



WAYNE STATE



----- 2002 Softball -----

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WAYNE STATE (21-13 Overall, 10-2 GLIAC)

hosts Northwood (12-17 Overall, 7-3 GLIAC)

April 17, 2002 • 4 p.m.

at GLIAC vs. GLVC Showdown (South Bend, Ind.)

April 19-21, 2002 • Time TBA

Down the Home Stretch

The Wayne State softball team will host a non-conference doubleheader against Northwood on Wednesday, April 17, before heading to South Bend, Ind. for the GLIAC vs. GLVC Showdown on April 19-21 (Friday-Sunday). The Warriors (21-13 overall), who are currently in first place with a 10-2 mark in the GLIAC, have won four straight and nine of their last 10 games. WSU will look to get back into the swing of things as the team played only one of its four scheduled games last weekend.

The team's doubleheader at Ashland on Saturday was postponed and game two at Findlay on Sunday was also postponed due to rain. In their only appearance, the Warriors defeated the Oilers, 3-2.

Last Week

Wayne State went 3-0 last week with a pair of victories over Saginaw Valley at home on April 10 and a win at Findlay on April 14. WSU had three games postponed last weekend due to heavy rain at Ashland and Findlay. Sophomore Beth Berry highlighted WSU's play last week by hitting a grand slam in game one of the Saginaw Valley doubleheader on April 10. Berry went a combined 5 for 9 (.556) in her last three contests with one homer, six RBI and three runs scored.

WSU defeated SVSU in game one, 9-0 in five innings, and took game two 4-1. In their lone appearance over the weekend, Wayne State defeated Findlay 3-2.

Warriors Ranked in Regional, National Polls

The Warriors are ranked in the top 10 of the latest NCAA Regional Poll, which was released on April 3. The first and second polls of the season rank 10 teams in each region in alphabetical order. For the third, fourth and fifth rankings, teams will be ranked 1-10. The Warriors are one of four GLIAC schools that are ranked in the Great Lakes Region (Findlay, Gannon, Grand Valley).

Additionally, a team with a record below .500 may be ranked during the first ranking; the ranking must be above .500 on all subsequent rankings.

Wayne State also received two votes in the NFCA National Top 25 poll, which was released on April 10.



Wayne State 2002 Schedule/Results

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
2/22	at Kennesaw St.\$	L, 1-9
	Southern Indiana\$	L, 2-10
	Texas Woman's Univ.\$	L, 1-2
2/23	SIU-Edwardsville\$	L, 1-4
	Texas Woman's Univ.\$	L, 0-3
2/24	vs. TAMU-Kingsville	W, 4-0
3/1	Eastern New Mexico#	W, 1-0
	St. Edward's Univ.#	L, 1-9
3/3	Abilene Christian#	W, 8-0
3/9	Lynn University^	W, 3-0
	Mount Olive^	W, 8-0
3/10	American International^	W, 3-0
	Shippensburg^	W, 5-3
3/11	at Florida Southern^	W 5-1, L 3-4
3/13	Truman State^	L, 1-5
3/14	Bloomsburg^	L, 1-6
	Molloy^	W, 3-2
3/15	Tiffin^	W, 5-1
	Adelphi^	L, 0-3
3/16	Ashland^	W, 3-2
	Shippensburg^	L, 5-6
3/29	Mercyhurst*	W 11-5, ppd.
3/30	Gannon*	L 0-3, W 2-1
4/5	Hillsdale*	W 4-3, W 9-0
4/6	at Ferris State*	W 5-3, W 6-2
4/7	at Grand Valley*	L 3-4, W 5-4
4/10	SVSU*	W 9-0, W 4-1
4/13	at Ashland*	ppd.
4/14	at Findlay*	W 3-2, Gm. 2 ppd.
4/17	Northwood (2)	4 p.m.
4/19-	at GLIAC vs.	TBA
4/21	GLVC Showdown&	
4/23	Ferris State (2)	4 p.m.
4/26	Lake Superior* (2)	3:30 p.m.
4/28	at Northwood* (2)	1 p.m.
5/1	at Detroit Mercy (2)	4 p.m.
5/3-	at GLIAC Tournament%	TBA
5/4	at GLIAC Tournament%	TBA

Home contests in **BOLD**

* GLIAC Game

\$ at Owl Classic (Atlanta, Ga.)

at Division II Lead-off Classic (Irving, TX)

^ at Spring Rebel Games (Orlando, Fla.)

