



# MICHIGAN

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

**2006-07 PRESEASON PROSPECTUS**

## 2006-07 QUICK FACTS

### UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

Name of School:	University of Michigan
City/Zip:	Ann Arbor/48109
Founded:	1817
Enrollment:	37,306 (undergrad and grad)
Nickname:	Wolverines
School Colors:	Maize and Blue
Arena/Gym Name:	Crisler Arena
Affiliation:	NCAA Division I
Conference:	Big Ten
President:	Mary Sue Coleman
Athletics Director:	William C. Martin
Athletic Dept. Phone:	734-647-2583
Associate AD, Ticketing and Marketing	Marty Bodnar
Director of Ticketing Services	Steve Lambright
Ticket Office Phone:	734-764-0247

### MICHIGAN WOMEN'S BASKETBALL HISTORY

Seasons of Basketball Played:	33
First Year of Basketball:	1973-74
All-Time Record:	353-521
All-Time Big Ten Record:	136-322
NCAA Tournament Appearances/last	4/2001
Record in NCAA Tournament	2-4
WNIT Appearances/last:	2/2002
Record in WNIT	1-2
Record in Big Ten Tournament	7-12
Last Postseason Appearance	2006 Big Ten Tournament
lost to Indiana, 68-52, in first round	
at Conseco Fieldhouse (Indianapolis, Ind.)	

### CRISLER ARENA HISTORY

Press Row Phone Number:	734-998-7188
Capacity:	13,751
Seasons of Basketball at Crisler Arena	33
First Season	1973-74
Games Played	373
All-Time Record	176-197

### U-M ATHLETIC MEDIA RELATIONS

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### MICHIGAN WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STAFF

Basketball Office Phone	734-647-2918
Basketball Secretary	Serina Brown
Best time/day to reach coach	Through SID (Ressler)
Appointments/Interviews	Through SID (Ressler)
Head Coach	Cheryl Burnett
Alma Mater (year)	Kansas (1981)
As the head coach at Michigan	starting fourth season
Record at Michigan (years)	25-53 (3 seasons)
As a collegiate head coach	starting 19th season
Career Head Coaching record (years)	344-199 (18 seasons)
Associate Head Coach	Karen Rapier
Recruiting Coordinator	Lynnette Robinson
Assistant Coach	Shannon Gage
Director of Basketball Operations	Jim Pendergrass
Administrative Assistant	Mark Uitermarkt
Basketball Trainer	Mark Stoessner
Strength and Conditioning Coach	Jim Plocki
Academic Advisor	Ruquel McKinnie
Equipment Manager	Bob Bland

### TEAM INFORMATION

	Overall	Home	Away	Neu
2005-06 Overall Record:	6-23	4-11	1-10	1-2
Big Ten Record:	0-16 (11th)	0-8	0-8	0-0
Final ranking last year (AP poll):				N/A
Final ranking last year (ESPN/USA Today poll):				N/A
Starters Returning/Lost:				5/0
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:				10/0
Newcomers: (4)	Sireece Bass (5-7, Guard, Detroit, Mich.)			
	Kalyn McPherson (5-7, Guard, Traverse City, Mich.)			
	Krista Phillips (6-6, Center, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.)			
	LeQuisha Whitfield (6-1, Forward, Detroit Mich.)			

### MICHIGAN RADIO NETWORK

Main Radio Station	WTKA (1050AM)
Address:	1100 Victors Way Suite 100
	Ann Arbor, MI 48108
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U-M Play-By-Play	TBA
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U-M Color	TBA
Office Phone:	

### EXTRA MEDIA SERVICES

#### FOR MICHIGAN BASKETBALL RELATED MATERIAL

##### PLEASE GO TO:

University of Michigan website ..... mgoblue.com

#### FOR BIG TEN OR BIG TEN MEMBER RELATED MATERIAL

##### PLEASE GO TO:

Big Ten Conference website ..... www.bigten.org

## 2006-07 TEAM BREAKDOWN

\* ELIGIBILITY REFLECTS THE BEGINNING OF THE 2006-07 SEASON

### STARTERS RETURNING (5) - (2005-06 SEASON STATISTICS)

POS.	NO.	PLAYER	YR*	HT	G-S	PPG	RPG	OTHER
G/F	32	Kelly Helvey	Sr-Sr.	5-10	9-9	8.6	5.1	1.3 spg
F	21	Carly Benson	So-So.	6-2	29-22	6.4	2.9	0.8 bpg
F	13	Stephany Skrba	So-So.	6-2	29-21	7.0	5.2	0.9 bpg
G	40	Janelle Cooper	Jr-Jr.	5-9	29-24	9.9	2.6	1.0 spg
G	34	Jessica Minnfield	So-So.	5-5	29-24	6.2	2.7	3.3 apg

### STARTERS LOST (0)

### PLAYERS RETURNING (10) - (CAREER STATISTICS)

POS.	NO.	PLAYER	YR*	HT	G-S	PPG	RPG	APG	BPG	SPG
F	21	Carly Benson	So-So.	6-2	29-22	6.4	2.9	0.8	0.6	0.8
G	24	Krista Clement	Jr-Jr.	5-9	57-24	4.5	1.8	2.9	0.2	0.8
G	40	Janelle Cooper	Jr-Jr.	5-9	57-42	6.6	2.7	1.0	0.0	0.9
F	42	Katie Dierdorf	Jr-Jr.	6-0	31-10	6.6	3.1	0.3	0.6	0.5
G/F	32	Kelly Helvey	Sr-Sr.	5-10	68-54	5.2	3.6	2.2	0.6	1.5
F	10	Ashley Jones	So-So.	6-1	28-9	2.5	3.3	1.0	0.6	0.5
G	34	Jessica Minnfield	So-So.	5-5	29-24	6.2	2.7	3.3	0.0	1.2
F	51	Melinda Queen	So-So.	6-1	28-12	2.5	2.6	0.9	0.1	1.0
F	13	Stephany Skrba	So-So.	6-2	29-21	7.0	5.2	0.6	0.9	1.1
F/C	44	Ta'Shia Walker	So-So.	6-0	52-24	11.5	4.4	0.5	0.3	0.6

### PLAYERS LOST (0)

### NEWCOMERS (4) - (PREP SENIOR STATISTICS)

POS.	NO.	PLAYER	YR*	HT	PPG	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
G	2	Sireece Bass	Fr-Fr.	5-7	19.0	Detroit, Mich. (Pershing)
G	23	Kalyn McPherson	Fr-Fr.	5-7	25.2	Traverse City, Mich. (West)
C	25	Krista Phillips	Fr-Fr.	6-6	19.2	Saskatoon, Saskatchewan (Aden Bowman Collegiate)
F	1	LeQuisha Whitfield	Fr-Fr.	6-1	18.2	Detroit, Mich. (Martin Luther King)

### AWARD AND HONORS CANDIDATES (PAST AWARDS)

**Krista Clement** Two-time team captain (2005, '06), Two-time Big Ten Sportsmanship Award (2005, '06), 2006 Scholar-Athlete Award, 2006 Academic All-Big Ten, 2005 Prestige Award

**Janelle Cooper** 2006 Prestige Award, 2006 Defense Award

**Katie Dierdorf** 2006 Field Goal Award

**Kelly Helvey** Two-time Defense Award (2005, '06), 2006 Free Throw Award

**Stephany Skrba** Big Ten Athlete of the Week (11/14/05)

**Ta'Shia Walker** 2006 Rebound Award, 2006 Academic All-Big Ten, Big Ten Athlete of the Week (12/26/05), 2005 Big Ten All-Freshman Team, 2005 Field Goal Award

## 2006-07 TEAM ROSTER

### 2006-07 MICHIGAN WOMEN'S BASKETBALL ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

NO.	WOLVERINE	POS.	HGT.	CLASS	DOB	HOMETOWN (HIGH SCHOOL)
2	Sireece Bass	G	5-7	Fr.-Fr.	5/31/88	Detroit, Mich. (Pershing)
21	Carly Benson	F	6-2	So.-So.	1/16/87	Carney, Mich. (Carney-Nadeau Public School)
24	Krista Clement	G	5-9	Jr.-Jr.	1/25/86	St. Ignace, Mich. (LaSalle)
40	Janelle Cooper	G	5-9	Jr.-Jr.	10/17/86	Detroit, Mich. (Renaissance)
42	Katie Dierdorf	F	6-0	Jr.-Jr.	8/2/86	St. Louis, Mo. (Visitation Academy)
32	Kelly Helvey	G/F	5-10	Sr.-Sr.	12/12/84	Toledo, Ohio (Central Catholic)
10	Ashley Jones	F	6-1	So.-So.	8/23/87	Southfield, Mich. (Martin Luther King)
23	Kalyn McPherson	G	5-7	Fr.-Fr.	4/4/88	Traverse City, Mich. (West)
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25	Krista Phillips	C	6-6	Fr.-Fr.	5/18/88	Saskatoon, Saskatchewan (Aden Bowman Collegiate)
51	Melinda Queen	F	6-1	So.-So.	2/14/87	Oak Forest, Ill. (Carl Sandburg)
13	Stephany Skrba	F	6-2	So.-So.	4/13/87	Richmond Hill, Ontario (Langstaff Secondary School)
44	Ta'Shia Walker	F/C	6-0	Jr.-Jr.	8/7/86	Lansing, Mich. (J.W. Sexton)
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1	LeQuisha Whitfield	F	6-1	Fr.-Fr.	7/17/88	Detroit, Mich. (Martin Luther King)
2	Sireece Bass	G	5-7	Fr.-Fr.	5/31/88	Detroit, Mich. (Pershing)
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at University of Michigan .....	25-63 (3 seasons)
as collegiate head coach .....	344-199 (18 seasons)
alma mater .....	Kansas (1981)
Associate Head Coach .....	Karen Rapier
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Athletic Trainer .....	Mark Stoessner
Strength Coach .....	Jim Plocki
Equipment Manager .....	Bob Bland
Athletic Media Relations .....	Marc Ressler

