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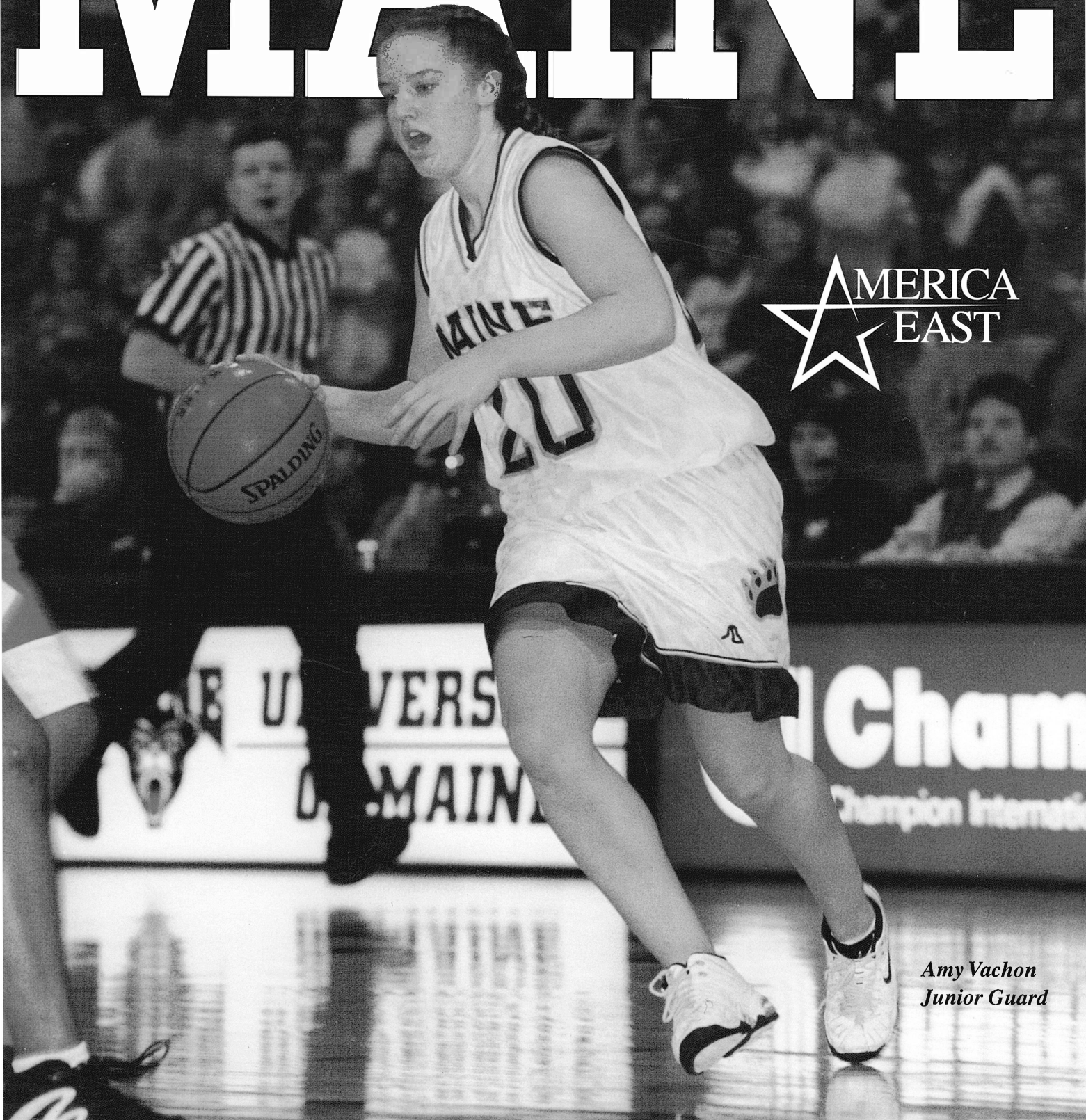
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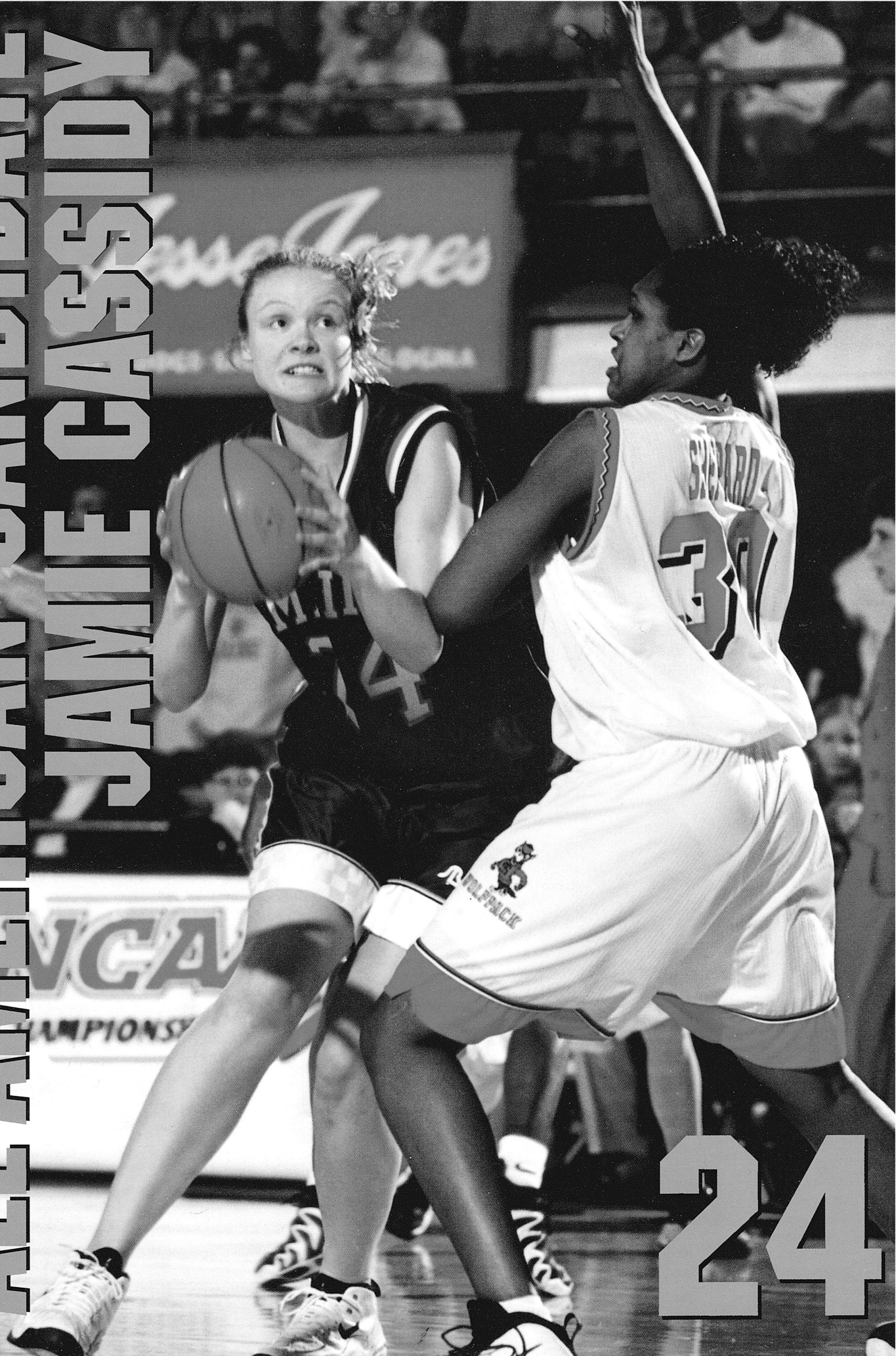
# MAINE



AMERICA  
EAST

*Amy Vachon  
Junior Guard*

**ALL-AMERICAN CANDIDATE  
JAMIE CASSIDY**



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**Location:** Orono, ME 04469  
**Founded:** 1865  
**Enrollment:** 10,000  
**President:** Dr. Peter Hoff  
**Athletic Director:** Dr. Suzanne Tyler  
**Nickname:** Black Bears  
**Colors:** Blue and White  
**NCAA Affiliation:** Division I  
**League Affiliation:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court:** Alfond Sports Arena (5,712)  
  
**Head Coach:** Joanne Palombo-McCallie  
**Alma Mater:** Northwestern, '87  
**Career Record:** 123-55 (6 years)  
**Record at Maine:** same  
**Office Phone:** (207) 581-4067  
**Assistant Coaches:** Kim Lazor (Penn State, '94)  
(207) 581-1073  
Jody Benner (UMaine, '92)  
(207) 581-1075  
Barbora Garbova (Eastern Illinois, '98)  
(207) 581-3094  
**Basketball Athletic Trainer:** Sherrie Weeks  
**Manager:** TBA  
**Basketball Secretary:** Marian Dressler  
**1998-99 Captains:** Andrea Clark,  
Amy Vachon  
**Players Returning/Lost:** 9/3  
**Starters Returning/Lost:** 2/3  
**Newcomers:** 5  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 21-9  
**1997-98 Conference Record:** 13-5/2nd  
  
**Senior Assoc. AD for Finance and Administration:** Dr. Dino Mattessich  
**Assoc. AD for Intramurals and Recreation:**  
Dave Ames  
**Asst. AD for Compliance:** Tracey Flynn  
**Asst. AD for Internal Affairs:** James Dyer  
**Coordinator for Development (interim):**  
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The University of Maine is the state's center of learning, discovery, and service to the public. As the flagship university of the University of Maine System and the state's land grant and sea grant institution, the University of Maine has the unique responsibility for providing high-quality undergraduate and graduate education programs, public service, and basic and applied research.

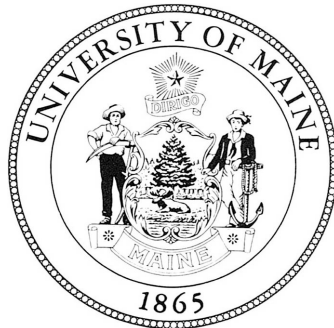
Located in Orono, within close proximity to the ocean, lakes, and mountains, the University of Maine offers an inspiring learning environment. There is plenty of open space on its 1,200 acres, where students are offered the diversity and the challenge of a large university in an invigorating atmosphere of a small college. The campus is located 10 miles north of Bangor, Maine's third largest city.

The University's undergraduate and graduate educational offerings are built upon a liberal arts and sciences foundation complemented by profession-oriented education in a wide range of disciplines, many of which are found nowhere else in the state. Because of their responsibility to teach, conduct research, and serve the public, faculty members are able to incorporate the new knowledge they uncover with classroom activities, often giving students hands-on experience in the research process.

The University offers its students, faculty, and staff, as well as the people of the community and the state, an outstanding athletic tradition. Several Black Bear teams have excelled to regional and national promi-

nence, including the Black Bear ice hockey team, the 1993 NCAA Division I national champions. UMaine's 19 Division I sports entertain more than 100 intercollegiate events on campus each year attracting 200,000 spectators.

Included on UMaine's athletic staff is an academic coordinator responsible for closely monitoring the progress of each of the 600 varsity student-athletes. Coaches also monitor and advise their student-athletes, frequently holding meetings specifically to discuss academic situations. Study halls and special tutorial sessions are scheduled daily as a way to enhance the learning process. This support and close scrutiny has been a significant reason the overall grade point average of student-athletes has been higher than that of the general student body. The primary goal of the University and the athletic department is to see each individual reach his or her academic potential.

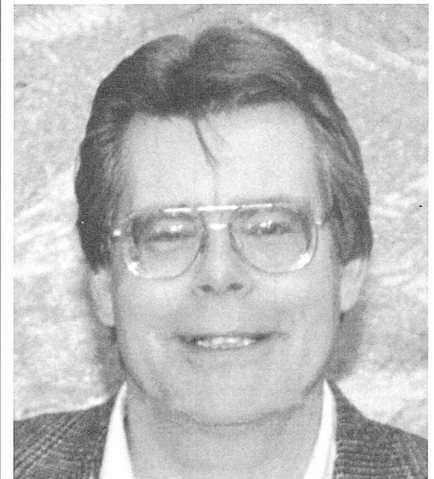


## The Maine Facts:

- The average SAT score of the 1997 entering class was 1,090, 79 points above the state average and 74 above the national average
- Over 66 percent of the 1997 entering class cited the University of Maine as their first choice
- The Maine Business School is one of 300 accredited by the America Association of Colleges of Business Administration and the lone accredited program in the state.
- The UMaine graduate forestry program is ranked in the top five nationally.
- The College of Education and Human Development offers the only teacher preparation and professional development programs in Maine that are accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education.
- In the College of Engineering, this year's class has an average SAT score of 1217, 201 points above the national average.

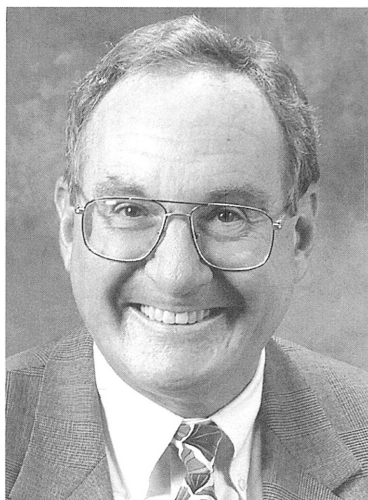
## Notable Alums:

- U.S. Rep. John Baldacci
- Cindy Blodgett, pro basketball player (WNBA)
- Colby Chandler, CEO, retired Eastman-Kodak
- Stephen King, author
- Dr. Bernard Lown, Nobel Prize Winner
- Bill Swift, pro baseball player
- Gary Thorne, ESPN broadcaster
- William Treat, delegate to United Nations
- U.S. Sen. Olympia Snowe
- Rudy Vallee, singer



Stephen King, author





**DR. PETER HOFF**  
President

**D**r. Peter S. Hoff became president of the University of Maine (UMaine) on August 1, 1997, following his appointment by the University of Maine System Board of Trustees upon the recommendation of System Chancellor Terrence J. MacTaggart.

During his first year in office, President Hoff focused on several major issues facing the university and the people of Maine.

Around the state, in visits to schools, service organizations, and businesses, President Hoff has talked about the University's role in improving Maine's quality of life and the state's economy. He has also spo-

ken of the University's role in helping Maine's young people find educational and economic opportunities in Maine, and promoting high aspirations among those younger citizens. His first year as President was recognized by many for its action and leadership.

One of President Hoff's most ambitious undertakings was the development of a University action plan called BearWorks. That 80-item document, recently modified, provides a list of priorities, goals and objectives designed to enable the University of Maine to fulfill its mission and potential as the flagship of the state university system. The plan calls for UMaine to achieve the following fundamental goals:

- a land-grant University with a Maine focus and a human scale
- a strong and dynamic University
- a collegial community of learners, and
- Maine's college of choice.

During President Hoff's brief tenure, first-year student enrollment has risen and, recognizing the University's importance and value to Maine, state appropriations for research and development at UMaine have increased.

President Hoff says he is a strong believer in the special role the University of Maine plays in the lives of Maine people.

"As the state's flagship university and its land-grant and sea-grant institution, the

University of Maine serves the entire state," he explains. "UMaine is actively working in every county with local businesses, industries, farmers, governments, and citizens to address their most pressing social and economic needs.

"The University is an essential, relevant, and valued resource for the state," President Hoff stresses. "It is a thriving and vital institution with major responsibilities and public expectations."

Prior to his appointment as UMaine's president, Hoff served as Senior Advisor to the Chancellor of The California State University. He joined the California system in 1993 as Senior Vice Chancellor, Academic Affairs, a position he held until 1996. President Hoff also served as Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs at the University System of Georgia (1990-1993) and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs at Indiana University Southeast (1987-1990).

He received a B.A. degree in 1966, from the University of Wisconsin in Madison. He began his career teaching English in 1970 at the University of Wisconsin System after completing his M.A. and his Ph.D. in English and Humanities at Stanford University in 1968 and 1970, respectively.

Hoff, his wife Dianne, and 15-year-old son Jay reside in the President's House, a stately Victorian home located on campus.



**DR. SUZANNE TYLER**  
Director of Athletics

**D**r. Suzanne J. Tyler was named director of athletics at the University of Maine September 8, 1995 and began her tenure of leadership at UMaine October 1.

Tyler came to UMaine after serving as the senior associate athletic director at the

25,000-student University of Maryland at College Park.

As UMaine's athletic director, Tyler is responsible for programs and facilities involving 19 intercollegiate athletic teams, as well as intramural and recreational programs involving approximately 6,500 students, employees, and members of the community. She oversees a \$7.8 million budget, much of which is generated through ticket and merchandise sales, private donations, and fees.

Tyler earned a Ph.D. in Physical Education, Sports Psychology from the University of Maryland in 1986. Since 1973 she had been employed by that university, starting as an instructor and coach and progressing through several administrative positions. She holds the distinction of being the only Division I coach to win NCAA national championships in two different sports, lacrosse and field hockey.

She coached lacrosse at Maryland in 1974 and from 1976-90, directing her team to the NCAA title in 1986. She was the national Coach of the Year in 1984 and 1986.

She served as head field hockey coach at Maryland from 1974-87, leading the Terrapins to the NCAA title in her final season.

From 1987-89 she served as an assistant athletic director before being elevated to associate athletic director in 1989. She held that title until 1991 when she was named the senior associate athletic director and senior woman administrator.

Tyler also served as the acting athletic director at Maryland from July-October, 1990.

In 1995, Tyler became the second woman ever elected to the University of Maryland Hall of Fame. She has served on numerous national committees and currently is a member of the NCAA Women's Basketball committee.

Tyler received her B.S. in Physical Education from Northeastern University in 1969. She earned her M.S. in Physical Education, Sports Psychology from The Pennsylvania State University in 1972.

Tyler and her husband, Dennis Casey, have two children — Andrew, 6, and Alexis, 5. They live in Glenburn.



# ACADEMIC SUPPORT PROGRAMS

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

The University of Maine is committed to offering a comprehensive academic support program for student-athletes. The University of Maine Academic Support Program for Student Athletes has expanded its services to include a variety of progressive and pro-active support programs to assist the student-athlete in developing academically and personally.

## ACADEMIC SUPPORT

All student athletes will receive academic support which will begin before they arrive on campus. Beginning after the signing of the letter of intent, student-athletes will be given information regarding admission and registration procedures.

**Orientation.** Once on campus, the first-year student-athlete will be provided an orientation program which will provide information regarding athletics and eligibility issues, in addition to resources available on campus. This orientation will draw together many campus constituencies and will provide the first-year student-athletes with the opportunity to discover all that the University of Maine has to offer—both academically and culturally.

**Academic Monitoring.** Throughout their college career, student-athletes will be monitored by the academic counseling staff to ensure academic progress toward their degree program. In order to enhance knowledge of the academic progress of student-athletes during the semester, grade reports

will be sent to faculty twice per semester. In addition, the student-athletes will receive information frequently regarding the requirements of their degree program as well as the academic requirements of the NCAA.

**Academic Mentoring.** In some cases it is necessary to provide additional support to student-athletes. When this is deemed necessary, academic mentors are made available to student-athletes. These mentors will provide time management and study skill instructions as well as tutorial assistance when necessary.

**Tutorial Program.** All students at the University of Maine have access to tutors free of charge for 100 and 200 level courses through the Onward program. Tutorial support will also be provided on a limited basis to student-athletes through the Academic Support Programs. Current tutorial offerings include: Biology, Anatomy and Physiology, Math, English, and Accounting.

**Computer Facilities.** In addition to the computer facilities available to all University of Maine students, the Sam Sezak Academic Lounge houses a computer facility for the exclusive use of student-athletes. This facility is open at accommodating hours to fill the needs of student-athletes' hectic schedules.

## LIFE SKILLS

Student-athletes are offered a wide variety of Life Skills programs throughout their college careers.

**Life Skills Seminars.** This program involves many different campus organizations and services. In order to tailor this service to the needs of the individual student-athletes, a menu of programs is offered to student-athletes at the beginning of the fall semester. Each team and coaching staff is given the opportunity to select a number of Life Skills workshops which are of particular interest to them. Examples include: career development, drug education, study skills, nutrition, multicultural education, or NCAA updates.

**Multicultural Programs.** The University of Maine and its Athletic Department have a commitment to supporting diversity within the campus community. A liaison relationship involving full-time staff members has developed between the Office of Multicultural Affairs and the Department of Athletics to promote an appreciation of diversity and to serve the student-athletes of different cultures.

**Student-Athlete Advisory Board.** The board is comprised of members of all intercollegiate sports teams at UMaine. The board meets with the Athletic Director and other pertinent athletic and academic administrators regularly to discuss issues of relevance to the student-athlete population, and to lobby for changes which the student-athletes feel are necessary to promote their growth as athletes and members of the community.

**Outreach.** One activity in which the Student-Athlete Advisory Board is involved is community outreach. Opportunities exist through the Community Outreach Program for student-athletes to get valuable public speaking experience while they give back to the community. Student-athletes speak at numerous schools and community group meetings throughout the year.

**Scholar-Athlete Recognition.** In addition to providing academic support to the student-athletes at UMaine, the staff also recognizes their academic accomplishments. Each spring a recognition reception and ceremony is held at which those athletes who have earned a 3.0 minimum grade point average are acknowledged and presented with medallions. Because the ceremony is held during halftime of a basketball game, members of the community are made aware of the academic achievements of the student-athletes at the University of Maine.



A typical learning center environment at the Sam Sezak Computer Cluster, located in Memorial Gymnasium.



**1997-98  
AMERICA EAST  
Conference Honor  
Roll Members**

Cindy Blodgett  
Kelly Bowman  
Sandi Carver  
Klara Danes  
Martina Tinklova  
Amy Vachon

**1997 UMaine  
Scholar Athletes**

**Gold Medalist**  
(third year receiving award)  
Sandi Carver

**Silver Medalist**  
(second year receiving award)  
Cindy Blodgett  
Klara Danes

**Bronze Medalist**  
(first year receiving award)  
Kelly Bowman  
Amy Vachon

**Dean Smith Award**

Given annually to the senior who exhibits exemplary academic achievement, leadership and character.

Cindy Blodgett

**PRIDE  
TRADITION  
EXCELLENCE**

While the UMaine women's basketball program has earned national attention for its success on the court, the Black Bears have also made a name for themselves as one of the top academic teams in the country. In 1997, the Women's Basketball Coaches Association (WBCA) named UMaine to the WBCA Academic Top-25 Honor Roll as the Black Bears recorded the seventh highest grade point average as a team among Division I women's basketball programs in 1996-97. In 1997-98, the Black Bears continued to rank among the leaders as the 13th-best academic women's basketball team in the country.

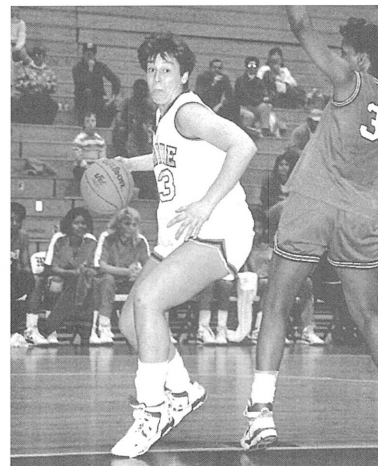
This achievement builds upon the academic tradition of excellence and success that has characterized the program. This tradition is built on years of hard work and dedication by the talented student-athletes who have been a part of the UMaine women's basketball program.

The women's basketball team has always been one of the highest academic performing teams on the UMaine campus while being one of the most successful athletically as well.

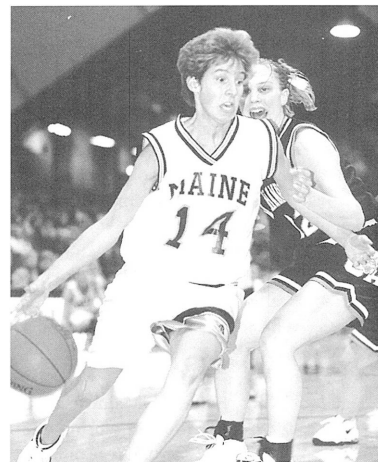
In addition to the WBCA honor, six members of last year's team were named to the AMERICA EAST Academic Honor Roll for earning a grade point average of 3.0 or higher over the academic year. In the spring of 1995 the program was recognized for having the highest GPA of all the women's athletic teams on campus.

Five members of the 1997-98 team (Cindy Blodgett, Sandi Carver, Klara Danes, Kelly Bowman and Amy Vachon) were honored as University of Maine Scholar-Athletes. Those student-athletes earned a 3.0 grade point average or better for both the previous spring and fall semesters and/or maintained a 3.0 accumulative grade point average.

In addition, Cindy Blodgett shared the Dean Smith Award with track athlete Johanna Riley as the University's top female student athlete. She was also named a GTE-CoSIDA Academic All-American.



Rachel Bouchard received an NCAA Postgraduate scholarship and was named a GTE Academic All-American.



Cindy Blodgett was the 1998 co-recipient of the Dean Smith Award given to the University's top-scholar athlete and was named a GTE Academic All-American.



