

# 2006 BIG TEN WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL

BIG TEN RECORD FIVE TEAMS ADVANCE TO  
NCAA REGIONAL PLAY; THREE SQUADS IN SEATTLE  
REGIONAL; PENN STATE & PURDUE TO MEET

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## 2006 CONFERENCE & OVERALL STANDINGS

	Conference			Overall			Top 25* Non-Conf.		Home	Away	Neutral	Last 10	Streak
	W	L	PCT	W	L	PCT	W-L	W-L	W-L	W-L	W-L	W-L	
1. PENN STATE	18	2	.900	31	2	.939	8-2	13-0	17-0	11-2	3-0	9-1	W7
2. Minnesota	17	3	.850	25	7	.781	8-4	8-4	12-1	9-3	4-3	9-1	W8
3. Wisconsin	16	4	.800	26	6	.812	6-5	10-2	14-2	8-3	2-1	9-1	W5
4. Ohio State	13	7	.650	25	7	.781	3-5	12-0	15-1	6-6	4-0	10-0	W10
5. Purdue	11	9	.550	23	10	.697	3-8	12-1	12-5	9-5	2-0	4-6	W2
6. Michigan State	10	10	.500	19	12	.613	1-9	9-2	9-6	7-4	3-2	5-5	L1
7. Michigan	8	12	.400	21	13	.618	3-7	13-1	10-6	6-7	2-0	4-6	L1
Northwestern	8	12	.400	14	15	.483	2-9	6-3	7-7	4-8	2-1	4-6	L2
9. Illinois	6	14	.300	15	15	.500	1-7	9-1	7-7	5-7	3-1	2-8	L3
10. Iowa	2	18	.100	13	19	.406	0-10	11-1	6-10	3-9	4-0	1-9	L8
11. Indiana	1	19	.050	10	22	.312	1-11	9-3	5-11	2-10	3-1	0-10	L19

\* CSTV/AVCA Coaches Poll • Big Ten Champion in ALL CAPS • Active NCAA Championship teams in bold

## BIG TEN RECORD FIVE TEAMS ADVANCE TO NCAA REGIONAL PLAY

• This is the first time in Big Ten history that the conference has had five teams reach the regional semifinals. Four Big Ten squads advanced in (ILL, MSU, OSU, PSU), 1996 (MSU, OSU, PSU, WIS), 2000 (MINN, OSU, PSU, WIS) and 2004 (MINN, OSU, PSU, WIS).

• With Ohio State, Penn State and Purdue slotted in the Seattle Regional, this marks the first time in conference history three Big Ten squads have ever advanced to the regional semifinals in the same region. It is only the fourth time since the NCAA Championship field expanded from 32 teams in 1993 that a conference has had three or more teams advance to the same regional.

## CONFERENCE-SHARING REGIONS

Year	Region	Teams	Conference	Schools
1994	West	4	Pac-10	ARIZ, ASU, STAN, USC
1993	West	3	Pac-10	ARIZ, STAN, UCLA
1996	Pacific	3	Pac-10	STAN, USC, WSU
2006	Seattle	3	Big Ten	OSU, PSU, PUR

NCAA Championship field moved from 32 teams to 48 in 1993; from 48 to 56 in 1997; and 56 to 64 in 1998.

• Three Big Ten teams -- No. 3 Penn State, No. 11 Ohio State and No. 14 Purdue -- have been seeded in the Seattle (Wash.) Region. This rarity marks just the second time a conference has ever had three seeded teams slotted in the same region for the NCAA Championship since the NCAA increased the seeds from eight teams to 16 in 1998. The Pac-10 boasted No. 4 seed Arizona, No. 5 Stanford and No. 12 USC in the Palo Alto (Calif.) Region in last year's tournament. However, Arizona was the lone Pac-10 team to advance to regional play in 2005.

• The Penn State/Purdue matchup marks the 10th occasion in which two Big Ten teams have faced one another in NCAA Championship play. Of the six teams that have been presented with the matchup over the years, Penn State holds the best record of intraconference NCAA play at 3-1, followed by Illinois (2-1), Wisconsin (2-1), Minnesota (1-1), Ohio State (1-4) and Michigan State (0-1).

• Of the nine previous NCAA Championship matchups involving two Big Ten teams, five have occurred in regional semifinal action and one in the regional final. Four of those six winners advanced to the national semifinals, including Ohio State (national semifinalist) in 1991, Penn State (national runner-up) in 1997 and (national champion) in 1999 and Minnesota (national runner-up) in 2004.

• Penn State and Purdue will square off in the Seattle Regional semifinal marking the third time this season the two teams will meet. The Nittany Lions hold a 2-0 advantage with both wins coming in 3-0 sweeps.

## BIG TEN VS. BIG TEN IN NCAA PLAY

Year	Outcome (Round)	Score	National Finish
1989	ILL def. OSU (3)	3-1	
1990	WIS def. ILL (1)	3-0	
1991	OSU def. PSU (3)	3-2	National Semis
1992	ILL def. OSU (1)	3-0	
1996	PSU def. WIS (3)	3-0	
1997	PSU def. OSU (3)	3-0	National Finalist
1999	PSU def. MINN (3)	3-0	National Champ
2001	WIS def. MSU (2)	3-0	
2004	MINN def. OSU (4)	3-2	National Finalist
2006	PSU vs. PUR (3)	???	???

- 1 NCAA First Round
- 2 NCAA Second Round
- 3 NCAA Regional Semifinal
- 4 NCAA Regional Final



## 2006 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP

### FIRST & SECOND ROUNDS

#### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

MINNESOTA def. Siena 1 .....30-16, 30-23, 30-15  
PURDUE def. St. Louis 1 .....30-21, 30-20, 32-30

#### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

Cal Poly def. MICHIGAN 1 .....23-30, 30-26, 25-30, 23-30  
Utah def. MICHIGAN STATE 1 .....25-30, 30-27, 30-20, 28-30, 11-15  
MINNESOTA def. St. John's 2 .....30-26, 30-17, 26-30, 24-30, 15-12  
OHIO STATE def. Belmont 1 .....30-22, 30-16, 30-22  
PENN STATE def. Long Island 1 .....30-16, 30-27, 30-15  
PURDUE def. Kentucky 2 .....30-21, 30-28, 30-26  
WISCONSIN def. Notre Dame 1 .....36-34, 30-26, 30-21

#### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

OHIO STATE def. Middle Tennessee 2 .....23-30, 30-19, 30-17, 30-22  
PENN STATE def. Hofstra 2 .....30-20, 30-12, 30-19  
WISCONSIN def. Iowa State 2 .....30-20, 30-25, 30-27

### REGIONALS

#### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8

#9 MINNESOTA at #7 Florida 3 .....7 p.m.  
#16 OHIO STATE at #3 Washington 3 .....7:30 p.m.  
#5 PENN STATE vs. #18 PURDUE 3 .....5 p.m.  
#10 WISCONSIN at #8 Texas 3 .....7 p.m.

#### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9

\*#9 MINNESOTA vs. #1 Nebraska/#14 San Diego 4 @ .....3 p.m.  
\*#16 OHIO STATE vs. #5 PENN STATE/#18 PURDUE 4 \$ .....6 p.m.  
\*#5 PSU/#18 PUR vs. #16 OSU/#3 Washington 4 \$ .....6 p.m.  
\*#10 WISCONSIN vs. #13 California/#2 Stanford 4 ^ .....5:30 p.m.

\*With a win on Friday

### NATIONAL SEMIFINALS

#### THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14

### NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

#### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16

- 1 NCAA First Round
- 2 NCAA Second Round
- 3 NCAA Regional Semifinal
- 4 NCAA Regional Final

@ - Gainesville, Fla. • \$ - Seattle, Wash. • ^ - Austin, Texas

## NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP NOTES

- The **Big Ten** sent seven conference teams to the NCAA Championship, which ties the Pac-10 and the SEC for the highest conference representation.
- This season marks the sixth time in conference history the **Big Ten** has had seven or more teams selected to the NCAA Championship. The conference sent a record eight teams to the NAAs in 1999 and 2002 and boasted seven NCAA participants in 1995, 2003 and 2004.
- The **Big Ten** is 50-23 (.685) with seven participants in the tournament. In comparison, the conference is 61-36 (.629) when six teams participate in the tournament and 22-15 (.595) when eight teams advance to postseason play.
- The **Big Ten** holds an overall NCAA Championship record of 188-112 (.627), dating back to 1983. The conference has boasted a combined winning percentage of .600 or higher in 11 of the last 13 years and a .500 or better record in each of the past 14 tournaments. The Big Ten was 10-6 (.625) in 2005.
- The **Big Ten** has recorded 10 or more wins in the past four NCAA Championships, including 2006. In 2005, the conference boasted a 10-6 mark, which was preceded by a league record of 15 wins in 2004 (15-7). The Big Ten posted an 11-7 record in 2003.
- In 1999, **Penn State** (36-1) became the lone school in the league to win the NCAA Championship.
- Three Big Ten teams -- **Penn State**, **Purdue** and **Wisconsin** -- all served as host for first and second round action. This was the third straight year both Penn State and Wisconsin had served as hosts for the first and second rounds.
- Of the seven Big Ten squads that made the NCAA field, six have an all-time tournament winning percentage of .500 or better, led by **Minnesota**, which made its 12th appearance with a 24-11 record (.686). **Penn State** follows at .662 (47-24) over 25 years, while **Wisconsin** is in its 14th tournament with a mark of 28-14 (.667). **Ohio State's** record of 26-16 (.619) spans 15 years, while **Purdue** is 11-9 (.550) in its 10th appearance. **Michigan State** ended its 11th appearance with a 12-11 (.522) overall mark and **Michigan** finished its seventh NCAA Tournament with a record of 6-7 (.462).
- **Penn State** is one of just three teams (Stanford, UC Santa Barbara) to have earned bids to all 26 NCAA Championships.