### PRONUNCIATION KEY - PLAYERS

No.	Player Listing	First Name	Last Name
1	LeQuisha Whitfield	La-KEESH-a	-----
2	Sireece Bass	SIGH-reece	-----
13	Stephany Skrba	-----	Skerr-ba
23	Kalyn McPherson	Kay-lin	-----
24	Krista Clement	-----	Kluh-ment
42	Katie Dierdorf	-----	DEER-dorf
44	Ta'Shia Walker	Ta-SHEE-uh	-----

### PRONUNCIATION KEY - COACHES

No.	Coach Listing	First Name	Last Name
	Karen Rapier	-----	Ra-peer
	Mark Uitermarkt	-----	YOU-terr-mark

### ROSTER BREAKDOWN

#### BY CLASS

Seniors .....	1
Juniors .....	4
Sophomores .....	5
Freshmen .....	4

#### BY POSITION

Guards .....	6
Forwards .....	7
Centers .....	1

#### BY HEIGHT

Krista Phillips .....	6-6
Carly Benson .....	6-2
Stephany Skrba .....	6-2
Ashley Jones .....	6-1
Melinda Queen .....	6-1
LeQuisha Whitfield .....	6-1
Katie Dierdorf .....	6-0
Ta'Shia Walker .....	6-0
Kelly Helvey .....	5-10
Krista Clement .....	5-9
Janelle Cooper .....	5-9
Sireece Bass .....	5-7
Kalyn McPherson .....	5-7
Jessica Minnfield .....	5-5

#### BY BIRTHDATE

Kelly Helvey .....	12/12/84
Krista Clement .....	1/25/86
Katie Dierdorf .....	8/2/86
Ta'Shia Walker .....	8/7/86
Janelle Cooper .....	10/17/86
Carly Benson .....	1/16/87
Melinda Queen .....	2/14/87
Jessica Minnfield .....	3/17/87
Stephany Skrba .....	4/13/87
Ashley Jones .....	8/23/87
Kalyn McPherson .....	4/4/88
Krista Phillips .....	5/18/88
Sireece Bass .....	5/31/88
LeQuisha Whitfield .....	7/17/88

## 2005-06 SEASON RESULTS

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DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATT.	RECORD	HIGH POINTS	HIGH REBOUNDS	HIGH ASSISTS
11/1/05	Athletes in Action (ex)	W	65-64	658	--	Walker 20	Helvey 5	Minnfield 6
11/6/05	Ohio Legends (ex)	W	71-63	662	--	Walker 24	Helvey 9	Helvey 5
11/11/05	vs #21 Temple	L	48-65	3532	0-1	Minnfield 15	Walker 6	Benson 2
11/12/05	vs Saint Francis (Pa.)	W	80-52	3539	1-1	Skrba 19	Skrba 8	Clement 3
11/18/05	at #15 Notre Dame	L	45-55	6134	1-2	Walker 16	Walker 9	Minnfield 5
11/20/05	Miami (Ohio)	W	75-58	1429	2-2	Walker 20	Helvey 10	Minnfield 7
11/26/05	Toledo	L (OT)	55-61	1834	2-3	Walker 9	Walker 10	Helvey 6
11/30/05	Central Michigan	L	57-79	1009	2-4	Clement/Walker 10	Starling 9	Helvey 4
12/3/05	Maine	W	68-60	1595	3-4	Walker 24	Helvey 13	Clement/Helvey 5
12/6/05	Maryland Eastern Shore	W	77-59	1168	4-4	Helvey 30	Helvey 11	Clement 9
12/9/05	at Washington	L	60-82	3289	4-5	Walker 17	Walker 8	Clement 6
12/13/05	Fordham	W	98-55	1272	5-5	Skrba 16	Skrba 8	Clement 6
12/17/05	Nebraska	L	49-69	1423	5-6	Cooper 11	Skrba 7	Clement/Cooper 2
12/23/05	at St. Bonaventure	W	68-60	463	6-6	Walker 32	Walker 9	Clement 6
12/29/05	at Illinois*	L	48-67	1772	6-7	Cooper 11	Dierdorf 7	Benson 3
1/1/06	at #10 Michigan State*	L	44-77	12088	6-8	Cooper 15	Walker 8	Minnfield 4
1/5/06	Iowa*	L	63-77	1410	6-9	Walker 24	Cooper/Walker 8	Clement 6
1/8/06	#14 Purdue*	L	43-51	1789	6-10	Dierdorf 10	Dierdorf 6	Clement 3
1/15/06	at #8 Ohio State*	L	34-62	7180	6-11	Dierdorf 10	Skrba 7	Minnfield 4
1/19/06	#16 Minnesota*	L	57-85	1056	6-12	Cooper/Dierdorf 12	Jones 6	Clement 5
1/22/06	at Indiana*	L	44-69	2546	6-13	Skrba 14	Skrba 8	Minnfield 6
1/26/06	Northwestern*	L	57-77	1568	6-14	Skrba 16	Minnfield 7	Three with 3
1/29/06	Wisconsin*	L	65-75	3122	6-15	Cooper 13	Skrba 9	Clement 9
2/2/06	at Penn State*	L	62-78	5429	6-16	Cooper/Dierdorf 12	Skrba 9	Queen 5
2/5/06	at #16 Minnesota*	L	48-83	12049	6-17	Cooper 13	Queen 6	Minnfield 6
2/10/06	#7 Ohio State*	L	55-74	2332	6-18	Skrba 17	Skrba 13	Minnfield 6
2/16/06	at #10 Purdue*	L	50-75	7048	6-19	Cooper 17	Skrba 9	Minnfield 7
2/19/06	at Iowa*	L	55-67	5061	6-20	Minnfield 20	Skrba 8	Queen/Minnfield 3
2/23/06	#14 Michigan State*	L	42-68	3144	6-21	Cooper 18	Jones 7	Jones 3
2/26/06	Illinois*	L	57-67	2006	6-22	Cooper 24	Jones 11	Minnfield 6
3/2/06	vs Indiana^	L	52-68	6015	6-23	Cooper 16	Skrba 5	Minnfield 9

(ex) indicates exhibition games

Rankings from Associated Press Top 25

\*Big Ten Conference game

^Big Ten Conference Tournament (Indianapolis, Ind.)

## 2005-06 SEASON STATISTICS

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#### ALL GAMES

PLAYER	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	TOTAL		3-POINT		FT-FTA	PCT	REBOUNDS				PF	FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
				FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-A	PCT			OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG								
Walker, Ta'Shia	24-7	519	21.6	100-223	.448	12-37	.324	48-69	.696	71	56	127	5.3	44	0	18	58	5	11	260	10.8
Cooper, Janelle	29-24	917	31.6	98-276	.355	47-124	.379	44-61	.721	42	32	74	2.6	57	0	35	90	2	29	287	9.9
Helvey, Kelly	9-9	238	26.4	27-57	.474	4-7	.571	19-21	.905	5	41	46	5.1	15	0	28	24	11	12	77	8.6
Dierdorf, Katie	22-8	367	16.7	70-139	.504	0-0	.000	25-30	.833	24	53	77	3.5	40	1	6	26	15	13	165	7.5
Skrba, Stephany	29-21	654	22.6	86-200	.430	0-2	.000	31-49	.633	50	101	151	5.2	55	1	17	63	26	31	203	7.0
Benson, Carly	29-22	630	21.7	76-206	.369	20-63	.317	13-17	.765	16	67	83	2.9	78	1	24	53	17	24	185	6.4
Minnfield, Jessica	29-24	828	28.6	59-169	.349	26-69	.377	36-48	.750	14	63	77	2.7	47	0	95	108	0	34	180	6.2
Clement, Krista	29-9	637	22.0	42-154	.273	32-120	.267	18-25	.720	11	33	44	1.5	61	3	83	55	6	19	134	4.6
Queen, Melinda	28-12	507	18.1	26-73	.356	2-7	.286	16-29	.552	33	40	73	2.6	30	0	24	52	4	29	70	2.5
Jones, Ashley	28-9	437	15.6	28-84	.333	2-4	.500	12-22	.545	35	58	93	3.3	65	3	29	39	16	14	70	2.5
Starling, Jessica	11-0	84	7.6	6-28	.214	0-16	.000	11-13	.846	12	7	19	1.7	10	0	7	12	0	4	23	2.1
Bowman, Megan	2-0	5	2.5	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0
Miller, Lyndsay	2-0	1	0.5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Sklar, Lindsay	1-0	0	0.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Dean, Renee	1-0	0	0.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Martin, Mara	2-0	1	0.5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team										55	72	127	4.4	0			10				
<b>MICHIGAN</b>	<b>29</b>			<b>619-1611</b>	<b>.384</b>	<b>145-449</b>	<b>.323</b>	<b>273-384</b>	<b>.711</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>993</b>	<b>34.2</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>590</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>1656</b>	<b>57.1</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>29</b>			<b>724-1696</b>	<b>.427</b>	<b>146-400</b>	<b>.365</b>	<b>381-539</b>	<b>.707</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>682</b>	<b>1111</b>	<b>38.3</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>1975</b>	<b>68.1</b>

