000 [2-0-2] (10/13/23 at OAK)
 Assists 33 (10/11/24 at NKU)
 Aces 3 (Four Times)
 Digs 23 (11/8/24 at RMU)
 Blocks 1 (Three Times)

7 Hailey Hutchings | Gr. | MB/RS**2025 Season Highs**

Kills 4 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
 Attempts 12 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
 Hitting %083 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
 Assists 2 vs. Ball State (9/13)
 Aces n/a
 Digs n/a
 Blocks 2 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)

Career Highs

Kills same
 Attempts same
 Hitting % same
 Assists same
 Aces same
 Digs same
 Blocks same

2 Julia Kellner | Fr. | MB**2025 Season Highs**

Kills n/a
 Attempts n/a
 Hitting % n/a
 Assists n/a
 Aces n/a
 Digs n/a
 Blocks n/a

Career Highs

Kills same
 Attempts same
 Hitting % same
 Assists same
 Aces same
 Digs same
 Blocks same

5 Milica Tomic | So. | S**2025 Season Highs**

Kills 2 vs. James Madison (9/12)
 Attempts 5 vs. James Madison (9/12)
 Hitting % .. .400 vs. James Madison (9/12)
 Assists 26 vs. DePaul (9/17)
 Aces 1 (Four Times)
 Digs 9 vs. Central Mich. (9/6)
 Blocks n/a

Career Highs

Kills 2 (Twice)
 Attempts 15 (8/31/24 vs. Western Ill.)
 Hitting % 1.000 [1-0-1] (Twice)
 Assists 32 (9/28/24 at OAK)
 Aces 5 (9/27/24 at OAK)
 Digs 16 (10/19/24 vs. WSU)
 Blocks n/a

8 Jenna Soerens | So. | OH/RS**2025 Season Highs**

Kills n/a
 Attempts n/a
 Hitting % n/a
 Assists n/a
 Aces n/a
 Digs n/a
 Blocks n/a

Career Highs

Kills same
 Attempts same
 Hitting % same
 Assists same
 Aces same
 Digs same
 Blocks same

3 Annie Eschenbach | So. | OPP/MB**2025 Season Highs**

Kills 8 at Omaha (8/30)
 Attempts 18 at Omaha (8/30)
 Hitting %278 at Omaha (8/30)
 Assists 1 vs. Iowa State (9/5)
 Aces n/a
 Digs 2 (Twice)
 Blocks 4 vs. Pepperdine (9/20)

Career Highs

Kills 32 (10/26/24 vs. Lincoln Land)
 Attempts . 70 (10/2/24 vs. Moraine Valley)
 Hitting % . .688 [11-0-16] (10/9/24 vs. Lake Co.)
 Assists 1 (Nine Times)
 Aces 10 (10/16/24 vs. Prairie State)
 Digs 16 (10/26/24 vs. Lincoln Land)
 Blocks 6 (Twice)

6 Josie Noble | Fr. | MB**2025 Season Highs**

Kills 16 vs. DePaul (9/17)
 Attempts 35 vs. DePaul (9/17)
 Hitting % .. .500 vs. James Madison (9/12)
 Assists 1 (Twice)
 Aces 2 at Omaha (8/30)
 Digs 2 vs. DePaul (9/17)
 Blocks 8 vs. DePaul (9/17)

Career Highs

Kills same
 Attempts same
 Hitting % same
 Assists same
 Aces same
 Digs same
 Blocks same

9 Kati Goba | Jr. | L/DS**2025 Season Highs**

Kills n/a
 Attempts 3 vs. James Madison (9/12)
 Hitting %000 vs. Central Mich. (9/6)
 Assists 6 (Twice)
 Aces 2 vs. Marquette (9/14)
 Digs 7 (Twice)
 Blocks n/a

Career Highs

Kills 1 (Three Times)
 Attempts 4 (8/31/24 vs. Western Ill.)
 Hitting % 1.000 [1-0-1] (Twice)
 Assists 8 (10/28/23 vs. RMU)
 Aces 4 (10/4/24 vs. IU Indy)
 Digs 16 (11/10/23 vs. CSU)
 Blocks 1 (9/1/23 vs. Mont. St.)