## ALL-TIME BIG TEN WIN TOTALS

Total	BY WINS		Pct.	BY WIN%		Year
	Teams	Year		Total	Teams	
15	7	2004	.833	10-2	7	2006
14	6	2000	.700	14-6	6	2000
	7	1995	.682	15-7	7	2004
	8	1999	.667	14-7	7	1995
12	6	1998	.667	14-7	8	1999
11	6	1997	.667	12-6	6	1998
	7	2003	.647	11-6	6	1997
10	7	2006	.625	10-6	6	2005
	6	2005	.611	11-7	7	2003

## 2006 BIG TEN VOLLEYBALL POSTSEASON HONORS

On the heels of its conference record fourth-consecutive outright Big Ten Championship, Penn State has made history yet again. The conference office announced today that Penn State freshman **Megan Hodge** has been named both the Big Ten's Freshman and Player of the Year, marking the first time in the conference's 23-year history a freshman has claimed the Big Ten's top honor. Minnesota's **Malama Peniata** earned Defensive Player of the Year accolades, while the Coach of the Year award was split. Hodge's mentor, **Russ Rose**, was selected Coach of the Year by a 22-member media panel while the 11 Big Ten coaches awarded the honor to Wisconsin's **Pete Waite**. In addition to individual accolades, 19 student-athletes earned All-Big Ten honors, while six newcomers were selected to the conference's All-Freshman Team. Eleven honorees were also chosen for the Big Ten Sportsmanship Award.

A native of Durham, N.C., Hodge is Penn State's eighth overall and second-straight Player of the Year honoree as Sam Tortorello was named the conference's top standout last year. Hodge is also the sixth Nittany Lion to be named Big Ten Freshman of the Year and continues Penn State's streak of five-consecutive newcomers honored by the conference. During the 20-match Big Ten slate, Hodge led all conference attackers with 5.34 kills and ranked third in service aces with 0.41 per game. Across the board, she led all Big Ten players with 6.16 points per game on 342 kills, 26 service aces, 39 block assists and seven solo blocks in 64 games. Hodge was selected the conference's Player of the Week on three occasions this season.

Peniata, a libero from Plymouth, Minn., is the first Golden Gopher to be honored as the conference's Defensive Player of the Year since Paula Gentil won the award three-straight years from 2002-04. Over the 20 Big Ten matches this season, Peniata averaged 5.14 digs per game and earned a conference-best three Defensive Player of the Week awards. She helped lead the Golden Gophers to second place in the Big Ten standings in part to limiting their opponents to just .160 hitting, which was the second-best mark in the conference.

Penn State's Rose guided his Nittany Lions to their fourth-straight outright conference championship in 2006, which marks the first time in Big Ten history the feat has been accomplished. Rose led his squad to a 29-2 regular-season record, including 18-2 in the Big Ten. In conference matches this season, Rose's Nittany Lions led the Big Ten in all major categories with the exception of digs. In his 28th year of coaching in State College, which includes 16 seasons in the conference, Rose has now been selected as the top coach by the media eight times, including back-to-back seasons in 1992 and 1993 and 2005 and 2006. He captured three straight awards from 1996-99.

Waite earns his second Coach of the Year award from his peers since he came to Wisconsin in 1999. His Badgers placed third in the Big Ten at 16-4 this season and enter NCAA Championship play 24-6 overall and as the nation's 10th overall seed. Waite, who was honored by the coaches in 2000, is in his eighth season in Madison. During conference play this year, the Badgers ranked second in assists (15.49), blocks (3.21) and kills (16.74), while placing third in hitting percentage (.269). Waite is also a two-time Big Ten Coach of the Year as voted by the conference's media in 2000 and 2001.

This season's All-Big Ten Team is made up 14 student-athletes instead of 12 due to ties. The squad consists of six first-time selections and eight returnees, including unanimous selections in Minnesota's **Meredith Nelson**, Ohio State's **Danielle Meyer** and Penn State's **Nicole Fawcett** and Hodge. Ohio State's **Marisa Main** earned her third selection to the post-season team. Eight of the 11 conference schools were represented on the All-Big Ten Team and in honorable mention selections, led by Minnesota, Penn State and Wisconsin with three each. Penn State's **Christa Harmotto** earned her second selection, while Minnesota's Peniata and **Kelly Bowman** joined Nelson as Golden Gopher representatives. The Badgers had a pair of juniors selected in **Taylor Reineke** and **Jackie Simpson** as well as **Brittney Dolgner**, who was one of six named to the All-Freshman Team.

In addition to Hodge and Dolgner, the conference coaches selected Michigan State's **Vanessa King**, Northwestern's **Kate Nobilio**, Ohio State's **Anna Szerszen** and Penn State's **Alisha Glass** to the All-Freshman Team. Nobilio is the Wildcats' first All-Freshman honoree since Drew Robertson in 2001, while Dolgner's selection continues the Badgers' streak as the only Big Ten squad that has had an All-Freshman honoree in each of the eight years since the award's inception in 1999.

The conference office also announced today honorees from each of the 11 volleyball squads for the Big Ten Sportsmanship Award. The student-athletes chosen are individuals who have distinguished themselves through sportsmanship and ethical behavior. In addition, the student-athletes must be in good academic standing and have demonstrated good citizenship outside of the sports-competition setting. Honorees for women's volleyball are Illinois' **Kayani Turner**, Indiana's **Annie Moddrell**, Iowa's **Melanie Meister**, Michigan's **Erin Penn**, Michigan State's **Miken Trogdon**, Minnesota's **Meghan Cumpston**, Northwestern's **Lauren Greenwood**, Ohio State's **Briana McCarthy**, Penn State's **Joanie Guman**, Purdue's **Brittany Dildine** and Wisconsin's **Audra Jeffers**. These 11 student-athletes are now candidates for the Big Ten Sportsmanship Award, as the conference office will honor one male and one female student-athlete from each institution at the end of the school year.

A complete listing of the 2006 All-Big Ten Team and individual honors follows.

## \*ALL-BIG TEN TEAM

Katie Bruzdziński, Jr., OH, MICH (1)  
Ashley Schatzle, Jr., OH, MSU (1)  
Kelly Bowman, Sr., Opp., MINN (2)  
MEREDITH NELSON, Sr., MB, MINN (2)  
Malama Peniata, Sr., LIB, MINN (1)  
Marisa Main, Sr., S, OSU (3)  
DANIELLE MEYER, Jr., MB, OSU (2)  
NICOLE FAWCETT, So., OH, PSU (2)  
Christa Harmotto, So., MH, PSU (2)  
MEGAN HODGE, Fr., OH, PSU (1)  
Stephanie Lynch, So., MH, PUR (1)  
Brittney Dolgner, Fr., OH, WIS (1)  
Taylor Reineke, Jr., MB, WIS (2)  
Jackie Simpson, Jr., S, WIS (1)

## ALL-BIG TEN HONORABLE MENTION

Vicki Brown, Jr., MB, ILL  
Katie Johnson, Jr., OH, MSU  
Jessy Jones, Jr., MB, MINN  
Melissa Walbridge, Jr., MH, PSU  
Samantha Mader, Jr., OH, PUR

## BIG TEN ALL-FRESHMAN TEAM

Vanessa King, MB, MSU  
Kate Nobilio, LIB, NU  
Anna Szerszen, OH, OSU  
Alisha Glass, S, PSU  
Megan Hodge, OH, PSU  
Brittney Dolgner, OH, WIS

## BIG TEN PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Megan Hodge, PSU

## DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Malama Peniata, MINN

## FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR

Megan Hodge, PSU

## COACH OF THE YEAR

Pete Waite, WIS (Coaches)  
Russ Rose, PSU (Media)

Unanimous Selection in ALL CAPS  
\*14 Players Named All-Big Ten Due to a Tie



## ALL-TIME BIG TEN HISTORY IN THE NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP

## 1999 (8 Teams, 14-7)

ILLINOIS def. UW-Milwaukee 1	15-13, 10-15, 15-12, 15-6
INDIANA def. Clemson 1	15-9, 11-15, 15-5, 15-12
PENN STATE def. Robert Morris 1	15-1, 15-1, 15-2
MINNESOTA def. Cal St-Sacramento 1	15-9, 15-10, 15-10
MICHIGAN STATE def. Cal Poly 1	10-15, 15-10, 15-10, 15-13
MICHIGAN def. Fairfield 1	15-8, 15-7, 15-7
WISCONSIN def. Arizona State 1	17-15, 15-10, 15-3
OHIO STATE def. Notre Dame 1	13-15, 15-10, 16-14, 15-7
Florida def. ILLINOIS 2	15-8, 7-15, 16-14, 9-15, 15-12
No. Iowa def. INDIANA 2	17-15, 10-15, 15-10, 16-14
Pacific def. MICHIGAN 2	10-15, 16-14, 15-3, 12-15, 19-17
Pepperdine def. MICHIGAN STATE 2	15-9, 15-9, 12-15, 15-5
MINNESOTA def. USC 2	3-15, 4-15, 16-14, 15-10, 15-10
PENN STATE def. Baylor 2	15-2, 15-6, 15-10
BYU def. WISCONSIN 2	6-15, 15-10, 15-4, 15-9
UCLA def. OHIO STATE 2	15-10, 15-12, 15-10
PENN STATE def. MINNESOTA 3	15-9, 15-9, 17-15
PENN STATE def. UCLA 4	15-11, 15-9, 15-5
PENN STATE def. Pacific 5	14-16, 15-5, 15-6, 7-15, 15-12
PENN STATE def. Stanford 6	15-2, 15-10, 15-7