Chrissy Strong was the recipient of the 1994 Dean Smith Award given to the University's top scholar-athlete.



# 1997-98 ATHLETIC HIGHLIGHTS AT UMaine

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

## Baseball

• Senior Captains T.J. Sheedy and Rex Turner were AMERICA EAST All-Conference selections. Gabe Memmert became the fifth UMaine student-athlete in 1997-98 to be selected GTE/CoSIDA Academic All-American.

## Basketball (Men)

• Allen Ledbetter led AMERICA EAST in rebounding and shooting percentage to earn All-Conference honors. He moved into fifth place all-time at UMaine in rebounding.

## Basketball (Women)

• Coach Joanne Palombo-McCallie guided the Black Bears to their fifth consecutive 20-win season and fourth conference championship and NCAA Tournament. Cindy Blodgett earned AP All-American honors while finishing her career as the NCAA's fourth all-time leading scorer with 3,005 points. An Academic All-American, she was drafted in the first round by WNBA's Cleveland Rockers.

## Field Hockey

• For a third straight year, the Black Bears 12-8, 5-3, advanced to the AMERICA EAST Tournament. Jeni Turner (first team), Dedra DeLilli, Heidi Spurling, and Cindy Botett (second team) earned All-Conference honors. Turner was first team All-Region while Botett and DeLilli earned second team honors.

## Football

• Mickey Fein led the Black Bear aerial attack setting records for touchdown passes (26), and completions (236) while wide receivers Rameek Wright and John Tennett entered the record books for receptions (88) and touchdown catches (8). Derek Carter set the career interception mark with 21 while earning his third All-Conference honor.

## Golf

• Coach Ted Woodward's team placed fifth in the AMERICA EAST Championship with Seth Woodcock finishing 13th and Steve Shuman 17th. David DeBree's seventh-place at the Toski Invitational was the team's top individual effort.

## Hockey (Men)

• Shawn Walsh's team returned to the HOCKEY EAST Championship for a league record ninth time. Black Bear goalie Alfie Michaud and forward Steve Kariya were HEA All-Tournament choices. Kariya received the Len Ceglarski Sportsmanship Award for a second straight year.

## Hockey (Women)

• Coach Rick Filighera lead UMaine to a mark of 12-6-2 in its first year of varsity status. Sophomore Alison Lorenz led the nation in scoring with 38 goals and 22 assists in 20 games to earn ECAC Women's Alliance Player of the Year honors.

## Soccer (Men)

• Senior captain Ted Sherry earned second team GTE Academic All-American honors. Ricky Brown, the team's second leading scorer with six goals and two assists was named second team All-AMERICA EAST.

## Soccer (Women)

• First-year goalkeeper Karyn McMullin notched school records of seven shutouts and a 1.20 GAA. Kelly Stubbs led the team with six goals and three assists. She was joined by Suzanne Grant on the AMERICA EAST All-Conference team.

## Softball

• Michele Puls was named the AMERICA EAST Player of the Year for a second time and Janet Anderson earned her second Coach of the Year honor as UMaine advanced to the league tournament. Nicole Gamblin earned GTE Academic All-American honors.

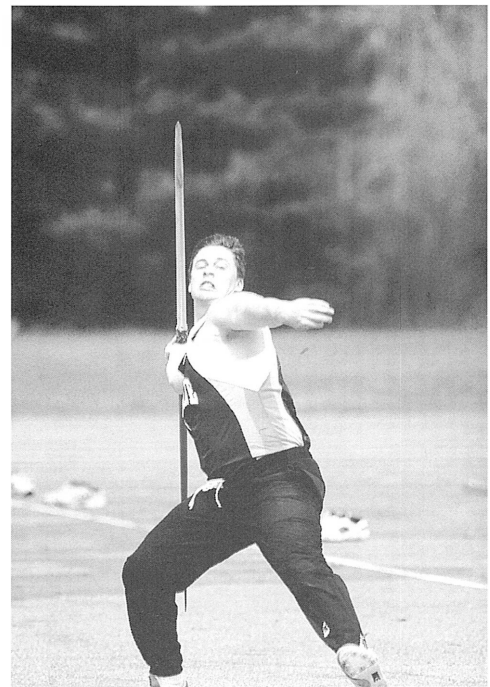
## Swimming and Diving

• Coach Jeff Wren led both the UMaine men's and women's swimming teams to sixth place finishes in the AMERICA EAST championships. Academically, 20 members of the squad earned Scholar-Athlete Recognition Awards. Lisa Barrows, Erik Maier, Patrick Benoit, Kathleen Cradock and Brendan Trainor all earned gold medal academic honors.

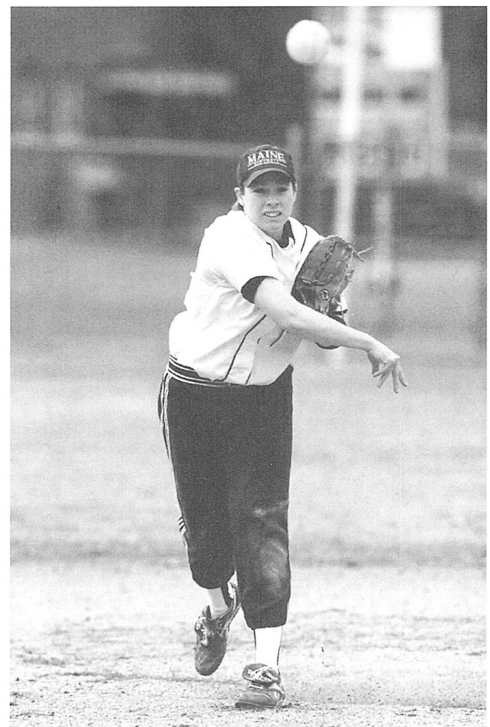
## Track and Field

• Andrew Oliver earned All-American honors by finishing 10th in the javelin at the NCAA Outdoor Track Championship. He was named Outstanding Male Performer after he bettered his league mark in the javelin at the AMERICA EAST Outdoor Track Championships. Dereck Davis won the high jump event at the indoor New England Championships and the AMERICA EAST Championships.

Sophomore Tanya Dowding was crowned the New England javelin champion after breaking her own school record with a throw of 154'09.00". She broke the record again the following week and finished second at the ECAC Championships with a throw of 155'01.00".



Andrew Oliver earned All-American honors in the javelin at the 1998 NCAA Outdoor Track and Field Championships.

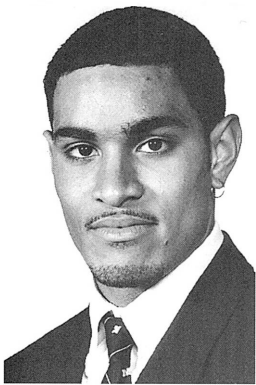


Michele Puls became the first AMERICA EAST player to earn back-to-back Player of the Year Awards.

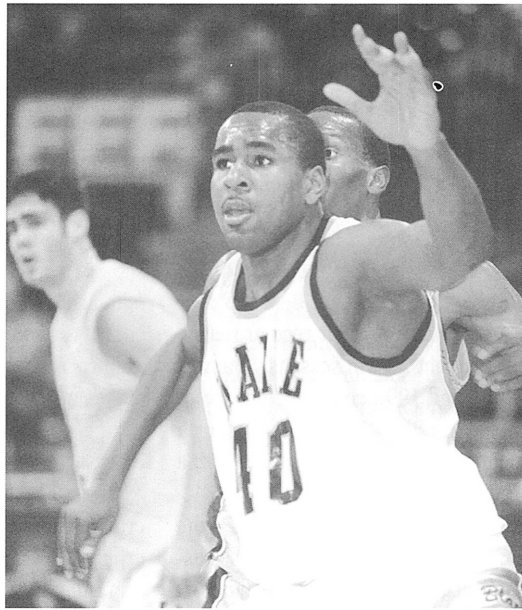


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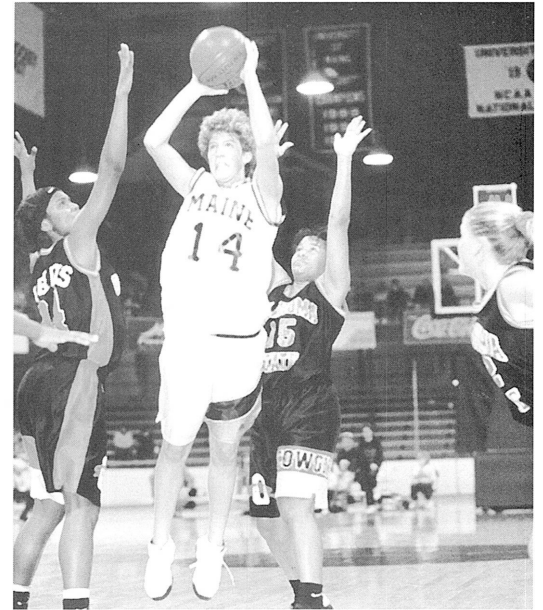
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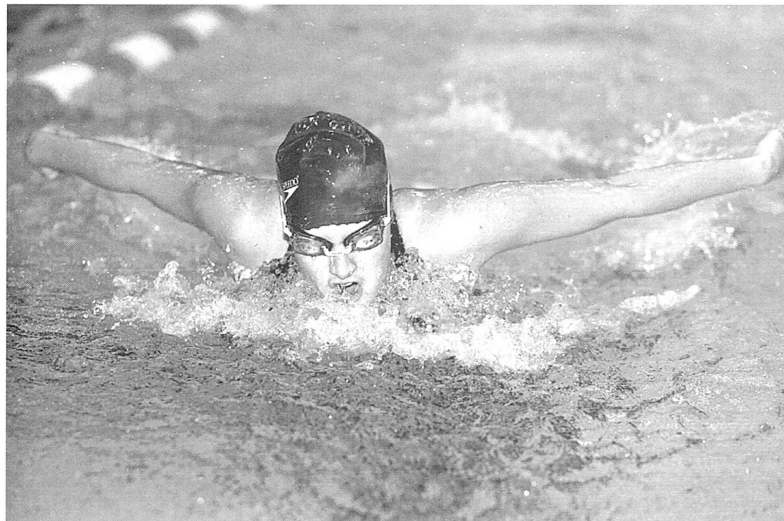
Football player Derek Carter set the all-time interception record (21) and earned All-Conference honors for a third straight year.



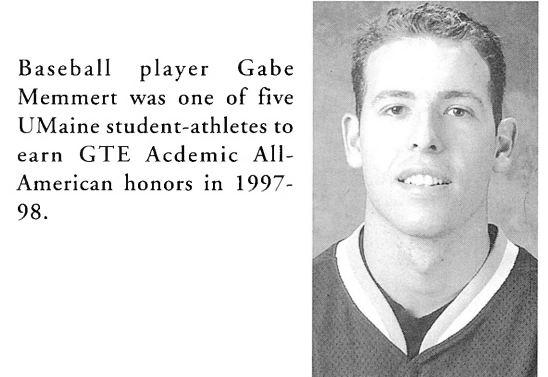
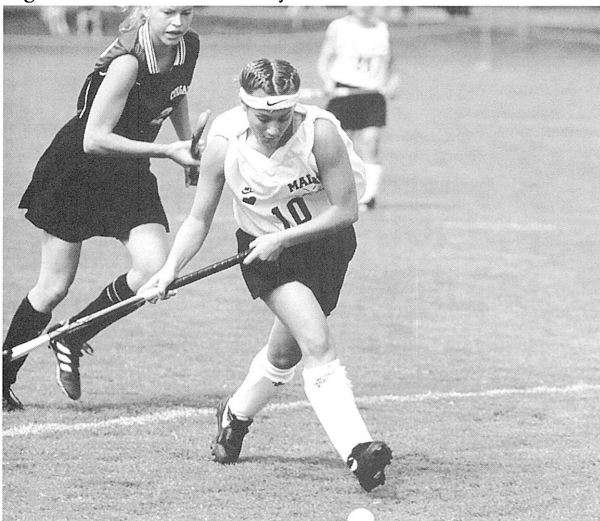
Allen Ledbetter earned All-AMERICA EAST honors after leading the league in rebounding.



Cindy Blodgett earned All-American honors and was later drafted by the WNBA's Cleveland Rockers.



Lisa Barrows was one of five gold medal scholar-athlete recipients on the swim team and below Dedra DeLilli earned second team All-Conference and All-Region region honors in field hockey.



Baseball player Gabe Memmert was one of five UMaine student-athletes to earn GTE Academic All-American honors in 1997-98.

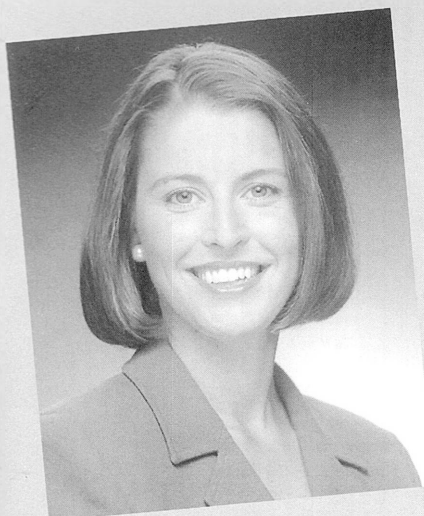


For the second consecutive year, Steve Kariya received HOCKEY EAST's Len Ceglarski Award for sportsmanship.



# MEET THE HEAD COACH

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97



## JOANNE PALOMBO- MCCALLIE

**The Palombo File...** **Place of Birth:** Monterey, California...**Favorite Role Models:** Family and Arthur Ashe...**Favorite Book:** *Oh The Places You'll Go* Dr. Seuss, *Atlas Shrugged* ...**Favorite Movie:** "Shawshank Redemption"...**Subject/Course I Enjoyed Most:** Social Psychology...**Off-Court Interests:** motherhood, golf, swimming, lecturer...**Non-Basketball Aspirations:** writer, broadcasting, golf pro...**Best Advice Received:** "The true joy of life is the trip. Relish the moment."...**Few People Know...** I have a green belt in karate...**Favorite Quote:** "Choice, not chance, determines destiny."

*"Joanne is one of those special people who have gone through the process. She was successful in high school, successful in college and came to a successful program here (at Auburn). She has a great work ethic. She understands the commitment it takes. She works for objectives and that is a 24-hour day."*

— Joe Ciampi, Head Coach  
Auburn University

Joanne Palombo-McCallie, 32, was named the fourth head coach in the 22-year history of the University of Maine women's basketball program on June 18, 1992. The appointment was an opportunity to return home for the native of Brunswick, Maine and was a chance for the Black Bears to be led by a coach who has achieved the highest levels of performance at every point of her career.

Now in her seventh year at the helm of the program, she has led the Black Bears to four Conference Championships, four regular season titles, and five straight 20-win seasons. She was named the 1995 and 1996 conference Coach of the Year and led the Black Bears to their fourth NCAA Tournament appearance last season with a 21-9 record.

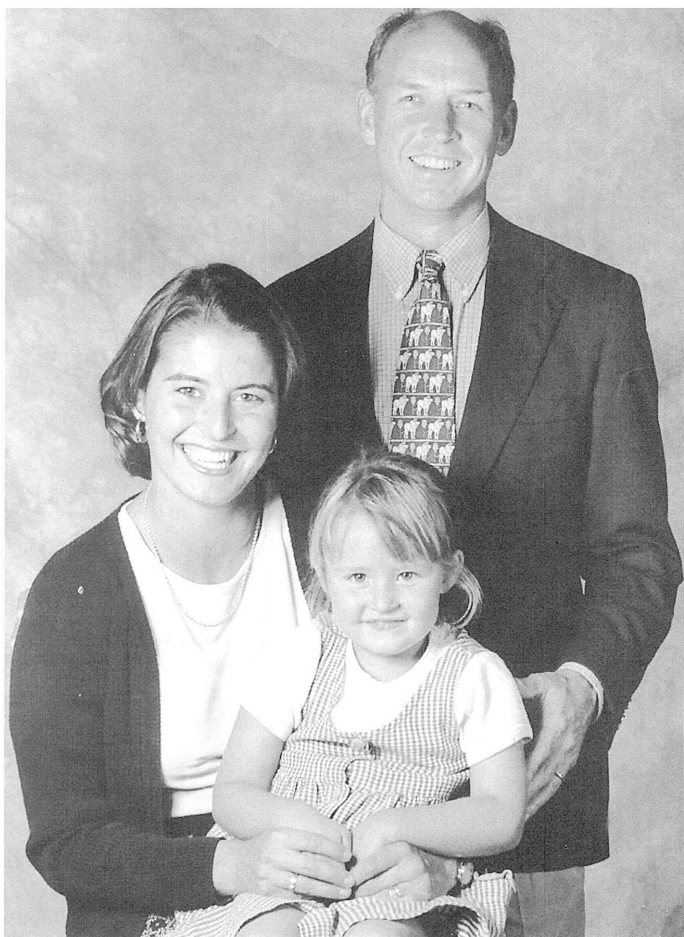
Palombo is accustomed to success. She was the state of Maine's first *Parade Magazine* girl's basketball All-American as a senior at Brunswick High School in 1983. She took her playing talents to Northwestern University where she was a four-year letter winner for the Wildcats, helping them to the second round of the NCAA Tournament in 1987. As a senior, she was an All-Big Ten Honorable Mention selection and a first-team All-Academic choice.

She graduated in 1987 with a bachelor's degree in political science and worked in the sales and marketing division of a major telecommunications company, quickly becoming one of the company's top producers.

After assisting the Northwestern team on a part-time basis while working in the private sector, she moved on to Auburn University where she earned her master's degree in business administration in 1990 and served as an assistant coach for the Lady Tigers from 1988-1992. Auburn played in two national championship games and made an appearance in the Elite Eight during her tenure. The team also posted the longest home winning streak in NCAA history, winning 69 games. As the team's primary recruiter, Palombo signed the fourth-ranked recruiting class in 1990-91 and the 16th-ranked recruiting class in 1991-92.

Palombo came to Maine prepared to use her experience and knowledge to continue and build on the achievements that have been a part of her life.

In her first season as a head coach, Palombo overcame the loss of four seniors, the challenge of a new coaching staff and a difficult schedule, to lead UMaine to its fourth straight North Atlantic Conference title game.



Head Coach Joanne Palombo, husband, Professor John McCallie, and four-year-old daughter, Madeline.



# MEET THE HEAD COACH

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98

## PALOMBO'S CAPSULE

- A native of Brunswick, Maine
- 1995, 1996 NAC Coach of the Year
- Led UMaine to NCAA Tournament appearance in 1995, 1996, 1997 and 1998
- Led UMaine to the 1995, 1996 and 1997 Conference Championship
- Led UMaine to its seventh Conference regular season title in 1996-97
- Led UMaine to its 12th 20 win season in 1997-98
- The state of Maine's first Parade Magazine girl's basketball All-American in 1983
- A first team Big Ten All-Academic Selection at Northwestern University
- An All-Big Ten Honorable Mention selection
- Was the assistant coach at Auburn University from 1988 to 1992, helping to guide the Lady Tigers to two NCAA Final Four appearances
- Helped recruit the fourth best class in the nation in 1990-91 and the 16th best class in 1991-92 while at Auburn
- A member of the Kodak All-American Selection Committee
- A member of the USA Today's Top 25 Poll Committee
- Has served as a YES (Youth Education through Sports) clinician
- Member of Board of Directors for the Shaw House
- Member of the state of Maine Governor's Council for Physical Fitness
- Honorary Member for Take Our Daughters to Work Day
- Helped bring Coaches vs. Cancer program to UMaine
- Served as Honorary Chairperson for the 1998 Maine Race for the Cure.
- Served as Honorary Chairperson for the 1997 and 1998 Memory Walks.

In 1994, UMaine won 14 of its last 16 games to finish 20-7 overall. The 12-game improvement of the team's 1992-93, 9-20 mark was the fourth-best turn around in the nation. A smothering defense which ranked second in the nation in points allowed (54.7 ppg) and sixth in field goal percentage defense (.361) helped lead the Black Bears.

In August of 1995, Palombo coached a U.S. college all-star team that traveled to Belgium to play against Europe's all-stars in the People-to-People tournament. Her squad, which included two members of her Black Bear team (Stephanie Guidi and Sandi Carver), recorded a 4-3 mark.

In 1996, she led the team on a 19-game winning streak, the longest in school history, in addition to a defense that ranked third nationally in field goal percentage defense (35.4) and eighth in scoring margin (16.8).

Under her guidance, the 1997 squad won 18 of its final 20 games and was second in the nation in field goal percentage (49.5), eighth in scoring margin (18.6), eighth in field goal percentage defense (35.6) and 12th in scoring offense (80.5).

Palombo recorded her 100th career coaching victory in 1997 with a 99-57 victory over Towson State in the AMERICA EAST tournament quarterfinals. During the 1997-98 season, she became the winningest coach in the history of UMaine women's basketball and her career record now stands at 123-55.

In that season, the Black Bears once again broke the 20-win mark, posting a 21-9 record. Maine was ranked 24th in scoring offense (77.9), ninth in field goal percentage (48.2) and 16th in free throw percentage (74.0).



Palombo was named the 1995 and 1996 North Atlantic Conference Coach of the Year.



Palombo directed the Black Bears to the 1998 AMERICA EAST Tournament Championship and its fourth NCAA Tournament

As a part of her role as head coach, Palombo has worked diligently in several areas surrounding the sport. She has sought to increase the visibility of not only her own program but women's athletics in general. Attendance for home basketball games soared to an average 4,846, a school and conference record in 1997-98. UMaine ranked as high as 10th in the nation last season, and second in New England in average attendance.

Additionally, Palombo has played an integral role in putting together a fundraising event for the UMaine women's basketball program and women's athletics. She secured two high-profile advocates of women's athletics, Dr. Donna Lopiano and Sheryl Swoopes, to be the featured speakers for "Realizing the Dream; Celebrating Women in Athletics." Palombo is also a member of the Women's Basketball Coaches Association as well as having served as a YES (Youth Education in Sports) clinician. She is currently a member of the Kodak All-American Selection Committee and the USA Today's Top 25 Poll Committee. Palombo also serves on a variety of state of Maine committees which include: Board of Directors for the Shaw House, Governor's Council for Physical Fitness, and honorary member for Take Our Daughters to Work Day.

Another role which is important to Palombo is being a mother. She and husband Dr. John McCallie are the proud parents of four-year-old Madeline.



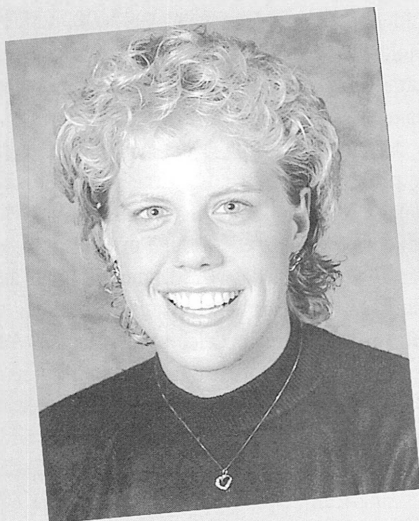
## COACHING STAFF

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97



**JODY BENNER**

### ASSISTANT COACH



**KIM LAZOR**

### ASSISTANT COACH

**B**enner, 27, enters his sixth year as an assistant coach on the University of Maine staff.

The 1995-96 season was his first as a full-time coach after spending two seasons as a restricted-earnings coach prior to 1995. He has previously coached recreational league basketball in Wiscasset, Maine.

In August of 1998, he served as one of the coaches of a U.S. all-star team which travelled to France. The team included current UMaine players Amy Vachon and Kristen McCormick.

Benner has also assisted with various forms of game management for the men's and women's teams at Lyndon State College in Vermont, a school he attended before coming to UMaine as an undergraduate. He graduated from UMaine in December of 1992 with a bachelor's degree in psychology and is currently nearing completion of his master's in education.

At Wiscasset High School, he was a three-sport athlete, competing in soccer, basketball, and baseball. As a senior he captained both the basketball and baseball teams.

Benner coordinates recruiting, scheduling, and Black Bear Basketball summer camps, while assisting with scouting of opponents, game preparation and film exchange.

**L**azor enters her third season as a member of the Black Bear coaching staff. Lazor, a 27 year old native of Warren, Ohio, is a 1994 graduate of Penn State University in State College, Pa., where she earned a bachelor's degree in communications.

As a member of the Penn State nationally-ranked women's basketball team, Lazor played an integral part in the Lady Lion's ascent to the top of the Atlantic 10 and Big 10 conference standings and the team's season-long streak in the top two positions in the national polls. In 1990, she was named an Atlantic 10 Conference Player of Influence, despite suffering a dislocated knee in her first collegiate home game and in 1993 was honored with the PSU Adversity Award for continuing her career after four knee surgeries. She came to UMaine after spending two years at Bucknell University in Lewisburg, Pa. where she was responsible for coaching post players. She helped lead Bucknell to its first-ever Patriot League regular season title while tying a school record 18 wins in 1996.

Prior to Bucknell, she was an assistant coach of the girls' varsity and junior varsity teams at State College Area High School.