#### SCORE BY PERIODS

	1ST	2ND	OT	TOTAL
Michigan	804	848	4	1656
Opponents	940	1025	10	1975

**DEADBALL REBOUNDS:** Michigan 56, Opponents 73

#### BIG TEN CONFERENCE GAMES

PLAYER	GP-GS	MIN	AVG	TOTAL		3-POINT		FT-FTA	PCT	REBOUNDS				PF	FO	A	TO	BLK	STL	PTS	AVG
				FG-FGA	PCT	3FG-A	PCT			OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG								
Cooper, Janelle	16-16	567	35.4	63-175	.360	31-82	.378	31-44	.705	22	14	36	2.3	32	0	18	53	1	15	188	11.8
Dierdorf, Katie	10-5	203	20.3	37-79	.468	0-0	.000	10-12	.833	14	31	45	4.5	21	0	2	14	11	9	84	8.4
Skrba, Stephany	16-12	405	25.3	54-131	.412	0-1	.000	12-20	.600	32	62	94	5.9	35	1	10	38	16	19	120	7.5
Walker, Ta'Shia	11-1	200	18.2	28-78	.359	2-14	.143	20-26	.769	18	20	38	3.5	17	0	7	20	3	4	78	7.1
Minnfield, Jessica	16-16	525	32.8	38-102	.373	17-46	.370	18-23	.783	8	36	44	2.8	24	0	60	63	0	19	111	6.9
Benson, Carly	16-14	344	21.5	35-122	.287	10-41	.244	9-11	.818	11	35	46	2.9	44	1	13	29	8	8	89	5.6
Clement, Krista	16-3	313	19.6	23-85	.271	16-64	.250	6-8	.750	7	18	25	1.6	35	2	39	30	2	8	68	4.3
Jones, Ashley	16-5	305	19.1	21-59	.356	2-2	1.000	5-11	.455	25	39	64	4.0	41	3	18	27	12	6	49	3.1
Queen, Melinda	15-8	331	22.1	14-38	.368	2-6	.333	5-14	.357	18	27	45	3.0	18	0	18	37	3	20	35	2.3
Bowman, Megan	2-0	5	2.5	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	1	1	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0
Miller, Lyndsay	2-0	1	0.5	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Sklar, Lindsay	1-0	0	0.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Dean, Renee	1-0	0	0.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Martin, Mara	2-0	1	0.5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	0	1	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Team										26	35	61	3.8	0			7				
<b>MICHIGAN</b>	<b>16</b>			<b>314-871</b>	<b>.361</b>	<b>80-256</b>	<b>.313</b>	<b>116-169</b>	<b>.686</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>31.3</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>824</b>	<b>51.5</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>16</b>			<b>426-922</b>	<b>.462</b>	<b>73-194</b>	<b>.376</b>	<b>227-304</b>	<b>.747</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>38.8</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>1152</b>	<b>72.0</b>

#### SCORE BY PERIODS

	1ST	2ND	TOTAL
Michigan	395	429	824
Opponents	544	608	1152

**DEADBALL REBOUNDS:** Michigan 29, Opponents 34

## 2006-07 WOLVERINES



# 32

### KELLY HELVEY

*Senior*

*Guard-Forward • 5-10*

*Toledo, Ohio • Central Catholic High School*

*Enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts*

*General Studies Major*

#### HELVEY'S JUNIOR SEASON (2005-06)

Earned third varsity letter ... received Michigan's Free Throw Award and shared the team's Defense Award ... started nine games before suffering a season-ending right knee injury at Washington (Dec. 9) ... averaged 26.4 minutes per game ... averaged 8.6 points and 5.1 rebounds ... led team in minutes played (29.3), three-point field goal percentage (.571), free throw percentage (.905), assists (28), steals (12) and blocks (11) at time of injury ... one of 11 Big Ten Conference players to achieve at least three double-doubles during the season ... scored a career-high 30 points, including career-best totals in three-pointers (3-of-3) and free throws (11-of-12), and added 11 rebounds against Maryland Eastern Shore (Dec. 6) ... her 11 free throws made against the Lady Hawks was a season-high for a U-M player ... scored 13 points and pulled down a career-high 13 boards in a career-best 38 minutes against Maine (Dec. 3) ... her 13-rebound performance against the Black Bears tied a season-high for a U-M player ... posted 10 points and 10 rebounds in addition to matching a career high with four blocks against Miami (Ohio) (Nov. 20) ... her four blocks against the RedHawks tied a season-high for a U-M player ... dished out a season-high six assists against Toledo (Nov. 26) ... collected a season-best three steals against Toledo and Maryland Eastern Shore.

#### HELVEY'S SOPHOMORE SEASON (2004-05)

Earned second varsity letter ... received Michigan's Defense Award ... played in 28 games and made 23 starts ... averaged 29.2 minutes per game ... averaged 6.1 points and 4.0 rebounds ... led team in blocks (26) and ranked second in both assists (71) and steals (49) ... listed 14th in the Big Ten Conference in both blocks (0.75) and steals (1.75) ... posted season highs in points (16) and rebounds (8) against Washington (Nov. 22) ... matched a season high with 16 points against Minnesota (Feb. 6) ... dished out a season-high six assists and posted a career-best four blocks against Iowa (Feb. 19) ... her four blocks against the Hawkeyes was a season-high for a U-M player ... matched a career high with four steals against Drake (Nov. 30), at Minnesota (Jan. 20) and at Illinois (Feb. 27) ... led or shared the team lead in steals 15 times, blocks 12 times and assists seven times.

#### HELVEY'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2003-04)

Earned first varsity letter ... played in 31 games and made 22 starts ... averaged 20.9 minutes per game ... averaged 3.5 points and 2.7 rebounds ... ranked second on the team in steals (49) ... scored a season-high 11 points and collected a career-best four steals against Wisconsin (Feb. 8) ... matched a career-high with four steals at Drake (Feb. 5), against Xavier (Dec. 21) and at Northwestern (Jan. 4) ... pulled down a season-best six rebounds at Minnesota (Jan. 1) ... dished out a career-high eight assists against Michigan State (Feb. 12) ... her eight-assist effort against the Spartans was a season high for a U-M player ... posted a season-best two blocks at Creighton (Dec. 7) ... led or shared the team lead in assists nine times, steals six times and blocks five times.

#### HELVEY'S PREP CAREER

Attended Central Catholic High School (2003), coached by Steve Pfahler ... honor roll student ... four-year varsity letterwinner ... *Honors and Rankings* ... McDonald's All-American nominee ... first-team all-state as a senior ... third-team all-state as a junior ... three-time all-city first team selection ... two-time all-district first team selection ... city and district Player of the Year as a senior ... two-time all-*Toledo Blade* selection ... two-time *Ohio Girls Basketball Magazine* Dream Team member ... *Other Sports* ... four-year letterwinner in soccer ... earned first-team all-city and all-district honors each season.

#### HELVEY'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

Kelly Anne Helvey was born December 12, 1984 ... daughter of Daniel and Leeann Helvey ... attended same high school as current Wolverine sophomore Jessica Minnfield ... enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts ... general studies major.

#### HELVEY'S CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2003-04	31-22	648	20.9	40-143	.280	8-45	.178	19-33	.576	84	2.7	53	64	7	39	107	3.5
2004-05	28-23	817	29.2	66-185	.357	4-18	.222	34-65	.523	113	4.0	71	89	26	49	170	6.1
2005-06	9-9	238	26.4	27-57	.474	4-7	.571	19-21	.905	46	5.1	28	24	11	12	77	8.6
<b>Career</b>	<b>68-54</b>	<b>1703</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>133-385</b>	<b>.345</b>	<b>16-70</b>	<b>.229</b>	<b>72-119</b>	<b>.605</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>5.2</b>

#### HELVEY'S CAREER HIGHS

<b>Points</b> .....30, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> ..... 14, vs Washington (11/22/04)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....8, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)	<b>Rebounds</b> ..... 13, vs Maine (12/3/05)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> ..... 13, vs Minnesota (2/6/05)	<b>Assists</b> ..... 8, vs Michigan State (2/12/04)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....3, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)	<b>Blocks</b> ..... 4 (2x), last vs Miami (Ohio) (11/20/05)
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> ..... 6, at Drake (12/5/03)	<b>Steals</b> ..... 4 (7x), last at Illinois (2/27/05)
<b>Free Throws</b> ..... 11, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....38, vs Maine (12/3/05)

## 2006-07 WOLVERINES



# 24

### KRISTA CLEMENT

*Junior*

*Guard • 5-9*

*St. Ignace, Michigan • LaSalle High School*

*Enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts  
General Studies Major*

#### CLEMENT'S SOPHOMORE SEASON (2005-06)

Earned second varsity letter ... Academic All-Big Ten Conference ... U-M Athletic Academic Achievement award winner ... named Michigan's Big Ten Sportsmanship Award honoree ... received Michigan's Scholar-Athlete Award ... elected captain by teammates ... played in 29 games and made nine starts ... averaged 22.0 minutes per game ... ranked second on the team in assists (83) ... averaged 4.6 points and 1.5 rebounds ... scored a career-high 14 points against Fordham (Dec. 13) ... dished out a career-best nine assists against Maryland Eastern Shore (Dec. 6) and Wisconsin (Jan. 29) ... her nine-assist effort against the Lady Hawks and the Badgers tied a season-high for a U-M player ... led or shared the team lead in assists 12 times ... collected a season-high three steals against Maine (Dec. 3) and Wisconsin ... posted a season-best four rebounds against Miami (Ohio) (Nov. 20) and Wisconsin.