## 2000 (6 Teams, 14-6)

MICHIGAN def. Louisville 1	15-12, 15-11, 2-15, 15-12
WISCONSIN def. Bucknell 1	15-1, 15-0, 15-3
PENN STATE def. James Madison 1	15-12, 15-11, 15-7
MINNESOTA def. Robert Morris 1	15-1, 15-6, 15-2
OHIO STATE def. Ball State 1	16-14, 15-3, 14-16, 15-10
MICHIGAN STATE def. UW-Milwaukee 1	15-6, 15-4, 7-15, 19-17
Arizona def. MICHIGAN 2	15-1, 15-1, 15-8
WISCONSIN def. Northern Iowa 2	15-13, 14-16, 15-5, 15-6
PENN STATE def. Washington State 2	15-6, 15-7, 9-15, 15-3
MINNESOTA def. Arizona State 2	15-12, 10-15, 15-7, 15-6
OHIO STATE def. Notre Dame 2	15-12, 3-15, 9-15, 15-6, 15-13
UCLA def. MICHIGAN STATE 2	7-15, 15-13, 16-14, 6-15, 9-15
UC-Santa Barbara def. MINNESOTA 3	15-12, 7-15, 15-7, 15-10
PENN STATE def. Colorado State 3	9-15, 15-11, 15-12, 15-7
Nebraska def. OHIO STATE 3	15-9, 15-6, 15-5
WISCONSIN def. Kansas State 3	15-3, 14-16, 15-10, 15-6
USC def. PENN STATE 4	15-11, 15-9, 15-4
WISCONSIN def. UCLA 4	15-7, 7-15, 16-14, 14-16, 15-12
WISCONSIN def. USC 5	15-10, 15-9, 15-9
Nebraska def. WISCONSIN 6	9-15, 15-9, 15-7, 2-15, 9-15

## 2001 (6 Teams, 8-6)

MICHIGAN ST. def. Notre Dame 1	25-30, 30-16, 30-20, 30-24
WISCONSIN def. UW-Milwaukee 1	30-19, 30-15, 30-27
MINNESOTA def. DePaul 1	30-25, 30-27, 30-25
OHIO STATE def. Robert Morris 1	30-17, 30-16, 30-16
PENN STATE def. Fairfield 1	30-21, 30-24, 30-24
ILLINOIS def. Missouri 1	26-30, 40-38, 30-25, 30-27
Arizona def. ILLINOIS 2	32-30, 30-26, 27-30, 30-20
Northern Iowa def. MINNESOTA 2	26-30, 21-30, 30-21, 30-18, 17-15
WISCONSIN def. MICHIGAN STATE 2	30-21, 30-22, 30-24
OHIO STATE def. Cincinnati 2	30-16, 22-30, 30-27, 30-20
UCLA def. PENN STATE 2	30-11, 30-28, 30-18
Texas A&M def. WISCONSIN 3	30-28, 30-24, 30-23
USC def. OHIO STATE 3	30-25, 30-20, 30-27

## 2002 (8 Teams, 8-8)

Texas def. INDIANA 1	30-22, 36-38, 30-17, 24-30, 15-10
MINNESOTA def. New Hampshire 1	30-18, 28-30, 30-17, 30-21
Missouri def. NORTHWESTERN 1	25-30, 30-20, 31-29, 40-38
WISCONSIN def. Alabama A&M 1	30-17, 30-13, 30-15
OHIO STATE def. Robert Morris 1	30-22, 30-20, 30-16
PENN STATE def. Penn 1	30-23, 30-10, 30-26
Kansas State def. MICHIGAN 1	30-26, 30-25, 35-33
MICHIGAN STATE def. George Mason 1	30-28, 30-13, 30-21
MINNESOTA def. Georgia Tech 2	30-28, 31-29, 26-30, 30-28
OHIO STATE def. Louisville 2	30-26, 30-28, 30-24
Miami def. WISCONSIN 2	30-25, 20-30, 30-21, 30-22
Temple def. PENN STATE 2	30-24, 30-26, 26-30, 30-23
MICHIGAN STATE def. Notre Dame 2	30-28, 30-20, 30-23
Arizona def. MINNESOTA 3	32-30, 34-32, 28-30, 30-19
USC def. MICHIGAN STATE 3	30-17, 30-23, 30-15
Stanford def. OHIO STATE 3	30-24, 30-25, 30-27

## 2003 (7 Teams, 11-7)

MICHIGAN def. Colorado 1	30-22, 30-22, 30-11
WISCONSIN def. Arizona 1	30-24, 25-30, 32-30, 30-26
ILLINOIS def. Murray State 1	30-19, 30-27, 30-20
MINNESOTA def. UW-Green Bay 1	30-22, 30-12, 30-16
Washington def. NORTHWESTERN 1	30-20, 30-21, 30-26
PENN STATE def. Robert Morris 1	30-10, 30-18, 30-11
Dayton def. MICHIGAN STATE 1	30-26, 30-26, 28-30, 25-30, 15-8
ILLINOIS def. Louisville 2	30-26, 30-26, 32-30
MINNESOTA def. Northern Iowa 2	30-25, 28-30, 30-25, 30-23
PENN STATE def. Pittsburgh 2	25-30, 33-31, 30-21, 30-21
Texas A&M def. WISCONSIN 2	30-22, 30-24, 30-18
California def. MICHIGAN 2	30-23, 30-23, 30-28
PENN STATE def. Kansas State 3	12-30, 30-27, 30-21, 31-29
MINNESOTA def. Pepperdine 3	28-30, 30-28, 30-27, 27-30, 15-8
Hawaii def. ILLINOIS 3	30-21, 30-22, 33-31
Florida def. PENN STATE 4	30-21, 30-24, 30-16
MINNESOTA def. Washington 4	19-30, 32-30, 33-31, 27-30, 15-9
USC def. MINNESOTA 5	30-27, 30-28, 30-20

## 2004 (7 Teams, 15-7)

MINNESOTA def. Long Island 1	30-19, 30-12, 30-27
PURDUE def. Colorado State 1	30-25, 25-30, 30-27, 22-30, 15-12
Louisville def. ILLINOIS 1	30-27, 21-30, 30-19, 30-23
MICHIGAN def. Rice 1	31-29, 24-30, 30-23, 30-20
OHIO STATE def. Dayton 1	30-25, 32-20, 30-22
PENN STATE def. American 1	30-18, 30-18, 35-33
WISCONSIN def. Loyola (Chicago) 1	30-27, 30-26, 30-25
MINNESOTA def. Yale 2	30-17, 30-18, 30-19
Hawaii def. PURDUE 2	33-31, 30-27, 30-19
Texas def. MICHIGAN 2	30-19, 30-27, 23-30, 30-28
OHIO STATE def. Ohio 2	30-25, 30-20, 30-20
WISCONSIN def. Notre Dame 2	36-34, 30-16, 30-16
PENN STATE def. Maryland 2	34-32, 30-27, 31-29
OHIO STATE def. Tennessee 3	29-31, 27-30, 30-16, 30-26, 15-12
MINNESOTA def. Georgia Tech 3	25-30, 30-22, 30-24, 46-48, 15-9
WISCONSIN def. Hawaii 3	31-29, 30-23, 22-30, 28-30, 21-19
UCLA def. PENN STATE 3	24-30, 30-22, 25-30, 28-30
MINNESOTA def. OHIO STATE 4	30-32, 34-32, 27-30, 30-28, 15-8
Stanford def. WISCONSIN 4	30-18, 31-29, 30-26
MINNESOTA def. USC 5	30-25, 29-31, 30-26, 30-20
Stanford def. MINNESOTA 6	23-30, 27-30, 21-30

## 2005 (6 Teams, 10-6)

MINNESOTA def. Winthrop 1	30-13, 30-13, 30-24
NORTHWESTERN def. Texas A&M 1	30-26, 20-30, 28-30, 30-27, 15-12
OHIO STATE def. Marshall 1	30-25, 30-26, 30-22
PENN STATE def. Binghamton 1	30-15, 30-8, 30-10
PURDUE def. Va. Commonwealth 1	30-27, 30-24, 30-21
WISCONSIN def. Loyola (Ill.) 1	30-18, 30-26, 30-14
Tennessee def. MINNESOTA 2	30-19, 24-30, 20-30, 30-27, 15-11
Notre Dame def. NORTHWESTERN 2	30-27, 32-30, 30-28
Ohio def. OHIO STATE 2	30-27, 30-23, 30-22
PENN STATE def. Long Island 2	30-11, 30-27, 30-8
PURDUE def. College of Charleston 2	30-22, 30-20, 30-28
WISCONSIN def. California 2	30-23, 30-22, 30-25
Tennessee def. PENN STATE 3	30-27, 14-30, 30-27, 33-31
Washington def. PURDUE 3	30-25, 30-19, 30-20
WISCONSIN def. Notre Dame 3	30-25, 28-30, 30-25, 25-30, 15-9
Washington def. WISCONSIN 4	30-28, 30-25, 30-23

## 2006 (7 Teams, 10-2)

Cal Poly def. MICHIGAN 1	23-30, 30-26, 25-30, 23-30
Utah def. MICHIGAN STATE 1	25-30, 30-27, 30-20, 28-30, 11-15
MINNESOTA def. Siena 1	30-16, 30-23, 30-15
OHIO STATE def. Belmont 1	30-22, 30-16, 30-22
PENN STATE def. Long Island 1	30-16, 30-27, 30-15
PURDUE def. St. Louis 1	30-21, 30-20, 32-30
WISCONSIN def. Notre Dame 1	36-34, 30-26, 30-21
MINNESOTA def. St. John's 2	30-26, 30-17, 26-30, 24-30, 15-12
OHIO STATE def. Middle Tennessee 2	23-30, 30-19, 30-17, 30-22
PENN STATE def. Hofstra 2	30-20, 30-12, 30-19
PURDUE def. Kentucky 2	30-21, 30-28, 30-26
WISCONSIN def. Iowa State 2	30-20, 30-25, 30-27
MINNESOTA vs. Florida 3	
OHIO STATE vs. Washington 3	
PENN STATE vs. PURDUE 3	
WISCONSIN vs. Texas 3	

## 1 NCAA First Round

## 2 NCAA Second Round

## 3 NCAA Regional Semifinal

## 4 NCAA Regional Final

## 5 NCAA National Championship Semifinal

## 6 NCAA National Championship Final

## 7 National Intercollegiate Volleyball Championship (NIVC)

## 8 Wisconsin set a then-NCAA all-time single match and NCAA Division I

## Tournament record for attendance with 10,931 against Illinois.

\*Until 1991, Penn State competed for the Atlantic 10.