Lazor's responsibilities for the Black Bears are the coaching and recruitment of post players, scouting opponents, planning team travel and marketing-promotions, fundraising and summer camps.

Benner resides in Bangor with his wife Christine.

**The Benner File... Place of Birth:** Damariscotta, Maine... **Favorite Role Models:** Dean Smith, myuncles... **Favorite Authors:** Dean Koontz, Stephen King, Patricia Cornwell... **Favorite Movie:** "The Fugitive", "A Few Good Men", "Seven"... **Subject/Course I Have Enjoyed Most:** Psychology, especially child psychology... **Off-Court Interests:** Reading (Dean Koontz novels), driving... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** broadcasting for local media... **Best Advice Received:** "Think before you speak"... **Few People Know ...:** I am a huge fan of stock car racing... **Favorite Quote:** "Success is peace of mind that is a direct result of self-satisfaction in knowing you did your best to the best you are capable of becoming." — John Wooden

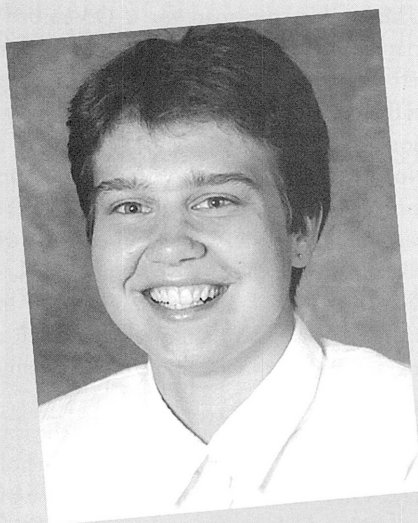
Lazor plans to marry Mr. Geoffrey Clark of Starks, Maine in May of 1999.

**The Lazor File... Place of Birth:** Warren, Ohio... **Favorite Role Models:** parents, coach Rene Portland, Penn State... **Favorite Author:** Robin Cook and Mary Higgins Clark... **Favorite Movie:** "Good Morning Vietnam", "Top Gun"... **Subject/Course I Enjoyed Most:** Communications, Video Production... **Off-Court Interests:** relaxing with music, drinking french vanilla cappuccino and keeping warm in a tanning bed... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** Marry my fiancée Geoff, have a family and make a positive impact in the world... **Best Advice Received:** Do unto others as you would have them do unto you... **Few People Know...:** I would love to be a radio disc-jockey or work with MTV or CMT... **Favorite Quote:** "We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, then, is not an act, but a habit." — Aristotle



## COACHING STAFF

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98



**BARBORA GARBOVA**  
**ASSISTANT COACH**

**G**arbova begins her first season as a member of the Black Bear coaching staff after graduating from Eastern Illinois University in 1998.

A native of the Czech Republic, Garbova played for John Klein at Eastern Illinois and was team captain as a senior. She was named the Mid-Continent Conference Newcomer of the Year in 1995 and was a first team Mid-Continent Conference player in 1996. She was a second team Ohio Valley All-Conference selection as a junior and a first team pick as a senior. She also earned Academic All-Conference honors in 1996.

Before coming to the U.S., Garbova played on the Slovakian Olympic National Team which finished fourth in the European Championships in 1995. She has also been on teams that won the 1993 Czechoslovakian Championship and the 1993 and 1994 Slovakian National Championship.

**The Garbova File... Place of Birth:** Pardubice, Czech Republic... **Favorite Role Model:** My mom... **Favorite Books:** *Success Is A Choice*, Rick Pitino, *Shooting From Outside* Tara Vanderveer... **Favorite Movie:** "Top Gun," "Pretty Women," "Bed of Roses," "G.I. Jane"... **Subject/Course I Have Enjoyed Most:** international business... **Off-Court Interests:** movies and music... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** to be successful in whatever I do... **Best Advice Received:** "Do things at 100 % or don't do them at all" ... **Few People Know ...:** although my dad and I are both 6-2, we are the shortest in the family. My mom is 6-3 and my brother is 6-6. We have all played or play basketball... **Favorite Quote:** "What your desire is, so is your will. What your will is, so is your deed. What your deed is, so is your destiny." — Deepak Chopra



The 1998-99 University of Maine Black Bear Coaching Staff (left to right) : Head Coach Joanne Palombo-McCallie, Asst. Coach Barбора Garbova, Asst. Coach Kim Lazor, Asst. Coach Jody Benner.



# 1998-99 SEASON OUTLOOK

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

The 1998-99 version of the University of Maine women's basketball team will be both similar and different from those teams that have represented UMaine so well in the past. Like any team that loses three of its top four scorers from the year before, the Black Bears will face the challenge of replacing much of last year's offensive power. Unlike most teams in that predicament, the Black Bears return several experienced players and a number of talented weapons who, because of injury or lack of court time, have not showcased their complete game yet. Those players are poised to use their abilities and experience to continue UMaine's tradition of success in AMERICA EAST and on a national level.

The Black Bears will depend heavily on a pair of juniors to set them on the path to a fifth straight NCAA Tournament. Jamie Cassidy and Amy Vachon are the only two starters to return from last year's team. Cassidy, a 6-4 center from Methuen, Mass. led the team in rebounding with 7.9 rebounds per game and was second in scoring to All-American Cindy Blodgett, averaging 17.6 points. Those statistics placed her among the top players in the league in those categories. She was the AMERICA EAST Rookie of the Year as a freshman and earned a spot on the 1997-98 All-Conference team.

The backcourt will once again be in the capable hands of Vachon. The leadership and court sense of this 5-9 point guard from Augusta, Maine was a key factor in last year's success. She led the conference with 6.5 assists per game and broke the UMaine and AMERICA EAST records for assists in a season with 194. Using her ability to drive as well as her accuracy from long range, she contributed 6.5 points per game.

Kristen McCormick will likely be a key source of fire power in the backcourt. The 5-10 junior from Medford, Mass. started 10 games last season and averaged 5.6 ppg. She was one of Maine's three-point threats, hitting a team-high .379 (22/54) from behind the arc. One of the biggest assets Maine could have is a healthy Katie Clark. The 6-0 junior from Bangor, Maine missed most of her first two seasons because of injury. She was limited to 11 games last season before a foot injury and subsequent surgery forced her out for the remainder of the season.

Kelly Bowman is also a player who has been hampered by injuries. She redshirted as a sophomore because of a knee injury and sat out the first 12 games last season with a stress fracture. The 5-11 native of Newport, Maine is a savvy and tenacious defender and should see more action this season.

Sophomores Kizzy Lopez and Chantal Macream are also candidates for increased playing time. Lopez, a 5-10 guard from Hemmingford, Quebec, played in 26 games and has a very effective, aggressive style. Macream will look to expand her role on the team. The 5-6 guard from Pierrefords, Quebec saw limited action in 17 games and has leadership qualities and a strong defensive game.

In the front court, Andrea Clark is a leading candidate for a starting position. One of the team's two seniors, Clark played in all 30 games and started three. The 6-3 native of Starks, Maine is one of the strongest players on the team and gives the Black Bears a considerable presence in the paint on both offense and defense. With one year of American basketball behind her, sophomore Martina Tinklova will likely be a force for the Black Bears in 1998-99. The 6-4 native of the Czech Republic played in 29 games in her rookie season, missing one due to injury. She averaged 3.1 ppg and made some of the year's most dynamic plays.

Five newcomers will also join the mix and each could play a big part in the future successes of the Black Bears. Guards Ellen Geraghty (Winsted, Conn.), Lacey Stone (Whitefish Bay, Wisc.) and Tracy Guerrette (St. Agatha, Maine) should be strong additions to the backcourt while Eva Moldre (Estonia) and Andrea Pardia (Old Town, Maine) will strengthen the UMaine inside game.

The Black Bears will start the season in the southern part of the state, taking on Northeastern in the Dead River Company Shootout on November 20 in Portland, Maine.

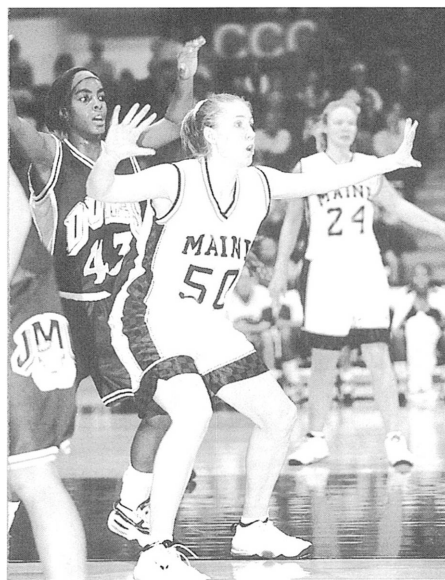
They will open at Alford Arena on November 27 against St. Bonaventure in the Dead River Company Classic. UMaine will also host UNC-Charlotte and the University of Mississippi in the four-team tournament which will culminate on November 28.

UMaine hits the road for a December 2 match up with the University of Massachusetts before heading to Chicago to take part in the Northwestern Roger L. White Invitational on December 4 and 5. The trip to Northwestern will be a homecoming of sorts for Head Coach Joanne Palombo-McCallie, who played for the Wildcats. UMaine will take on Western Kentucky, a team the Black Bears defeated at home last season, in the opening game and then await the result of the Northwestern and Ohio University game.

A home game with Rhode Island is the final game before a break for exams and the holidays. On December 28 and 29, UMaine will be in New Orleans for a game with Middle Tennessee State in the Tulane Doubletree Tournament.

The AMERICA EAST season then gets into full swing with 17 straight conference games. UMaine will host Boston University on January 5 and end the regular season on February 25 at home against Hartford.

The AMERICA EAST Tournament will take place at the University of Vermont on March 3-6 as the Black Bears try to win their fifth straight conference tournament title and the automatic NCAA bid that accompanies the championship.



Andrea Clark is Co-Captain of the 1998-99 Black Bears



# 1998-99 ROSTER

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97

## ALPHABETICAL

| No. | Player             | Cl.   | Ht.  | Pos. | Hometown/Previous School                            |
|-----|--------------------|-------|------|------|---|
| 11  | Kelly Bowman*      | Sr.-r | 5-11 | G    | Newport, Maine/Nokomis HS                           |
| 24  | Jamie Cassidy*     | So.   | 6-4  | C    | Methuen, Mass./Methuen HS                           |
| 50  | Andrea Clark**     | Jr.   | 6-2  | F    | Starks, Maine/ Madison HS                           |
| 5   | Katie Clark*       | So.   | 6-0  | F    | Bangor, Maine/Bangor HS                             |
| 30  | Ellen Geraghty     | Fr.   | 5-9  | G    | Winsted, Conn./The Gilbert School                   |
| 12  | Tracy Guerrette    | Fr.   | 5-9  | G    | St. Agatha, Maine/Wisdom HS                         |
| 21  | Kizzy Lopez*       | Fr.   | 5-10 | G    | Hemmingford, Quebec/Chateau Guay Valley Regional HS |
| 3   | Chantal Macream*   | Fr.   | 5-6  | G    | Pierrefords, Quebec/Vanier College                  |
| 25  | Martina Tinklova*  | Fr.   | 6-4  | F    | Olomouc, Czech Republic/Czech English Gymnasium     |
| 4   | Kristen McCormick* | So.   | 5-10 | G    | Medford, Mass./Medford HS                           |
| 33  | Eva Moldre         | Fr.   | 6-3  | C    | Tallinn, Estonia/Estonian Sports College            |
| 42  | Andrea Pardilla    | Fr.   | 5-10 | F    | Old Town, Maine/Old Town HS                         |
| 22  | Lacey Stone        | Fr.   | 5-10 | G    | Whitefish Bay, Wisc./Trinity HS                     |
| 20  | Amy Vachon**       | So.   | 5-7  | G    | Augusta, Maine/Cony HS                              |

## NUMERICAL

| No. | Player             | Cl.   | Ht.  | Pos. | Hometown/Previous School                            |
|-----|--------------------|-------|------|------|---|
| 3   | Chantal Macream*   | So.   | 5-6  | G    | Pierrefords, Quebec/Vanier College                  |
| 4   | Kristen McCormick* | Jr.   | 5-10 | G    | Medford, Mass./Medford HS                           |
| 5   | Katie Clark*       | Jr.   | 6-0  | F    | Bangor, Maine/Bangor HS                             |
| 11  | Kelly Bowman*      | Sr.-r | 5-11 | G    | Newport, Maine/ Nokomis HS                          |
| 12  | Tracy Guerrette    | Fr.   | 5-9  | G    | St. Agatha, Maine/Wisdom HS                         |
| 20  | Amy Vachon**       | Jr.   | 5-7  | G    | Augusta, Maine/Cony HS                              |
| 21  | Kizzy Lopez*       | So.   | 5-10 | G    | Hemmingford, Quebec/Chateau Guay Valley Regional HS |
| 22  | Lacey Stone        | Fr.   | 5-10 | G    | Whitefish Bay, Wisc./Trinity HS                     |
| 24  | Jamie Cassidy*     | Jr.   | 6-4  | C    | Methuen, Mass./Methuen HS                           |
| 25  | Martina Tinklova*  | So.   | 6-4  | F    | Olomouc, Czech Republic/Czech English Gymnasium     |
| 30  | Ellen Geraghty     | Fr.   | 5-9  | G    | Winsted, Conn./The Gilbert School                   |
| 33  | Eva Moldre         | Fr.   | 6-3  | C    | Tallinn, Estonia/Estonian Sports College            |
| 42  | Andrea Pardilla    | Fr.   | 5-10 | F    | Old Town, Maine/Old Town HS                         |
| 50  | Andrea Clark**     | Sr.   | 6-2  | F    | Starks, Maine/Madison HS                            |

### Head Coach:

Joanne Palombo-McCallie (Northwestern, '87)

### Assistant Coaches:

Kim Lazor (Penn State, '93), Jody Benner (UMaine, '92), Barbora Garbova (Eastern Illinois '98)

\* - Letterwinners Returning

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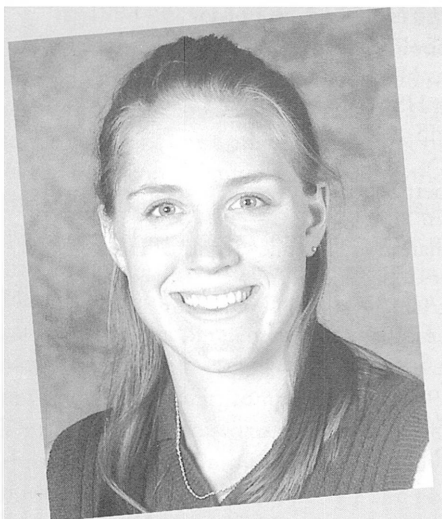
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|-----------------------------|------|------|--|-------|------|-----|-----|-----------------|--------------------|-------------|
| 20 Amy Vachon               | G    | Jr.  | 5-7                                      | 30/22 | 6.5  | 3.8 | 6.5 | Seniors (2)     | Guards (8)         |             |
| 24 Jamie Cassidy            | C    | Jr.  | 6-4                                      | 30/27 | 17.6 | 7.9 | 1.1 | Bowman          | Bowman             |             |
| <b>Other Top Returners:</b> |      |      |  |       |      |     |     |                 | A. Clark           | Geraghty    |
| 4 Kristen McCormick         | G    | Jr.  | 5-10                                     | 30/10 | 5.6  | 2.3 | 0.4 | Juniors (4)     | Guerrette          |             |
| 25 Martina Tinklova         | F    | So.  | 6-4                                      | 29/0  | 3.1  | 2.6 | 0.6 | Cassidy         | Lopez              |             |
| 50 Andrea Clark             | F    | Sr.  | 6-3                                      | 30/3  | 1.4  | 1.5 | 0.3 | K. Clark        | Macream            |             |
| 5 Katie Clark               | F    | Jr.  | 6-0                                      | 11/3  | 3.5  | 1.5 | 0.6 | McCormick       | McCormick          |             |
| 21 Kizzy Lopez              | G    | So.  | 5-10                                     | 26/0  | 1.1  | 1.3 | 0.2 | McCormick       | Stone              |             |
| 11 Kally Bowman             | G    | Sr.  | 5-11                                     | 12/0  | 0.8  | 1.1 | 0.8 | Vachon          | Vachon             |             |
| 3 Chantal Macream           | G    | So.  | 5-6                                      | 17/0  | 0.5  | 0.2 | 0.1 | Sophomores (3)  | Forwards (4)       |             |
| <b>Key Losses:</b>          |      |      |  |       |      |     |     |                 | Lopez              | A. Clark    |
| 14 Cindy Blodgett           | G    | 5-9  | 26/26                                    |       | 27.1 | 4.8 | 4.4 | Macream         | K. Clark           |             |
| 10 Klara Danes              | F    | 6-1  | 30/30                                    |       | 9.3  | 5.1 | 0.8 | Tinklova        | Pardilla           |             |
| 22 Sandi Carver             | G    | 5-9  | 30/29                                    |       | 8.2  | 2.9 | 1.8 | Freshmen (5)    | Tinklova           |             |
| <b>Top Newcomers</b>        |      |      |  |       |      |     |     |                 | Geraghty           | Centers (2) |
| Ellen Geraghty              | G    | 5-9  | Winsted, Conn./The Gilbert School        |       |      |     |     | Guerrette       | Cassidy            |             |
| Tracy Guerrette             | G    | 5-9  | St. Agatha, Maine/Wisdom                 |       |      |     |     | Moldre          | Moldre             |             |
| Andrea Pardilla             | F    | 5-10 | Old Town, Maine/Old Town                 |       |      |     |     | Stone           |                    |             |
| Eva Moldre                  | C    | 6-3  | Tallinn, Estonia/Estonian Sports College |       |      |     |     | Pardilla        |                    |             |
| Lacey Stone                 | G    | 5-10 | Whitefish Bay, Wisc./Trinity             |       |      |     |     |                 |                    |             |





# MEET THE CAPTAINS

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97



# 50

## ANDREA CLARK

Senior                      6-2                      Forward  
Starks, Maine              Madison High School

**AS A JUNIOR:** 1998 team captain... Clark appeared in all 30 games and started three... scored a field goal and two free throws in the closing minutes of the AMERICA EAST Championship game to help Maine to victory... scored four points and had two rebounds against Towson... scored five points and grabbed five rebounds against East Carolina... contributed four points, three rebounds and two assists against UNH... a 1998 National Strength and Conditioning Association All-American athlete.

**AS A SOPHOMORE:** Clark played in 29 games... the Starks, Maine native combined for five points in the losses to George Washington and JMU... she scored four points in the win over Brown... she scored four points vs. Delaware Jan. 18... she grabbed four rebounds against Hofstra Jan. 26... she cleared four boards and scored two points in the win over Towson State March 2... named to the 1997 AMERICA EAST Academic Honor Roll.

**AS A FRESHMAN:** Appeared in 25 games for the Black Bears... scored her first two points of her college career against Ohio State... she had five points against Columbia... she scored five points and cleared five rebounds in the first meeting with Northeastern.

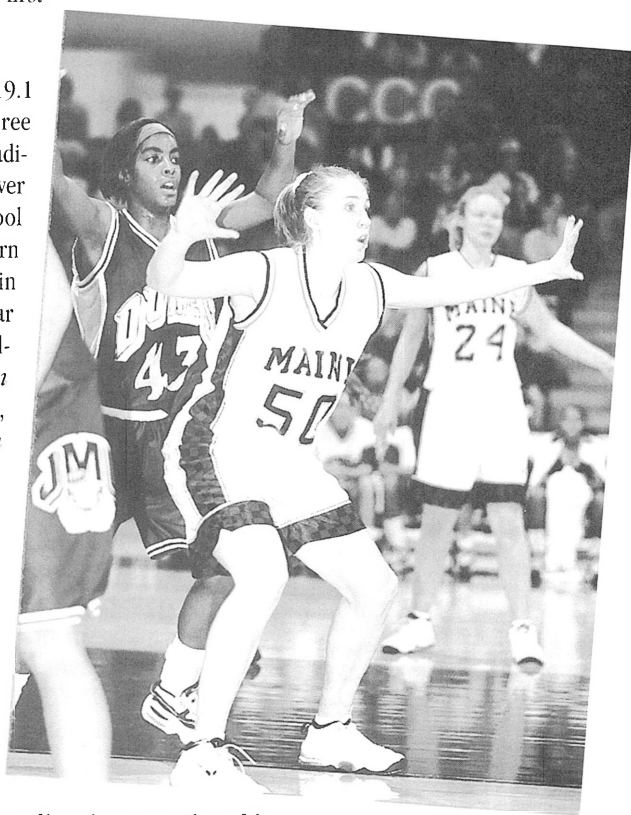
**The Clark File...** **Born:** February 25, 1977... **Place of Birth:** Waterville, Maine... **Daughter of** Kathryn and Russell Clark... **Major:** food science and nutrition... **Favorite Role Model:** My mom... **Favorite Book:** *Princess*... **Favorite Movie:** "Grease"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** Life Cycle Nutrition... **Off-Court Interests:** camping, hiking, fishing... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** to become a registered dietician... **Best Advice I Have Received:** Good things come to those that wait... **Few People Know...** I would like to fly aviator fighter jets... **Favorite Quotation:** "Success is failure turned inside out. So stick to the fight when you are hardest hit. It's when things seem worst, you musn't quit."

*"Andi is in great physical condition. She is a strength and conditioning All-American and is an excellent role model. Her aggressive rebounding style and intensity on defense are her greatest strengths. She is a program leader who possesses an incredible work ethic and has the determination to succeed at the highest level."*

— Joanne Palombo-McCallie

**Career Highs**  
**Points:** 5 vs. Northeastern 12/9/95  
**Rebounds:** 5, last vs. East Carolina 12/27/97  
**Assists:** 2 vs. UNH 2/1/98

**BACKGROUND:** Averaged 19.1 points, 13 rebounds, and three blocked shots per game at Madison High School... scored over 1,000 points in her high school career... member of the Western Maine Class C Champions in 1994... Class C Player of the Year in 1994 and '95... Mountain Valley, Western Maine, *Franklin Journal*, *Bangor Daily News*, and *Maine Sunday Telegram* All-Star honors in 1994 and '95... *USA Today* Honorable Mention as a junior and "Player to Watch" as a senior... finalist for Miss Maine Basketball... four-year letterwinner in basketball and softball... Class C Player of the Year in softball in 1994 and '95... member of the Class C State Champion softball team in 1992, '94, and '95... graduated in the top ten of her class... member of the National Honor Society.



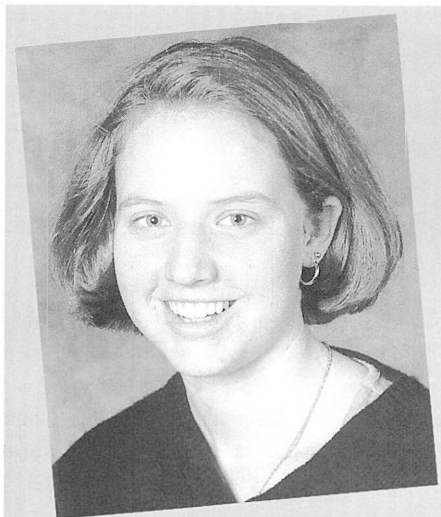
### Career Stats

| YEAR         | G/GS        | FG/FGA       | FG%         | 3FG/FGA    | 3FG%        | FT/FTA       | FT%         | REB        | RPG        | PF/D        | A         | TO        | BL       | ST        | PTS        | PPG        | MIN        |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|
| 97-98        | 30/3        | 16/27        | .593        | 0/0        | .000        | 9/15         | .600        | 45         | 1.5        | 32/0        | 10        | 23        | 0        | 6         | 41         | 1.4        | 275        |
| 96-97        | 29/0        | 9/15         | .600        | 0/0        | .000        | 12/19        | .632        | 46         | 1.6        | 19/0        | 5         | 23        | 2        | 2         | 30         | 1.0        | 179        |
| 95-96        | 25/0        | 13/31        | .419        | 0/0        | .000        | 9/21         | .429        | 40         | 1.6        | 26/0        | 3         | 21        | 4        | 2         | 35         | 1.5        | 170        |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>84/3</b> | <b>38/73</b> | <b>.521</b> | <b>0/0</b> | <b>.000</b> | <b>30/55</b> | <b>.545</b> | <b>131</b> | <b>1.6</b> | <b>77/0</b> | <b>18</b> | <b>67</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>10</b> | <b>106</b> | <b>1.3</b> | <b>624</b> |



# MEET THE CAPTAINS

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98



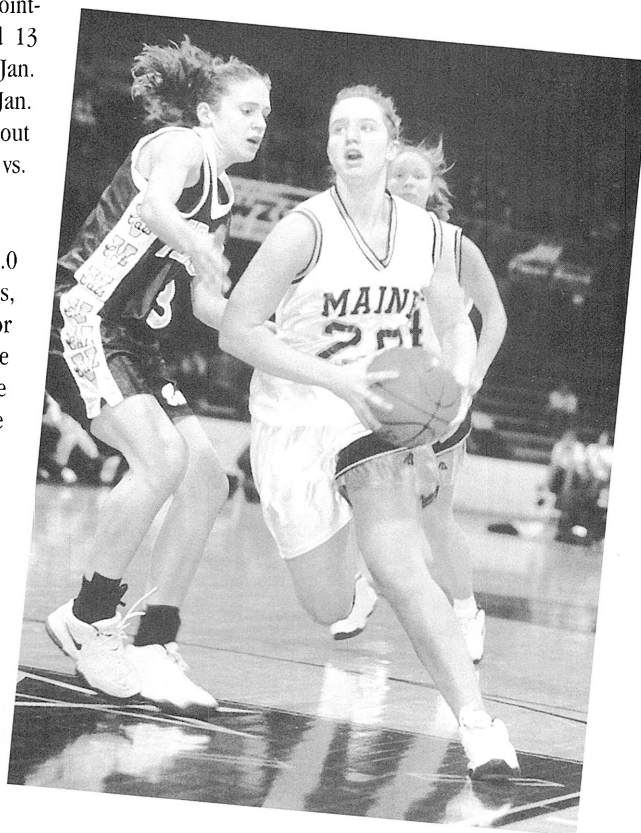
# 20 AMY VACHON

Junior 5-7 Guard  
Augusta, Maine Cony High School

**AS A SOPHOMORE:** 1998 team captain... led the league and was among the nation's assist leaders with 6.5 apg... broke the UMaine and AMERICA EAST record for assists in a season with 194... averaged 6.5 ppg and 3.8 rpg... played 30 games, starting 22... she averaged 11.6 ppg and 5.6 rpg in the conference tournament scoring 13 points in each of the first two games of the conference tournament, hitting 10 of 13 shots... led the team with 69 steals... recorded the first double-double of her career with 13 points and 11 assists against Delaware... dished out a career-high 12 assists against Vermont and recorded eight or more assists nine times last season... needs 171 assists to break the UMaine record for assists in a career (487).