#### CLEMENT'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2004-05)

Earned first varsity letter ... U-M Athletic Academic Achievement award winner ... named Michigan's Big Ten Sportsmanship Award honoree ... received Michigan's Prestige Award ... elected co-captain by teammates, becoming the first freshman in Michigan history to earn the honor ... played in 28 games and made 15 starts ... averaged 24.4 minutes per game ... led team in assists (84) ... listed seventh in the Big Ten in assist/turnover ratio (1.38) and tied for 14th in assists (3.00) ... averaged 4.4 points and 2.1 rebounds ... scored a season-high 13 points at Wisconsin (Jan. 30) ... dished out a season-high eight assists against Illinois (Dec. 30) ... her eight-assist effort against the Fighting Illini was a season-high for a U-M player ... collected a career-best four steals at Western Michigan (Dec. 14) ... led or shared the team lead in assists 13 times and steals seven times ... grabbed a career-high five rebounds at Northwestern (Jan. 6).

#### CLEMENT'S PREP CAREER

Attended LaSalle High School (2004), coached by Dorene Ingalls ... class valedictorian ... Student Council President ... National Honor Society member ... honor roll student ... Upper Peninsula Sports Hall of Fame scholarship recipient ... four-year varsity letterwinner ... member of Class C state championship team as a freshman and state runner-up as a junior ... led team to 99-5 record throughout four-year career ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged 24.0 points, 6.7 rebounds, 7.4 assists and 4.2 steals as a senior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... Michigan's Miss Basketball and Gatorade Player of the Year as a senior ... Detroit Athletic Club High School Athlete of the Year as a senior ... named state's top senior by Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan ... McDonald's All-American nominee as a senior ... named Upper Peninsula Player of the Year as a junior ... three-time all-state first team selection ... member of *Detroit Free Press* Dream Team as a junior and senior ... *Other Sports* ... four-year varsity letterwinner in track and field ... school record holder in one-mile, two-mile and 800-meter events ... two-year varsity letterwinner in volleyball.

#### CLEMENT'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

Krista Elizabeth Clement was born January 25, 1986 ... daughter of Scott and Mary Clement ... enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts ... general studies major.

#### CLEMENT'S CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2004-05	28-15	683	24.4	42-141	.298	23-81	.284	17-21	.810	59	2.1	84	61	4	27	124	4.4
2005-06	29-9	637	22.0	42-154	.273	32-120	.267	18-25	.720	44	1.5	83	55	6	19	134	4.6
<b>Career</b>	<b>57-24</b>	<b>1320</b>	<b>23.2</b>	<b>84-295</b>	<b>.285</b>	<b>55-201</b>	<b>.274</b>	<b>35-46</b>	<b>.761</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>4.5</b>

#### CLEMENT'S CAREER HIGHS

<b>Points</b> .....	14, vs Fordham (12/13/05)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> .....	6 (2x), last vs Fordham (12/13/05)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....	5, at Wisconsin (1/30/05)	<b>Rebounds</b> .....	5, at Northwestern (1/6/05)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	12, vs Toledo (11/26/05)	<b>Assists</b> .....	9 (2x), last vs Wisconsin (1/29/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....	4, vs Eastern Michigan (12/8/04)	<b>Blocks</b> .....	1 (10x), last vs Michigan State (2/23/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	12, vs Toledo (11/26/05)	<b>Steals</b> .....	4, at Western Michigan (12/14/04)
<b>Free Throws</b> .....	5 (2x), last vs Fordham (12/13/05)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....	39, vs Maine (12/3/05)

**2006-07 WOLVERINES**



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**JANELLE COOPER**

*Junior*

*Guard • 5-9*

*Detroit, Michigan • Renaissance High School*

*Enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts*

*General Studies Major*

**COOPER'S SOPHOMORE SEASON (2005-06)**

Earned second varsity letter ... received Michigan's Prestige Award and shared the team's Defense Award ... played in 29 games and made 24 starts ... averaged a team-high 31.6 minutes per game ... listed seventh in the Big Ten Conference in three-point field goal percentage at .379 (47-of-124), 11th in three-point field goals made (1.62), 15th in minutes played and 29th in scoring (9.9) ... scored a career-high 24 points against Illinois (Feb. 26) ... hit at least two three-pointers in seven of final eight games of the season, including a career-high four triples at Purdue (Feb. 16) ... her four triples against the Boilermakers tied a season-high for a U-M player ... reached double figures in scoring a team-high 17 times, including the final nine contests of the year ... led or shared the team lead in scoring 11 times ... averaged 2.6 rebounds ... matched a career best with eight rebounds against Iowa (Jan. 5) ... collected a career-high three steals against Maryland Eastern Shore (Dec. 6) and against Indiana in first round of Big Ten Tournament (March 2) ... dished out a career-best three assists on five occasions.

**COOPER'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2004-05)**

Earned first varsity letter ... U-M Athletic Academic Achievement award winner ... played in 28 games and made 18 starts ... averaged 23.8 minutes per game ... averaged 3.3 points and 2.9 rebounds ... scored a season-high 14 points against Drake (Nov. 30) ... grabbed a career-best eight rebounds in first career game at Alabama (Nov. 19) ... dished out a season-high two assists on nine occasions ... collected a season-best two steals on six occasions.

**COOPER'S PREP CAREER**

Attended Renaissance High School (2004), coached by Diane Jones ... honor roll student ... National Honor Society member ... named to Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan (BCAM) academic all-state team as a senior ... four-year varsity letterwinner ... team captain as a senior ... member of two state quarterfinalist teams ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged 12.0 points and 6.0 points as a senior and 13.0 points and 6.0 rebounds as a junior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... BCAM all-state first team selection as a senior ... *Detroit News* all-state and all-metro first team selection as a senior ... *Detroit Free Press* all-Detroit first team selection as a junior and senior ... *Detroit News* all-state second team selection as a junior ... BCAM All-Star Game participant as a senior.

**COOPER'S PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Janelle Leeann Cooper was born October 17, 1986 ... daughter of Bobby and Linda Cooper ... twin sister, Jenna, played basketball at Wayne State University ... sister, Joanna, played basketball at University of Detroit Mercy ... enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts ... general studies major.

**COOPER'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2004-05	28-18	667	23.8	34-107	.318	0-1	.000	24-49	.490	81	2.9	24	41	0	21	92	3.3
2005-06	29-24	917	31.6	98-276	.355	47-124	.379	44-61	.721	74	2.6	35	90	2	29	287	9.9
<b>Career</b>	<b>57-42</b>	<b>1584</b>	<b>27.8</b>	<b>132-383</b>	<b>.345</b>	<b>47-125</b>	<b>.376</b>	<b>68-110</b>	<b>.618</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>6.6</b>

**COOPER'S CAREER HIGHS**

<b>Points</b> .....	24, vs Illinois (2/26/06)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> .....	9, at Alabama (11/19/04)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....	9, vs Illinois (2/26/06)	<b>Rebounds</b> .....	8 (2x), last vs Iowa (1/5/06)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	22, vs Illinois (2/26/06)	<b>Assists</b> .....	3 (5x), last vs Ohio State (2/10/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....	4, at Purdue (2/16/06)	<b>Blocks</b> .....	1 (2x), last at Michigan State (1/1/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	9, vs Illinois (2/26/06)	<b>Steals</b> .....	3 (2x), last vs Indiana (3/2/06)
<b>Free Throws</b> .....	5 (4x), last vs Michigan State (2/23/06)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....	40 (2x), last vs Illinois (2/26/06)

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## KATIE DIERDORF

*Junior*

*Forward • 6-0*

*St. Louis, Missouri • Visitation Academy*

*Enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts*

*History Major*

### DIERDORF'S SOPHOMORE SEASON (2005-06)

Earned second varsity letter ... received Michigan's Field Goal Award ... played in 22 games and made eight starts before sitting out final seven contests with a right hip injury ... averaged 16.7 minutes per game ... led team in field goal percentage at .504 (70-of-139) and ranked second in free throw percentage at .833 (25-of-30) ... listed eighth in the Big Ten Conference in field goal percentage and 13th in blocks (0.68) ... averaged 7.5 points and 3.5 rebounds ... scored a career-high 19 points on 9-of-11 shooting and grabbed a career-best seven rebounds at St. Bonaventure (Dec. 23) ... matched a career high with seven boards at Illinois (Dec. 29) ... posted a career-best four blocks against Minnesota (Jan. 29) ... her four blocks against the Golden Gophers tied a season-high for a U-M player ... matched a career high with three steals at Indiana (Jan. 22) ... reached double figures in scoring nine times ... led or shared the team lead in blocks eight times and scoring four times.