**BIG TEN PLAYERS OF THE WEEK**

**Three Standouts Earn AVCA NPOW Honors in 2006**

Three Big Ten student-athletes, Penn State's Alisha Glass, Purdue's Stephanie Lynch and Wisconsin's Jackie Simpson, have earned AVCA National Player of the Week awards this season. Glass was honored the week of Sept. 11, while Simpson was honored on Oct. 30 and Lynch was selected by the national organization the week of Nov. 20. The three honorees are the most for the Big Ten since the conference had four selections in 2004.

- Aug. 29 P: Danielle Meyer, Jr., OSU  
D: Stesha Selsky, Jr., MICH
- Sept. 4 P: Nicole Fawcett, So., PSU  
D: Kelli Miller, So., PUR
- Sept. 11 P: \*Alisha Glass, Fr., PSU  
D: Kerry Hance, So., MICH
- Sept. 18 P: Melanie Meister, Sr., IOWA  
D: Malama Peniata, Sr., MINN
- Sept. 25 P: Megan Hodge, Fr., PSU  
D: Annie Moddrell, Jr., IND
- Oct. 2 P: Meredith Nelson, Sr., MINN  
Christa Harmotto, So., PSU
- Oct. 9 P: Lizzie Bazzetta, So., ILL  
D: Danita Merlau, So., PUR
- Oct. 16 P: Kelli Miller, So., PUR  
D: Ashley Schatzle, Jr., MSU
- Oct. 23 P: Ashley Schatzle, Jr., MSU  
D: Kate Nobilio, Fr., NU
- Oct. 23 P: Anna Szerszen, Fr., OSU  
D: Megan Hodge, Fr., PSU
- Oct. 30 P: Malama Peniata, Sr., MINN  
D: \*Jackie Simpson, Jr., WIS
- Oct. 30 P: Chesly Hyser, So., NU
- Nov. 6 P: Katie Bruzdinski, Jr., MICH  
D: Ashley Edinger, Fr., ILL
- Nov. 13 P: Ashley Edinger, Fr., ILL  
D: Katie Bruzdinski, Jr., MICH
- Nov. 20 P: Vanessa King, Fr., MSU  
D: \*Stephanie Lynch, So., PUR
- Nov. 20 P: Malama Peniata, Sr., MINN  
D: Megan Hodge, Fr., PSU
- Nov. 27 P: Megan Hodge, Fr., PSU  
D: Nicole Colaluca, Sr., MSU

\* AVCA National Player of the Week

**CSTV/AVCA TOP 25 POLL**

Rank	School (Votes)	Points	Record	Last Week
1	Nebraska (53)	1490	29-1	1
2	Stanford (7)	1436	27-3	2
3	Washington	1355	27-4	3
4	UCLA	1314	31-3	4
5	<b>PENN STATE</b>	<b>1274</b>	<b>31-2</b>	<b>5</b>
6	Southern California	1205	27-4	6
7	Florida	1151	30-2	7
8	Texas	1071	23-6	8
9	<b>MINNESOTA</b>	<b>1015</b>	<b>25-7</b>	<b>9</b>
10	<b>WISCONSIN</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>26-6</b>	<b>10</b>
11	Hawai'i	874	28-5	12
12	Oklahoma	836	28-5	13
13	California	763	22-9	15
14	San Diego	672	26-5	17
15	Utah	654	28-4	11
16	<b>OHIO STATE</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>25-7</b>	<b>18</b>
17	Cal Poly	536	23-6	14
18	<b>PURDUE</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>23-10</b>	<b>23</b>
19	LSU	412	26-6	16
20	BYU	283	25-6	22
21	New Mexico State	188	33-4	19
22	Duke	178	29-4	25
23	Missouri	151	18-13	NR
24	Ohio	141	28-5	20
25	Santa Clara	118	20-8	21

Also Receiving Votes: Colorado 102; Long Beach State 80; Pepperdine 46; Iowa State 43; St. John's 25; Kentucky 17; Colorado State 10; Middle Tennessee State 6; Northern Iowa 4; Arizona State 2.

**TOP 25 POLL BIG TEN BREAKDOWN**

	ILL	IND	IOWA	MICH	MSU	MINN	NU	OSU	PSU	PUR	WIS
PRE	-	-	-	-	-	22	arv	23	2	16	9
9/4	-	-	-	arv	-	arv	-	19	2	14	11
9/11	-	-	-	22	-	arv	-	15	2	14	11
9/18	-	-	-	19	-	arv	-	12	2	11	14
9/25	-	-	-	24	-	arv	-	13	2	11	14
10/2	arv	-	-	arv	-	24	-	14	2	9	13
10/9	-	-	-	-	-	23	-	16	2	9	14
10/16	-	-	-	-	-	17	-	24	2	14	11
10/23	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	24	2	13	14
10/30	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	25	3	14	10
11/6	-	-	-	arv	-	13	-	23	3	16	10
11/13	-	-	-	arv	arv	12	-	19	5	23	10
11/20	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	19	5	22	12
11/27	-	-	-	-	arv	9	-	18	5	23	10
12/4	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	16	5	18	10
12/11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
FINAL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

arv - also receiving votes

**NEWS & NOTES**

**Penn State Captures Fourth Straight Outright Title**

With an 18-2 conference record, Penn State captured its 10th Big Ten Championship and fourth-straight outright title, which is a first in conference history. Penn State won four consecutive championships from 1996-99, but shared the titles with Michigan State in 1996 and Wisconsin in 1997 before winning outright in 1998 and 1999. The only other program to win more than two consecutive conference championships was Illinois, whose 1986-88 teams captured three solo titles.

**Over Half of Big Ten Teams Boast 20+ Wins**

For just the sixth time since the Big Ten expanded to 11 teams in 1991, over half the conference squads have captured 20 wins or more in a season. The year's feat also marks the second time (1994-95) the Big Ten has ever had back-to-back seasons with six teams at 20 wins or more. Currently, Minnesota (23-7), Ohio State (23-7), Penn State (29-2), Purdue (21-10) and Wisconsin (24-6) have eclipsed the 20-win mark. Michigan (21-12) ended its season above the mark while Michigan State (19-11) missed by just one victory from giving the Big Ten seven teams with 20 or more victories. The conference has boasted six 20-win teams in 1994, 1995, 1997, 2002, 2005 and 2006.

**Five Schools Ranked in Top 25 Poll**

Five Big Ten volleyball teams are ranked in the top 25 of the CSTV/AVCA Coaches Poll. Penn State leads the Big Ten contingent at No. 5, followed by No. 9 Minnesota, No. 10 Wisconsin, No. 16 Ohio State and No. 18 Purdue.

**Big Ten Players & Teams Ranked in NCAA Stats**

According to the latest NCAA stats, through Dec. 3, Penn State ranks first in hitting percentage (.323) and second in blocks (3.71). Ohio State currently ranks sixth in hitting percentage (.287). Michigan State is 10th in kills (16.85) and 11th in assists (15.60) and hitting percentage (.275). Illinois' Lizzie Bazzetta (13.64) is the highest-ranked conference standout as she ranks sixth in assists (13.64).

**If You Build It...**

And they did come to the UW Fieldhouse this year as Badger fans stormed the gates at a record pace to watch their No. 10 Wisconsin team this season. The Badgers broke their own Big Ten record for attendance in conference matches as Wisconsin drew 47,110 spectators to 10 contests, breaking their own mark of 46,489 fans set in 2003. The Badgers' average of 4,711 fans per match breaks their own mark of 4,649 per match, also set in 2003. Wisconsin also eclipsed its own Big Ten single-season record for attendance. The Badgers attracted 73,576 spectators in 17 matches this season for an average of 4,328 fans per game. The previous record was an average of 4,294 per match set in 2003.

**Weismiller Departs Indiana Volleyball Program**

Indiana has begun a national search for its new volleyball coach after Katie Weismiller departed after 14 years. The winningest coach in Indiana history, Weismiller led the Hoosiers to a 198-240 record and four NCAA Tournament appearances. More than 50 school records were broken under Weismiller's leadership. Her student-athletes earned Academic All-Big Ten honors on 38 occasions over the past five seasons.

**25TH ANNIVERSARY OF BIG TEN WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIPS**

During the 2006-07 season, the Big Ten will celebrate the conference's 25th Anniversary of Women's Championships.

Through July 2007, the conference will be sharing some of the many stories of student-athletes, teams, coaches and administrators who have made the past 25 years a success and have set the stage for "the story to continue."

Information about the campaign can be found on the official conference website -- [www.bigten.org](http://www.bigten.org).

**Illini Standout Stars in Big Ten Campaign**

Beth Vrdsky, a senior specialist on the Illinois squad, is one of 11 selected student-athletes that will be the face of the Big Ten Conference this year as it celebrates its 25th Anniversary of Women's Championships. Vrdsky has been featured in a 30-second public service announcement "sharing her story" about her dreams of becoming a fighter pilot. To learn more about Vrdsky, as well as the conference's year-long campaign, log on to [bigten.org](http://bigten.org).