**AS A FRESHMAN:** Vachon appeared in every game as a rookie, starting six... she scored five points in her collegiate debut against George Washington... led the team with 122 assists... she hit for nine points in the NCAA Tournament first round loss to LSU... combined for 10 points and six assists in the Dead River Company Classic... she made her first career start against North Carolina... she recorded her first career double-double with 11 points and 11 rebounds against BU Jan. 4... she scored 12 points, including three three-pointers vs UNH Jan. 11... scored 13 points against Towson State Jan. 16... her 15 points vs. Hofstra Jan. 26 was a career-high... dished out a then career-high eight assists vs. Towson State Feb. 15.

**BACKGROUND:** Averaged 18.0 ppg., 5.0 rebounds, 8.0 assists, 5.0 steals per game her senior year... 1995 USA Today Maine Player of the Year... four-time Bangor Daily News All-Maine team member... helped lead Cony H.S. to the 1996 and 1995 Class A State Championships... All-Conference four years... four-time Class A All-Tourney team member... two-time Bangor Daily News Owen Osborne Most Valuable Player... coached by her father, Paul Vachon at Cony High School.



**The Vachon File...** Born: August 23, 1978... Place of Birth: Augusta, Maine... Daughter of Paul and Deborah Vachon... Major: psychology... Favorite Role Model: parents... Favorite Book: *Chicken Soup for the Soul*... Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most: psychology... Off-Court Interests: hanging out with friends, music, tv... Non-Basketball Aspirations: to become a counselor in the schools... Best Advice Received: Treat everyone as you would like to be treated... Few People Know... I don't have a sense of smell... Favorite Quote: "Only those who risk going too far can possibly find out how far one can go." — T.S. Eliot

*"Amy is the quintessential point guard who benefited from a trip abroad this summer. She has excellent court vision and passing skills. Her decision-making and ability to create opportunities for her teammates and herself are her greatest strengths. She has solid three-point shooting range and her defensive instincts and positioning are impressive. She is an excellent role model and a leader on and off the court."*

— Joanne Palombo-McCallie

### Career Highs

Points: 18 vs. URI 12/21/97

Rebounds: 11 vs. Boston University 1/4/97

Assists: 12 vs. Vermont 2/4/98

### Career Stats

| YEAR  | G/GS  | FG/FGA  | FG%  | 3FG/FGA | 3FG% | FT/FTA | FT%  | REB | RPG | PF/D  | A   | TO  | BL | ST  | PTS | PPG | MIN  |
|-------|-------|---------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-----|-----|-------|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| 97-98 | 30/22 | 62/133  | .466 | 20/54   | .370 | 50/84  | .595 | 113 | 3.8 | 83/2  | 194 | 119 | 3  | 69  | 194 | 6.5 | 912  |
| 96-97 | 30/7  | 58/128  | .453 | 24/67   | .358 | 21/43  | .488 | 104 | 3.5 | 81/3  | 122 | 100 | 2  | 61  | 161 | 5.4 | 800  |
| TOTAL | 60/29 | 120/261 | .460 | 44/121  | .364 | 71/127 | .559 | 217 | 3.6 | 164/5 | 316 | 219 | 5  | 130 | 355 | 5.9 | 1712 |



# PLAYER PROFILES

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97



## 11 KELLY BOWMAN

Senior 5-11 Forward  
Newport, Maine Nokomis High School

**AS A JUNIOR:** Bowman saw action in 13 games after missing the first 12 games of the season with a stress fracture... scored six points in her season debut against UNH.

**AS A SOPHOMORE:** Bowman appeared in three contests before injuring her knee which caused her to miss the remainder of the year... named to the 1997 AMERICA EAST Academic Honor Roll.

**AS A FRESHMAN:** Played in 23 games for the Black Bears... scored seven points in seven minutes against Columbia... she scored three points in the first meeting with Hofstra... she had five points in the first win over Drexel... she combined for six points in the second games with Hofstra and Drexel.

**The Bowman File...Born:** January 28, 1977... **Place of Birth:** Bangor, Maine... **Daughter of** Evelyn and Dan Bowman... **Major:** elementary education... **Favorite Book:** *Of Mice and Men* ... **Favorite Movies:** "Goonies," "Titanic"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** Athletes for Sexual Responsibility... **Off-Court Interests:** fishing, snowmobiling, jetskiing, eating, sleeping... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** to become a teacher... **Best Advice I Have Received:** Don't tell secrets. They don't stay secrets... **Few People Know** ... I am getting married next summer... **Favorite Quotation:** "Girls just wanna have fun." — Cyndi Lauper

"Kelly has returned for her senior year with much greater physical strength. Her work in the weight room will directly affect her ability to rebound and play aggressive defense. She has solid court instincts and the ability to shoot the three-point shot. Her vocal nature and positive approach are assets to the program."

— Joanne Palombo-McCallie

### Career Highs

**Points:** 7 vs. Columbia 12/1/95

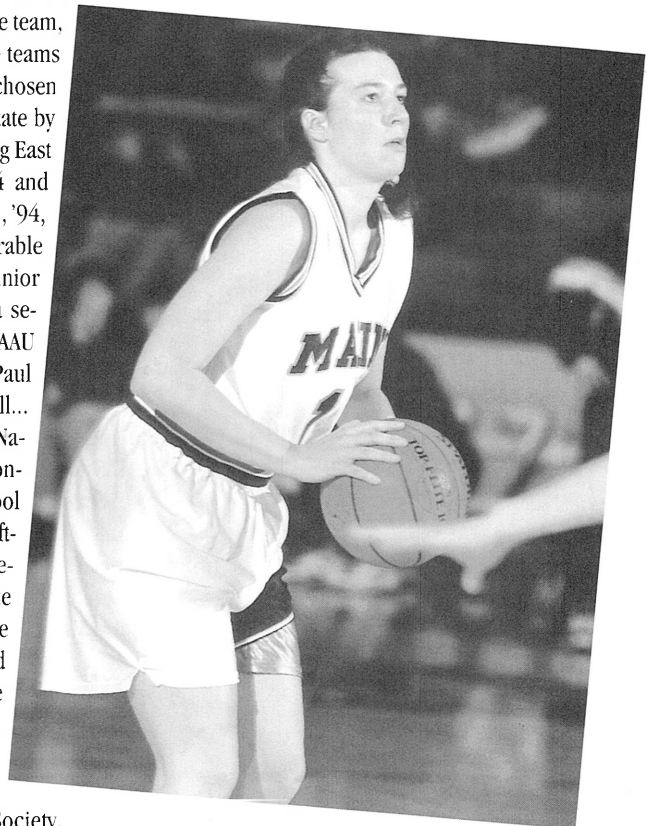
**Rebounds:** 3, last vs. Drexel 3/5/97

**Assists:** 2 vs. Columbia 12/1/95

### Career Stats

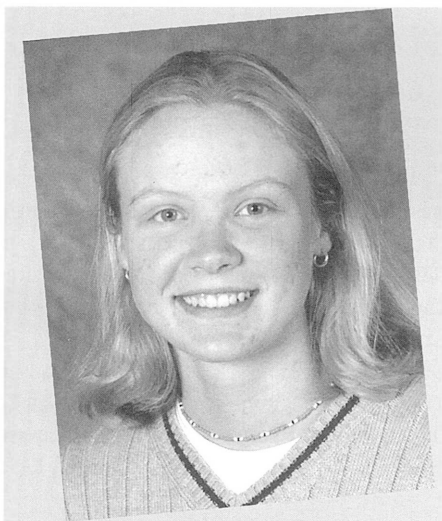
| YEAR  | G/GS | FG/FGA | FG%  | 3FG/FGA | 3FG% | FT/FTA | FT%  | REB | RPG | PF/D | A | TO | BL | ST | PTS | PPG | MIN |
|-------|------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-----|-----|------|---|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| 97-98 | 12/0 | 3/13   | .231 | 0/4     | .000 | 4/4    | 1.00 | 13  | 1.1 | 5/0  | 1 | 4  | 1  | 0  | 10  | 0.8 | 76  |
| 96-97 | 3/0  | 0/2    | .000 | 0/0     | .000 | 0/1    | .000 | 1   | 0.3 | 3/0  | 1 | 2  | 0  | 2  | 0   | 0.0 | 15  |
| 95-96 | 23/0 | 10/21  | .476 | 2/4     | .500 | 5/9    | .556 | 14  | 0.6 | 4/0  | 3 | 4  | 0  | 2  | 27  | 1.2 | 78  |
| TOTAL | 38/0 | 13/36  | .361 | 2/8     | .250 | 9/14   | .643 | 28  | 0.7 | 12/0 | 5 | 10 | 1  | 4  | 37  | 0.9 | 169 |

**BACKGROUND:** Appeared in four Maine State Basketball Tournaments while playing for Charles Wing and Jeff Richard at Nokomis High School... averaged 23 points, 10 rebounds, six steals, four blocks, and three assists per game as a senior when Nokomis advanced to the Eastern Maine Finals... named All-Tournament twice in her career... totaled 1,257 points in her four-year career... selected to the *Bangor Daily News* Dream Team, Portland Newspapers Class of the State team, and *Lewiston Sun* All-State teams as a junior and senior... chosen Player of the Year and All-State by the *Waterville Sentinel*... Big East Player of the Year in 1994 and 1995... All-Conference in '93, '94, and '95... *USA Today* Honorable Mention as a senior and junior and "Player to Watch" as a senior... played three years of AAU Basketball under coaches Paul Vachon and Julie Treadwell... 1992 AAU team won the National Friendship Championship... captained high school soccer, basketball, and softball teams, in addition to being named top female athlete at Nokomis... All-Conference soccer player her junior and senior years... received the U.S. Marine Distinguished Athlete Award... honor roll student and two-year member of the National Honor Society.



# PLAYER PROFILES

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98



## 24 JAMIE CASSIDY

Junior

6-4

Center

Methuen, Massachusetts

Methuen High School

**The Cassidy File...** **Born:** September 12, 1978... **Place of Birth:** Methuen, Mass... **Daughter of** Debra Cassidy ... **Major:** elementary education... **Favorite Role Model:** Tina Turner, who believed in herself and overcame many obstacles... **Favorite Book:** *The Velveteen Rabbit*... **Favorite Movies:** "What's Love Got To Do With It?", "Grease"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** Outdoor Leadership... **Off-Course Interests:** water-skiing, snowmobiling, music, hanging out... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** to be happy and successful in all I do... **Best Advice Received:** Never give up and never cut yourself short... **Few People Know...** I started playing basketball in the eighth grade... **Favorite Quote:** "It's better to aim for the stars and miss by a mile, than aim for a mud puddle and hit it straight on."

*"Jamie is an All-American candidate. She is very impressive with her back to the basket or stepping outside to shoot the three-pointer. She has impressive court instincts and court vision. She has the potential to be an outstanding rebounder and shot blocker. Her aggressive attitude and competitive nature set her apart as one of the dominant post players in the region."*

—Joanne Palombo-McCallie

### Career Highs

**Points:** 29 vs. New Hampshire 1/17/98

**Rebounds:** 15, last vs. URI 12/21/97

**Assists:** 6 vs. Delaware 1/10/98

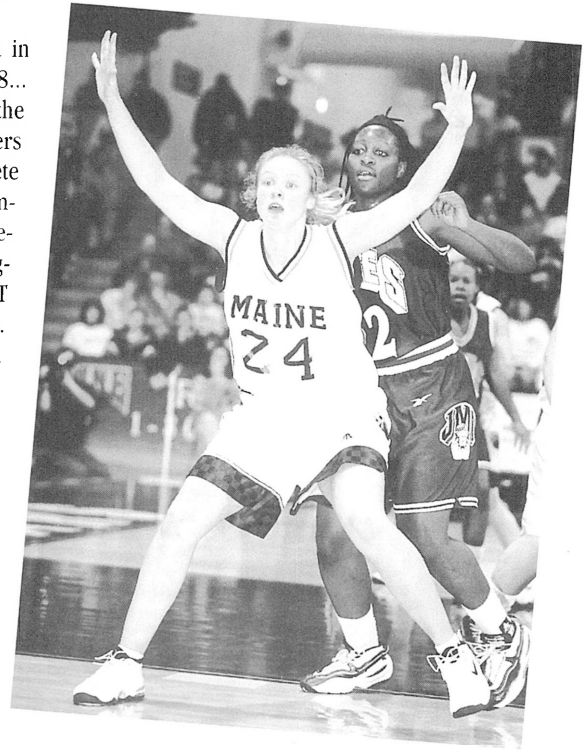
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|-------|-------|---------|------|---------|------|---------|------|-----|-----|-------|----|-----|----|----|-----|------|------|
| 97-98 | 30/27 | 194/373 | .520 | 2/8     | .250 | 139/177 | .785 | 238 | 7.9 | 90/3  | 32 | 73  | 46 | 27 | 529 | 17.6 | 913  |
| 96-97 | 30/18 | 161/275 | .585 | 12/36   | .333 | 111/143 | .776 | 209 | 7.0 | 69/0  | 41 | 68  | 38 | 16 | 445 | 14.8 | 777  |
| TOTAL | 60/45 | 355/648 | .548 | 14/44   | .318 | 250/320 | .781 | 447 | 7.5 | 159/3 | 73 | 141 | 84 | 43 | 974 | 16.2 | 1690 |

**AS A SOPHOMORE:** Maine's leading rebounder last season and top returning scorer... averaged 17.6 ppg and 7.9 rpg during the 1997-98 season... an All-AMERICA EAST First Team selection as a sophomore... played in 30 games and started 27... she scored the game-winning basket with six seconds remaining versus Vermont in the conference title game... she was second in the league with 1.53 blocks per game... she scored in double figures in all but one game last season and scored 20 points or more in 12 games... she had a game-high 24 points and 10 rebounds against UConn and averaged 22.3 ppg and 8.7 rpg against ranked opponents last season (20 points vs. Western Kentucky, 23 points against Wisconsin)... was named to the All-Tournament team in the Dead River Classic... tied the UMaine record for blocked shots in a game with seven against Hofstra on January 24... she recorded an impressive line at Delaware and was named AMERICA EAST Player of the Week for the second time in the 1997-98 season, scoring a career-high 30 points, grabbing nine rebounds, dishing off six assists and blocking two shots... she was named to the All-Tournament team at the UMaine Holiday Classic after scoring 13 points against East Carolina and notching a team-high 26 points, a game-high 10 rebounds and four blocks against Miami... she was named AMERICA EAST Player of the Week on Dec. 22 after scoring 18 points, grabbing 15 rebounds and blocking five shots against Rhode Island... she has 15 double-doubles to her credit, including 10 last season.

**AS A FRESHMAN:** Cassidy played in every game of the season, starting 18... the 1997 AMERICA EAST Rookie of the Year... was one of seven college players and nine pro players invited to Pete Newell's Elite Post camp over the summer... scored nine points in her collegiate debut against George Washington... named the AMERICA EAST Rookie of the Week five times (Dec. 16, Jan. 6, Jan. 13, Jan. 20, Feb. 24)... she was named to the AMERICA EAST All-Tournament team for her combined 41 points and 17 rebounds... scored 24 points and had five blocks in the NCAA Tournament first round loss to LSU... combined for 31 points and 20 rebounds in the Dead River Company Classic... named the ECAC Rookie of the Week Dec. 16 for her 22 points, six rebounds and two blocked shots vs. Western Kentucky... she scored 28 points against UNH Jan.

11... tossed in 20 points vs. Delaware Feb. 13... was the team's top shot blocker and was second in scoring and rebounding.



**BACKGROUND:** 1996 Merrimack Valley Conference Player of the Year... *Boston Globe* All-Scholastic... *Eagle Tribune* All-Star... 1996 Massachusetts Player of the Year... averaged 18 points, 13 rebounds, and four blocked shots a game her senior year... holds the Methuen H.S. record with 25 rebounds in one game... scored 1,204 points and cleared 802 rebounds in her career... also a conference all-star in volleyball... coached by Mimi Hyde-Stott at Methuen High School.



# PLAYER PROFILES

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97



# 5

## KATIE CLARK

Junior                      6-0                      Forward  
Bangor, Maine              Bangor High School

**AS A SOPHOMORE:** Clark missed the last 19 games with a foot injury after starting three straight ... she averaged 3.5 ppg in 11 games... she came off the bench to score 11 points against Miami in the championship game of the UMiami Holiday Classic... scored seven points in the win over Northeastern, had six points against Rhode Island and five points and four rebounds against UMass.

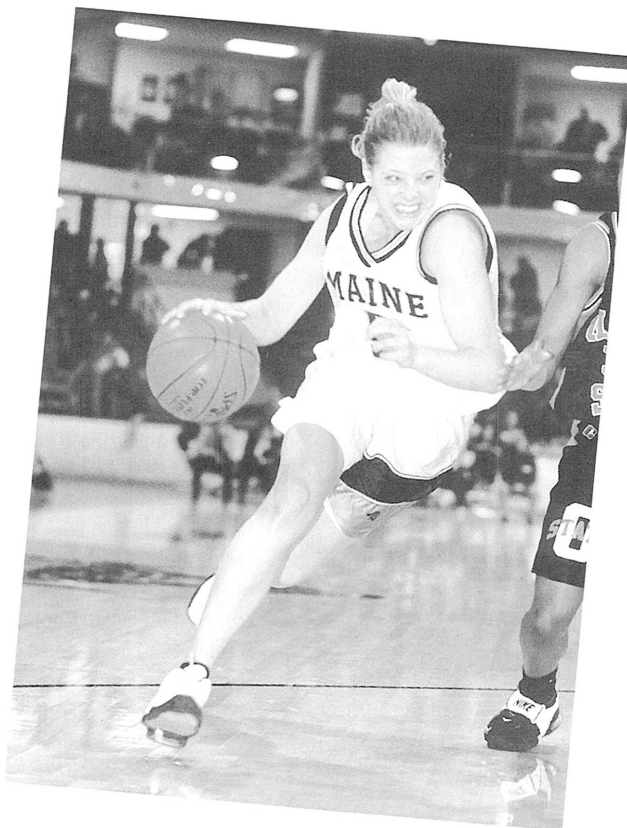
**AS A FRESHMAN:** Appeared in 21 games, starting eight... missed nine games due to surgery... she scored seven points in her collegiate debut against George Washington... scored a season-high 11 points in the win over Brown... scored 10 points in the wins over Vermont Feb. 1 and Delaware Feb. 13... she scored 10 points in the win over Drexel in the semifinals of the AMERICA EAST Tournament while combining for 22 points in all.

**BACKGROUND:** Two-time *Bangor Daily News* All-Maine team member... All-Pine Valley Conference... 1996 Class A All-Tourney team... averaged 28.9 points her senior year... coached by Tom Tennett at Bangor High School.

**The Clark File...** **Born:** September 5, 1978... **Place of Birth:** Bangor, Maine... **Daughter of** Elanna Clark... **Major:** history... **Favorite Role Model:** My mother and sister... **Favorite Book:** *The Rainmaker* by John Grisham... **Favorite Movie:** "When A Man Loves A Woman"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** History... **Off-Court Interests:** Running and reading... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** To go on to law school and become a lawyer... **Best Advice Received:** There are many aspects to life, so enjoy them all... **Few People Know ...** I have a brother who plays football at Maine... **Favorite Quote:** "We cannot change the past... we cannot change the inevitable, the only thing we can do is play on the one string we have, attitude." "I am convinced life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it."

*"Katie has endured and persevered through incredible physical adversity the past two seasons. Her defensive intensity, rebounding savvy and leadership skills are her greatest strengths. She is one of the program's leaders who possesses the ability to penetrate effectively and finish on the fastbreak. Her vocal nature is a tremendous asset to the program."*

—Joanne Palombo-McCallie



### Career Highs

**Points:** 11, last vs. Miami 12/28/97

**Rebounds:** 5 vs. Vermont 2/1/97

**Assists:** 2 last vs. Towson 1/8/97

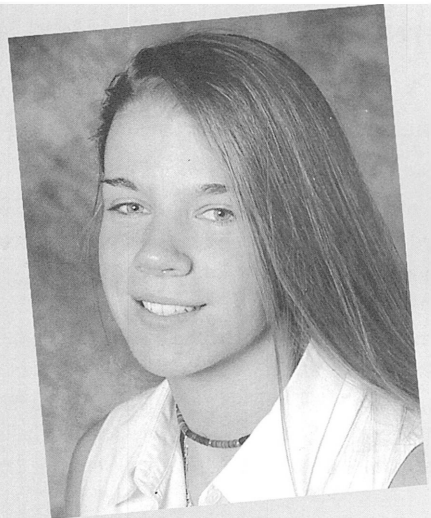
### Career Stats

| YEAR  | G/GS  | FG/FGA | FG%  | 3FG/FGA | 3FG% | FT/FTA | FT%  | REB | RPG | PF/D | A  | TO | BL | ST | PTS | PPG | MIN |
|-------|-------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-----|-----|------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| 97-98 | 11/3  | 13/28  | .464 | 0/1     | .000 | 13/18  | .722 | 16  | 1.5 | 15/0 | 7  | 13 | 0  | 5  | 39  | 3.5 | 151 |
| 96-97 | 21/8  | 42/89  | .472 | 0/6     | .000 | 23/34  | .676 | 42  | 2.0 | 26/0 | 13 | 38 | 0  | 9  | 107 | 5.1 | 286 |
| TOTAL | 32/11 | 55/117 | .470 | 0/7     | .000 | 36/52  | .692 | 58  | 1.8 | 41/0 | 20 | 51 | 0  | 14 | 146 | 4.6 | 437 |



# PLAYER PROFILES

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98



## 4 KRISTEN McCORMICK

Junior 5-10 Guard  
Medford, Massachusetts Medford High School

**AS A SOPHOMORE:** McCormick started 10 games and averaged 5.6 ppg... led the team with a three point field goal percentage of .379... she equalled her career-high for the second time with 16 points against UNH.... previously, she had tied her career-high with a 16 point performance versus James Madison... scored 12 points against Towson, going five-of-eight from the field including two threes... she added nine points and six rebounds against Delaware... she had seven points and a career-high eight rebounds against Vermont.

**AS A FRESHMAN:** McCormick played in every game during the 1996-97 season, starting 16... she scored four points in her collegiate debut against George Washington, then duplicated her efforts against Brown... she hit for eight points against Wake Forest... she made her first career start against Northeastern Jan. 2... against BU Jan. 4, she scored a career-high 16 points... she scored 12 points against Drexel Jan. 24 then dropped in 10 vs. Vermont Feb. 1... she combined for 15 points in the AMERICA EAST Tournament.

**BACKGROUND:** *Boston Globe* All-Scholastic... three-time All-Conference and Blue Star East All-Star team member... coached by Ernie Ardolino at Medford High School.

**The McCormick File...** **Born:** July 12, 1978... **Place of Birth:** Malden, Mass... **Daughter of** William and Elizabeth McCormick... **Major:** kinesiology and physical education... **Favorite Role Model:** Grant Hill, both on and off the court... **Favorite Book:** *Gabrielle Reece: Big Girl in the Middle*... **Favorite Movie:** "Hoo-siers"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** Family Relations and Marriage... **Off-Court Interests:** snowmobiling, music, dancing, hanging out with teammates... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** to be a coach and work with handicapped children in school or Special Olympics; to be a role model for younger generations... **Best Advice Received:** I can accomplish anything I want as long as I work hard and believe in myself... **Few People Know...** I carry on conversations aloud in my sleep... **Favorite Quote:** "We all live under the same sky, but we all don't live under the same horizon."