### DIERDORF'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2004-05)

Earned first varsity letter ... played in nine games and made two starts before suffering a season-ending left hip injury at Western Michigan (Dec. 14) ... averaged 11.1 minutes per game ... averaged 4.3 points and 2.1 rebounds ... was shooting .441 (15-of-34) on the season at time of injury ... scored a season-high 11 points against Eastern Michigan (Dec. 8) ... pulled down a season-best four rebounds in first career game at Alabama (Nov. 19) ... scored 10 points, matched a season high with four boards, posted a season-best two blocks and recorded a career-high three steals against IUPUI (Dec. 11).

### DIERDORF'S PREP CAREER

Attended Visitation Academy (2004), coached by Jeri Wenneker ... Visitation Athletic Association President ... *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* Scholar-Athlete ... four-year varsity letterwinner ... led team to runner-up finish at state championship as a junior ... member of three district championship teams ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged 25.0 points and 10.3 rebounds as senior and 25.0 points and 11.1 as a junior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... Missouri Miss Basketball as a senior ... *Street & Smith's* All-American as a senior (honorable mention as a junior) ... *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* Player of the Year as a junior and senior ... three-time all-state first team selection ... four-time all-conference first team selection ... attended Nike All-American Camp as a junior.

### DIERDORF'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

Katherine Anne Dierdorf was born August 2, 1986 ... daughter of Dan and Debbie Dierdorf ... father played football at Michigan from 1968-70, earning All-America honors as a senior in 1970 before going on to a Hall of Fame career in the National Football League with the St. Louis Cardinals ... enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts ... history major.

### DIERDORF'S CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2004-05	9-2	100	11.1	15-34	.441	0-0	.000	9-18	.500	19	2.1	2	6	4	4	39	4.3
2005-06	22-8	367	16.7	70-139	.504	0-0	.000	25-30	.833	77	3.5	6	26	15	13	165	7.5
<b>Career</b>	<b>31-10</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>85-173</b>	<b>.491</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>34-48</b>	<b>.708</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>3.1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>6.6</b>

### DIERDORF'S CAREER HIGHS

<b>Points</b> .....	19, at St. Bonaventure (12/23/05)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> .....	8 (2x), last vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (11/12/05)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....	9, at St. Bonaventure (12/23/05)	<b>Rebounds</b> .....	7 (2x), last at Illinois (12/29/05)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	16, at Penn State (2/2/06)	<b>Assists</b> .....	2, at Penn State (2/2/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....	N/A	<b>Blocks</b> .....	4, vs Minnesota (1/29/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	N/A	<b>Steals</b> .....	3 (2x), last at Indiana (1/22/06)
<b>Free Throws</b> .....	7, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (11/12/05)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....	30, vs Minnesota (1/29/06)

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**TA'SHIA WALKER**

*Junior*

*Forward-Center • 6-0*

*Lansing, Michigan • J.W. Sexton High School*

*Enrolled in the Division of Kinesiology*

*Sport Management Major*

**WALKER'S SOPHOMORE SEASON (2005-06)**

Earned first varsity letter ... U-M Athletic Academic Achievement award winner ... Big Ten Conference All-Freshman Team ... received Michigan's Field Goal Award ... played in 28 games and made 17 starts ... averaged 25.5 minutes per game ... led team in field goal percentage at .450 (127-of-282) ... listed 14th in the Big Ten in field goal percentage and 20th in scoring (12.1) ... scored a season-high 22 points in back-to-back games against Washington (Nov. 22) and at UC Santa Barbara (Nov. 26), which were her second and third career games ... reached double figures in scoring 18 times ... led or shared the team lead in scoring 10 times ... averaged 3.7 rebounds ... grabbed a season-best seven rebounds at Purdue (Jan. 9) and Iowa (Jan. 27) ... collected a career-high three steals against Drake (Nov. 30) and Eastern Michigan (Dec. 8) ... posted a career-best three blocks against Penn State (Feb. 3) ... dished out a season-high two assists against IUPUI (Dec. 11) and Penn State.

**WALKER'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2004-05)**

Earned first varsity letter ... U-M Athletic Academic Achievement award winner ... Big Ten Conference All-Freshman Team ... received Michigan's Field Goal Award ... played in 28 games and made 17 starts ... averaged 25.5 minutes per game ... led team in field goal percentage at .450 (127-of-282) ... listed 14th in the Big Ten in field goal percentage and 20th in scoring (12.1) ... scored a season-high 22 points in back-to-back games against Washington (Nov. 22) and at UC Santa Barbara (Nov. 26), which were her second and third career games ... reached double figures in scoring 18 times ... led or shared the team lead in scoring 10 times ... averaged 3.7 rebounds ... grabbed a season-best seven rebounds at Purdue (Jan. 9) and Iowa (Jan. 27) ... collected a career-high three steals against Drake (Nov. 30) and Eastern Michigan (Dec. 8) ... posted a career-best three blocks against Penn State (Feb. 3) ... dished out a season-high two assists against IUPUI (Dec. 11) and Penn State.

**WALKER'S PREP CAREER**

Attended J.W. Sexton High School (2004), coached by Joe Wodja ... class valedictorian ... Student Body Vice President ... honor roll student ... National Honor Society member ... named to Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan (BCAM) academic all-state team as a senior ... four-time academic all-conference selection ... four-year varsity letterwinner ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged 18.9 points and 10.9 rebounds as a senior and 14.9 points and 12.5 rebounds as a junior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... all-state first team as a senior and second team as a junior ... all-conference first team as a junior and senior ... all-state honorable mention as a freshman and sophomore ... all-conference honorable mention as a freshman and sophomore ... *Lansing State Journal* Dream Team member as a senior ... ranked as No. 115 player in the nation by adidas *All-Star Girls Report* as a senior.

**WALKER'S PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Ta'Shia Nicole Walker was born August 7, 1986 ... daughter of Craig and Brenda Johnson ... Michigan's representative at 2006 NCAA Leadership Conference ... enrolled in the Division of Kinesiology ... sport management major.

**WALKER'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2004-05	28-17	715	25.5	127-282	.450	9-36	.250	77-105	.733	104	3.7	10	66	10	19	340	12.1
2005-06	24-7	519	21.6	100-223	.448	12-37	.324	48-69	.696	127	5.3	18	58	5	11	260	10.8
<b>Career</b>	<b>52-24</b>	<b>1234</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>227-505</b>	<b>.450</b>	<b>21-73</b>	<b>.288</b>	<b>125-174</b>	<b>.718</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>11.5</b>

**WALKER'S CAREER HIGHS**

<b>Points</b> .....	32, at St. Bonaventure (12/23/05)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> .....	12, vs Washington (11/22/04)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....	13, at St. Bonaventure (12/23/05)	<b>Rebounds</b> .....	10, vs Toledo (11/26/05)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	21, vs Maine (12/3/05)	<b>Assists</b> .....	4, at St. Bonaventure (12/23/05)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....	2 (5x), last at St. Bonaventure (12/23/05)	<b>Blocks</b> .....	3, vs Penn State (2/3/05)
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	5, at Illinois (12/29/05)	<b>Steals</b> .....	3 (2x), last vs Eastern Michigan (12/8/04)
<b>Free Throws</b> .....	8, vs Washington (11/22/04)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....	38, vs Maine (12/3/05)

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**CARLY BENSON**

*Sophomore*

*Forward • 6-2*

*Carney, Michigan • Carney-Nadeau Public School*

*Enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts*

*Undeclared Major*

**BENSON'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2005-06)**

Earned first varsity letter ... played in 29 games and made 22 starts ... averaged 21.7 minutes per game ... ranked second among U-M freshmen in scoring (6.4) and blocks (17) ... scored a career-high 15 points, including a career-best 3-of-5 from three-point range, and added a career-best five steals against Maryland Eastern Shore (Dec. 6) ... matched a career high with five steals against Fordham (Dec. 13) ... her five-steal effort against the Lady Hawks and the Rams was a season-high for a U-M player ... collected a career-best three blocks against Purdue (Jan. 8) ... led or shared the team lead in blocks nine times and steals four times ... grabbed a career-high seven rebounds at Washington (Dec. 9) ... tallied a career-best three assists at Illinois (Dec. 29).

**BENSON'S PREP CAREER**

Attended Carney-Nadeau Public School (2005), coached by Paul Polfus ... class salutatorian ... high honor roll student ... National Honor Society President ... Student Council Vice President ... *Detroit Free Press* Scholar-Athlete as a senior ... four-year varsity letterwinner ... starter on Class D state championship team as a freshman ... member of state semifinalist teams as a sophomore and senior ... *Key Statistics* ... all-time leader in scoring at Carney-Nadeau with 1,864 points (fifth highest point total for a player in the Upper Peninsula all-time) ... *Honors and Rankings* ... finished third in Michigan Miss Basketball voting as a senior ... Class D Player of the Year as a junior and senior ... earned all-state, all-Upper Peninsula, all-CUP and all-Skyline Conference honors each season ... earned *Associated Press* and Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan all-state first team honors as a senior ... named CUP MVP as a junior and senior ... named Skyline MVP as a senior ... *Other Sports* ... four-year varsity letterwinner in volleyball, track and field and cross country ... named Skyline MVP for volleyball as a senior ... first-team CUP and Skyline for volleyball as a junior and senior ... academic all-state for cross country as a freshman and sophomore.

**BENSON'S PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Carly Justine Benson was born January 16, 1987 ... daughter of Ed Benson and Nance Pugh ... father played basketball at Northern Michigan University ... enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts ... undeclared major.

