



DRURY VOLLEYBALL REPORT

(For Week Of Sept. 4-10)



2006 SCHEDULE

Aug 25 - vs. Washburn	L 3-2
Aug 25 - vs. Fort Valley St.	W 3-0
Aug. 26 - vs. A&M-Commerce	W 3-1
Aug. 26 - @ Ark Tech	W 3-2
Aug. 30 - Pittsburg St.	L 3-2
Sept. 1 - vs. Gannon	W 3-0
Sept. 1 - vs. Saginaw Valley St.	L 3-2
Sept. 2 - vs. Lake Superior St.	W 3-0
Sept. 2 - vs. Mercyhurst	W 3-1
Sept. 8 - @ SIU Edwardsville	
Sept. 9 - @ So. Indiana	
Sept. 12 - @ SW Baptist	
Sept. 15 - Wisconsin-Parkside	
Sept. 16 - Lewis	
Sept. 19 - Rockhurst	
Sept. 22 - Harding	
Sept. 23 - @ Mo. Southern	
Sept. 26 - @ UMSL	
Sept. 29 - @ Ky. Wesleyan	
Oct. 6 - Saint Joseph's	
Oct. 7 - Indianapolis	
Oct. 13 - @ UMSL	
Oct. 14 - @ Quincy	
Oct. 17 - @ Rockhurst	
Oct. 20 - @ Southern Indiana	
Oct. 21 - SIU Edwardsville	
Oct. 24 - SW Baptist	
Oct. 27 - @ No. Kentucky	

GLVC STANDINGS

School	GLVC	ALL
No. Kentucky	1-0	4-6
Rockhurst	0-0	8-0
SIUE	0-0	7-2
So. Indiana	0-0	6-2
Drury	0-0	6-3
Indianapolis	0-0	6-3
Lewis	0-0	6-3
UMSL	0-0	3-4
Bellarmine	0-0	2-3
UW-Parkside	0-0	3-5
Saint Joseph's	0-0	1-7
Quincy	0-0	1-7
Ky. Wesleyan	0-1	0-6

ON TAP THIS WEEK: After picking up three wins in four matches last week at the Mercyhurst Invitational in Erie, Pa., the Panthers dive into Great Lakes Valley Conference action this week with trips to Southern Illinois Edwardsville on Friday (7 p.m.) and Southern Indiana on Saturday (3 p.m.).

SIUE's Cougars are off to a 7-2 start and earned the No. 23 ranking in this week's national poll, their highest in school history. Their only losses have come to Top 10-ranked Central Missouri State and Grand Valley State.

Southern Indiana is 6-2 entering Friday's GLVC opener with visiting Rockhurst. After opening with a 3-0 loss to Northern Alabama last weekend in the Ashland University Invitational, USI came back to beat Wheeling Jesuit, Palm Beach Atlantic and the host team, all by 3-1 scores.

Drury dropped two of three matches to SIUE last season and fell and fell 3-1 to Southern Indiana in the lone meeting between the two, last September 16 in Springfield. SIUE was picked third and Southern Indiana fifth in the GLVC preseason poll, while Drury was tabbed for seventh.

LAST WEEK: After opening with a disappointing, five-game loss to visiting Pittsburg State on Wednesday - a match in which Drury quickly grabbed a 2-0 lead - the Panthers came away from their trip to Erie, Pa. with a 3-1 mark in the Mercyhurst Invitational, with only a five-game loss to Saginaw Valley State putting a damper on things.

Highs for the weekend included junior Courtney Hendrickson's 20 kills against Mercyhurst, senior Tedi Thoreson's 46 assists against Saginaw Valley and senior Maggie Thompson's 43 digs against Saginaw Valley.

GLVC PLAYER OF THE WEEK: Rockhurst's Nathalia Rivera, a senior outside hitter, led the Hawks to a 3-0 record at the Lewis University Flyer Festival on Sept. 1-2. Rivera averaged 4.22 kills and had a hitting percentage of .436 in the three matches. She had 13 kills and eight digs vs. West Florida, tallied 13 kills, nine digs, three blocks and a service ace vs. Davis & Elkins College and completed the weekend with a 12 kill effort in the win over Shepherd University. Rivera is averaging 3.96 kills and 3.96 digs per game on the year.

DRURY ROSTER

- 1 Krystal Glessner**
5-11 freshman MH
Republic, MO
- 2 Tedi Thoreson**
5-5 senior Setter
E Dorado Springs, MO
- 4 Julia Peddicord**
6-0 junior OH/MH
Columbus, Indiana
- 5 Jessica Burns**
5-11 junior Middle Hitter
Independence, MO
- 7 Megan Warhol**
5-9 soph. Outside Hitter
St. Charles, MO
- 8 Ashley Riessen**
5-10 junior MH/OH
Moscow, IA
- 9 Courtney Hendrickson**
5-9 junior Outside Hitter
Florissant, MO
- 10 Maggie Thompson**
5-5 senior Libero
Rogersville, MO
- 11 Kailey Mock**
6-1 junior Setter/OH
El Dorado Springs, MO
- 12 Brianna Holtkamp**
6-0 freshman OH/MH
Jefferson City, MO
- 13 Devin Buehler**
5-10 soph. Outside Hitter
Mount Vernon, MO
- 14 Molly Creach**
6-0 senior Middle Hitter
Rogersville, MO
- 15 Megan Reynolds**
5-9 senior OH/Def. Spec.
Tulsa, OK
- 16 Tiffany Schneider**
5-5 junior Setter
Strafford, MO

COACHING STAFF

Amy Gardner, Head Coach
LA Anderson, Asst. coach

PANTHER STATISTICAL LEADERS

KILLS		DIGS		ASSISTS		SERVICE ACES		BLOCKS	
Hendrickson	136	Thompson	193	Thoreson	361	Schneider	23	Burns	28
Creach	92	Hendrickson	121	Schneider	26	Hendrickson	14	Mock	24
Burns	87	Thoreson	106	Thompson	15	Thompson, Thoreson	9	Creach, Riessen	20