*"Kristen benefited from a very productive summer trip abroad to France. She is in excellent physical condition and her game continues to grow in all areas. Her defensive talent and rebounding strength combined with her shooting ability give her an excellent all-around game. She possesses an incredible work ethic and willingness to improve."*

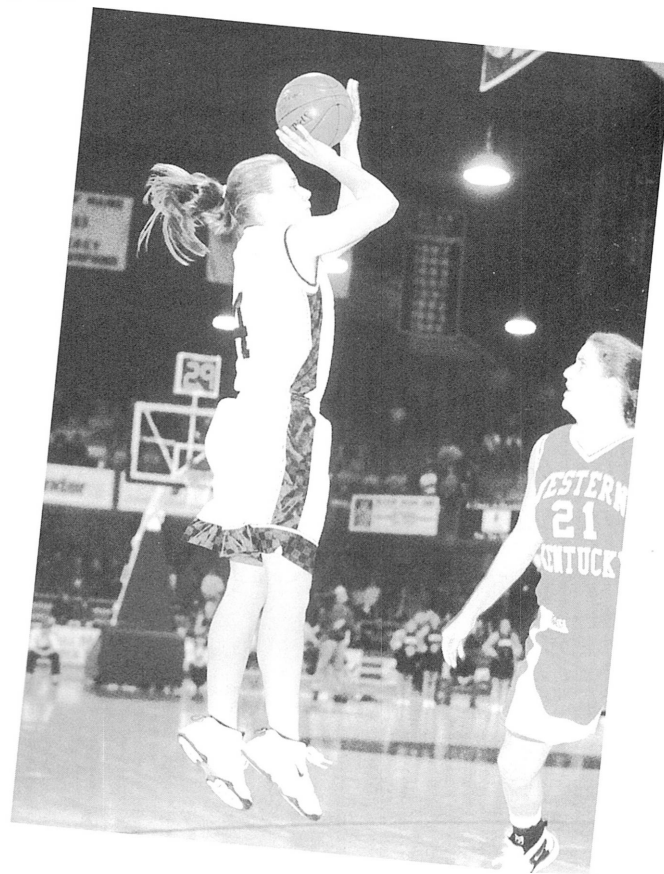
— Joanne Palombo-McCallie

### Career Highs

**Points:** 16, last vs. UNH 1/17/98  
**Rebounds:** 8 vs. Vermont 12/14/98  
**Assists:** 2, last vs. Hartford 1/13/98

### Career Stats

| YEAR  | G/GS  | FG/FGA  | FG%  | 3FG/FGA | 3FG% | FT/FTA | FT%  | REB | RPG | PF/D | A  | TO | BL | ST | PTS | PPG | MIN |
|-------|-------|---------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-----|-----|------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| 97-98 | 30/10 | 65/160  | .406 | 22/58   | .379 | 16/22  | .727 | 68  | 2.3 | 40/0 | 12 | 38 | 0  | 7  | 168 | 5.6 | 567 |
| 96-97 | 30/16 | 60/130  | .451 | 8/24    | .333 | 11/15  | .733 | 43  | 1.4 | 14/0 | 14 | 29 | 0  | 4  | 139 | 4.6 | 421 |
| TOTAL | 60/26 | 125/290 | .431 | 30/82   | .366 | 27/37  | .730 | 111 | 1.9 | 54/0 | 26 | 67 | 0  | 11 | 307 | 5.1 | 988 |



# PLAYER PROFILES

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97



## 21 KIZZY LOPEZ

Sophomore 5-10  
Hemmingford, Quebec

Guard  
Chateau Guay Valley Reg.

**AS A FRESHMAN:** Played in 26 games as a rookie... scored a season-high six points and had three rebounds in five minutes of play against UNH... equalled her season-high with a six point performance against Towson and she had five points and eight rebounds in the first Towson game.

**BACKGROUND:** Captained Faye Craig's team at Chateau Guay Valley Regional High School in 1996-97 which won the Provincial Championship five consecutive seasons... was named the most valuable player in every tournament in which the team played in the 1996-97 season... won athlete of the year honors at every level she has competed in... was captain of the Chateau Guay Valley Regional field hockey team that won two consecutive provincial titles... medaled in shotput, javelin and discus for the school's track and field team.

**The Lopez File...** **Born:** May 21, 1979... **Place of Birth:** Montreal, Quebec... **Daughter of** Fatima Radke Lopez and Ernest Radke... **Major:** undecided... **Favorite Role Models:** My mom and Michael Jordan... **Favorite Book:** Stephen King's *Four Past Midnight*... **Favorite Movie:** "The Stand"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** math... **Off-Court Interests:** Reading, Writing, Biking, Swimming... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** Travel the world, have a house by the ocean... **Best Advice Received:** Don't ever change yourself for anyone... **Few People Know...** I wear a size 13 shoe (men)... **Favorite Quote:** "A dream we dream alone is only a dream we dream; a dream we dream together is reality."

*"Kizzy has tremendous physical strength. She has improved greatly in the weight room and her ability to rebound aggressively will benefit from such improvement. Kizzy possesses excellent court instincts and the ability to take the ball to the basket aggressively. She can step outside and hit the three-point shot as well. Kizzy has excellent potential."*

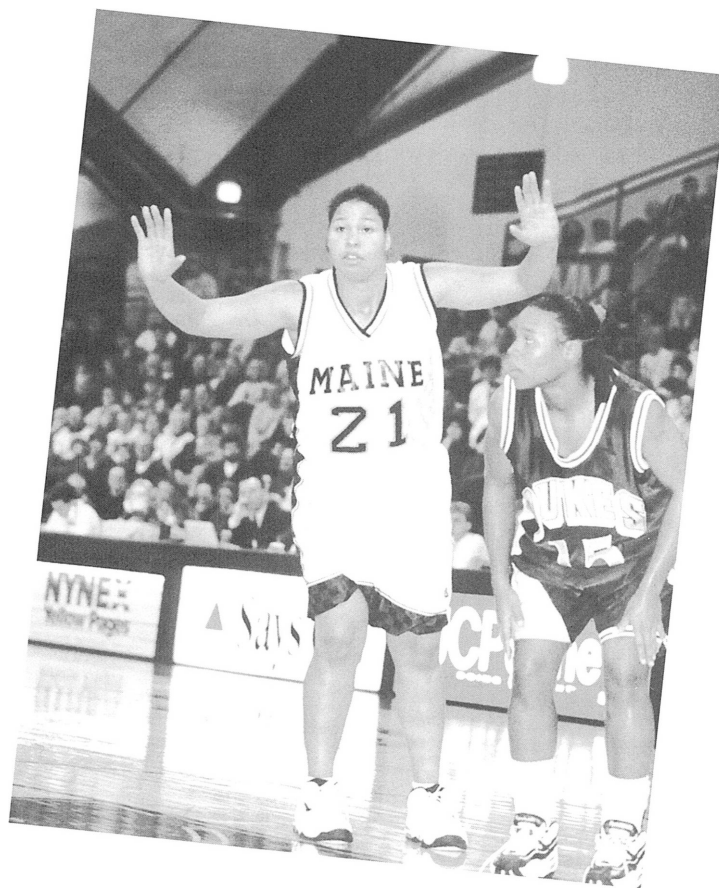
— Joanne Palombo-McCallie

### Career Highs

**Points:** 6 twice, last vs. Towson 2/6/98

**Rebounds:** 8 vs. Towson 1/8/98

**Assists:** 2 vs. Towson 1/8/98



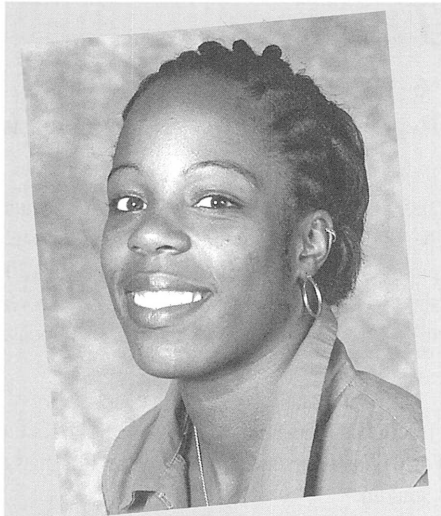
### Career Stats

| YEAR  | G/GS | FG/FGA | FG%  | 3FG/FGA | 3FG% | FT/FTA | FT%  | REB | RPG | PF/D | A | TO | BL | ST | PTS | PPG | MIN |
|-------|------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-----|-----|------|---|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| 97-98 | 26/0 | 8/30   | .267 | 2/11    | .182 | 10/19  | .526 | 35  | 1.3 | 27/0 | 5 | 12 | 1  | 9  | 28  | 1.1 | 150 |
| TOTAL | 26/0 | 8/30   | .267 | 2/11    | .182 | 10/19  | .526 | 35  | 1.3 | 27/0 | 5 | 12 | 1  | 9  | 28  | 1.1 | 150 |



# PLAYER PROFILES

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98



# 3

## CHANTAL MACREAM

Sophomore 5-6  
Pierrefords, Quebec

Guard  
Vanier College

**AS A FRESHMAN:** Macream played in 17 games last season... scored her first collegiate point in the first round of the Dead River Company Classic against James Madison on November 28.

**BACKGROUND:** Won four GMAA City Championships with Riverdale High School... captained coach Mireile Beland's Cegep Vanier College team for two years... named team's Best Defensive Player and won the Sportsmanship Award... Valedictorian of her Riverdale High School class.

**The Macream File...** **Born:** June 28, 1977... **Place of Birth:** Montreal, Quebec... **Daughter of** Bertha and Paul Macream... **Major:** psychology... **Favorite Role Models:** My little sister Paulette, my mom, Sherrie Weeks... **Favorite Book:** *Chicken Soup for the Soul*... **Favorite Movie:** "Crooklyn"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** Sports Psychology... **Off-Court Interests:** Reading, writing poetry, praying... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** becoming a better person, becoming financially independent, author/psychologist... **Best Advice Received:** "Keep your head up," "If you were going to die soon and had only one phone call you could make, who would you call and what would you say? And why are you waiting?"... **Few People Know...** my mother tongue is French... **Favorite Quote:** "Experience is not what happens to a man. It is what a man does with what happens to him."

*"Chantal has returned in great physical condition. She has great speed and quickness along with a very intelligent approach to the game. Her defensive abilities along with her passing skills are her greatest strengths. She has tremendous confidence in the development of her game and her vocal leadership is a tremendous asset to the program."*

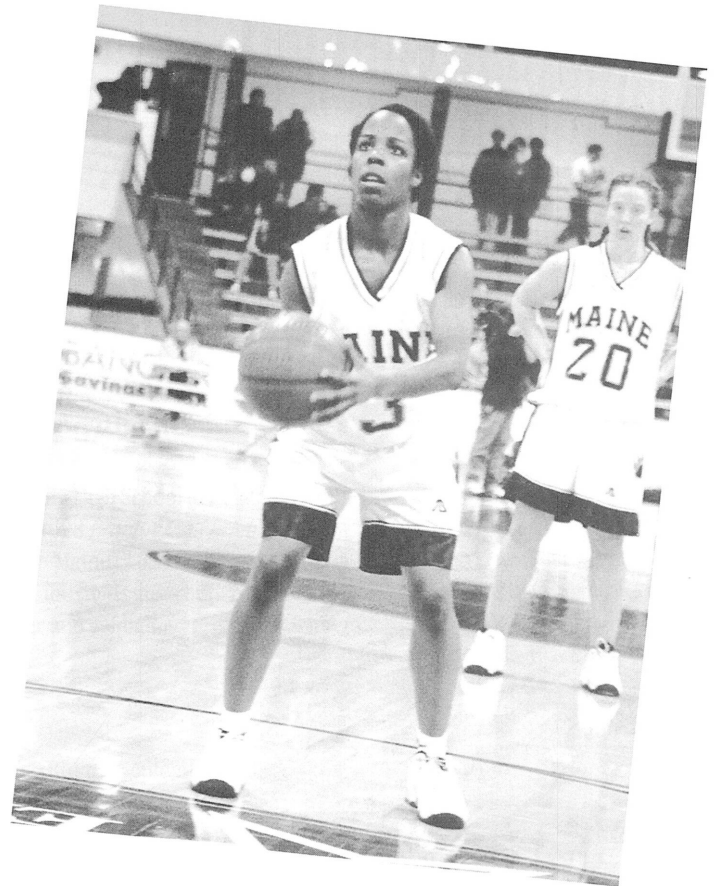
— Joanne Palombo-McCallie

### Career Highs

**Points:** 2 twice, last vs. Drexel 3/5/98  
**Rebounds:** 2 vs. Northeastern 2/14/98  
**Assists:** 1 three times, last vs. Drexel 2/19/98

### Career Stats

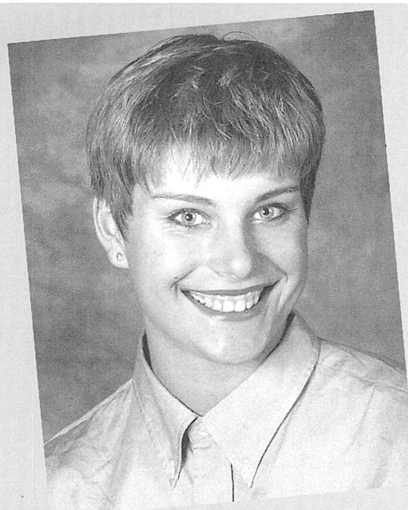
| YEAR  | G/GS | FG/FGA | FG%  | 3FG/FGA | 3FG% | FT/FTA | FT%  | REB | RPG | PF/D | A | TO | BL | ST | PTS | PPG | MIN |
|-------|------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-----|-----|------|---|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| 97-98 | 17/0 | 1/5    | .200 | 0/0     | .000 | 6/12   | .500 | 3   | 0.2 | 11/0 | 3 | 12 | 0  | 1  | 8   | 0.5 | 56  |
| TOTAL | 17/0 | 1/5    | .200 | 0/0     | .000 | 6/12   | .500 | 3   | 0.2 | 11/0 | 3 | 12 | 0  | 1  | 8   | 0.5 | 56  |





# PLAYER PROFILES

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97



# 25

## MARTINA TINKLOVA

Sophomore      6-4      Forward  
 Olomouc, Czech Republic      Czech English Gymnasium

**AS A FRESHMAN:** Played in 29 games as a rookie, missing one due to injury... she came up with two key steals and scored four points in the win in the AMERICA EAST Championship game against Vermont... in the game with Towson, she scored 10 second half points to help Maine pull away and go on to a 20-point victory... scored seven points against Rhode Island and scored five points and grabbed seven rebounds in her collegiate debut against Northeastern... against James Madison, she scored 10 points on four-of-five shooting.

**BACKGROUND:** A member of the Czech Republic Junior National Team which placed third at the European Championships and finished sixth at the World Championships this past summer... played for the Olomouc University team coached by Milan Soukup.

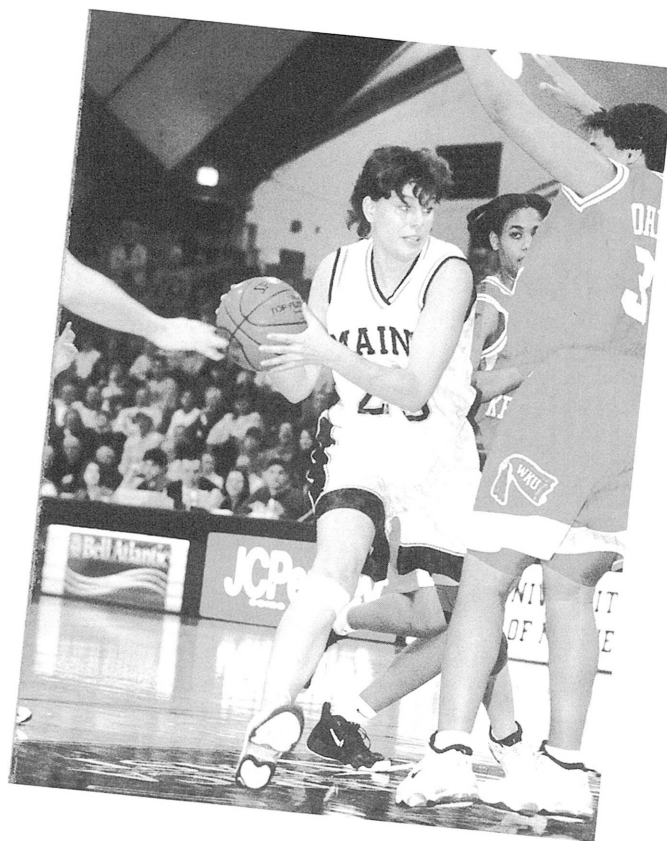
**The Tinklova File...** **Born:** June 22, 1978...  
**Place of Birth:** Olomouc, Czech Republic...  
**Daughter of** Milana Tinklova and Jiri Tinkl...  
**Major:** economics... **Favorite Role Models:** My parents... **Favorite Book:** *Winnie The Poob*... **Favorite Movie:** "Forrest Gump"...  
**Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** French... **Off-Court Interests:** Foreign Languages, literature... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** To travel around the world... **Best Advice Received:** Don't do it... **Few People Know...** I have a bronze medal from the 1996 Junior Women's Basketball European Championship... **Favorite Quote:** "Don't worry about failure. Worry about the chances you miss when you don't even try."

*"Martina has returned with greater physical strength. She is a fundamentally sound player with excellent post moves and the ability to shoot from three-point range. Her defensive savvy and passing skills are very impressive. She has excellent court instincts and with continued conditioning and strength, she has outstanding potential."*

— Joanne Palombo-McCallie

### Career Highs

**Points:** 10 vs. twice last vs. Towson 1/8/98  
**Rebounds:** 7 vs. Northeastern 11/23/97  
**Assists:** 4 vs. Towson 1/8/98



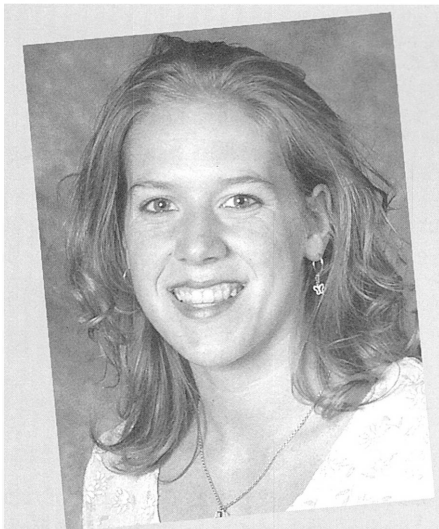
### Career Stats

| YEAR  | G/GS | FG/FGA | FG%  | 3FG/FGA | 3FG% | FT/FTA | FT%  | REB | RPG | PF/D | A  | TO | BL | ST | PTS | PPG | MIN |
|-------|------|--------|------|---------|------|--------|------|-----|-----|------|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| 97-98 | 29/0 | 33/78  | .423 | 2/3     | .667 | 23/34  | .676 | 56  | 1.9 | 56/3 | 19 | 42 | 9  | 17 | 91  | 3.1 | 383 |
| TOTAL | 29/0 | 33/78  | .423 | 2/3     | .667 | 23/34  | .676 | 56  | 1.9 | 56/3 | 19 | 42 | 9  | 17 | 91  | 3.1 | 383 |



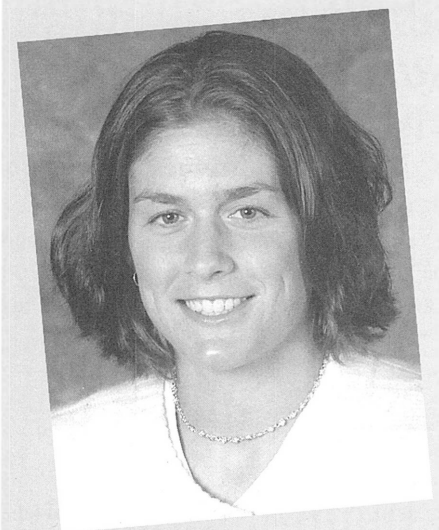
## MEET THE NEWCOMERS

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98



*"Ellen possesses a tremendous work ethic and willingness to prepare. She has the ability to create for her teammates and herself on the court. Her defensive intensity and tremendous passing skills are her greatest strengths. She will play both the point and the two-guard positions."*

— Joanne Palombo-McCallie



*"Tracy has an incredible work ethic and competitive nature. She has excellent court instincts with the ability to create on offense as well as to step outside to shoot the three-point shot. Tracy will play either the two or three positions."*

— Joanne Palombo-McCallie

# 30 ELLEN GERAGHTY

Freshman 5-7

Winsted, Conn.

Guard

The Gilbert School

**BACKGROUND:** A two-year captain for Gerry Hicks at The Gilbert School... holds the record for points scored (boys or girls) at the Gilbert School (more than 1800)... holds school record for assists (more than 600)... first team All-State three years in a row... member of *Hartford Courant* and *New Haven Register* dream teams... a member of the National Honor Society... an All-State track athlete in the triple jump.

**The Geraghty File...** **Born:** June 13, 1979... **Place of Birth:** Providence, R.I... **Daughter of** Cindy and Warren Geraghty... **Major:** academic and career exploration... **Favorite Role Models:** Jesus Christ, my parents... **Favorite Book:** *The Bible*... **Favorite Movie:** "Pistol Pete Maravich," "Far and Away"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** Ceramics, physics... **Off-Court Interests:** I enjoy music, eating, sleeping, attending church and youth group.... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** To be a missionary and own my own horse... **Best Advice Received:** Memorize Proverbs 3:5-6... **Few People Know...** I was crowned queen of my town and I am deaf in my left ear... **Favorite Quote:** "You cannot discover new oceans unless you have the courage to lose sight of the shore," "A champion is someone who gets up even when they can't."

# 12 TRACY GUERRETTE

Freshman 5-9

St. Agatha, Maine

Guard

Wisdom High School

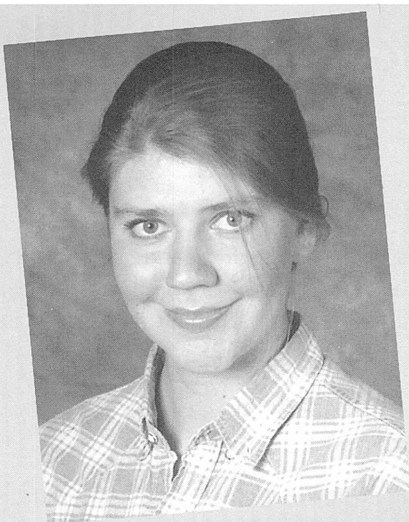
**BACKGROUND:** Led Wisdom High School to a State title in 1998... played for Mim Gagnon and served as captain as a senior... a 1998 *Bangor Daily News* All-State player... *Lewiston Sun Journal* Class D Player of the Year... Eastern Maine Class D All-Tourney Team... a McDonald's Senior All-Star... scored 1,549 points in her career and holds the school record for points scored in a game (40)... also a four-year letterwinner in soccer and softball.

**The Guerrette File...** **Born:** September 30, 1980... **Place of Birth:** Caribou, Maine... **Daughter of** Theresa and Clifford Guerrette... **Major:** biology/pre-med... **Favorite Role Model:** My family... **Favorite Book:** *The Bible*... **Favorite Movie:** "Hoosiers," "The Sound of Music"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** human physiology, anatomy... **Off-Court Interests:** Academics are number one, playing other sports such as soccer and tennis, outdoor activities like kayaking, skiing, mountain climbing and fishing... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** To further my education by attending medical school and becoming a doctor... **Best Advice Received:** "Follow your heart and all will fall in place," "Always do things to the best of your ability and don't settle for anything less," "Self-confidence can go a long way, so believe in yourself."... **Few People Know...** Where I am from, St. Agatha, Maine... **Favorite Quote:** "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." — Philippians 4:13



## MEET THE NEWCOMERS

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97



*"Eva has great potential for success. She possesses solid fundamental post moves and the tools to become a shot blocker. Her willingness to maintain a solid conditioning base will determine her success at this level."*

—Joanne Palombo-McCallie

# 33 EVA MOLDRE

Freshman 6-3  
Tallinn, Estonia

Center  
Estonian Sports College

**BACKGROUND:** Played for A. Dorbek at Estonian Sports College... a member of several Estonian Junior Championship and Estonian Championship teams... named team MVP... won an art award at the Art Exhibition at Estonian Sports College.