& Showdown at South Bend, Ind.

% GLIAC Tournament at Ashland

(2) doubleheader

Wayne State Lineup

Hitting

Pos.	No.	Player	Yr.	Hometown	Avg.	Hits
RF	11	Tiffany Korzetz	Jr.	St. Clair Shores	.341	14
CF	8	Kelly Kashmerick	Sr.	Flushing	.391	43
LF	16	Johanna Proulx	So.	Brampton, Ontario	.295	18
1B	12	Beth Berry	So.	Blissfield	.368	35
2B	13	Betsy Kirk	Jr.	Etobicoke, Ontario	.313	31
SS	6	Jenna McWilliams	Fr.	Tecumseh	.203	13
3B	2	Lindsay Sammut	So.	New Baltimore	.258	23
C	7	Maria D'Agostino	So.	Wixom	.208	20
DP	9	Leah Ondrovick	So.	Tecumseh	.280	26

Reserves

RES	4	Katie Pickhover	Jr.	Fenton	.303	10
RES	3	Lisa Gauthier	Fr.	Burton	.206	7
RES	1	Sara LeBlanc	Fr.	LaSalle, Ontario	.161	5

Pitching

Pos.	No.	Player	Yr.	Hometown	ERA	W-L
P	18/19	Connie Milroth	Jr.	St. Clair Shores	1.57	8-5
P	20/21	Amy Thiede	Jr.	Riverview	4.01	5-5
P	3	Lisa Gauthier	Fr.	Burton	1.05	5-3

The GLIAC vs. GLVC Showdown

The GLIAC vs. GLVC Showdown will take place on April 19-21 (Friday-Sunday) in South Bend, Ind. All schools from both conferences will play. Seeding will be announced on Wednesday with the first place team in each conference earning the No. 1 seed in the tournament, the second place team being seeded No. 2, etc. No matter what happens in GLIAC play over the next week, WSU will earn the No. 1 seed in its bracket with a 10-2 league record. Wayne State will battle many of the top teams in the GLVC (Great Lakes Valley Conference), including No. 3 Southern Illinois-Edwardsville and No. 16 Northern Kentucky.

News N' Notes

- Senior Kelly Kashmerick has hit .577 in her last seven games (15-26) with three doubles and a home run. Kashmerick has a team-high 12 multiple-hit games and is currently riding a seven-game hitting streak...Kashmerick also leads the team with a .403 batting average and is first on the squad with 48 total hits.

- Sophomore Beth Berry hit a grand slam in the second inning of game one against SVSU (April 10), which now puts her second on the team with 19 RBI...Berry went 5 for 9 (.556) last week and had six RBI and three runs to go along with her home run.

- Sophomore Leah Ondrovick leads WSU with 23 RBI and is tied for second with Kashmerick with three homers. Sophomore Johanna Proulx has hit safely in her last five games and posted her first home run of the season at Grand Valley (April 7) and her second triple of the season at Ferris State (April 6).

- After going 2-5 to start the season, junior Amy Thiede has won four straight games, allowing just three earned runs, while striking out 17 during that streak. For her success, Thiede was named the GLIAC pitcher of the week on April 9.

- Wayne State has played nine teams mentioned in the NFCA Division II National Top 25 with three of those teams being ranked in the Top 10...With a 5-4 win over No. 13 Grand Valley on April 7, WSU has posted a 5-7 mark against Top 25 teams.