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**NATIONAL ATTENDANCE FIGURES**

Compiled by Diane Nordstrom, University of Wisconsin  
2006 UNOFFICIAL ATTENDANCE

**RANKED BY AVERAGE**

School	Avg.	Total	Matches
1. Hawaii	7,052	141,042	20
2. WISCONSIN	4,328	73,576	17
3. Nebraska	4,178	78,598	19
4. MINNESOTA	3,938	51,198	13
5. PENN STATE	2,596	46,723	18
6. Missouri	2,565	28,216	11
7. Florida	2,315	37,043	16
8. Washington	2,256	29,331	13
9. Texas	2,152	23,671	11
10. Wichita State	2,083	29,157	14
11. Stanford	2,061	26,789	13
12. PURDUE	1,933	25,134	13
13. BYU	1,902	24,727	13
14. Notre Dame	1,849	22,193	12
15. New Mexico State	1,830	31,111	17
16. Texas A&M	1,781	21,376	12
17. Northern Iowa	1,708	23,909	14
18. Creighton	1,611	20,940	13
19. Colorado State	1,554	23,309	15
20. MICHIGAN STATE	1,473	22,098	15
21. ILLINOIS	1,471	19,127	13
22. Long Beach State	1,447	27,500	19
23. Ohio	1,411	11,285	8
24. UCLA	1,355	16,262	12
25. Illinois State	1,353	16,240	12

**TOP MATCH ATTENDANCES**

1. 12,112	Nebraska at Creighton, 9/24
2. 8,611	New Mexico State at Hawaii, 11/11
3. 8,377	PURDUE AT MINNESOTA, 10/14
4. 8,213	Stanford at Hawaii, 9/10
5. 8,138	Florida at Hawaii, 9/1
6. 7,878	Pepperdine at Hawaii, 8/25
7. 7,867	Pepperdine at Hawaii, 8/26
8. 7,793	UCLA at Hawaii, 9/3
9. 7,253	Fresno State at Hawaii, 9/23
10. 7,118	Nevada at Hawaii, 10/8
11. 7,071	Colorado at Hawaii, 9/2
12. 7,064	INDIANA AT WISCONSIN, 10/15
13. 7,041	Louisiana Tech at Hawaii, 11/10
14. 7,040	Utah State at Hawaii, 10/6
15. 6,665	Cal Poly at Hawaii, 9/15
16. 6,639	Idaho at Hawaii, 10/27
17. 6,476	San Jose State at Hawaii, 10/29
18. 6,430	NORTHWESTERN AT HAWAII, 9/8
19. 6,311	Fairfield at Hawaii, 9/7
20. 6,216	Washington State at Washington, 10/13
21. 6,180	Boise State at Hawaii, 10/9
22. 6,155	Cal Poly at Hawaii, 9/14
23. 6,136	Notre Dame at Hawaii, 10/16
24. 6,105	Nebraska at Missouri, 10/11
25. 6,027	Notre Dame at Hawaii, 10/17

**BIG TEN VS. NCAA LEADERS**

AS OF DEC. 3, 2006

**Assists Per Game**

#	Name, Team	Cl	G	A	Per/G
1	Courtney Thompson, Wash.	Sr.	108	1591	14.73
6	Lizzie Bazzetta, ILL	So.	91	1241	13.64
25	Allison Ianni, MSU	Sr.	105	1377	13.11
28	Rachel Hartmann, MINN	So.	116	1511	13.03
30	Jackie Simpson, WIS	Jr.	103	1340	13.01

**Blocks Per Game**

#	Name, Team	Cl	G	BS	BA	Total	Per/G
1	Nana Meriwether, UCLA	Sr.	114	18	205	223	1.96
7	Taylor Reineke, WIS	Jr.	109	21	158	179	1.64
13	Christa Harmotto, PSU	So.	104	19	147	166	1.60
14	Melissa Walbridge, PSU	Jr.	107	22	148	170	1.59

**Hitting Percentage**

#	Name, Team	Cl	G	Kills	Err	TA	Pct.
1	Nana Meriwether, UCLA	Sr.	114	465	80	840	.458
9	Christa Harmotto, PSU	So.	104	295	68	558	.407
20	Cassy Salyer, PSU	Sr.	79	163	40	319	.386

**Kills Per Game**

#	Name, Team	Cl	G	Kills	Per/G
1	Kelly-Anne Billingsy, Marshall Jr.	Jr.	101	668	6.61
17	Megan Hodge, PSU	Fr.	107	515	4.81
25	Katie Johnson, MSU	Jr.	104	487	4.68
28	Katie Bruzdinski, MICH	Jr.	116	537	4.63

**Assists Per Game**

#	Team	G	Assists	Per/G
1	Nebraska	99	1624	16.40
11	Michigan State	105	1638	15.60
16	Penn State	107	1647	15.39
18	Wisconsin	109	1671	15.33
30	Michigan	116	1743	15.03

**Blocks Per Game**

#	Team	G	BS	BA	Per/G
1	Utah	110	53	711	3.71
2	Penn State	107	85	623	3.71
11	Wisconsin	109	75	576	3.33

**Hitting Percentage**

#	Team	Kills	Err	TA	Pct.
1	Penn State	1788	535	3884	.323
6	Ohio State	1824	620	4192	.287
11	Michigan State	1769	676	3968	.275
23	Wisconsin	1805	668	4319	.263

**Kills Per Game**

#	Team	G	Kills	Per/G
1	Nebraska	99	1740	17.58
10	Michigan State	105	1769	16.85
13	Penn State	107	1788	16.71
20	Wisconsin	109	1805	16.56
25	Ohio State	111	1824	16.43
29	Minnesota	116	1892	16.31

**2006 BIG TEN STATISTICAL COMPARISONS**

Conference Statistical Ranking Comparison as of Dec. 4, 2006

Team	Offense						Defense					
	Hit-Pct	Kills	Blocks	Aces	Digs	Assists	Hit-Pct	Kills	Blocks	Aces	Digs	Assists
Illinois	8	7	10	2	10	7	9	7	10	9	4	7
Indiana	11	11	9	11	11	11	11	10	7	10	10	10
Iowa	10	10	11	9	2	10	8	11	4	8	11	11
Michigan	7	6	8	6	1	5	4	6	11	7	8	5
Michigan State	3	1	5	10	9	1	7	5	5	4	1	4
Minnesota	5	5	3	4	5	6	3	3	2	6	6	3
Northwestern	9	9	4	8	3	9	6	8	9	11	9	8
Ohio State	2	4	7	5	6	4	5	2	6	1	3	2
Penn State	1	2	1	1	8	2	1	1	1	2	2	1
Purdue	6	8	6	3	7	8	10	9	3	5	7	9
Wisconsin	4	3	2	7	4	3	2	4	8	3	5	6

**ILLINOIS fighting illini**  
15-15 (6-14, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

25	ILLINOIS STATE (1)	W, 3-1	30-26, 30-20, 28-30, 30-24
26	WINTHROP (1)	W, 3-0	30-21, 30-21, 30-18
	UW-MILWAUKEE (1)	W, 3-0	30-16, 30-27, 30-26

**SEPTEMBER**

1	vs. Mississippi (2)	W, 3-1	27-30, 30-22, 30-22, 30-19
2	at Marquette (2)	W, 3-0	32-30, 30-24, 30-27
3	vs. Loyola (Chicago) (2)	W, 3-1	30-22, 22-30, 30-20, 30-13
8	at North Carolina (3)	W, 3-0	30-28, 35-33, 30-26
9	vs. Wichita State (3)	L, 2-3	30-16, 30-25, 21-30, 28-30, 13-15
	vs. College of Charleston (3)	W, 3-1	30-28, 27-30, 30-20, 30-27
12	DAYTON	W, 3-1	30-21, 30-19, 23-30, 31-29
22	WISCONSIN	L, 0-3	26-30, 26-30, 25-30
23	MINNESOTA	L, 0-3	27-30, 18-30, 30-32
27	at Northwestern	W, 3-0	30-21, 30-23, 30-27
30	IOWA	W, 3-1	30-22, 24-30, 30-21, 30-21

**OCTOBER**

6	at Michigan State	L, 0-3	25-30, 22-30, 31-33
8	at Michigan	L, 1-3	24-30, 26-30, 30-24, 23-30
13	#16 OHIO STATE	W, 3-0	30-24, 30-21, 30-20
15	#2 PENN STATE	L, 0-3	32-34, 23-30, 30-32
20	at #14 Purdue	L, 0-3	16-30, 28-30, 26-30
21	at Indiana	W, 3-1	26-30, 30-24, 30-16, 30-20
27	MICHIGAN	L, 0-3	32-34, 30-32, 26-30
28	MICHIGAN STATE	L, 0-3	26-30, 16-30, 22-30

**NOVEMBER**

1	NORTHWESTERN	L, 1-3	25-30, 30-25, 26-30, 27-30
3	at Iowa	W, 3-1	19-30, 30-28, 31-29, 39-37
10	at #13 Minnesota	L, 0-3	22-30, 24-30, 23-30
11	at #10 Wisconsin	L, 1-3	16-30, 30-28, 22-30, 19-30
17	INDIANA	W, 3-1	20-30, 30-13, 30-17, 30-23
18	#23 PURDUE	L, 0-3	20-30, 24-30, 26-30
24	at #5 Penn State	L, 0-3	22-30, 23-30, 13-30
25	at #19 Ohio State	L, 0-3	26-30, 18-30, 21-30

- (1) State Farm Illini Classic, Champaign, Ill.  
 (2) Marquette Kick-Off Tournament, Milwaukee, Wis.  
 (3) Glaxo Smith Kline UNC Volleyball Classic, Chapel Hill, N.C.