**The Moldre File...** Born: May 20, 1977... **Place of Birth:** Tallinn, Estonia... **Daughter of** Laine and Ants Moldre... **Major:** kinesiology and physical education... **Favorite Role Model:** Larry Bird... **Favorite Book:** *The Horse Whisperer* by Nicholas Evens, *Father Goriot* by Honoré de Balzac... **Favorite Movie:** "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest", "The Man Without a Face"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** art, psychology, literature... **Off-Court Interests:** Drawing, dancing, travelling, foreign languages, classical music... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** To become an interior designer and travel around the world... **Best Advice Received:** "The world is open for the brave, go for it"... **Few People Know...** I have four sisters, one brother and I am an aunt of five nephews and three nieces... **Favorite Quote:** "Life is like a box of chocolates, you never know what you're going to get." — Forrest Gump



*"Andrea possesses solid basketball instincts. She is fundamentally sound on the block and she has the ability to step outside and shoot the three-point shot. Her willingness and determination to adjust to the physical nature of this level will be a factor in her success."*

—Joanne Palombo-McCallie

# 42 ANDREA PARDILLA

Freshman 5-10  
Old Town, Maine

Forward  
Old Town High School

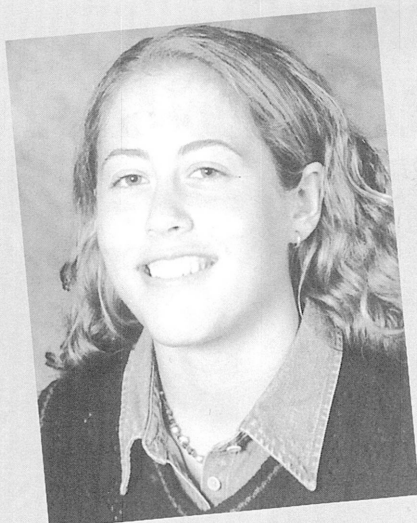
**BACKGROUND:** Captain as a senior for Garry Spencer's Old Town High School team... scored more than 1,000 points in her career and holds the school record for most points in a game (35)... Old Town was the Eastern Maine runner-up in 1998... averaged 20 points, 10 rebounds, 2 steals and three blocks a game.

**The Pardilla File...** Born: June 25, 1980... **Place of Birth:** Bangor, Maine... **Daughter of** Janet Lewey and Jerry Pardilla... **Major:** kinesiology... **Favorite Role Model:** My mother... **Favorite Movie:** "Ace Ventura Pet Detective"... **Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most:** Anatomy and physiology... **Off-Court Interests:** Being with my family... **Non-Basketball Aspirations:** To be an athletic trainer... **Best Advice Received:** "Follow your heart"... **Few People Know...** I was voted Homecoming Queen runner up... **Favorite Quote:** "Live for today, dream of tomorrow and learn from yesterday."



## MEET THE NEWCOMERS/SUPPORT STAFF

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98



# 22 LACEY STONE

Freshman 5-10 Guard  
Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin Trinity High School

**BACKGROUND:** Played for John Stone at Whitefish Bay High School as a freshman, sophomore and junior... captained Pat Diulus' Trinity High School team as a senior... scored 1,220 points in her career... a three-time *Milwaukee Journal Sentinel* All-Star... an All-Conference and All-Area player... led the conference in scoring as a senior... earned three academic excellence awards... won third at the State Tennis Championship and helped her team win the State Championship.

*"Lacey possesses solid offensive skills with the ability to spot up and shoot the three-point shot. She has excellent court instincts with a solid work ethic. She will play either the two or three positions."*

—Joanne Palombo-McCallie

**The Stone File...** Born: April 17, 1980... Place of Birth: Whitefish Bay, Wisconsin... Daughter of Jaquelyn and John Stone.. Major: undecided... Favorite Role Models: My sister and Michael Jordan... Favorite Book: *In These Girls, Hope is a Muscle*... Favorite Movie: "Something About Mary," "Hoosiers"... Course/Subject I Have Enjoyed Most: history and art... Off-Court Interests: Playing tennis, hanging out or going to movies with friends.... Non-Basketball Aspirations: To be successful in whatever I decide to pursue in life... Best Advice Received: "Treat everyone as you would like to be treated"... Few People Know... I love to draw... Favorite Quote: "Be happy with what you have while working for what you want."

## UNIVERSITY OF MAINE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL SUPPORT STAFF



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# UMAINE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

## 1997-98

**Record** 21-9

AMERICA EAST Tournament Champions

NCAA Tournament

NCAA Division I Rankings:

ninth in field goal percentage (48.2)

16th in free throw percentage (74.0)

24th in scoring offense (77.9)

average attendance 4,846 – 14th in the nation

13th in the nation in team GPA

## 1996-97

**Record** 22-8

AMERICA EAST Regular Season Champions

AMERICA EAST Tournament Champions

NCAA Tournament

NCAA Division I Rankings:

second in field goal percentage (49.5)

eighth in scoring margin (18.6)

eighth in field goal percentage defense (35.6)

twelfth in scoring offense (80.5)

average attendance 4,629 – 13th in the nation

seventh in the nation in team GPA

## 1995-96

**Record** 27-5

NAC Regular Season Champions

NAC Tournament Champions

NCAA Tournament

NCAA Division I Rankings:

third in field goal percentage defense (35.4)

eighth in scoring margin (16.8)

average attendance 3,868 – 19th in the nation

## 1994-95

**Record** 24-5

NAC Regular Season Champions

NAC Tournament Champions

NCAA Tournament

average attendance 3,598 – 19th in the nation

## 1993-94

**Record** 20-7

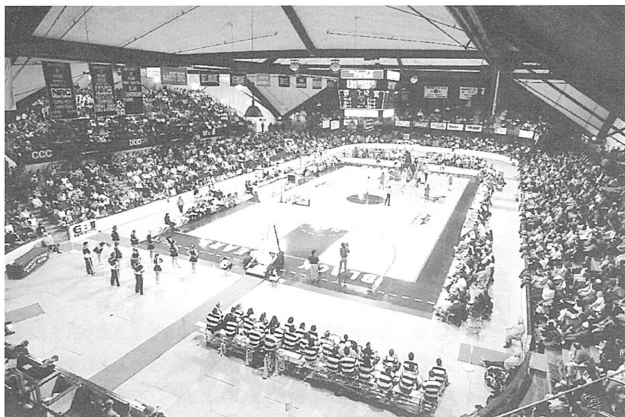
NAC Regular Season Champions

NCAA Division I Rankings:

second in scoring defense (54.7)

sixth in field goal percentage (.361)

# THIS IS UMAINE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



UMaine women's basketball has ranked in the top twenty in the nation in attendance the last four seasons.

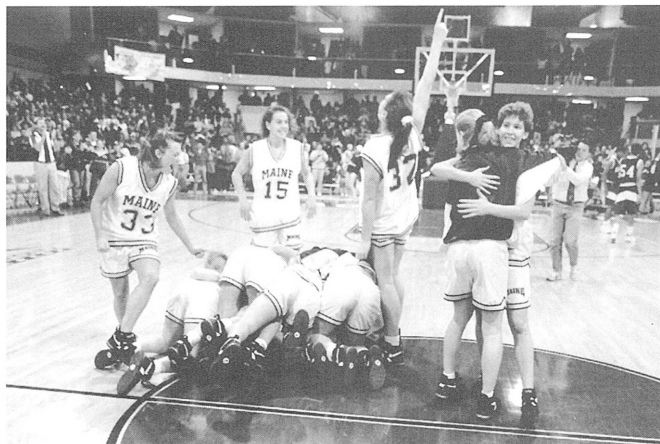
## TRADITION

## PRIDE

## EXCELLENCE



Amy Vachon and Kristen McCormick played on a U.S. All-Star Team in France this summer.



UMaine celebrates after upsetting #10 ranked Alabama 75-73 in 1994. The Black Bears also defeated #15 Western Kentucky 76-64 in 1998.



# UMaine Women's BASKETBALL

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98

## THIS IS UMaine WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



The Black Bears gather in Dexter Lounge in Alford Arena with their fans, ball girls and members of the media for the NCAA pairings.



Fans line up for autographs with the Black Bears.



A press conference prior to the NCAA Tournament game against LSU...



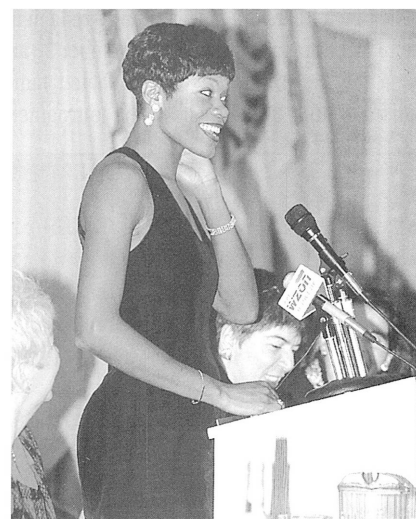
... and the members of the Maine media covering the event.



Stacey Porrini ('97) does a post-game interview with a local television station.



Author and UMaine women's basketball fan Stephen King with Head Coach Joanne Palombo-McCallie at the event "Realizing the Dream; Celebrating Women in Athletics."



Sheryl Swoopes was one of the featured speakers at "Realizing the Dream; Celebrating Women in Athletics."



# 1997-98 SEASON REVIEW

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

The Black Bears encountered some new challenges in the 1997-98 season but the end results were the same. The season saw UMaine defeat a nationally ranked opponent, win more than 20 games for the 12th time in program history, lose the regular season conference title for the first time in four years, win the program's sixth conference tournament championship and advance to the fourth consecutive NCAA Tournament. The Black Bears were ranked 14th in the nation in attendance, attracting an average of 4,846 to their home games.

Individual honors were plentiful. Cindy Blodgett won the AMERICA EAST Tournament Most Outstanding Player and became the first player in conference history to be named to the All-Conference first team four times. She was named a third team All-American and became the fourth woman to score more than 3,000 points in NCAA history. She was also named a GTE/CoSIDA Academic All-American and was awarded the UMaine Dean Smith Award as the top female Student-Athlete. Her name appears in the UMaine record book 20 times.

Amy Vachon etched her name into the record book with 194 assists, a new single season record at UMaine and in AMERICA EAST. She needs just 171 assists to break Blodgett's record for assists in a career (487).

Jamie Cassidy also flourished last season. She was named to the All-Conference team and averaged 22.3 points per game and 8.7 rebounds per game against ranked opponents.

UMaine started the season with a win over AMERICA EAST rival Northeastern in front of a crowd of 6,517 in the Dead River Company Shootout at the Portland Civic Center.

The Black Bears opened at Alford Arena in the Dead River Company Classic on November 28 and 29. In the first round, UMaine defeated James Madison 85-62. In the finals of the tournament,

23rd ranked Wisconsin pulled out a 97-80 win over UMaine. Blodgett and Cassidy were both named to the All-Tournament team and Blodgett set a new record for points scored in the tournament with 55.

The game against UMass on December 4 saw another record fall. Blodgett scored 19 points in the first seven minutes of the game to break Rachel Bouchard's UMaine and conference record for points scored in a career. When the record was set, the score of the game was 27-5 and UMaine went on to a 82-68 victory.

UMaine travelled to Vermont for an early season battle with the Catamounts. UMaine took a 12-point lead into halftime, but the Catamounts came back in the second half. Vermont pulled to within four with less than a minute to go, but Blodgett hit four free throws in the final 26 seconds to give UMaine a 86-78 win.

Before UMaine took a break for exams and the holiday, the Black Bears scored an easy 91-55 win over Rhode Island. They returned to the court in the University of Miami Holiday Tournament. The Black Bears beat East Carolina 92-70 in the opening round then faced Miami in the finals.

UMaine overcame an early deficit with a 16-3 run and led 41-35 at the half. In the second half, Miami gained the lead back, but just a few points separated the teams for most of the second half. In the final five minutes, Miami pulled away for a 91-78 win. Cassidy and Blodgett were named to the All-Tournament team.

UMaine returned home to start the heart of the conference season. An 80-58 win over Boston University came at a price as Blodgett went down with an injury. The Black Bears responded with wins over Towson (72-52), Delaware (78-66), Hartford (63-57) and New Hampshire (75-61) during her absence.

Blodgett returned for the Drexel game in Philadelphia but UMaine dropped its first conference

game of the season, 69-64. The Black Bears rebounded two days later with a 72-42 win over Hofstra, holding the Flying Dutchwomen to just 18 points in the second half.

UMaine then lost two straight conference games for the first time since the 1992-93 season as New Hampshire won 75-65 and Vermont won 73-68.

The Black Bears responded with two strong outings, an 84-58 win over Towson and a 98-73 win over Delaware. BU defeated UMaine 94-77 on February 12 and the Black Bears beat Northeastern 70-56 two days later.

In the final non-conference game of the year, UMaine faced nationally ranked UConn at the Hartford Civic Center. The Black Bears led or were tied with the Huskies for most of the first half before a Nykesha Sales flurry gave UConn a 13 point halftime lead. UConn went on to a 98-70 lead despite Cassidy's game-high 24 points.

Back in conference play, UMaine took an 86-66 decision from Drexel and beat Hofstra 91-83. The Black Bears finished the regular season on the road and lost to Hartford 74-67.

UMaine hosted the first ever one-site conference tournament and was seeded second behind Vermont. The Black Bears dispatched with Drexel 84-59 in the first round and battled Northeastern to a 77-70 win. In the final against Vermont, neither team led by more than five points as the lead changed 20 times. UMaine went up by three with 1:36 remaining in the game but Vermont answered with two straight baskets to take a one point lead. Cassidy scored a layup with six seconds left to give UMaine an 81-80 lead. The Black Bears stopped Vermont's final attempt and won the AMERICA EAST Tournament for the fourth straight year.

UMaine travelled to North Carolina for a match up with North Carolina State in the first round of the NCAA Tournament. NC State, an eventual Final Four team, took an early lead and went on to an 89-64 win.

## 1997-98 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Advanced to its fourth NCAA Tournament after winning its sixth conference tournament championship.
- Received votes in both the AP and *USA Today* polls.
- Averaged 4,846 in home attendance, ranking 14th in the nation.
- Broke the Alford Arena attendance record for a sporting event when it defeated New Hampshire on February 1 in front of a sellout crowd of 5,862 fans.
- Nine individual and records were tied or set, including Amy Vachon's record for assists in a season, 194.
- Cindy Blodgett became the fourth player in the NCAA to score 3,000 points in a career.
- Head Coach Joanne Palombo-McCallie became the all-time winningest coach in UMaine women's basketball history with her 119th win on February 19, 1998.
- Blodgett was chosen AMERICA EAST Tournament Most Outstanding Player for the fourth straight year. She also became the only player in conference history to earn first team All-Conference honors four consecutive seasons. Jamie Cassidy was also an AMERICA EAST first-team All-Conference selection.
- Blodgett was named District I Kodak All-America and Associated Press third team All-American.



# 1997-98 Statistics

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98

(21-OVERALL, 13-5 AMERICA EAST)

|               | G  | GS | MIN  | FG  | FGA  | PCT  | 3FG | 3FGA | PCT  | FT  | FTA | PCT  | ORB | DRB | REB  | AVG  | PF  | DQ | AST | TO  | BL | ST  | TP   | AVG. |
|---------------|----|----|------|-----|------|------|-----|------|------|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|------|------|-----|----|-----|-----|----|-----|------|------|
| Blodgett, C.  | 26 | 26 | 881  | 237 | 507  | .467 | 54  | 159  | .340 | 176 | 201 | .876 | 33  | 93  | 126  | 4.8  | 65  | 1  | 114 | 89  | 5  | 58  | 704  | 27.1 |
| Cassidy, J.   | 30 | 2  | 913  | 194 | 373  | .520 | 2   | 8    | .250 | 139 | 177 | .785 | 61  | 177 | 238  | 7.9  | 90  | 3  | 32  | 73  | 46 | 27  | 529  | 17.6 |
| Danes, K.     | 30 | 30 | 800  | 107 | 195  | .549 | 0   | 4    | .000 | 64  | 104 | .615 | 71  | 83  | 154  | 5.1  | 56  | 1  | 25  | 70  | 1  | 49  | 278  | 9.3  |
| Carver, S.    | 30 | 29 | 834  | 97  | 184  | .527 | 4   | 11   | .364 | 48  | 64  | .750 | 29  | 59  | 88   | 2.9  | 47  | 0  | 53  | 61  | 0  | 31  | 246  | 8.2  |
| Vachon, A.    | 30 | 22 | 912  | 62  | 133  | .466 | 20  | 54   | .370 | 50  | 84  | .595 | 20  | 93  | 113  | 3.8  | 83  | 2  | 194 | 119 | 3  | 69  | 194  | 6.5  |
| McCormick, K. | 30 | 10 | 567  | 65  | 160  | .406 | 22  | 58   | .379 | 16  | 22  | .727 | 22  | 46  | 68   | 2.3  | 40  | 0  | 12  | 38  | 0  | 7   | 168  | 5.6  |
| Tinklova, M.  | 29 | 0  | 383  | 33  | 78   | .423 | 2   | 3    | .667 | 23  | 34  | .676 | 12  | 44  | 56   | 1.9  | 56  | 3  | 19  | 42  | 9  | 17  | 91   | 3.1  |
| Clark, A.     | 30 | 3  | 275  | 16  | 27   | .593 | 0   | 0    | .000 | 9   | 15  | .600 | 17  | 28  | 45   | 1.5  | 32  | 0  | 10  | 23  | 0  | 6   | 41   | 1.4  |
| Clark, K.     | 11 | 3  | 151  | 13  | 28   | .464 | 0   | 1    | .000 | 13  | 18  | .722 | 8   | 8   | 16   | 1.5  | 15  | 0  | 7   | 13  | 0  | 5   | 39   | 3.5  |
| Lopez, K.     | 26 | 0  | 150  | 8   | 30   | .267 | 2   | 11   | .182 | 10  | 19  | .526 | 12  | 23  | 35   | 1.3  | 27  | 0  | 5   | 12  | 1  | 9   | 28   | 1.1  |
| Bowman, K.    | 12 | 0  | 76   | 3   | 13   | .231 | 0   | 4    | .000 | 4   | 4   | 1.00 | 2   | 11  | 13   | 1.1  | 5   | 0  | 1   | 4   | 1  | 0   | 10   | 0.8  |
| Macream, C.   | 17 | 0  | 56   | 1   | 5    | .200 | 0   | 0    | .000 | 6   | 12  | .500 | 0   | 3   | 3    | 0.2  | 11  | 0  | 3   | 12  | 0  | 1   | 8    | 0.4  |
| TEAM          |    |    |      |     |      |      |     |      |      |     |     |      | 287 | 668 | 130  |      |     |    |     |     |    |     |      |      |
| MAINE         | 30 | 30 | 6000 | 836 | 1733 | .482 | 106 | 313  | .339 | 558 | 754 | .740 | 333 | 752 | 1085 | 36.2 | 527 | 10 | 475 | 556 | 66 | 279 | 2336 | 77.9 |
| OPPONENT      | 30 | 30 | 6000 | 805 | 1875 | .429 | 114 | 409  | .279 | 368 | 537 | .685 | 416 | 688 | 1104 | 36.8 | 621 | -  | 487 | 564 | 33 | 245 | 1376 | 69.6 |

## Attendance

|                           |                      |                  |
|---------------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| Total Attendance: 106,258 | Average: 3,537       | Total dates: 30  |
| Home Attendance: 77,542   | Home Average: 4,846  | Home dates: 16   |
| Road Attendance: 28,566   | Road Average: 2,197  | Road dates: 13   |
| Neutral Attendance: 150   | Neutral Average: 150 | Neutral dates: 1 |

## Deadball Rebs:

|     |    |
|-----|----|
| UM: | 74 |
| OPP | 69 |

| Date  | Score   | Opponent             | Att.   | Site              | High Scorer  | High Rebounder       | High Assists | 3-Pt. FGs      |
|-------|---------|----------------------|--------|-------------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|----------------|
| 11/23 | 81-54 W | Northeastern         | 6,517  | Portland, Maine   | Blodgett, 31 | Cassidy, 15          | Vachon, 7    | Blodgett, 4-5  |
| 11/28 | 85-62 W | JAMES MADISON\$      | 4,875  | Orono, Maine      | Blodgett, 23 | Three with 5         | Vachon, 8    | McCormick, 3-  |
| 11/29 | 80-97 L | WISCONSIN\$(23)      | 5,085  | Orono, Maine      | Blodgett, 32 | Cassidy, 8           | Blodgett, 7  | Blodgett, 4-12 |
| 12/4  | 82-68 W | UMASS                | 4,690  | Orono, Maine      | Blodgett, 40 | Danes, 11            | Vachon, 6    | Blodgett, 5-6  |
| 12/14 | 86-78 W | @ Vermont            | 1,870  | Burlington, Vt.   | Blodgett, 25 | McCormick, 8         | Blodgett, 8  | None           |
| 12/21 | 91-55 W | @ Rhode Island       | 383    | Kingston, R.I.    | Blodgett, 31 | Cassidy, 15          | Blodgett, 6  | Blodgett, 3-6  |
| 12/27 | 92-70 W | East Carolina*       | 150    | Miami, Fla.       | Blodgett, 30 | Danes, 7             | Blodgett, 9  | Two with one   |
| 12/28 | 78-91 L | @ Miami*             | 839    | Miami, Fla.       | Cassidy, 26  | Cassidy, 10          | Blodgett, 7  | Blodgett, 3-9  |
| 1/2   | 80-58 W | BOSTON UNIV. #       | 5,688  | Orono, Maine      | Cassidy, 27  | Four with 6          | Blodgett, 7  | Blodgett, 3-6  |
| 1/8   | 72-52 W | @ Towson#            | 344    | Towson, Md.       | Cassidy, 12  | Vachon, 8            | Vachon, 4    | McCormick, 2-  |
| 1/10  | 78-66 W | @ Delaware#          | 866    | Newark, Del.      | Cassidy, 30  | Cassidy, 9           | Vachon, 9    | Three with one |
| 1/13  | 63-57 W | HARTFORD#            | 4,491  | Orono, Maine      | Carver, 17   | Cassidy, 12          | Vachon, 7    | Vachon, 2-4    |
| 1/17  | 75-61 W | @ New Hampshire#     | 2,097  | Durham, N.H.      | Cassidy, 29  | Danes, 8             | Vachon, 10   | McCormick, 2-  |
| 1/22  | 64-69 L | @ Drexel#            | 351    | Philadelphia, Pa. | Blodgett, 23 | Cassidy, 6           | Blodgett, 5  | Blodgett, 2-10 |
| 1/24  | 72-42 W | @ Hofstra#           | 276    | Hempstead, N.Y.   | Blodgett, 24 | Cassidy, 10          | Vachon, 9    | Blodgett, 2-5  |
| 1/29  | 76-64 W | W. KENTUCKY (15)     | 5,219  | Orono, Maine      | Blodgett, 32 | Cassidy, 8           | Vachon, 6    | Blodgett, 4-11 |
| 2/1   | 65-75 L | NEW HAMPSHIRE#       | 5,892  | Orono, Maine      | Blodgett, 25 | Cassidy, 10          | Vachon, 6    | Two with one   |
| 2/4   | 68-73 L | VERMONT#             | 4,560  | Orono, Maine      | Blodgett, 29 | Three with 6         | Vachon, 12   | Blodgett 5-10  |
| 2/6   | 84-52 W | TOWSON#              | 4,878  | Orono, Maine      | Cassidy, 20  | Cassidy, 10          | Vachon, 7    | Vachon, 4-4    |
| 2/8   | 98-73 W | DELAWARE#            | 5,702  | Orono, Maine      | Blodgett, 43 | Cassidy, 8           | Vachon, 11   | Blodgett, 2-5  |
| 2/12  | 77-94 L | @ Boston University# | 525    | Boston, Mass.     | Blodgett, 35 | Blodgett, Cassidy, 5 | Vachon, 5    | Blodgett, 2-7  |
| 2/14  | 70-56 W | @ Northeastern#      | 1,006  | Boston, Mass.     | Blodgett, 23 | Cassidy, 8           | Vachon, 7    | Vachon, 1-2    |
| 2/16  | 70-98 L | UConn                | 16,294 | Hartford, Conn.   | Cassidy, 24  | Cassidy, 10          | Vachon, 5    | Three with one |
| 2/19  | 86-66 W | DREXEL#              | 5,022  | Orono, Maine      | Blodgett, 24 | Danes, 5             | Vachon, 9    | None           |
| 2/21  | 91-83 W | HOFSTRA#             | 5,712  | Orono, Maine      | Blodgett, 42 | Cassidy, 8           | Blodgett, 7  | Blodgett, 3-6  |
| 2/26  | 67-74 L | @ Hartford#          | 792    | Hartford, Conn.   | Blodgett, 22 | Danes, 8             | Vachon, 6    | Two with one   |

## AMERICA EAST Tournament

|     |         |              |       |              |              |             |             |                |
|-----|---------|--------------|-------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|
| 3/5 | 84-59 W | DREXEL       | 2,818 | Orono, Maine | Blodgett, 38 | Vachon, 6   | Blodgett, 5 | Blodgett, 5-8  |
| 3/6 | 84-59 W | NORTHEASTERN | 2,815 | Orono, Maine | Blodgett, 30 | Cassidy, 10 | Vachon, 6   | Two with one   |
| 3/7 | 81-80 W | VERMONT      | 3,578 | Orono, Maine | Blodgett, 22 | Blodgett, 9 | Vachon, 6   | Three with two |

## NCAA Tournament

|      |         |                 |       |               |              |              |           |              |
|------|---------|-----------------|-------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|
| 3/13 | 64-89 L | @ NC State (10) | 3,274 | Raleigh, N.C. | Blodgett, 19 | Three with 4 | Vachon, 4 | Two with one |
|------|---------|-----------------|-------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|