2002 Wayne State Box Scores

Game 1 — No. 3 Kennesaw State Friday, Feb. 22, 2002

Kennesaw St.	0 0 0	5 3 0	1	.....	9
Wayne State	0 1 0	0 0 0	0	.....	0

WP-Hyrcuik, LP-Amy Thiede (0-1)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Leah Ondrovick (2-3), Kelly Kashmerick (2-4), Sara LeBlanc (1-2)

Game 2 — Southern Indiana Friday, Feb. 22, 2002

S. Indiana	2 1 7	0 0	.....	10
Wayne State	0 1 1	0 0	.....	2

WP-Garnett, LP-Connie Milroth (0-1)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Johanna Proulx (2-2), Maria D'Agostino (1-2)

Game 3 — Texas Woman's Univ. Friday, Feb. 22, 2002

Wayne State	0 0 0	0 0 1	0 0	.....	1
Texas Woman's	0 0 0	0 0 1	0 1	.....	2

WP-England, LP-Connie Milroth (0-2)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Kelly Kashmerick (2-4), Betsy Kirk (1-2)

Game 4 — No. 15 SIU-Edwardsville Saturday, Feb. 23, 2002

SIUE	3 0 0	0 1 0	0	.....	4
Wayne State	1 0 0	0 0 0	0	.....	1

WP-Koenig, LP-Amy Thiede (0-2)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Beth Berry (2-3), Johanna Proulx (2-3)

Game 5 — Texas Woman's Univ. Saturday, Feb. 23, 2002

Wayne State	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	.....	0
Texas Woman's	0 0 2	0 1 0	-	.....	3

WP-Willson, LP-Connie Milroth (0-3)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Kelly Kashmerick (1-3), Betsy Kirk (1-3)

Game 6 — Texas A&M-Kingsville Sunday, Feb. 24, 2002

TAMU-K	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	.....	0
Wayne State	1 0 2	0 1 0	-	.....	4

WP-Lisa Gauthier (1-0), LP-King

WSU Hitting Leaders: Maria D'Agostino (2-3), Leah Ondrovick (1-1)

Game 7 — No. 8 Eastern New Mexico Friday, March 1, 2002

ENMU	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0	.....	0
Wayne State	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 1	.....	1

WP-Connie Milroth (1-3), LP-Lauren King

WSU Hitting Leaders: Beth Berry (2-3), Sara LeBlanc (2-3)

Game 8 — St. Edward's Univ. Friday, March 1, 2002

Wayne State	0 0 0	0 1 0	.....	1
St. Edward's	0 4 0	4 0 1	.....	9

WP-Marisa Hernandez, LP-Amy Thiede (0-3)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Lindsay Sammut (2-3), Leah Ondrovick (1-2)

Game 9 — Abilene Christian Sunday, March 3, 2002

Abilene Christian	0 0 0	0 0	.....	0
Wayne State	0 3 2	0 3	.....	8

WP-Connie Milroth (2-3), LP-Jana Presley

WSU Hitting Leaders: Beth Berry (3-3), Maria D'Agostino (1-2), Lindsay Sammut (1-2), Jenna McWilliams (1-2)

Game 10 — Lynn University Saturday, March 9, 2002

Wayne State	1 1 0	0 1 0	0	.....	3
Lynn Univ.	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	.....	0

WP-Connie Milroth (3-3), LP-Erika Youngblood

WSU Hitting Leaders: Maria D'Agostino (2-3), Betsy Kirk (2-4)

Game 11 — Mount Olive Saturday, March 9, 2002

Mount Olive	0 0 0	0 0 0	.....	0
Wayne State	2 2 1	2 0 1	.....	8

WP-Amy Thiede (1-3), LP-Melanie West

WSU Hitting Leaders: Tiffany Korzetz (3-4), Katie Pickhoyer (2-3), Betsy Kirk (2-4), Leah Ondrovick (2-4)

Game 12 — Shippensburg Sunday, March 10, 2002

Wayne State	1 2 1	1 0 0	0	.....	5
Shippensburg	0 1 0	0 0 0	2	.....	3

WP-Lisa Gauthier (2-0), LP-Lindsey Williams

WSU Hitting Leaders: Kelly Kashmerick (3-3), Beth Berry (2-3)