**BENSON'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2005-06	29-22	630	21.7	76-206	.369	20-63	.317	13-17	.765	83	2.9	24	53	17	24	185	6.4
<b>Career</b>	<b>29-22</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>76-206</b>	<b>.369</b>	<b>20-63</b>	<b>.317</b>	<b>13-17</b>	<b>.765</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>6.4</b>

**BENSON'S CAREER HIGHS**

<b>Points</b> .....15, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> .....3 (2x), last at Illinois (12/29/05)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....6, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)	<b>Rebounds</b> .....7, at Washington (12/9/05)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> .....12, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)	<b>Assists</b> .....3, at Illinois (12/29/05)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....3, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)	<b>Blocks</b> .....3, vs Purdue (1/8/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> .....5, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)	<b>Steals</b> .....5 (2x), last vs Fordham (12/13/05)
<b>Free Throws</b> .....2 (4x), last vs Michigan State (2/23/06)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....33, vs Maryland Eastern Shore (12/6/05)

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**10**

**ASHLEY JONES**

*Sophomore*

*Forward • 6-1*

*Detroit, Michigan • Martin Luther King High School*

*Enrolled in the College of Engineering*

*Undeclared Major*

**JONES'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2005-06)**

Earned first varsity letter ... played in 28 games and made nine starts ... averaged 15.6 minutes per game ... averaged 2.5 points per game ... ranked second among U-M freshmen in rebounds (3.3) and assists (29) ... posted career-high totals of nine points and 11 rebounds against Illinois (Feb. 26) ... dished out a career-best five assists against Fordham (Dec. 13) ... collected a career-high two blocks in back-to-back games at Minnesota (Feb. 5) and against Ohio State (Feb. 10).

**JONES'S PREP CAREER**

Attended Martin Luther King High School (2005), coached by William Winfield ... honor roll student ... named to Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan (BCAM) academic all-state team as a senior ... four-year varsity letterwinner ... starter on Class A state championship team as a junior ... member of state championship runner-up team as a senior and state semifinalist teams as a freshman and sophomore ... member of four city championship teams ... Martin Luther King compiled a 95-4 record during four-year career ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged 12 points, seven rebounds and five assists as a senior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... Michigan Miss Basketball finalist as a senior ... *Associated Press* and BCAM all-state first team as a senior ... named to all-state third team as a junior ... ranked the No. 205 player (No. 41 power forward) in North America by adidas *All-Star Girls Report* ... two-time participant at adidas Top 10 All-American Camp.

**JONES'S PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Ashley Danielle Jones was born August 23, 1987 ... daughter of Kenzo and Deetra Crockett ... father played football at North Carolina State University ... mother played volleyball at Ohio State University ... brother, Tonjua (T.J.) is a junior wide receiver on Northwestern University's football team ... attended same high school as current Wolverine freshman LeQuisha Whitfield ... enrolled in the College of Engineering ... undeclared major.

**JONES'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2005-06	28-9	437	15.6	28-84	.333	2-4	.500	12-22	.545	93	3.3	29	39	16	14	70	2.5
<b>Career</b>	<b>28-9</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>28-84</b>	<b>.333</b>	<b>2-4</b>	<b>.500</b>	<b>12-22</b>	<b>.545</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>2.5</b>

**JONES'S CAREER HIGHS**

<b>Points</b> .....9, vs Illinois (2/26/06)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> .....4, vs Wisconsin (1/29/06)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....4, vs Illinois (2/26/06)	<b>Rebounds</b> .....11, vs Illinois (2/26/06)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> .....9, vs Illinois (2/26/06)	<b>Assists</b> .....5, vs Fordham (12/13/05)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....1 (2x), last vs Illinois (2/26/06)	<b>Blocks</b> .....2 (2x), last vs Ohio State (2/10/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> .....1 (3x), last vs Indiana (3/2/06)	<b>Steals</b> .....2 (4x), last vs Illinois (2/26/06)
<b>Free Throws</b> .....2 (5x), last vs Minnesota (1/29/06)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....34, at Ohio State (1/15/06)

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# 34

### JESSICA MINNFIELD

*Sophomore*

*Guard • 5-5*

*Toledo, Ohio • Central Catholic High School*

*Enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts*

*Undeclared Major*

#### MINNFIELD'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2005-06)

Earned first varsity letter ... played in 29 games and made 24 starts ... averaged 28.6 minutes per game ... averaged 6.2 points and 2.7 rebounds per game ... led team in assists (95) and steals (34) ... listed 15th in the Big Ten Conference in assists (3.28) ... recorded a career-high 20 points, including a career-best 4-of-4 from three-point range, at Iowa (Feb. 19) ... her four triples against the Hawkeyes tied a season-high for a U-M player ... dished out a career-high nine assists against Indiana in first round of Big Ten Tournament (March 2) ... her nine-assist effort against the Hoosiers tied a season-high for a U-M player ... collected a career-best four steals against Fordham (Dec. 13) ... led or shared the team lead in assists 11 times and steals eight times ... grabbed a career-high eight rebounds at St. Bonaventure (Dec. 23).

#### MINNFIELD'S PREP CAREER

Attended Central Catholic High School (2005), coached by Steve Pfahler ... four-year all-academic ... President of Fellowship of Christian Athletes Award as a junior and senior .. four-year varsity letterwinner ... three-time team captain ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged 14.3 points, 5.5 rebounds, 4.8 assists and 4.1 steals during career ... *Honors and Rankings* ... named Ohio High School Basketball Coaches Association (OHSBC) Player of the Year as a senior ... named to *Associated Press* all-state first team as a senior ... named District 7 Player of the Year as a senior ... all-city and all-district first team selection as a junior and senior ... member of *Toledo Blade* Dream Team as a senior ... scored 17 points to lead North team at the 2005 OHSBC Division I and II All-Star Game.

#### MINNFIELD'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

Jessica Nicole Minnfield was born March 17, 1987 ... daughter of Melvin and Sara Minnfield ... father played football at University of Toledo ... brother, Corey, played football at Ohio Northern University ... attended same high school as current Wolverine senior Kelly Helvey ... enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts ... undeclared major.

#### MINNFIELD'S CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2005-06	29-24	828	28.6	59-169	.349	26-69	.377	36-48	.750	77	2.7	95	108	0	34	180	6.2
<b>Career</b>	<b>29-24</b>	<b>828</b>	<b>28.6</b>	<b>59-169</b>	<b>.349</b>	<b>26-69</b>	<b>.377</b>	<b>36-48</b>	<b>.750</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>6.2</b>

#### MINNFIELD'S CAREER HIGHS

<b>Points</b> .....	20, at Iowa (2/19/06)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> .....	7, vs Fordham (12/13/05)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....	6, at Iowa (2/19/06)	<b>Rebounds</b> .....	8 (2x), last at Purdue (2/16/06)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	13, vs Temple (11/11/05)	<b>Assists</b> .....	9, vs Indiana (3/2/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....	4, at Iowa (2/19/06)	<b>Blocks</b> .....	N/A
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	5 (4x), last vs Ohio State (2/10/06)	<b>Steals</b> .....	4, vs Fordham (12/13/05)
<b>Free Throws</b> .....	5, vs Fordham (12/13/05)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....	40, at Minnesota (2/5/06)

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# 51

### MELINDA QUEEN

*Sophomore*

*Forward • 6-1*

*Oak Forest, Illinois • Carl Sandburg High School*

*Enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts*

*Undeclared Major*

#### QUEEN'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2005-06)

Earned first varsity letter ... played in 28 games and made 12 starts ... averaged 18.1 minutes per game ... averaged 2.5 points and 2.6 rebounds ... ranked third among U-M freshmen in steals (29) ... led or shared the team lead in steals seven times ... scored a career-high seven points in second career game against St. Francis (Pa.) (Nov. 12) ... matched a career high with seven points and posted career-best totals of six rebounds and four steals at Minnesota (Feb. 5) ... matched a career high with six rebounds against Michigan State (Feb. 23) ... dished out a career-best five assists at Penn State (Feb. 2).

#### QUEEN'S PREP CAREER

Attended Carl Sandburg High School (2005), coached by Chris Bochnak ... National Honor Society member ... honor roll student ... four-year varsity letter-winner ... played just five games during her sophomore season due to injury ... *Key Statistics* ... finished career with 601 points, 391 rebounds, 171 assists, 148 steals and 67 blocks ... averaged 8.5 points, 4.3 rebounds, 2.4 assists and 1.9 steals as a senior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... McDonald's All-American nominee as a senior ... *Street & Smith's* All-America honorable mention as a junior and senior ... named to all-state third team as a senior ... named to All-SICA West first team as a senior ... named All-SICA honorable mention as a freshman and junior ... named to *Daily Southtown* and *Star* all-area teams as a senior ... named to *Chicago Tribune* all-area third team as a freshman ... listed as the No. 85 player in the nation by *Blue Star Report* ... *Other Sports* ... three-year varsity letterwinner in track and field ... events included 100, 200, 400 x 2 relay and high jump.

#### QUEEN'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

Melinda Lillian Queen was born February 14, 1987 ... daughter of Rodney and Denise Queen ... enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts ... undeclared major.