#-AMERICA EAST game

\$-Dead River Company Classic

\*-Miami Holiday Classic

CAPS-home game (#)- indicates National Ranking





# UMAINE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL RECORDS

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

### Most Points

Game: 52 by Cindy Blodgett vs. Towson State 3/2/97  
Season: 889 by Cindy Blodgett, '95-'96  
Career: 3,305 by Cindy Blodgett, '94-'98

### Most Rebounds

Game: 29 by Wendy Farrington vs. Southern Maine, '79-'80  
Season: 380 by Liz Coffin, '84-'85  
Career: 1,351 by Liz Coffin, '84-'88

### Most Assists

Game: 14 by Julia Treadwell vs. New Brunswick, '83-'84  
Season: 194 by Amy Vachon, '97-'98  
Career: 487 by Cindy Blodgett, '94-'98

### Most Steals

Game: 10 by Julie Bradstreet vs. Canisius, 1/3/92  
Season: 107 by Julie Bradstreet, '91-'92  
Career: 334 by Cindy Blodgett, '94-'98

### Most Blocked Shots

Game: 7 by Stacey Porrini, last vs. Delaware 2/2/96, by Jamie Cassidy vs. Drexel 1/22/98  
Season: 79 by Stacey Porrini, '95-'96  
Career: 185 by Stacey Porrini, '93-'97

### Most Field Goals Made

Game: 23 by Cindy Blodgett vs. Towson State, 3/2/97  
Season: 313 by Cindy Blodgett, '95-'96  
Career: 1055 by Cindy Blodgett, '94-'98

### Most FG's Attempted

Game: 32 by Wendy Farrington vs. Southern Maine, '79-'80  
32 Cindy Blodgett vs. Towson State, 3/2/97  
Season: 620 by Cindy Blodgett, '95-'96  
Career: 2,181 by Cindy Blodgett, '94-'98

### Field Goal Percentage

Game: .909 (10-11), by Rachel Bouchard vs. Northeastern, 2/13/91  
1.000 (8-8), Jamie Cassidy vs. Drexel (3/5/97)  
Season: .609 by Rachel Bouchard, '90-'91  
Career: .541 by Rachel Bouchard, '87-'91

### Three-Point FG's Made

Game: 6 by Cindy Blodgett vs. Vermont, 3/8/97  
Season: 69 by Cindy Blodgett, '96-'97  
Career: 219 by Cindy Blodgett, '94-'98

### Three-Point FG's Attempted

Game: 13 by Heather Briggs vs. Vermont, 3/13/93  
Season: 187 by Cindy Blodgett, '96-'97  
Career: 620 by Cindy Blodgett, '94-'98

## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

### Three-Point FG Percentage

Game: 1.000 (4-4), by Carrie Goodhue vs. (min. 3 att.) Cornell, 11/23/90  
Season: .462 (18/39) by Heather Briggs, (min. 35 att.) '90-'91  
Career: .389 by Heather Briggs, '89-'93

### Free Throws Made

Game: 19 by Rachel Bouchard vs. Brooklyn, 1/13/89  
Season: 213 by Cindy Blodgett, '95-'96  
Career: 676 by Cindy Blodgett, '94-'98

### Free Throws Attempted

Game: 27 by Rachel Bouchard vs. Brooklyn, 1/13/89  
Season: 287 by Rachel Bouchard, '89-'90  
Career: 936 by Rachel Bouchard, '87-'91

### Free Throw Percentage

Game: 1.000 (17/17), by Cindy Blodgett vs. Hofstra, 2/21/98; (14-14), vs. Hofstra, 3/5/95, vs. LSU 3/15/97 (13-13) vs. Vermont, 12/14/97  
Season: .890 (31/35), by Lisa Cormier, '82-'83  
Career: .822 by Cindy Blodgett, '94-'98

## TEAM RECORDS

### Most Field Goals

Game: 58 vs. St. Joseph's (Me.), '83-'84  
Season: 908 '96-'97

### Most Field Goal Attempts

Game: 111 vs. UNH, '76-'77, Acadia, '76-'77  
Season: 2,208 '82-'83

### Most Free Throws

Game: 33 last vs. Vermont 2/18/96  
Season: 550 '95-'96

### Most Free Throw Attempts

Game: 49 vs. UM-Presque Isle, '76-'77  
Season: 768 '95-'96

### Most Three-Pointers

Game: 10 last vs. Delaware, 2/9/96  
Season: 124 '96-'97

### Most Three-Pointers Attempted

Game: 22 last vs. UConn, 3/16/95  
Season: 365 '96-'97

### Most Points

Game: 134 vs. St. Joseph's (Me.), '83-'84  
Season: 2,459 '95-'96

### Most Rebounds

Game: 80 vs. UM-Presque Isle, '86-'87  
Season: 1,395 '86-'87

### Highest Field Goal Percentage

Game: .629 vs. Towson State 1/16/97  
Season: .495 '96-'97

### Highest Free Throw Percentage

Game: .962 vs. Southern Maine (25/26), '83-'84  
Season: .740 '97-'98

### Highest Three-Point Field Goal Percentage

Game: .714 last vs. Boston Univ., 12/7/95  
Season: .359 '94-'95

### Most Assists

Game: 34 vs. St. Joseph's (Me.), '83-'84  
Season: 545 '83-'84

### Most Steals

Game: 29 vs. UM-Farmington, '83-'84  
Season: 370 '83-'84

### Most Blocks:

Game: 13 vs. Delaware 1/18/97  
Season: 141 '86-'87

### Highest Scoring Average

79.6 '83-'84

### Most Wins

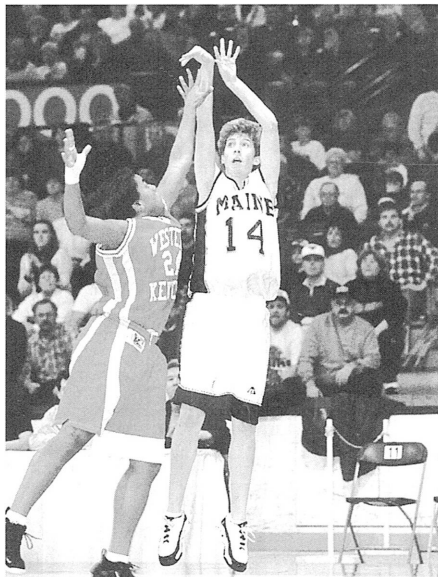
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### Highest Win Percentage

.871 '95-'96

### Most Consecutive Wins

19 '95-'96



Cindy Blodgett holds 20 UMaine records.



# ALFOND ARENA RECORDS/1,000 POINT SCORERS

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98

## INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

### Most Points

Game: 52 by Cindy Blodgett vs. Towson St. 3/2/97

### Most Rebounds

Game: 19 by Stacey Porrini vs. Drexel 1/24/97

### Most Assists

Game: 12 by Amy Vachon vs. Vermont 2/4/98

### Most Steals

Game: 9 by Cindy Blodgett vs. Delaware 2/13/97

### Most Blocked Shots

Game: 6 by Stacey Porrini vs. Northeastern 2/9/95

### Most Field Goals Made

Game: 23, by Cindy Blodgett vs. Towson 3/2/97

### Most FG's Attempted

Game: 32, by Cindy Blodgett vs. Towson 3/2/97

### Three-Point FG's Made

Game: 6 by Cindy Blodgett vs. Vermont 3/8/97

### Three-Point FG's Attempted

Game: 12 by Cindy Blodgett vs. Wisconsin 11/29/97

### Free Throws Made

Game: 17 by Cindy Blodgett vs. Hofstra 2/21/98

### Free Throws Attempted

Game: 17 by Cindy Blodgett vs. Vermont 2/18/96, vs. Hofstra, 2/21/98

## TEAM RECORDS

### Most Points

Game: 107 vs. Drexel 1/14/96

### Most Field Goals Made

Game: 42 vs. Delaware 2/13/97

### Most Field Goal Attempts

Game: 78 vs. Delaware 2/13/97

### Most Free Throws

Game: 33 last vs. Vermont 2/18/96

### Most Free Throw Attempts

Game: 45 vs. James Madison 11/28/97

### Most Three-Pointers

Game: 10 last vs. Delaware, 2/9/96

### Most Three-Pointers Attempted

Game: 21 vs. Oklahoma State 11/30/96

### Most Rebounds

Game: 66 vs. Boston Univ. 1/4/97

### Most Assists

Game: 29 vs. Drexel 3/3/96

### Most Blocked Shots

Game: 7 vs. New Hampshire 2/9/97

### Most Steals

Game: 22 vs. Hofstra 1/12/96

### Most Consecutive Wins

16, 12/18/94 vs. Loyola (Chicago) - 12/2/95 vs. Villanova

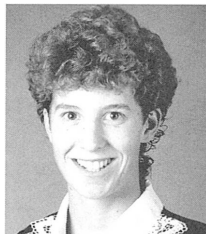
### Widest Win Margin

54 vs. Drexel 1/14/96

### Team Record

75-21 since January 1992

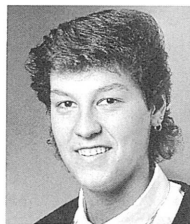
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**POINTS**

Cindy Blodgett  
3,005 Points  
1994-1998

**2,000**

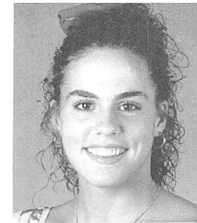


**POINTS**

Rachel Bouchard  
2,405 Points  
1987-91

Liz Coffin  
2,153 Points  
1984-88

**1,000**

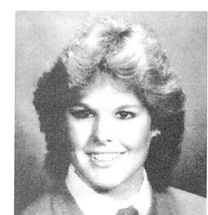
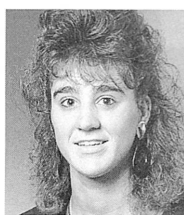
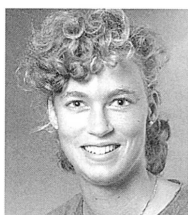


**POINTS**

Emily Ellis  
1,696 Points  
1981-85

Lauree Gott  
1,393 Points  
1982-87

Steph Guidi  
1,295 Points  
1992-96



Tracey Frenette  
1,194 Points  
1988-92

Heather Briggs  
1,176 Points  
1989-93

Stacey Porrini  
1,128 Points  
1993-97

Lisa Cormier  
1,052 Points  
1980-84



# YEAR BY YEAR

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

## 1975-76

Rhode Island 91, Maine 71  
Maine 68, New Hampshire 58  
Maine 95, Maine-Farmington 36  
Maine 79, Bates 42  
Maine 90, Maine-Presque Isle 55  
Maine 70, Husson 43  
Maine 74, Southern Maine 57  
Vermont 75, Maine 71  
Maine 92, Maine-Presque Isle 58  
Maine 82, Southern Maine 57  
Maine 63, Maine-Farmington 26  
Husson 51, Maine 49  
Rhode Island 103, Maine 65  
Maine 69, Massachusetts 63  
Springfield 69, Maine 54  
Maine 93, Southern Maine 57  
Maine 63, Husson 53

## 1976-77

Maine 64, Acadia 54  
Maine 58, Massachusetts 56  
Maine 61, New Hampshire 58  
Maine 82, Maine-Farmington 40  
Maine 104, Maine-Presque Isle 46  
Maine 82, Rhode Island 76  
Maine 58, Husson 48  
Maine 93, Southern Maine 42  
Vermont 75, Maine 61  
Maine 72, Maine-Farmington 56  
Maine 83, Husson 45  
Maine 76, Maine-Presque Isle 46  
Maine 57, Southern Maine 28

## 1977-78

Massachusetts 77, Maine 68  
Boston University 66, Maine 54  
Maine 70, Southern Maine 44  
Maine 72, New Hampshire 69  
Maine 70, Maine-Farmington 52  
Maine 79, Southern Maine 45  
Maine 74, Rhode Island 72  
Maine 76, Husson 65  
Maine 70, Vermont 51  
Maine 75, Bowdoin 59  
Maine 97, Maine-Presque Isle 47  
Providence 72, Maine 53  
Maine 82, Colby 48  
Maine 77, Maine-Presque Isle 60  
Maine 83, Husson 58  
Maine-Farmington 72, Maine 66

## 1978-79

Massachusetts 87, Maine 58  
Boston University 78, Maine 67  
Maine 77, Plymouth State 54  
New Hampshire 92, Maine 87  
Maine 68, Maine-Farmington 49  
Rhode Island 80, Maine 69  
Maine 62, Husson 42  
Maine 100, Vermont 82  
Maine 64, Southern Maine 48  
Maine 88, Connecticut 75  
Maine 75, Bowdoin 61  
New Brunswick 98, Maine 65  
Maine 88, Maine-Presque Isle 51  
Maine 71, Husson 48  
Maine 77, Maine-Farmington 40  
Maine 81, Colby 68  
Providence 62, Maine 50

## 1979-80

Maine 100, Quebec 42  
Maine 69, Laval 62  
Maine 113, Moncton 60  
Moncton Little 90, Maine 76  
Maine 70, Plymouth State 48  
New Hampshire 95, Maine 81  
Maine 76, Southern Maine 69  
Rhode Island 78, Maine 62  
Maine 86, Maine-Farmington 56  
Maine 88, Bowdoin 54  
Maine 74, Vermont 49  
Boston University 83, Maine 58  
Maine 70, Massachusetts 59  
Maine 69, Maine-Farmington 54  
Maine 95, Colby 58  
Maine 82, Maine-Presque Isle 29  
Maine 79, Husson 57  
Maine 91, Bates 41  
Maine 69, Husson 50  
Maine 76, Bowdoin 58

## 1980-81

Maine 71, Concordia 70  
Southern Conn. 73, Maine 66  
New Hampshire 83, Maine 61  
Massachusetts 97, Maine 62  
Boston University 88, Maine 42  
Maine 75, Maine-Farmington 44  
Maine 67, Southern Maine 35  
Rhode Island 80, Maine 63  
Maine 73, Bowdoin 58  
Maine 52, Maine-Farmington 36  
New Brunswick 67, Maine 60  
Maine 66, Bowdoin 41  
Maine 83, Vermont 62  
Maine 83, Vermont 80  
Maine 113, Maine-Presque Isle 44  
Maine 106, Plymouth State 68  
Maine 86, Husson 61  
Maine 65, Eastern Connecticut 60  
Connecticut 72, Maine 55  
Maine 80, Colby 52  
Maine 106, Bates 37  
Maine 79, St. Joseph's 59  
Maine 58, Southern Maine 43

## 1981-82

Maine 75, Mt. Allison 39  
New Brunswick 75, Maine 65  
Maine 67, New Brunswick 62  
Maine 88, Bowdoin 54  
New Hampshire 83, Maine 51  
Maine 73, Laval 48  
Maine 53, Southern Maine 40  
Rhode Island 78, Maine 68  
Maine 66, Maine-Farmington 40  
Maine 91, Plymouth State 55  
Maine 65, New Brunswick 53  
Maine 84, Vermont 81  
Maine 87, Vermont 70  
Maine 93, Maine-Farmington 30  
Maine 85, St. Joseph's 45  
Massachusetts 73, Maine 57  
Connecticut 82, Maine 45  
Maine 98, Maine-Presque Isle 48  
Maine 65, Colby 64  
Maine 85, Husson 45  
Maine 71, St. Joseph's 47  
Colby 58, Maine 47

## 1982-83

Maine 53, Ottawa 45  
La Redoute 79, Maine 76  
Eastern Conn. 49, Maine 48  
Central Conn. 89, Maine 79  
Maine 60, New Brunswick 56  
Connecticut 81, Maine 49  
New Hampshire 91, Maine 69  
Maine 71, Prince Edward Island 51  
Maine 75, Carleton 53  
Providence 76, Maine 49  
Army 83, Maine 54  
Southern Maine 75, Maine 74  
Rhode Island 76, Maine 44  
Maine 64, Maine-Farmington 40  
Northeastern 73, Maine 56  
New Brunswick 75, Maine 72  
Maine 76, Vermont 66  
Maine 72, Vermont 63  
Maine-Farmington 65, Maine 61  
Maine 85, Bowdoin 45  
Maine 73, Massachusetts 71  
Maine 84, St. Joseph's 43  
Maine 78, Colby 65  
Maine 77, Prince Edward Island 49  
Maine 81, Maine-Presque Isle 69  
Maine 100, Maine-Machias 52  
Maine 80, Nasson 58  
Maine 74, Southern Maine 59

## 1983-84

Southern Connecticut 80, Maine 64  
Boston University 47, Maine 41  
Army 77, Maine 63  
Maine 84, Harvard 50  
Maine 93, Mt. Allison 40  
Maine 95, New Brunswick 84  
Maine 134, St. Joseph's 38  
Connecticut 78, Maine 61  
Maine 86, Queens 58  
Holy Cross 75, Maine 59  
Northeastern 87, Maine 64

Brown 60, Maine 58  
Maine 90, Husson 62  
Maine 85, Southern Maine 71  
Northeastern 76, Maine 70  
Maine 89, Maine-Farmington 59  
Maine 111, Maine-Presque Isle 63  
New Brunswick 83, Maine 59  
Maine 87, Maine-Farmington 37  
Maine 72, Massachusetts 71  
New Hampshire 83, Maine 65  
Maine 99, Vermont 72  
Maine 64, Vermont 47  
Maine 73, Colby 63  
Rhode Island 109, Maine 67  
Maine 104, Maine-Presque Isle 44  
Maine 111, Husson 75

## 1984-85

11/24 Virginia 115, Maine 57  
11/30 Maine 69, Manhattan 57  
12/1 Siena 55, Maine 52  
12/8 Maine 86, Harvard 56  
12/12 Fairfield 75, Maine 66  
12/15 Maine 83, Brooklyn 61  
12/16 Maine 83, Brooklyn 39  
Maine 81, Loyola 48  
Maine 69, Queens 66  
Maine 55, Boston University 39  
Maine 67, Dartmouth 47  
1/5 Maine 65, Boston University 52  
1/9 Maine 83, Central Connecticut 63  
1/12 Maine 67, Brown 55  
1/18 Maine 74, Vermont 55  
1/19 Vermont 67, Maine 64  
1/23 Northeastern 55, Maine 46  
1/26 Holy Cross 68, Maine 61  
1/28 Maine 79, Husson 46  
1/30 Maine 102, Southern Maine 54  
2/2 Maine 89, New Brunswick 51  
2/3 Northeastern 45, Maine 42  
2/5 Maine 83, Maine-Farmington 43  
2/8 Maine 63, Laval 32  
2/10 Maine 66, Massachusetts 65  
2/13 Maine 84, Colby 67  
2/17 Maine 65, Rhode Island 57  
2/20 New Hampshire 65, Maine 55  
3/1 Maine 62, New Hampshire 59  
3/2 Northeastern 73, Maine 59

## 1985-86

11/23 Maine 76, Massachusetts 66  
12/7 Maine 87, Siena 54  
12/12 Maine 79, Husson 26  
12/14 Maine 86, Brooklyn 72  
12/15 Maine 80, Brooklyn 62  
12/21 Maine 58, Harvard 56  
12/27 Maine 84, Hofstra 57  
12/28 Maine 56, Drexel 48  
12/29 Maine 70, Dartmouth 51  
1/4 Maine 61, Boston University 57  
1/11 Maine 57, Northeastern 53  
1/13 Maine 71, Hartford 53  
1/17 Maine 56, Vermont 54  
1/18 Maine 80, Vermont 69  
1/21 Maine 67, Dartmouth 58  
1/26 Maine 76, Cheney State 49  
1/29 Maine 56, Southern Maine 51  
1/31 Maine 57, Hartford 47  
2/1 Northeastern 71, Maine 55  
2/8 Holy Cross 81, Maine 68  
2/9 Central Connecticut 63, Maine 62  
2/16 Brown 73, Maine 62  
2/19 Maine 83, Colby 45  
2/22 Maine 71, Boston University 68  
New Hampshire 64, Maine 55  
Boston University 52, Maine 51  
Maine 53, New Hampshire 50

## 1986-87

11/29 Maine 77, Rhode Island 50  
12/2 Maine 82, Southern Maine 61  
12/5 Maine 80, Lehigh 53  
12/6 Maine 76, Siena 50  
12/11 Maine 77, Husson 42  
12/20 Maine 81, Harvard 56  
12/27 Maine 98, Springfield 51  
12/28 Maine 75, Middle Tennessee 67  
1/3 Maine 69, Central Connecticut 55  
1/5 Maine 91, Utica 57  
1/7 Maine 91, Colgate 65  
1/9 Maine 82, Central Connecticut 65

1/10 Northeastern 66, Maine 62  
1/14 Maine 108, Maine-Presque Isle 29  
1/16 Maine 72, Vermont 58  
1/17 Maine 56, Vermont 55  
1/24 Maine 72, Boston University 70  
1/25 Maine 71, Cheyney State 44  
1/28 New Hampshire 61, Maine 52  
1/31 Maine 86, Hartford 66  
2/1 Maine 78, Hartford 69  
2/7 Maine 72, Northeastern 67  
2/8 Boston University 89, Maine 73  
2/11 Maine 82, New Hampshire 67  
2/21 Maine 89, Brooklyn 36  
2/22 Maine 79, Brooklyn 42  
Maine 76, Boston University 54  
Northeastern 55, Maine 48

## 1987-88

11/27 Maine 79, Drexel 65  
11/28 Maine 66, San Diego State 65  
12/5 Providence 83, Maine 78  
12/6 Southern California 83, Maine 63  
12/13 Maine 97, Utica 56  
12/19 Harvard 80, Maine 75  
12/29 Maine 71, William & Mary 69  
12/30 Maine 65, Tulane 57  
1/2 Maine 92, Navy 55  
1/6 Maine 89, Nebraska 82  
1/9 Maine 92, Colgate 57  
1/10 Maine 84, Colgate 58  
1/13 Maine 76, Miami 56  
1/15 Maine 75, Brooklyn 32  
1/16 Maine 88, Brooklyn 50  
1/21 Maine 52, Northeastern 42  
1/23 Boston University 78, Maine 75  
1/27 Maine 99, Central Connecticut 68  
1/29 Maine 86, Vermont 50  
1/30 Maine 84, Vermont 73  
2/3 Maine 64, New Hampshire 63  
2/5 Maine 73, Hartford 69  
2/6 Maine 80, Hartford 67  
2/13 Maine 52, Northeastern 42  
2/17 Maine 64, Boston University 63  
2/20 Maine 64, Central Connecticut 45  
2/27 New Hampshire 60, Maine 56  
Maine 82, New Hampshire 76  
Boston University 66, Maine 62

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Maine 75, Finland 49  
11/25 San Diego State 52, Maine 49  
11/26 Maine 63, Eastern Washington 56  
12/2 Maine 59, Syracuse 45  
12/3 Michigan State 60, Maine 53  
12/9 Virginia Commonwealth 70, Maine 64  
12/10 Connecticut 80, Maine 56  
12/17 Maine 89, Harvard 77  
12/18 Georgia Tech 82, Maine 62  
12/28 Maine 76, Massachusetts 62  
12/29 Providence 85, Maine 69  
1/7 Maine 56, Louisville 55  
1/11 Maine 64, Brown 51  
1/13 Maine 75, Brooklyn 38  
1/15 Maine 75, Brooklyn 47  
1/18 Northeastern 60, Maine 56  
1/21 Maine 56, Boston University 43  
1/25 Maine 71, Central Connecticut 69  
1/27 Maine 66, Vermont 58  
1/28 Maine 65, Vermont 48  
2/1 Maine 65, New Hampshire 61  
2/3 Maine 85, Hartford 80  
2/4 Maine 84, Hartford 64  
2/11 Maine 67, Northeastern 60  
2/15 Maine 75, Boston University 55  
2/18 Maine 77, Central Connecticut 54  
2/26 Maine 69, New Hampshire 60  
Northeastern 60, Maine 47



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## 1989-90

11/24 Maine 68, Siena 52  
 11/25 Maine 74, Wake Forest 56  
 11/29 Maine 75, Rutgers 67  
 12/2 NC State 77, Maine 66  
 12/3 Maine 84, Wagner 37  
 12/7 SE Louisiana 71, Maine 68  
 12/9 New Orleans 70, Maine 55  
 12/14 Maine 86, Delaware State 33  
 12/16 Maine 59, Harvard 55  
 12/29 Maine 83, Holy Cross 81  
 12/30 Maine 86, Stetson 78  
 1/1 Florida 78, Maine 73  
 1/4 Maine 77, Colgate 54  
 1/6 Maine 69, Northeastern 37  
 1/10 Maine 92, Vermont 66  
 1/12 Maine 69, Colgate 61  
 1/20 Maine 78, Hartford 30  
 1/24 Boston University 54, Maine 51  
 1/27 Maine 57, Central Michigan 54  
 2/3 Maine 60, Northeastern 42  
 2/7 Maine 70, New Hampshire 49  
 2/10 Maine 76, Vermont 66  
 2/14 Maine 72, New Hampshire 54  
 2/17 Maine 83, Hartford 47  
 2/24 Maine 70, Boston University 56  
 3/9 Maine 64, Vermont 54  
 3/11 Kentucky 76, Maine 66  
 Illinois State 85, Maine 80  
 Maine 68, Wyoming 48