Game 13 — No. 18 American Intern. Sunday, March 10, 2002

American Intern.	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	.....	0
Wayne State	1 0 2	0 0 0	-	.....	3

WP-Connie Milroth (3-3), LP-A. Radomski

WSU Hitting Leaders: Betsy Kirk (2-3), Maria D'Agostino (1-2)

Game 14 — Florida Southern Monday, March 11, 2002

Wayne State	0 0 1	0 3 1	0	.....	5
Florida Southern	0 0 0	0 0 0	1	.....	1

WP-Amy Thiede (2-3), LP-T. Morgan

WSU Hitting Leaders: Beth Berry (2-5), Johanna Proulx (2-5), Katie Pickhoyer (2-4)

Game 15 — Florida Southern Monday, March 11, 2002

Wayne State	2 0 1	0 0 0	0 0	.....	3
Florida Southern	2 0 0	1 0 0	0 1	.....	4

WP-J. Buckman, LP-Connie Milroth (3-4)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Jenna McWilliams (2-3), Beth Berry (2-3), Maria D'Agostino (2-4)

Game 16 — Truman State Wednesday, March 13, 2002

Truman State	1 0 0	2 0 2	0	.....	5
Wayne State	0 0 1	0 0 0	0	.....	1

WP-Britni Buford, LP-Lisa Gauthier (2-1)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Betsy Kirk (2-3), Beth Berry (2-3)

Game 17 — No. 2 Bloomsburg Thursday, March 14, 2002

Wayne State	0 0 1	0 0 0	0	.....	1
Bloomsburg	0 0 1	3 2 0	-	.....	6

WP-K. Cooper, LP-Amy Thiede (1-4)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Jenna McWilliams (2-3), Lindsay Sammut (1-2)

Game 18 — Molloy Thursday, March 14, 2002

Molloy	0 0 0	1 0 1	0	.....	2
Wayne State	1 0 0	0 2 0	-	.....	3

WP-Connie Milroth (4-4), LP-Donna Upton

WSU Hitting Leaders: Beth Berry (3-3), Lindsay Sammut (3-3)

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Game 19 — Tiffin Friday, March 15, 2002

Tiffin	1 0 0	0 0 0	0	1
Wayne State	1 4 0	0 0 0	-	5

WP-Connie Milroth (5-4), LP-Richardson

WSU Hitting Leaders: Lisa Gauthier (2-2), Kelly Kashmerick (2-3)

Game 20 — Adelphi Friday, March 15, 2002

Wayne State	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	.....	0
Adelphi	0 3 0	0 0 0	-	.....	3

WP-A. Schultz, LP-Lisa Gauthier (2-2)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Katie Pickhover (2-3)

Game 21 — Ashland Saturday, March 16, 2002

Ashland	0 0 0	2 0 0	0	.....	2
Wayne State	0 0 1	0 0 1	1	.....	3

WP-Lisa Gauthier (3-2), LP-Leslie Eberhardt

WSU Hitting Leaders: Leah Ondrovick (3-4), Tiffany Korzetz (2-3), Kelly Kashmerick (2-4), Betsy Kirk (2-4)

Game 22 — Shippensburg Saturday, March 16, 2002

Wayne State	2 0 1	0 0 1	1	.....	5
Shippensburg	0 0 3	0 0 0	3	.....	6

WP-Ann Corr, LP-Amy Thiede (1-5)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Kelly Kashmerick (3-4), Betsy Kirk (3-3)

Game 23 — Mercyhurst Friday, March 29, 2002

Mercyhurst	0 1 3	1 0	.....	5
Wayne State	1 4 0	4 2	.....	11

WP-Lisa Gauthier (4-2), LP-Jessica Taylor

WSU Hitting Leaders: Kelly Kashmerick (2-3), Beth Berry (2-3), Leah Ondrovick (1-3)

Game 24 — No. 20 Gannon Saturday, March 30, 2002

Gannon	0 0 0	0 2 0	1	.....	3
Wayne State	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	.....	0