**MICHIGAN wolverines**  
21-13 (8-12, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

25	vs. Western Kentucky (1)	W, 3-0	30-21, 30-27, 30-23
	vs. Binghamton (1)	W, 3-1	30-32, 30-16, 30-17, 30-21
26	vs. Wright State (1)	W, 3-0	30-16, 30-14, 30-24
	at Toledo (1)	W, 3-0	30-17, 30-24, 30-22

**SEPTEMBER**

1	vs. #20 San Diego (2)	W, 3-0	30-25, 30-25, 30-21
2	vs. Iowa State (2)	W, 3-0	23-30, 30-28, 30-28, 30-28
	at UC Irvine (2)	W, 3-0	30-22, 30-22, 30-27
8	MARQUETTE (3)	W, 3-0	30-26, 30-20, 30-21
	VIRGINIA (3)	W, 3-0	30-26, 30-21, 30-27
9	PACIFIC (3)	W, 3-0	30-23, 30-23, 30-26
15	IPFW (4)	W, 3-0	30-22, 30-26, 30-22
16	NEW HAMPSHIRE (4)	W, 3-0	30-22, 30-15, 30-18
	RICE (4)	W, 3-0	30-25, 30-19, 30-28
22	INDIANA	L, 2-3	30-22, 28-30, 30-20, 28-30, 12-15
23	#11 PURDUE	L, 2-3	30-25, 26-30, 26-30, 30-26, 10-15
29	at Minnesota	L, 0-3	30-32, 28-30, 25-30
30	at #14 Wisconsin	L, 0-3	24-30, 19-30, 16-30

**OCTOBER**

6	NORTHWESTERN	W, 3-0	30-28, 30-25, 30-28
8	ILLINOIS	W, 3-1	30-24, 30-26, 24-30, 30-23
11	MICHIGAN STATE	L, 0-3	27-30, 28-26, 26-30
13	IOWA	W, 3-0	30-27, 30-21, 30-19
20	at #2 Penn State	L, 1-3	30-24, 27-30, 25-30, 26-30
22	at #24 Ohio State	L, 2-3	30-27, 14-30, 30-22, 26-30, 9-15
27	at Illinois	W, 3-0	34-32, 32-30, 30-26
28	at Northwestern	L, 2-3	30-22, 29-31, 23-30, 30-23, 12-15

**NOVEMBER**

3	#10 WISCONSIN	L, 0-3	26-30, 14-30, 25-30
4	#12 MINNESOTA	W, 3-1	27-30, 30-23, 30-20, 30-26
10	at #16 Purdue	W, 3-0	30-26, 30-28, 30-28
11	at Indiana	W, 3-0	30-20, 30-21, 30-28
17	#19 OHIO STATE	L, 0-3	25-30, 22-30, 24-30
18	#5 PENN STATE	L, 0-3	27-30, 32-34, 14-30
22	at Michigan State	L, 0-3	27-30, 18-30, 22-30
25	at Iowa	W, 3-0	30-18, 31-29, 30-26

**DECEMBER**

1	at #15 Cal Poly (5)	L, 1-3	23-30, 30-26, 25-30, 23-30
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- (1) Toledo Invitational, Toledo, Ohio  
 (2) UC Irvine Invitational, Irvine, Calif.  
 (3) Michigan/Pepsi Challenge, Ann Arbor, Mich.  
 (4) Michigan/Nike Invitational, Ann Arbor, Mich.  
 (5) NCAA Championship First & Second Round, San Luis Obispo, Calif.

**INDIANA hoosiers**  
10-22 (1-19, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

25	vs. Akron (1)	W, 3-0	30-24, 30-28, 30-21
26	vs. Oakland (1)	W, 3-0	30-26, 30-18, 30-27
	at West Virginia (1)	W, 3-0	30-18, 30-20, 30-26

**SEPTEMBER**

1	MARSHALL (2)	W, 3-0	30-27, 31-29, 30-28
2	CHICAGO STATE (2)	W, 3-0	30-17, 30-14, 30-14
	MARYLAND (2)	L, 2-3	27-30, 27-30, 30-18, 30-22, 3-15
8	vs. Wake Forest (3)	W, 3-2	21-30, 30-22, 30-23, 29-31, 15-11
9	vs. #22 LSU (3)	L, 0-3	21-30, 22-30, 20-30
	at Dayton (3)	L, 0-3	27-30, 18-30, 27-30
15	UT-CHATTANOOGA (4)	W, 3-0	30-27, 30-20, 30-25
16	MERCER (4)	W, 3-1	30-22, 27-30, 30-19, 30-20
	SMU (4)	W, 3-0	30-26, 30-24, 30-24
22	at #19 Michigan	W, 3-2	22-30, 30-28, 20-30, 30-28, 15-12
23	at Michigan State	L, 1-3	30-23, 23-30, 26-30, 26-30
29	#2 PENN STATE	L, 0-3	19-30, 23-30, 22-30
30	#13 OHIO STATE	L, 1-3	30-25, 25-30, 23-30, 25-30

**OCTOBER**

4	#9 PURDUE	L, 0-3	24-30, 26-30, 27-30
6	at Iowa	L, 0-3	20-30, 24-30, 23-30
13	at #23 Minnesota	L, 0-3	17-30, 24-30, 29-31
15	at #14 Wisconsin	L, 0-3	9-30, 17-30, 27-30
20	NORTHWESTERN	L, 1-3	22-30, 30-25, 23-30, 18-30
21	ILLINOIS	L, 1-3	30-26, 24-30, 16-30, 20-30
25	at #13 Purdue	L, 0-3	21-30, 22-30, 19-30
28	IOWA	L, 0-3	23-30, 25-30, 20-30

**NOVEMBER**

3	at #25 Ohio State	L, 0-3	20-30, 19-30, 20-30
4	at #3 Penn State	L, 0-3	18-30, 15-30, 27-30
10	MICHIGAN STATE	L, 0-3	20-30, 27-30, 22-30
11	MICHIGAN	L, 0-3	20-30, 21-30, 28-30
17	at Illinois	L, 1-3	30-20, 13-30, 17-30, 23-30
18	at Northwestern	L, 0-3	21-30, 16-30, 21-30
24	#11 WISCONSIN	L, 0-3	21-30, 26-30, 16-30
25	#10 MINNESOTA	L, 0-3	21-30, 22-30, 26-30

- (1) West Virginia Tournament, Morgantown, W.Va.  
 (2) IU Classic, Bloomington, Ind.  
 (3) Dayton Invitational, Dayton, Ohio  
 (4) IU Invitational, Bloomington, Ind.

**MICHIGAN STATE spartans**  
19-12 (10-10, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

25	vs. IPFW (1)	W, 3-1	28-30, 30-23, 30-20, 30-13
26	vs. Xavier (1)	W, 3-0	30-24, 30-23, 30-25
	at Ball State (1)	W, 3-0	30-24, 30-26, 30-20

**SEPTEMBER**

1	EASTERN MICHIGAN (2)	W, 3-0	30-24, 30-24, 30-21
	VILLANOVA (2)	W, 3-0	30-22, 30-19, 30-27
2	MIAMI (Fla.) (2)	W, 3-0	30-15, 30-27, 30-12
8	vs. Arizona State (3)	L, 0-3	20-30, 28-30, 17-30
9	vs. Tennessee Tech (3)	W, 3-0	30-16, 30-20, 30-21
12	OAKLAND	W, 3-0	30-16, 30-23, 30-14
16	TOLEDO	W, 3-0	30-25, 30-23, 30-23
22	#11 PURDUE	L, 3-2	22-30, 30-27, 27-30, 30-23, 20-22
23	INDIANA	W, 3-1	23-30, 30-23, 30-26, 30-26
29	at #14 Wisconsin	L, 0-3	22-30, 25-30, 26-30

**OCTOBER**

1	at Minnesota	L, 2-3	30-28, 25-30, 25-30, 30-26, 12-15
6	ILLINOIS	W, 3-0	30-25, 30-22, 33-31
7	NORTHWESTERN	L, 2-3	30-19, 21-30, 30-27, 26-30, 11-15
11	at Michigan	W, 3-0	30-27, 30-28, 30-26
14	IOWA	W, 3-0	30-21, 30-20, 30-25
20	at #24 Ohio State	L, 0-3	28-30, 22-30, 22-30
21	at #2 Penn State	L, 0-3	18-30, 22-30, 13-30
27	at Northwestern	W, 3-0	30-23, 30-23, 30-28
28	at Illinois	W, 3-0	30-26, 30-16, 30-22

**NOVEMBER**

3	#12 MINNESOTA	L, 0-3	16-30, 25-30, 25-30
4	#10 WISCONSIN	L, 1-3	20-30, 30-23, 21-30, 22-30
10	at Indiana	W, 3-0	30-20, 30-27, 30-22
11	at #16 Purdue	W, 3-1	28-30, 31-29, 30-22, 30-26
17	#5 PENN STATE	L, 0-3	24-30, 26-30, 23-30
18	#19 OHIO STATE	L, 0-3	26-30, 25-30, 13-30
22	MICHIGAN	W, 3-0	30-27, 30-18, 30-22
24	at Iowa	W, 3-0	30-24, 30-20, 30-26

**DECEMBER**

1	vs. #11 Utah (4)	L, 2-3	25-30, 30-27, 30-20, 28-30, 11-15
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- (1) Ball State Nike/Active Ankle Weekend, Muncie, Ind.  
 (2) MSU Volleyball Invitational, East Lansing, Mich.  
 (3) Sports Import Classic, Columbus, Ohio  
 (4) NCAA Championship First & Second Round, Los Angeles, Calif.