#### QUEEN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2005-06	28-12	507	18.1	26-73	.356	2-7	.286	16-29	.552	73	2.6	24	52	4	29	70	2.5
<b>Career</b>	<b>28-12</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>18.1</b>	<b>26-73</b>	<b>.356</b>	<b>2-7</b>	<b>.286</b>	<b>16-29</b>	<b>.552</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>2.5</b>

#### QUEEN'S CAREER HIGHS

<b>Points</b> .....	7 (2x), last at Minnesota (2/5/06)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> .....	4, vs Indiana (3/2/06)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....	3 (3x), last at Minnesota (2/5/06)	<b>Rebounds</b> .....	6 (2x), last vs Michigan State (2/23/06)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	7, vs Miami (Ohio) (11/20/05)	<b>Assists</b> .....	5, at Penn State (2/2/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....	1 (2x), last at Purdue (2/16/06)	<b>Blocks</b> .....	1 (4x), last at Purdue (2/16/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	2, at Indiana (1/22/06)	<b>Steals</b> .....	4, at Minnesota (2/5/06)
<b>Free Throws</b> .....	4, vs Indiana (3/2/06)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....	32 (2x), last at Minnesota (2/5/06)

## 2006-07 WOLVERINES



# 13

## STEPHANY SKRBA

*Sophomore*

*Forward • 6-2*

*Richmond Hill, Ontario • Langstaff Secondary School*

*Enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts*

*Undeclared Major*

### SKRBA'S FRESHMAN SEASON (2005-06)

Earned first varsity letter ... Big Ten Conference Athlete of the Week (Nov. 14) ... Women's Sports Foundation all-tournament team (Nov. 11-12) ... played in 29 games and made 21 starts ... averaged 22.6 minutes per game ... led U-M freshmen in scoring (7.0), rebounding (5.2) and field goal percentage (.430) ... led team in blocks (26) and finished second in steals (31) ... listed eighth in the Big Ten in blocks (0.90) ... ranked among the top Big Ten freshmen in rebounding (2nd), blocks (2nd), scoring (6th) and steals (6th) ... averaged 13.5 points and 6.0 rebounds in two games at Women's Sports Foundation Tournament, including a career-high 19 points against St. Francis (Pa.) (Nov. 12), which was her second career game and first career start ... played a career-best 39 minutes against Ohio State (Feb. 10), finishing with 17 points and a career-high 13 rebounds for her first career double-double ... her 13-rebound performance against the Buckeyes tied a season-high for a U-M player ... reached double figures in scoring 10 times ... led the team in scoring five times ... led the team in rebounding 11 times, collecting at least seven boards in each of those games ... recorded a career-high three blocks at Indiana (Jan. 22) ... posted a career-best three steals against St. Francis (Pa.) and at Penn State (Feb. 2) ... led or shared the team lead in blocks 12 times and steals 10 times ... tallied a career-high three assists at Minnesota (Feb. 5).

### SKRBA'S PREP CAREER

Attended Langstaff Secondary School (2005), coached by Heather Anderson ... three-year honor roll member ... three-year varsity letterwinner ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged 30 points, 18 rebounds and eight blocks per game as a senior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... Canada's Miss Basketball as a senior ... 2005 All Canada Basketball Weekend Rumble in the T.Dot All-Star Game participant ... team MVP as a junior and sophomore ... ranked No. 37 (No. 7 power forward) by adidas *All-Star Girls Report* ... invited to adidas Top 10 All-American Camp as a junior and sophomore ... Ford/Raptors High School All-Star as a junior and senior ... *Toronto Star* High School All-Star as a senior ... *Toronto Sun* High School All-Star as a junior and senior ... *Other Sports* ... three-year varsity letterwinner in track and field ... team MVP as a sophomore and freshman ... Ontario Provincial gold medalist in high jump as a freshman ... silver medalist in long jump as a freshman ... bronze medalist in shot put as a freshman, sophomore and junior.

### SKRBA'S NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL CAREER

Invited to tryout for Canada's Senior National Team in 2006 ... two-year member of Canada's Junior National Team (2004-05) ... competed in 2005 FIBA Under-19 World Championship in Tunisia, averaging 7.1 points, 6.6 rebounds and 1.4 blocks in seven games ... led Canada's Junior National Team to bronze medal at 2004 FIBA Americas Under-18 World Championship Qualification Tournament in Puerto Rico with team highs in scoring (12.0) and rebounding (12.2) in five games ... member of two-time national junior champion Team Ontario (2002-03).

### SKRBA'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

Stephany Eliza Pierrette Skrba was born April 13, 1987 ... daughter of George Skrba ... father played basketball at York University (Toronto, Ontario) from 1986-1989 ... selected to Big Ten Conference Foreign Tour in 2006 ... played with current Wolverine freshman Krista Phillips on Canada's Junior National Team in 2005 ... enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts ... undeclared major.

### SKRBA'S CAREER STATISTICS

Season	G-GS	Min	Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-A	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Reb	Avg	Ast	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
2005-06	29-21	654	22.6	86-200	.430	0-2	.000	31-49	.633	151	5.2	17	63	26	31	203	7.0
<b>Career</b>	29-21	654	22.6	86-200	.430	0-2	.000	31-49	.633	151	5.2	17	63	26	31	203	7.0

### SKRBA'S CAREER HIGHS

<b>Points</b> .....	19, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (11/12/05)	<b>Free Throw Attempts</b> .....	8, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (11/12/05)
<b>Field Goals</b> .....	8, vs Ohio State (2/10/06)	<b>Rebounds</b> .....	13, vs Ohio State (2/10/06)
<b>Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	18, vs Ohio State (2/10/06)	<b>Assists</b> .....	3, at Minnesota (2/5/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goals</b> .....	N/A	<b>Blocks</b> .....	3, at Indiana (1/22/06)
<b>3-pt Field Goal Attempts</b> .....	1 (2x), last at Ohio State (1/15/06)	<b>Steals</b> .....	3, at Penn State (2/2/06)
<b>Free Throws</b> .....	7, vs Saint Francis (Pa.) (11/12/05)	<b>Minutes Played</b> .....	39, vs Ohio State (2/10/06)

## 2006-07 WOLVERINES



# 2

### SIREECE BASS

*Freshman*

*Guard • 5-7*

*Detroit, Michigan • Pershing High School*

*Enrolled in the Division of Kinesiology*

*Undeclared Major*

#### **BASS'S PREP CAREER**

Attended Pershing High School (2006), coached by Gerald Weatherspoon ... honor roll student ... National Honor Society member ... four-year varsity letterwinner ... missed most of junior season due to injury ... played on three district, two league and one city championship team ... led team to a 20-2 record and the state regional semifinals as a senior ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged 19.0 points, 8.0 assists, 5.0 steals and 3.1 rebounds as a senior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... Michigan Miss Basketball finalist, McDonald's All-America honorable mention and Women's Basketball Coaches Association All-America honorable mention as a senior ... *Street & Smith's* All-America honorable mention as a sophomore and senior ... selected to Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan, *Associated Press*, *Detroit News* and *Detroit Free Press* all-state teams as a sophomore and senior ... ranked as the No. 62 player nationally by *Blue Star Report* ... attended adidas Top Ten All-American (2004) and Nike All-American (2005) camps.

#### **BASS'S NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL CAREER**

One of 48 high school players selected to participate in the 2005 USA Basketball Women's Youth Development Festival.

#### **BASS'S PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Sireece Lucretia Bass was born May 31, 1988 ... daughter of Marilyn Carroway ... enrolled in the Division of Kinesiology ... undeclared major.



# 23

### KALYN McPHERSON

*Freshman*

*Guard • 5-7*

*Traverse City, Michigan • West High School*

*Enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts*

*Undeclared Major*

#### **McPHERSON'S PREP CAREER**

Attended West High School (2006), coached by Patti Tibaldi ... honor roll student ... National Honor Society member ... named to Basketball Coaches Association of Michigan (BCAM) academic all-state team as a senior ... MHSAA-Farm Bureau Insurance Scholar-Athlete Award nominee ... four-year varsity starter ... three-year team captain ... guided Titans to 79-14 record throughout four-year career ... member of three league and district championship teams, and one regional championship squad ... *Key Statistics* ... owns seven MHSAA records and 13 school records ... holds Traverse City Area Public Schools boys and girls career scoring record of 2,012 points, surpassing former NBA great Dan Majerle's previous mark of 1,402 ... holds school career records for games played (95), scoring (2,012) and scoring average (21.1) ... holds school single season records for scoring (708), scoring average (29.5), field goals (243), free throws (183) and rebounds (267) ... holds school single game records for points (48) and rebounds (20) ... set state tournament single-game scoring record (48) as a junior ... averaged 25.2 points and 8.0 rebounds as a senior and 29.5 points and 11.1 rebounds as a junior ... posted 31 career double-doubles ... scored 40 or more points in four career games ... scored 30 or more points in 16 career games ... *Honors and Rankings* ... Michigan Miss Basketball runner-up as a senior ... McDonald's All-American nominee and Wendy's High School Heisman nominee as a senior ... selected to *Associated Press*, BCAM, *Detroit Free Press* and *Detroit News* all-state teams in final three seasons ... named to *Detroit Free Press* Dream Team as a senior ... first-team all-state in final two years ... first-team all-conference in final three seasons ... league Player of the Year as a senior ... three-year all-region Dream Team member (two-time captain) ... BCAM All-Star selection ... *Other Sports* ... four-year varsity starter in volleyball ... two-year captain ... member of four league and district championship teams, and three regional championship squads ... guided team to pair of state semifinal finishes ... first-team all-conference as a junior and senior ... all-region selection in final three seasons ... four-year varsity starter in track and field ... regional champion in shot put as a sophomore ... placed sixth in shot put at state championship as a junior ... academic all-state selection for both sports.