WP-Heather Ford, LP-Lisa Gauthier (4-3)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Maria D'Agostino (2-3)

Game 25 — No. 20 Gannon Saturday, March 30, 2002

Wayne State	0 0 0	0 0 0	2	.....	2
Gannon	0 0 0	0 0 0	1	.....	1

WP-Connie Milroth (7-4), LP-Megan Smith

WSU Hitting Leaders: Lindsay Sammut (1-1), Jenna McWilliams (1-3), Beth Berry (1-2)

Game 26 — Hillsdale Friday, April 5, 2002

Hillsdale	0 3 0	0 0 0	0 0	.....	3
Wayne State	2 0 0	1 0 0	0 1	.....	4

WP-Lisa Gauthier (5-3), LP-Joelle Frantz

WSU Hitting Leaders: Beth Berry (2-2), Kelly Kashmerick (2-4)

Game 27 — Hillsdale Friday, April 5, 2002

Wayne State	4 3 0	0 2	.....	9
Hillsdale	0 0 0	0 0	.....	0

WP-Amy Thiede (3-5), LP-Sarah DeAngelo

WSU Hitting Leaders: Leah Ondrovick (3-4), Beth Berry (1-2), Katie Pickhover (2-2), Kelly Kashmerick (2-4)

Game 28 — Ferris State Saturday, April 6, 2002

Wayne State	0 0 0	3 0 0	2	.....	5
Ferris State	0 0 0	0 0 3	0	.....	3

WP-Connie Milroth (8-4), LP-Amanda Opbroek

WSU Hitting Leaders: Kelly Kashmerick (3-4), Johanna Proulx (2-3)

Game 29 — Ferris State Saturday, April 6, 2002

Ferris State	0 0 0	0 1 0	1	.....	2
Wayne State	1 0 0	4 1 0	-	.....	6

WP-Amy Thiede (4-5), LP-Jennifer Colvin

WSU Hitting Leaders: Kelly Kashmerick (3-4), Lindsay Sammut (3-4), Johanna Proulx (2-3), Tiffany Korzetz (2-3)

Game 30 — No. 13 Grand Valley Sunday, April 7, 2002

Wayne State	1 1 0	0 0 0	0 1	.....	3
Grand Valley	1 0 0	0 0 1	0 2	.....	4

WP-Amber Castonguay, LP-Connie Milroth (8-5)

WSU Hitting Leaders: Johanna Proulx (2-3), Leah Ondrovick (2-4)

Game 31 — No. 13 Grand Valley Sunday, April 7, 2002

Grand Valley	0 3 0	1 0 0	0	.....	4
Wayne State	0 0 2	1 0 0	2	.....	5

WP-Amy Thiede (5-5), LP-Amber Castonguay

WSU Hitting Leaders: Kelly Kashmerick (2-3), Four players (2-4)

Game 32 — Saginaw Valley Wednesday, April 10, 2002

SVSU	0 0 0	0 0	.....	0
Wayne State	2 5 0	2 -	.....	9

WP-Connie Milroth (9-5), LP-Courtney Pintek

WSU Hitting Leaders: Kelly Kashmerick (2-2), Jenna McWilliams (2-2), Beth Berry (1-2)

Game 33 — Saginaw Valley Wednesday, April 10, 2002

Wayne State	1 0 0	2 0 0	1	.....	4
SVSU	1 0 0	0 0 0	0	.....	1

WP-Amy Thiede (6-5), LP-Christina Fuciarelli

WSU Hitting Leaders: Beth Berry (2-3), Maria D'Agostino (2-3), Lindsay Sammut (2-4)

Game 34 — Findlay Sunday, April 14, 2002

Wayne State	3 0 0	0 0 0	0	.....	3
SVSU	0 0 0	0 1 0	1	.....	2

WP-Connie Milroth (10-5), LP-Frazier

WSU Hitting Leaders: Beth Berry (2-3), Maria D'Agostino (2-4)