**IOWA hawkeyes**  
13-19 (2-18, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

25	DRAKE (1)	W, 3-0	30-25, 30-22, 30-22
26	CHICAGO STATE (1)	W, 3-0	30-11, 30-16, 30-17
	IOWA STATE (1)	L, 2-3	30-28, 30-26, 25-30, 22-30, 5-15

**SEPTEMBER**

1	vs. North Dakota State (2)	W, 3-2	30-20, 30-22, 25-30, 32-34, 15-10
2	vs. Jacksonville State (2)	W, 3-0	30-26, 30-26, 30-22
	at Creighton (2)	W, 3-2	23-30, 30-27, 30-28, 27-30, 15-13
8	TULANE (3)	W, 3-0	30-23, 30-22, 30-24
9	UMKC (3)	W, 3-0	30-19, 30-17, 30-18
	FLORIDA ATLANTIC (3)	W, 3-2	27-30, 27-30, 39-37, 30-16, 15-10
15	vs. Columbia (4)	W, 3-0	30-21, 30-22, 30-27
16	vs. Eastern Michigan (4)	W, 3-1	26-30, 30-19, 30-25, 30-27
	at College of Charleston (4)	W, 3-2	27-30, 30-28, 30-27, 24-30, 15-11
22	#2 PENN STATE	L, 0-3	25-30, 18-30, 26-30
23	#12 OHIO STATE	L, 1-3	30-25, 25-30, 24-30, 26-30
29	at Northwestern	L, 0-3	18-30, 20-30, 25-30
30	at Illinois	L, 1-3	22-30, 30-24, 21-30, 21-30

**OCTOBER**

6	INDIANA	W, 3-0	30-20, 30-24, 30-23
7	#9 PURDUE	L, 2-3	30-28, 26-30, 31-33, 30-28, 11-15
13	at Michigan	L, 0-3	27-30, 21-30, 19-30
14	at Michigan State	L, 0-3	21-30, 20-30, 25-30
20	#17 MINNESOTA	L, 0-3	19-30, 23-30, 24-30
21	#11 WISCONSIN	L, 1-3	19-30, 25-30, 24-30, 21-30
27	at #13 Purdue	L, 0-3	25-30, 30-32, 15-30
28	at Indiana	W, 3-0	30-23, 30-25, 30-20

**NOVEMBER**

3	ILLINOIS	L, 1-3	30-19, 28-30, 29-31, 37-39
4	NORTHWESTERN	L, 1-3	30-32, 26-30, 30-26, 25-30
10	at #23 Ohio State	L, 0-3	25-30, 26-30, 14-30
11	at #3 Penn State	L, 0-3	17-30, 18-30, 20-30
17	at #10 Wisconsin	L, 0-3	16-30, 22-30, 20-30
18	at #12 Minnesota	L, 1-3	21-30, 17-30, 30-25, 21-30
24	MICHIGAN STATE	L, 0-3	24-30, 20-30, 26-30
25	MICHIGAN	L, 0-3	18-30, 29-31, 26-30

- (1) Hawkeye Challenge, Iowa City, Iowa  
 (2) Bluejay Invitational, Omaha, Neb.  
 (3) Hawkeye-Holiday Inn Challenge, Iowa City, Iowa  
 (4) College of Charleston Invitational, Charleston, S.C.

**MINNESOTA golden gophers**  
25-7 (17-3, Big Ten)**SEPTEMBER**

1	at St. Louis (1)	W, 3-1	32-34, 30-24, 30-18, 30-27
2	vs. LSU (1)	L, 0-3	18-30, 29-31, 23-30
	vs. Texas A&M (1)	L, 1-3	30-22, 24-30, 29-31, 25-30
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**NORTHWESTERN wildcats**  
14-15 (8-12, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

29 ILLINOIS-CHICAGO W, 3-0 30-22, 30-21, 34-32

**SEPTEMBER**

1 vs. Charleston Southern (1) CLD  
 2 vs. IUPUI (1) W, 3-0 30-16, 30-20, 30-23  
 at Western Michigan (1) L, 2-3 18-30, 30-28, 30-32, 30-26, 9-15  
 7 vs. #8 Stanford (2) L, 0-3 30-27, 30-27, 30-17  
 8 at #9 Hawaii (2) L, 1-3 29-31, 30-27, 32-30, 32-30  
 9 vs. Fairfield (2) W, 3-0 30-27, 30-22, 30-25  
 15 EASTERN ILLINOIS (3) W, 3-0 30-16, 30-21, 30-22  
 PITTSBURGH (3) W, 3-1 34-32, 28-30, 30-20, 30-23  
 #24 ARIZONA (3) W, 3-2 30-26, 30-21, 27-30, 20-30, 15-12  
 22 MINNESOTA L, 2-3 30-27, 28-30, 19-30, 31-29, 12-15  
 23 WISCONSIN L, 0-3 22-30, 24-30, 22-30  
 27 ILLINOIS L, 0-3 21-30, 23-30, 27-30  
 29 IOWA W, 3-0 30-18, 30-20, 30-25

**OCTOBER**

6 at Michigan L, 0-3 28-30, 25-30, 28-30  
 7 at Michigan State W, 3-2 19-30, 30-21, 27-30, 30-26, 15-11  
 13 #2 PENN STATE L, 0-3 26-30, 26-30, 22-30  
 14 #16 OHIO STATE W, 3-2 30-28, 24-30, 26-30, 30-27, 15-10  
 20 at Indiana W, 3-1 30-22, 25-30, 30-23, 30-18  
 21 at #14 Purdue L, 1-3 23-30, 32-30, 30-28, 30-23  
 27 MICHIGAN STATE L, 0-3 23-30, 23-30, 28-30  
 28 MICHIGAN W, 3-2 22-30, 31-29, 30-23, 23-30, 15-12

**NOVEMBER**

1 at Illinois W, 3-1 30-25, 25-30, 30-26, 30-27  
 4 at Iowa W, 3-1 32-30, 30-26, 26-30, 30-25  
 10 at #10 Wisconsin L, 2-3 23-30, 19-30, 30-24, 31-29, 13-15  
 11 at #13 Minnesota L, 0-3 24-30, 11-30, 17-30  
 17 #23 PURDUE L, 1-3 32-30, 18-30, 25-30, 24-30  
 18 INDIANA W, 3-0 30-21, 30-16, 30-21  
 24 at #19 Ohio State L, 0-3 13-30, 28-30, 23-30  
 25 at #5 Penn State L, 0-3 21-30, 27-30, 22-30

- (1) Western Michigan Tournament, Kalamazoo, Mich.  
 (2) Waikiki Beach Marriott Volleyball Challenge, Honolulu, Hawaii  
 (3) Wildcat Classic, Evanston, Ill.

**PURDUE boilermakers**  
23-10 (11-9, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

25 BRADLEY (1) W, 3-0 30-20, 30-21, 30-15  
 NORTHERN IOWA (1) W, 3-0 34-32, 30-21, 30-23  
 26 ALBANY (1) W, 3-0 31-29, 30-18, 30-19  
 CLEMSON (1) W, 3-1 30-25, 30-24, 22-30, 30-19

**SEPTEMBER**

1 vs. Virginia Tech (2) W, 3-1 30-18, 30-22, 27-30, 30-21  
 2 vs. Arizona State (2) W, 3-2 23-30, 30-28, 30-18, 29-31, 16-14  
 at Auburn (2) W, 3-0 30-23, 30-24, 30-28  
 6 at Dayton W, 3-2 28-30, 30-21, 30-25, 16-30, 15-11  
 9 WESTERN MICHIGAN W, 3-0 30-22, 30-25, 30-16  
 15 at #9 Southern California L, 1-3 25-30, 30-27, 15-30, 26-30  
 16 at #20 Pepperdine W, 3-1 30-21, 25-30, 30-24, 32-30  
 22 at Michigan State W, 3-2 30-22, 27-30, 30-27, 23-30, 22-20  
 23 at #19 Michigan W, 3-2 25-30, 30-26, 30-26, 26-30, 15-10  
 29 #13 OHIO STATE W, 3-2 30-26, 27-30, 29-31, 34-32, 15-7  
 30 #2 PENN STATE L, 0-3 12-30, 29-31, 27-30

**OCTOBER**

4 at Indiana W, 3-0 30-24, 30-26, 30-27  
 7 at Iowa W, 3-2 28-30, 30-26, 33-31, 28-30, 15-11  
 13 at #14 Wisconsin L, 0-3 12-30, 20-30, 29-31  
 14 at #23 Minnesota L, 1-3 30-28, 26-30, 25-30, 22-30  
 20 ILLINOIS W, 3-0 30-16, 30-28, 30-26  
 21 NORTHWESTERN W, 3-1 23-30, 32-30, 30-28, 30-23  
 25 INDIANA W, 3-0 30-21, 30-22, 30-19  
 27 IOWA W, 3-0 30-25, 32-30, 30-15

**NOVEMBER**

3 at #3 Penn State L, 0-3 13-30, 15-30, 22-30  
 4 at #25 Ohio State L, 0-3 18-30, 29-31, 29-31  
 10 MICHIGAN L, 0-3 26-30, 28-30, 28-30  
 11 MICHIGAN STATE L, 1-3 30-28, 29-31, 22-30, 26-30  
 17 at Northwestern W, 3-1 30-32, 30-18, 30-25, 30-24  
 18 at Illinois W, 3-0 30-20, 30-24, 30-26  
 24 #10 MINNESOTA L, 0-3 22-30, 22-30, 23-30  
 25 #11 WISCONSIN L, 0-3 27-30, 22-30, 21-30  
 30 ST. LOUIS (3) W, 3-0 30-21, 30-20, 32-30

**DECEMBER**

1 KENTUCKY (3) W, 3-0 30-21, 30-28, 30-26  
 8 vs. #5 Penn State (4) 5 p.m.

- (1) Mortar Board Premier, West Lafayette, Ind.  
 (2) Mizuno Challenge, Auburn, Ala.  
 (3) NCAA Championship First & Second Round, West Lafayette, Ind.  
 (4) NCAA Championship Regional, Seattle, Wash.