2025 SEASON & CAREER HIGHS

10 Braylin Bosetski | Fr. | DS**2025 Season Highs**

Kills	n/a
Attempts	n/a
Hitting %	n/a
Assists	n/a
Aces	n/a
Digs	n/a
Blocks	n/a

Career Highs

Kills	same
Attempts	same
Hitting %	same
Assists	same
Aces	same
Digs	same
Blocks	same

13 Kara Erdmann | Sr. | L**2025 Season Highs**

Kills	1 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
Attempts	1 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
Hitting %	1.000 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
Assists	5 (Twice)
Aces	3 vs. DePaul (9/17)
Digs	26 vs. DePaul (9/17)
Blocks	n/a

Career Highs

Kills	1 (Five Times)
Attempts	5 (Twice)
Hitting %	1.000 [1-0-1] (Five Times)
Assists	11 (11/2/24 at PFW)
Aces	same
Digs	47 (10/19/24 vs. WSU)
Blocks	same

16 Carol Herrero | Jr. | OH**2025 Season Highs**

Kills	5 vs. Pepperdine (9/20)
Attempts	15 vs. Arizona State (9/21)
Hitting %429 vs. Central Mich. (9/6)
Assists	1 vs. Pepperdine (9/20)
Aces	n/a
Digs	4 (Twice)
Blocks	2 vs. Arizona State (9/21)

Career Highs

Kills	30 (8/31/24 at Dallas Brook.)
Attempts	59 (8/30/24 vs. McCook)
Hitting %500 [13-1-24] (10/19/24 vs. Iowa Lakes)
Assists	2 (9/23/23 at Hutchison)
Aces	4 (Twice)
Digs	19 (9/23/23 at Hutchison)
Blocks	4 (Twice)

11 Natalie Schmitz | Sr. | OH**2025 Season Highs**

Kills	17 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
Attempts	33 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
Hitting %375 at Arizona State (9/21)
Assists	1 (Three Times)
Aces	n/a
Digs	4 vs. Grand Canyon (9/19)
Blocks	2 (Three Times)

Career Highs

Kills	19 (11/1/24 at PFW)
Attempts	56 (11/23/24 vs. CSU)
Hitting %647 [11-0-17] (10/28/23 vs. RMU)
Assists	2 (9/12/23 vs. DePaul)
Aces	4 (Three Times)
Digs	10 (10/19 vs. WSU)
Blocks	4 (Five Times)

14 Ella Schuetz | Fr. | OH**2025 Season Highs**

Kills	14 vs. DePaul (9/17)
Attempts	51 vs. DePaul (9/17)
Hitting %333 vs. Iowa State (9/5)
Assists	2 vs. Pepperdine (9/20)
Aces	n/a
Digs	12 vs. Pepperdine (9/20)
Blocks	3 vs. Iowa State (9/5)

Career Highs

Kills	same
Attempts	same
Hitting %	same
Assists	same
Aces	same
Digs	same
Blocks	same

17 Hallie Cook | Sr. | DS/L**2025 Season Highs**

Kills	n/a
Attempts	n/a
Hitting %	n/a
Assists	n/a
Aces	1 vs. Central Mich. (9/6)
Digs	n/a
Blocks	n/a

Career Highs

Kills	16 (9/30 vs. Chattanooga)
Attempts	48 (9/30 vs. Chattanooga)
Hitting %500 [3-1-4] (9/22/22 vs. SC St.)
Assists	2 (Twice)
Aces	2 (Six Times)
Digs	13 (Twice)
Blocks	3 (9/16 vs. UNC Asheville)

12 Bella Lipski | Jr. | MB**2025 Season Highs**

Kills	11 (Twice)
Attempts	28 vs. James Madison (9/12)
Hitting %474 vs. Central Mich. (9/5)
Assists	2 vs. So. Alabama (9/7)
Aces	n/a
Digs	2 vs. Central Mich. (9/6)
Blocks	6 (Twice)

Career Highs

Kills	same
Attempts	same
Hitting %500 [4-0-8] (10/27/23 vs. YSU)
Assists	same
Aces	same
Digs	2 (Twice)
Blocks	same

15 Emily Hansen | So. | OH/RS**2025 Season Highs**

Kills	4 vs. DePaul (9/17)
Attempts	17 vs. DePaul (9/17)
Hitting %333 vs. Grand Canyon (9/19)
Assists	n/a
Aces	n/a
Digs	3 vs. DePaul (9/17)
Blocks	7 vs. DePaul (9/17)

Career Highs

Kills	same
Attempts	same
Hitting %	n/a
Assists	n/a
Aces	n/a
Digs	same
Blocks	same