#### **McPHERSON'S PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Kalyn Marie McPherson was born April 4, 1988 ... daughter of Frank and Gina McPherson ... earned Outstanding Player Award at U-M Elite Camp as a senior ... enrolled in the College of Literature, Science and the Arts ... undeclared major.

## 2006-07 WOLVERINES



# 1

### LeQUISHA WHITFIELD

*Freshman*

*Forward • 6-1*

*Detroit, Michigan • Martin Luther King High School*

*Enrolled in the Division of Kinesiology*

*Undeclared Major*

#### WHITFIELD'S PREP CAREER

Attended Martin Luther King High School (2006), coached by William Winfield ... honor roll student ... four-year varsity letterwinner ... guided team to Michigan Class A state championship as a sophomore, state runner-up finishes as a junior and senior, and a state semifinal finish as a freshman ... member of four district and regional championship teams, and three city championship squads ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged 18.2 points and 13.0 rebounds as a senior and 11.0 points and 8.0 rebounds as a junior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... finalist for Michigan Miss Basketball as a senior ... McDonald's All-American nominee as a senior ... *Street & Smith's* All-America honorable mention as a sophomore and junior ... first-team all-city, all-metro, all-area and all-state selection as a senior ... ranked as the No. 128 player in the nation by *Blue Star Report*.

#### WHITFIELD'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

LeQuisha Rhashein Whitfield was born July 17, 1988 ... daughter of Flenard and Jacqueline Whitfield ... attended same high school as current Wolverine sophomore Ashley Jones ... enrolled in the Division of Kinesiology ... undeclared major.



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### KRISTA PHILLIPS

*Freshman*

*Center • 6-6*

*Saskatoon, Saskatchewan • Aden Bowman Collegiate High School*

*Enrolled in the Division of Kinesiology*

*Undeclared Major*

#### PHILLIPS'S PREP CAREER

Attended Aden Bowman Collegiate High School (2006), coached by Wendy Benson ... honor roll student ... three-year varsity letterwinner ... guided team to a 31-1 record as a senior ... led team to an undefeated 32-0 record and a provincial championship as a junior ... *Key Statistics* ... averaged a league-high 19.2 points per game as a senior ... *Honors and Rankings* ... runner-up for Canada's Miss Basketball award as a senior ... named Canada's Top Female Post for 2005-06 ... 2006 All Canada Basketball Weekend Rumble in the T.Dot All-Star Game participant ... selected as city and team MVP as a junior ... named MVP in a combined seven tournaments in final two seasons ... first-team all-star selection as a senior ... given high school's Outstanding Athlete Award ... *Other Sports* ... also lettered in volleyball (named team MVP as a senior) and track and field (earned gold medal in shot put as a sophomore).

#### PHILLIPS'S NATIONAL/INTERNATIONAL CAREER

Two-year member of Canada's Junior National Team (2005-06) ... led team to silver medal at 2006 FIBA Americas Under-18 World Championship Qualification Tournament in Colorado Springs, Colo., averaging 5.8 points and 4.3 rebounds in four games ... competed in 2005 FIBA Under-19 World Championship in Tunisia, averaging 8.7 points, a team-high 7.4 rebounds and 1.1 blocks in seven games ... alternate on Canada's 2004 Junior National Team ... four-year member of Team Saskatchewan (2001-05) ... led team to fifth-place finish at 2005 Canada Summer Games.

#### PHILLIPS'S PERSONAL INFORMATION

Krista Lynn Phillips was born May 18, 1988 ... daughter of John and Janet Phillips ... sister, Sara, is a junior on University of Rhode Island's volleyball team ... played with current Wolverine sophomore Stephany Skrba on Canada's Junior National Team in 2005 ... enrolled in the Division of Kinesiology ... undeclared major.

## HEAD COACH CHERYL BURNETT



### CHERYL BURNETT

Head Coach  
Fourth Season

#### National Recognition

- Led Southwest Missouri State to the Final Four in 1992 and 2001.
- Overall record 1990-2002: 303-99 (.753), which ranked among the nation's best in both wins and winning percentage.
- Seven Burnett teams have been nationally ranked in both the AP and USA Today women's basketball polls.
- Burnett-coached players have garnered eight Kodak All-America or honorable mention selections in the past eight seasons.
- Burnett recruited and coached 2001 National Player of the Year Jackie Stiles.

#### Academic Success

- Burnett recruited and coached 1998 Academic All-American of the Year Lisa Davies.
- Burnett's players have earned six GTE/CoSIDA Academic All-America honors.
- Burnett has coached 30 academic all-conference honorees.

Cheryl Burnett Cheryl Burnett became the seventh women's basketball coach in Michigan history on April 21, 2003, bringing a career filled with championship basketball to the Wolverine program. Entering her fourth season at Michigan, Burnett and her coaching staff continue to build the foundation to become one of the elite women's basketball programs in the nation.

Burnett, the only coach in the Big Ten Conference to have coached in two NCAA Final Fours, inherited a Michigan team that finished last in the league in 2002-03 and led the Wolverines to a seventh-place finish in her first season, including a 6-10 conference mark, which doubled the previous season's Big Ten win total, and a 14-17 record overall. Season highlights included a trip to the semifinals of the Preseason WNIT and a victory over 12th-ranked and eventual Final Four participant Minnesota on Senior Day 2004. Several Michigan players enjoyed career years in Burnett's first season at Michigan, including center Jennifer Smith, who earned All-Big Ten first-team recognition while setting the Michigan single-season scoring record with 659 points (21.3 ppg.) and leading the conference in scoring. Burnett's up-tempo, fast-paced, pressing style of play was a hit with the fans in Ann Arbor as the Wolverines drew back-to-back crowds of more than 4,000 fans for the first time in school history, including a single-game record 4,611 fans on Feb. 12, 2004, against Michigan State.

While continuing to rebuild the Wolverine program both on and off the court, Burnett and her staff worked equally hard to land impressive recruiting classes in each of her first three seasons. The Michigan staff inked six players for the 2003-04 class, including the players of the year in both Missouri and Michigan. Burnett's staff followed that up with a 2004-05 class that included the National Player of the Year in Canada, the Ohio Player of the Year and all-state selections from Michigan and Illinois. This season, the Wolverines welcome three prized in-state recruits and the top post player from Canada.

Prior to her arrival at Michigan, Burnett developed the program at Southwest Missouri State into one of the elite programs in women's college basketball during a 15-season stint (1987-2002) in which she compiled a 319-136 (.701) career mark, won or shared nine conference regular-season championships and made 10 NCAA Tournament appearances, including two trips to the Women's Final Four in 1992 and 2001. A program that has made three NCAA Tournament appearances in the last nine seasons, Michigan women's basketball is poised to become a national player in women's college basketball under the guidance of Burnett, whose .701 career winning percentage was ranked 35th in NCAA history prior to the 2002-03 campaign.

One of the premier names in women's college basketball, Burnett took the Lady Bears to the NCAA Tournament in just her third season (1990-91) and

reached the Final Four the following season (1991-92) while posting a school-record 31-3 record with her first team entirely made up of players she brought into the program. Burnett guided Southwest Missouri State to three victories over ranked teams on its way to the national semifinals, including a 61-60 overtime win at No. 7 Iowa and a 94-71 win over No. 5 Mississippi to earn the Final Four berth. Burnett made a second trip to the Final Four in 2001 behind Kodak All-American and National Player of the Year Jackie Stiles, who became the leading scorer in NCAA women's basketball history under Burnett's tutelage from 1998-2001 and went on to become the WNBA Rookie of the Year. Four other Southwest Missouri State players earned Kodak All-America honorable mention recognition while playing for Burnett.

The 2001 Southwest Missouri State Final Four team was the 10th Burnett team to win 20 or more games over an 11-year span. Following nine- and seven-win seasons in her first two campaigns, respectively, Burnett averaged 23.3 wins over her final 13 at the school. During that remarkable run, Southwest Missouri State enjoyed an incredible rise in attendance, placing in the top 10 nationally in Division I in Burnett's last 11 seasons, leading the nation in attendance in 1992-93 and averaging a school-record 8,431 in the 8,846-seat Hammons Student Center in 2000-01.

Taking over the helm at Michigan represents a return to the Big Ten for Burnett, who spent three seasons at Illinois, including two as an assistant from 1982-84 after a one-year stint as a graduate assistant (1981-82). Owner of a master's degree in athletic administration from Illinois, Burnett has had players earn Academic All-America distinction on six occasions during her career, including a pair of first-team selections and one national Academic All-American of the Year. Burnett's players at Southwest Missouri State also earned 11 academic all-conference citations.

Success on the basketball court for Burnett is not limited to her accomplishments from the bench. A four-year starter and the first female to receive a full athletics scholarship from Kansas, Burnett helped the Jayhawks compile a 92-40 record during her career (1977-80). A co-captain as a senior, Burnett was drafted by the New Jersey Gems of the Women's Professional Basketball League following her college career.

A three-time conference coach of the year honoree and two-time WBCA District V Coach of the Year award winner, Burnett has seen her success on the college hardwood lead to involvement with USA Basketball. She was an assistant coach for the 1996 USA Select Team, which was made up of some of the top college players in the nation and practiced against the U.S. National Team in its preparation for the 1996 Olympic Games in Atlanta. Burnett also led the East team at the 1994 U.S. Olympic Festival, earning a bronze medal.