**OHIO STATE buckeyes**  
25-7 (13-7, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

26 vs. Robert Morris (1) W, 3-0 30-15, 30-20, 30-17  
 vs. Houston (1) W, 3-2 30-32, 30-18, 28-30, 30-15, 15-12  
 27 at Towson (1) W, 3-1 28-30, 30-27, 30-27, 30-22

**SEPTEMBER**

1 LEHIGH (2) W, 3-0 30-11, 30-6, 30-16  
 IONA (2) W, 3-0 30-11, 30-6, 30-16  
 3 NORTHERN ILLINOIS (2) W, 3-0 30-17, 30-23, 30-16  
 8 TENNESSEE TECH (3) W, 3-0 30-14, 30-22, 30-22  
 9 ARIZONA STATE (3) W, 3-0 30-24, 30-24, 30-19  
 12 IPFW W, 3-0 30-12, 30-25, 30-26  
 13 at Youngstown State W, 3-0 30-18, 30-15, 30-25  
 20 at #2 Penn State L, 0-3 21-30, 29-31, 16-30  
 23 at Iowa W, 3-1 25-30, 30-25, 30-24, 30-26  
 29 at #11 Purdue L, 2-3 26-30, 30-27, 31-29, 32-34, 7-15  
 30 at Indiana W, 3-1 25-30, 30-25, 30-23, 30-25

**OCTOBER**

6 #13 WISCONSIN W, 3-2 28-30, 25-30, 30-27, 30-28, 15-12  
 8 #24 MINNESOTA L, 1-3 30-23, 27-30, 21-30, 28-30  
 13 at Illinois L, 0-3 20-30, 24-30, 21-30  
 14 at Northwestern L, 0-3 28-30, 30-24, 26-30, 27-30, 10-15  
 20 MICHIGAN STATE W, 3-0 30-20, 30-22, 30-22  
 22 MICHIGAN W, 3-2 27-30, 30-14, 22-30, 30-26, 15-9  
 29 at #12 Minnesota L, 0-3 22-30, 28-30, 19-30  
 27 at #14 Wisconsin L, 0-3 15-30, 23-30, 20-30

**NOVEMBER**

3 INDIANA W, 3-0 30-20, 30-19, 30-20  
 4 #14 PURDUE W, 3-0 30-18, 31-29, 31-29  
 8 #3 PENN STATE W, 3-0 30-19, 30-26, 30-21  
 10 IOWA W, 3-0 30-25, 30-26, 30-14  
 17 at Michigan W, 3-0 30-25, 30-22, 30-24  
 18 at Michigan State W, 3-0 30-26, 30-25, 30-13  
 24 NORTHWESTERN W, 3-0 30-13, 30-28, 30-23  
 25 ILLINOIS W, 3-0 30-26, 30-18, 30-21

**DECEMBER**

1 vs. Belmont (4) W, 3-0 30-22, 30-16, 30-22  
 2 vs. Middle Tennessee (4) W, 3-1 23-30, 30-19, 30-17, 30-22  
 8 at #3 Washington (5) 7:30 p.m.

- (1) Towson Invitational, Towson, Md.  
 (2) Buckeye Invitational, Columbus, Ohio  
 (3) Suckey Imports Classic, Columbus, Ohio  
 (4) NCAA Championship First & Second Round, Louisville, Ky.  
 (5) NCAA Championship Regional, Seattle, Wash.

**WISCONSIN badgers**  
26-6 (16-4, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

25 #8 TEXAS (1) L, 0-3 28-30, 18-30, 22-30  
 26 #15 OHIO (1) W, 3-2 24-30, 32-30, 30-32, 30-17, 15-11

**SEPTEMBER**

1 OKLAHOMA (2) W, 3-0 30-26, 30-25, 30-22  
 2 SOUTH DAKOTA STATE (2) W, 3-0 30-12, 30-24, 31-29  
 OREGON STATE (2) W, 3-0 30-22, 30-20, 30-28  
 8 vs. Northern Colorado (3) W, 3-0 30-22, 30-13, 30-24  
 9 at UW-Milwaukee (3) W, 3-0 30-22, 30-25, 30-23  
 15 vs. UC Santa Barbara (4) L, 2-3 24-30, 30-24, 30-22, 24-30, 11-15  
 16 vs. Brown (4) W, 3-0 30-12, 30-26, 30-19  
 at San Diego (4) W, 3-1 21-30, 30-21, 30-23, 30-26  
 22 at Illinois W, 3-0 30-26, 30-26, 30-25  
 23 at Northwestern W, 3-0 30-22, 30-24, 30-22  
 29 MICHIGAN STATE W, 3-0 30-22, 30-25, 30-26  
 30 #24 MICHIGAN W, 3-0 30-24, 30-19, 30-16

**OCTOBER**

6 at #14 Ohio State L, 2-3 30-28, 30-25, 27-30, 28-30, 12-15  
 7 at #2 Penn State L, 0-3 24-30, 22-30, 27-30  
 13 #9 PURDUE W, 3-0 30-12, 30-20, 31-29  
 15 INDIANA W, 3-0 30-9, 30-17, 30-27  
 18 at #17 Minnesota L, 0-3 20-30, 25-30, 28-30  
 21 at Iowa W, 3-1 30-19, 26-30, 30-24, 30-21  
 27 #2 PENN STATE W, 3-0 30-22, 30-28, 30-25  
 29 #24 OHIO STATE W, 3-0 30-15, 30-23, 30-20

**NOVEMBER**

3 at Michigan W, 3-0 30-26, 30-14, 30-25  
 4 at Michigan State W, 3-1 30-20, 23-30, 30-21, 30-22  
 10 NORTHWESTERN W, 3-2 30-23, 30-19, 24-30, 29-31, 15-13  
 11 ILLINOIS W, 3-1 30-16, 28-30, 30-22, 30-19  
 15 #12 MINNESOTA L, 1-3 26-30, 22-30, 30-18, 25-30  
 17 IOWA W, 3-0 30-16, 30-22, 30-20  
 24 at Indiana W, 3-0 30-21, 30-26, 30-16  
 25 at #22 Purdue W, 3-0 30-27, 30-22, 30-21

**DECEMBER**

1 NOTRE DAME (5) W, 3-0 36-34, 30-26, 30-21  
 2 IOWA STATE (5) W, 3-0 30-20, 30-25, 30-27  
 8 at #8 Texas 7 p.m.

- (1) AVCA College Volleyball Showcase, Madison, Wis.  
 (2) InnTowner Invitational, Madison, Wis.  
 (3) Panther Invitational, Milwaukee, Wis.  
 (4) San Diego Invitational, San Diego, Calif.  
 (5) NCAA Championship First & Second Round, Madison, Wis.  
 (6) NCAA Championship Regional, Austin, Texas

**PENN STATE nittany lions**  
31-2 (18-2, Big Ten)**AUGUST**

25 vs. Nicholls State (1) W, 3-0 30-11, 30-15, 30-18  
 26 vs. Rice (1) W, 3-0 30-6, 30-17, 30-27  
 at LSU (1) W, 3-2 30-32, 24-30, 30-23, 30-23, 15-6

**SEPTEMBER**

1 EASTERN KENTUCKY (2) W, 3-0 30-23, 30-16, 30-18  
 2 WEST VIRGINIA (2) W, 3-0 30-11, 30-14, 30-14  
 DUKE (2) W, 3-0 30-18, 30-18, 30-22  
 7 vs. #15 Missouri (3) W, 3-0 30-19, 30-21, 30-21  
 8 at #7 Texas (3) W, 3-2 27-30, 28-30, 28-36, 34, 15-13  
 15 TENNESSEE STATE (4) W, 3-0 30-16, 30-19, 30-12  
 16 LEHIGH (4) W, 3-0 30-13, 30-9, 30-19  
 MIAMI (OHIO) (4) W, 3-0 30-21, 30-17, 30-12  
 20 #12 OHIO STATE W, 3-0 30-21, 31-29, 30-16  
 22 at Iowa W, 3-0 30-25, 30-18, 30-26  
 29 at Indiana W, 3-0 30-19, 30-23, 30-22  
 30 at #11 Purdue W, 3-0 30-12, 31-29, 30-27

**OCTOBER**

6 #24 MINNESOTA W, 3-1 30-24, 25-30, 30-20, 30-26  
 7 #14 WISCONSIN W, 3-0 30-24, 30-22, 30-27  
 13 at Northwestern W, 3-0 30-26, 30-26, 30-22  
 15 at Illinois W, 3-0 34-32, 30-23, 32-30  
 20 MICHIGAN W, 3-1 24-30, 30-27, 30-25, 30-26  
 21 MICHIGAN STATE W, 3-0 30-18, 30-22, 30-13  
 27 at #14 Wisconsin L, 0-3 22-30, 28-30, 25-30  
 28 at #12 Minnesota W, 3-2 21-30, 30-12, 26-30, 30-24, 15-13

**NOVEMBER**

3 #14 PURDUE W, 3-0 30-13, 30-15, 30-22  
 4 INDIANA W, 3-0 30-18, 30-15, 30-17  
 8 at #23 Ohio State L, 0-3 19-30, 26-30, 21-30  
 11 IOWA W, 3-0 30-17, 30-18, 30-20  
 17 at Michigan State W, 3-0 30-24, 30-26, 30-23  
 18 at Michigan W, 3-0 30-27, 34-32, 30-14  
 24 ILLINOIS W, 3-0 30-22, 30-23, 30-13  
 25 NORTHWESTERN W, 3-0 30-21, 30-27, 30-22

**DECEMBER**

1 LONG ISLAND (5) W, 3-0 30-16, 30-27, 30-15  
 2 HOFSTRA (5) W, 3-0 30-20, 30-12, 30-19  
 8 vs. #18 Purdue (6) 5 p.m.

- (1) LSU Classic, Baton Rouge, La.  
 (2) Penn State Invitational, University Park, Pa.  
 (3) Texas Classic, Austin, Texas  
 (4) Penn State Classic, University Park, Pa.  
 (5) NCAA Championship First & Second Round, University Park, Pa.  
 (6) NCAA Championship Regional, Seattle, Wash.