## 1990-91

11/23 Maine 83, Cornell 36  
 11/24 Richmond 69, Maine 53  
 11/28 Vanderbilt 74, Maine 67  
 11/30 UNC-Charlotte 62, Maine 57  
 12/1 Maine 70, Rhode Island 48  
 12/7 Villanova 65, Maine 60  
 12/8 Maine 84, Drake 72  
 12/13 Tennessee 77, Maine 64  
 12/15 Maine 83, Dartmouth 45  
 12/29 Maine 63, Alabama-Birmingham 62  
 12/30 Maine 60, St. Peter's 57  
 1/5 Maine 62, New Hampshire 55  
 1/9 Maine 77, Boston University 49  
 1/12 Maine 62, Northeastern 42  
 1/19 Maine 66, Hartford 35  
 1/26 Maine 82, Vermont 55  
 1/29 Holy Cross 66, Maine 65  
 2/2 Maine 71, New Hampshire 53  
 2/7 Lamar 69, Maine 68  
 2/9 Maine 73, Boston University 52  
 2/13 Maine 103, Northeastern 50  
 2/15 Maine 91, Colgate 56  
 2/18 Maine 81, Siena 55  
 2/23 Maine 90, Hartford 39  
 2/27 Maine 107, Arkansas State 73  
 3/2 Vermont 74, Maine 65  
 3/8 Maine 79, Hartford 59  
 3/9 Maine 79, Vermont 64

## 1991-92

11/24 Tennessee 86, Maine 71  
 11/29 Wisconsin-Green Bay 58, Maine 57  
 11/30 South Carolina 56, Maine 53  
 12/4 Dartmouth 60, Maine 55  
 12/6 Maine 87, Cleveland St. 59  
 12/7 Fairfield 50, Maine 46  
 12/11 Maine 83, Holy Cross 71  
 12/14 Maine 52, St. Peter's 47  
 12/29 Maine 71, James Madison 54  
 1/2 St. Mary's (Cal.) 69, Maine 56  
 1/3 Maine 75, Canisius 72  
 1/4 Maine 90, Sacramento State 83  
 1/9 Maine 59, Hartford 54  
 1/11 Vermont 69, Maine 62  
 1/13 Maine 71, Colgate 42  
 1/17 Maine 61, Drexel 45  
 1/18 Maine 75, Delaware 59  
 1/23 Vermont 73, Maine 55  
 1/25 Maine 56, Hartford 53  
 1/30 Maine 74, Boston University 57  
 2/1 Maine 54, Northeastern 53  
 2/8 Maine 65, New Hampshire 55  
 2/13 Maine 57, Northeastern 53  
 2/15 Maine 83, Boston University 52  
 2/28 Maine 73, Delaware 54  
 3/1 Maine 71, Drexel, 54  
 3/10 Maine 68, Drexel 57  
 3/13 Maine 74, New Hampshire 65  
 3/14 Vermont 70, Maine 50

## 1992-93

12/1 Boston College 80, Maine 65  
 12/4 Florida International 75, Maine 61  
 12/6 Mississippi 64, Maine 50  
 12/9 St. Peter's 65, Maine 55  
 12/12 Rhode Island 62, Maine 51  
 12/27 Rutgers 71, Maine 43  
 12/29 Texas 72, Maine 34  
 1/2 Central Michigan 81, Maine 56  
 1/3 Valparaiso 73, Maine 72  
 1/15 Maine 56, Drexel 50  
 1/17 Delaware 56, Maine 53  
 1/21 Vermont 94, Maine 63  
 1/23 Maine 51, Hartford 50  
 1/26 Maine 60, Dartmouth 59  
 1/28 Boston University 61, Maine 52  
 1/30 Northeastern 45, Maine 43  
 2/4 Maine 79, Central Connecticut 52  
 2/7 New Hampshire 68, Maine 63  
 2/11 Northeastern 57, Maine 51  
 2/13 Boston University 64, Maine 57  
 2/18 Hartford 66, Maine 63  
 2/20 Vermont 68, Maine 67  
 2/24 Maine 79, Maryland-Eastern Shore 44  
 2/26 Maine 58, Delaware 53  
 2/28 Maine 66, Drexel 53  
 3/1 New Hampshire 58, Maine 38  
 3/9 Maine 59, New Hampshire 55  
 3/10 Maine 44, Northeastern 43  
 3/12 Vermont 62, Maine 45

## 1993-94

11/28 Maine 55, Boston College 49  
 12/3 Maine 55, Long Island 33  
 12/4 Northwestern St. 77, Maine 54  
 12/11 Boise St. 87, Maine 53  
 12/12 Maine 90, Chicago St. 31  
 12/28 Buffalo 50, Maine 47  
 12/29 Maine 60, St. Bonaventure 52  
 1/2 Maine 49, Georgia State 36  
 1/3 Kent State 63, Maine 62  
 1/7 Maine 60, Columbia 42  
 1/9 Manhattan 52, Maine 47  
 1/11 Maine 60, Cent. Connecticut 59  
 1/14 Maine 79, Drexel 52  
 1/16 Maine 53, Delaware 51  
 1/20 Maine 52, Vermont 40  
 1/22 Maine 70, Hartford 66  
 1/27 Maine 66, Boston University 43  
 1/29 Northeastern 63, Maine 57 (OT)  
 1/31 Maine 60, Dartmouth 56  
 2/5 Maine 64, New Hampshire 60  
 2/10 Maine 58, Northeastern 56  
 2/12 Maine 70, Boston University 62  
 2/17 Maine 67, Hartford 50  
 2/19 Maine 69, Vermont 57  
 2/25 Maine 82, Delaware 53  
 2/27 Drexel 72, Maine 71  
 3/2 Maine 72, New Hampshire 64

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11/25 Maine 71, Mercer 59  
 11/26 Northern Illinois 63, Maine 56

12/3 Illinois 72, Maine 68  
 12/12 Maine 71, Dartmouth 55  
 12/18 Maine 72, Loyola 54  
 12/28 N.C. State 80, Maine 75  
 12/29 Maine 66, San Francisco 55  
 1/1 Maine 96, Texas Christian 47  
 1/2 Maine 73, St. Bonaventure 62  
 1/5 Maine 75, Alabama 73  
 1/9 Maine 89, Hofstra 59  
 1/13 Maine 87, Drexel 63  
 1/15 Maine 95, Delaware 63  
 1/19 Vermont 80, Maine 73  
 1/21 Maine 97, Hartford 52  
 1/26 Boston University 75, Maine 72  
 1/28 Maine 75, Northeastern 71  
 2/2 Maine 82, Hofstra 57  
 2/4 Maine 78, New Hampshire 49  
 2/9 Maine 79, Northeastern 65  
 2/11 Maine 77, Boston University 56  
 2/16 Maine 91, Hartford 44  
 2/18 Maine 69, Vermont 62  
 2/24 Maine 74, Delaware 67  
 2/26 Maine 83, Drexel 64  
 3/1 Maine 92, New Hampshire 77  
 3/5 Maine 78, Hofstra 67  
 3/7 Maine 71, Boston University 56  
 3/11 Maine 70, Northeastern 59  
 3/16 Connecticut 105, Maine 75

## 1995-96

11/15 Maine 70, UMass 56  
 11/17 Ohio State 93, Maine 64  
 11/24 Maine 72, UNC-Charlotte 55  
 11/25 Alabama 79, Maine 43  
 12/1 Maine 85, Columbia 52  
 12/2 Maine 70, Villanova 62  
 12/4 USC 66, Maine 60  
 12/7 Maine 57, Boston University 55  
 12/9 Maine 81, Northeastern 49  
 12/14 Maine 77, Buffalo 66  
 12/27 Maine 73, Santa Clara 69  
 12/28 Washington 73, Maine 59  
 1/2 Maine 78, Delaware 61  
 1/4 Maine 81, Towson 67  
 1/12 Maine 89, Hofstra 54  
 1/14 Maine 107, Drexel 53  
 1/16 Maine 86, Vermont 67  
 1/20 Maine 80, New Hampshire 64  
 1/28 Maine 71, New Hampshire 56  
 1/30 Maine 90, Hartford 41  
 2/2 Maine 87, Hofstra 54  
 2/4 Maine 78, Drexel 47  
 2/9 Maine 90, Delaware 48  
 2/11 Maine 80, Towson State 48  
 2/15 Maine 75, Hartford 62  
 2/18 Maine 87, Vermont 66  
 2/22 Maine 77, Boston University 51  
 2/24 Maine 69, Northeastern 49  
 3/3 Maine 88, Drexel 51  
 3/5 Maine 80, Hartford 69  
 3/9 Maine 88, Vermont 55  
 3/15 George Washington 83, Maine 67

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11/22 George Washington 68, Maine 65  
 11/24 James Madison, 69, Maine 63  
 11/29 Maine 82, Brown 68  
 11/30 Oklahoma St. 75, Maine 64  
 12/5 Maine 65, Hofstra 61  
 12/7 Maine 55, Drexel 45  
 12/14 W. Kentucky 73, Maine 66  
 12/22 Maine 78, Rhode Island 56  
 12/28 North Carolina 68, Maine 52  
 12/29 Wake Forest 69, Maine 62  
 1/2 Maine 72, Northeastern 48  
 1/4 Maine 89, Boston Univ. 42  
 1/7 Maine 92, Hartford 57  
 1/11 Maine 101, New Hampshire 90  
 1/16 Maine 110, Towson State 72  
 1/18 Maine 89, Delaware 47  
 1/21 Maine 77, Vermont 54  
 1/24 Maine 94, Drexel 56  
 1/26 Maine 84, Hofstra 51  
 1/30 Hartford 70, Maine 58  
 2/1 Maine 84, Vermont 70  
 2/9 Maine 81, New Hampshire 70  
 2/13 Maine 102, Delaware 54  
 2/15 Maine 86, Towson State 55  
 2/21 Maine 101, Boston Univ. 49  
 2/23 Maine 88, Northeastern 36  
 3/2 Maine 99, Towson State 57  
 3/5 Maine 110, Drexel 68  
 3/8 Maine 92, Vermont 70  
 3/15 Louisiana State 88, Maine 79

## 1997-98

11/23 Maine 81, Northeastern 54  
 11/28 Maine 85, James Madison 62  
 11/29 Wisconsin 97, Maine 80  
 12/4 Maine 82, UMass 68  
 12/14 Maine 86, Vermont 78  
 12/21 Maine 91, Rhode Island 55  
 12/27 Maine 92, E. Carolina 70  
 12/28 Miami 92, Maine 70  
 1/2 Maine 80, Boston Univ. 58  
 1/8 Maine 72, Towson 52  
 1/10 Maine 78, Delaware 66  
 1/17 Maine 75, New Hampshire 61  
 1/22 Drexel 69, Maine 64  
 1/24 Maine 81, Hofstra 42  
 1/29 Maine 76, Western Kentucky 64  
 2/1 New Hampshire 75, Maine 65  
 2/4 Vermont 73, Maine 68  
 2/6 Maine 84, Towson 52  
 2/8 Maine 98, Delaware 73  
 2/12 Boston Univ. 94, Maine 77  
 2/14 UConn 90, Northeastern 56  
 2/16 UConn 98, Maine 70  
 2/19 Maine 86, Drexel 66  
 2/21 Maine 91, Hofstra 83  
 2/26 Hartford 74, Maine 67  
 3/5 Maine 84, Drexel 59  
 3/6 Maine 77, Northeastern 70  
 3/7 Maine 81, Vermont 80  
 3/13 NC State 89, Maine 64

| Season | Rec.  | Coach          | Captains                              | Post-season                                       |
|--------|-------|----------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| 75-76  | 12-5  | Eilene Fox     | C. Higgins, D. Dalfonso               | MAIAW Champ./EIAAW Tourney                        |
| 76-77  | 15-3  | Eilene Fox     | J. Thorpe                             | MAIAW Champ./EIAAW Tourney                        |
| 77-78  | 13-7  | Eilene Fox     | L. Osgood                             |   |
| 78-79  | 14-6  | Eilene Fox     | C. Pazdziorko, C. Lamontagne          | MAIAW Champ.                                      |
| 79-80  | 16-4  | Eilene Fox     | C. Lamontagne, S. Baker               | MAIAW Champ.                                      |
| 80-81  | 16-7  | Eilene Fox     | B. Dunham, M. Warner                  | MAIAW Champ.                                      |
| 81-82  | 16-6  | Eilene Fox     | B. Hamilton, C. Nason                 |   |
| 82-83  | 16-12 | Eilene Fox     | C. Nason                              | MAIAW Champ.                                      |
| 83-84  | 16-11 | Peter Gavett   | L. Cormier, J. Treadwell, T. Gardiner | MAIAW Champ.                                      |
| 84-85  | 21-9  | Peter Gavett   | E. Ellis                              | Seaboard Conf. (Finalists)                        |
| 85-86  | 22-7  | Peter Gavett   | L. Gott, M. Walker                    | Seaboard Conf. (Cons. Champ.)                     |
| 86-87  | 24-4  | Peter Gavett   | L. Coffin, K. Nobert                  | Seaboard Conf. (Finalists)                        |
| 87-88  | 23-6  | Peter Gavett   | L. Coffin, K. Nobert, C. Cummings     | Seaboard Conf. (Finalists)                        |
| 88-89  | 19-8  | Trish Roberts  | R. Bouchard, C. Iaconeta, K. Nobert   | Seaboard Conf. (Champion)                         |
| 89-90  | 23-7  | Trish Roberts  | R. Bouchard, C. Iaconeta, B. Sullivan | North Atlantic (Champion)/NWIT                    |
| 90-91  | 20-8  | Trish Roberts  | R. Bouchard                           | North Atlantic (Champion)                         |
| 91-92  | 20-9  | Trish Roberts  | J. Bradstreet, T. Frenette            | North Atlantic (Runners-Up)                       |
| 92-93  | 9-20  | Joanne Palombo | H. Briggs, C. Strong, C. Buetow       | North Atlantic (Runners-Up)                       |
| 93-94  | 20-7  | Joanne Palombo | C. Strong, R. Sullivan                | North Atlantic (Regular Season Champions)         |
| 94-95  | 24-6  | Joanne Palombo | S. Dionne, E. Grealy, R. Sullivan     | North Atlantic Champions/NCAA Tournament          |
| 95-96  | 27-5  | Joanne Palombo | C. Gallant, S. Guidi, S. Rustad       | North Atlantic Champions/NCAA Tournament          |
| 96-97  | 22-8  | Joanne Palombo | S. Porrini, C. Blodgett, S. Carver    | AMERICA EAST Champions/NCAA Tournament            |
| 97-98  | 21-9  | Joanne Palombo | C. Blodgett, S. Carver                | AMERICA EAST Tournament Champions/NCAA Tournament |



# OPPONENTS

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

| Opponent               | First Game | Last Game | Mtgs. | UM | Opp. | Opponent            | First Game | Last Game | Mtgs. | Maine | Opp. |
|------------------------|------------|-----------|-------|----|------|---------------------|------------|-----------|-------|-------|------|
| Acadia                 | 1976       | 1976      | 1     | 1  | 0    | New Orleans         | 1990       | 1990      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Alabama                | 1994       | 1995      | 2     | 1  | 1    | North Carolina      | 1996       | 1996      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Alabama-Birmingham     | 1991       | 1991      | 1     | 1  | 0    | Northeastern        | 1983       | 1998      | 37    | 23    | 14   |
| Army                   | 1983       | 1983      | 2     | 2  | 0    | Northwestern        | 1993       | 1993      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Bates                  | 1975       | 1981      | 3     | 3  | 0    | Northern Illinois   | 1994       | 1994      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Boise State            | 1993       | 1993      | 1     | 0  | 1    | Ohio State          | 1995       | 1995      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Boston College         | 1992       | 1993      | 2     | 1  | 1    | Oklahoma State      | 1996       | 1996      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Boston University      | 1977       | 1998      | 37    | 23 | 14   | Plymouth St.        | 1978       | 1982      | 3     | 3     | 0    |
| Bowdoin                | 1978       | 1983      | 9     | 9  | 0    | Providence          | 1978       | 1989      | 6     | 1     | 5    |
| Brooklyn               | 1977       | 1989      | 11    | 10 | 1    | Quebec-3 Rivers     | 1979       | 1979      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| Brown                  | 1983       | 1996      | 5     | 3  | 2    | Queens              | 1984       | 1984      | 2     | 2     | 0    |
| Buffalo                | 1993       | 1995      | 2     | 1  | 1    | Rhode Island        | 1975       | 1997      | 16    | 7     | 9    |
| Canisius               | 1992       | 1992      | 1     | 1  | 0    | Richmond            | 1991       | 1991      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Central Connecticut    | 1977       | 1994      | 13    | 11 | 2    | Rutgers             | 1990       | 1992      | 2     | 1     | 1    |
| Central Michigan       | 1990       | 1993      | 2     | 1  | 1    | SE Louisiana        | 1990       | 1990      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Cheyney                | 1986       | 1987      | 2     | 2  | 0    | St. Bonaventure     | 1993       | 1995      | 2     | 2     | 0    |
| Chicago State          | 1993       | 1993      | 1     | 1  | 0    | St. Joseph's        | 1982       | 1984      | 4     | 4     | 0    |
| Cleveland State        | 1992       | 1992      | 1     | 1  | 0    | St. Mary's (Cal.)   | 1992       | 1992      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Colby                  | 1978       | 1986      | 8     | 7  | 1    | St. Peter's         | 1991       | 1992      | 3     | 2     | 1    |
| Colgate                | 1987       | 1992      | 7     | 7  | 0    | Sacramento State    | 1992       | 1992      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| Columbia               | 1994       | 1995      | 2     | 2  | 0    | San Diego St.       | 1987       | 1989      | 2     | 1     | 1    |
| Connecticut            | 1979       | 1998      | 8     | 1  | 7    | San Francisco       | 1994       | 1994      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| Concordia              | 1980       | 1982      | 2     | 2  | 0    | Santa Clara         | 1995       | 1995      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| Cornell                | 1991       | 1991      | 1     | 1  | 0    | Siena               | 1984       | 1991      | 5     | 4     | 1    |
| Dartmouth              | 1984       | 1994      | 8     | 7  | 1    | South Carolina      | 1992       | 1992      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Delaware               | 1992       | 1998      | 14    | 13 | 1    | Southern California | 1987       | 1995      | 2     | 0     | 2    |
| Drake                  | 1991       | 1991      | 1     | 1  | 0    | So. Connecticut     | 1980       | 1983      | 2     | 0     | 2    |
| Drexel                 | 1985       | 1998      | 20    | 18 | 2    | Southern Maine      | 1976       | 1986      | 16    | 16    | 0    |
| East Carolina          | 1997       | 1997      | 1     | 1  | 0    | Springfield         | 1976       | 1986      | 2     | 1     | 1    |
| E. Conn.               | 1981       | 1982      | 2     | 1  | 1    | Stetson             | 1990       | 1990      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| E. Washington          | 1989       | 1989      | 1     | 1  | 0    | Syracuse            | 1989       | 1989      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| Fairfield              | 1984       | 1992      | 2     | 0  | 2    | Tennessee           | 1990       | 1992      | 2     | 0     | 2    |
| Florida                | 1990       | 1990      | 1     | 0  | 1    | Texas               | 1992       | 1992      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Florida International  | 1992       | 1992      | 1     | 0  | 1    | Texas Christian     | 1995       | 1995      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| UM-Farmtn.             | 1975       | 1985      | 20    | 18 | 2    | Towson              | 1996       | 1998      | 7     | 7     | 0    |
| George Washington      | 1996       | 1996      | 2     | 0  | 2    | Tulane              | 1987       | 1987      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| Georgia State          | 1994       | 1994      | 1     | 1  | 0    | Utica               | 1987       | 1988      | 2     | 2     | 0    |
| Georgia Tech           | 1989       | 1989      | 1     | 0  | 1    | Valparaiso          | 1993       | 1993      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Hartford               | 1986       | 1998      | 28    | 25 | 3    | Vanderbilt          | 1991       | 1991      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Harvard                | 1984       | 1990      | 7     | 6  | 1    | Vermont             | 1975       | 1998      | 49    | 35    | 14   |
| Hofstra                | 1985       | 1998      | 10    | 10 | 0    | VCU                 | 1989       | 1989      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Holy Cross             | 1984       | 1992      | 6     | 2  | 4    | Villanova           | 1991       | 1995      | 2     | 1     | 1    |
| Husson                 | 1975       | 1986      | 18    | 16 | 2    | Virginia            | 1984       | 1984      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Illinois               | 1994       | 1994      | 1     | 0  | 1    | Wagner              | 1990       | 1990      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| Illinois St.           | 1990       | 1990      | 1     | 0  | 1    | Wake Forest         | 1989       | 1996      | 2     | 1     | 1    |
| James Madison          | 1992       | 1997      | 3     | 2  | 1    | Washington          | 1995       | 1995      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Kent State             | 1994       | 1994      | 1     | 0  | 1    | Western Kentucky    | 1996       | 1998      | 2     | 1     | 1    |
| Kentucky               | 1990       | 1990      | 1     | 0  | 1    | William & Mary      | 1987       | 1987      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| Lamar                  | 1991       | 1991      | 1     | 0  | 1    | Wisconsin-Green Bay | 1992       | 1992      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Laval                  | 1979       | 1981      | 3     | 3  | 0    | Wisconsin-Madison   | 1997       | 1997      | 1     | 0     | 1    |
| Lehigh                 | 1986       | 1986      | 1     | 1  | 0    | Wyoming             | 1990       | 1990      | 1     | 1     | 0    |
| Long Island            | 1993       | 1993      | 1     | 1  | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Louisiana State        | 1997       | 1997      | 1     | 0  | 1    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Louisville             | 1989       | 1989      | 1     | 1  | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Loyola (Chicago)       | 1994       | 1994      | 1     | 0  | 1    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Loyola Coll.           | 1984       | 1984      | 1     | 1  | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| UM-PI                  | 1975       | 1987      | 14    | 14 | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Maryland-Eastern Shore | 1993       | 1993      | 1     | 1  | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Manhattan              | 1984       | 1994      | 2     | 1  | 1    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Massachusetts          | 1976       | 1997      | 14    | 10 | 4    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Mercer                 | 1994       | 1994      | 1     | 1  | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Miami                  | 1987       | 1997      | 2     | 1  | 1    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Michigan St.           | 1989       | 1989      | 1     | 0  | 1    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Middle Tennessee       | 1986       | 1986      | 1     | 1  | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Mississippi            | 1992       | 1992      | 1     | 0  | 1    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Mt. Allison            | 1979       | 1983      | 3     | 3  | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Navy                   | 1987       | 1987      | 1     | 1  | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| NC-Charlotte           | 1991       | 1995      | 2     | 1  | 1    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| NC State               | 1989       | 1998      | 3     | 0  | 3    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| Nebraska               | 1987       | 1987      | 1     | 1  | 0    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| New Brunswick          | 1979       | 1985      | 8     | 4  | 4    |                     |            |           |       |       |      |
| New Hampshire          | 1975       | 1998      | 39    | 26 | 13   |                     |            |           |       |       |      |



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## Boston University

January 5, 7:30 PM @ Orono, Maine  
February 6, 1:00 PM @ Boston, Mass.



**Location:** Boston, Mass. 02215  
**Founded:** 1839  
**Enrollment:** 15,538  
**President:** Jon Westling  
**Athletic Director:** Gary Strickler  
**Nickname:** Terriers  
**Colors:** Scarlet and White  
**Conference:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Case Gym (1,800)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Al Carbone  
**Office Phone:** (617) 353-2872  
**Home Phone:** (617) 783-5398  
**Fax:** (617) 353-5286  
**Press Row:** (617) 437-0102

**Head Coach:** Chris Basile  
**Alma Mater:** UMass, '77  
**Career Record:** 199-215 (15 years)  
**Record at BU:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (617) 353-4669  
**Assistant Coaches:** Lisa Mikelic, Gary Martinelli, Kathy Karlsson  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 10/5  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 3/2  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 9-18  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 7-11/8th  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads, 23-14  
**Last Meeting:** BU 94-77 (2/12/98)

## University of Delaware

January 22, 7:30 PM @ Orono, Maine  
February 18, 7:00 PM @ Newark, Del.



**Location:** Newark, Del. 19716  
**Founded:** 1743  
**Enrollment:** 15,359  
**President:** Dr. David P. Roselle  
**Athletic Director:** Edgar N. Johnson  
**Nickname:** Fightin' Blue Hens  
**Colors:** Royal Blue and Gold  
**Conference:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Bob Carpenter Center (5,000)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Steve Geller  
**Office Phone:** (302) 831-2186  
**Home Phone:** (302) 283-0575  
**Fax:** (302) 831-8653  
**Press Row:** (302) 831-2186

**Head Coach:** Tina Martin  
**Alma Mater:** Lock Haven, '86  
**Career Record:** 15-40 (2 years)  
**Record at Delaware:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (302) 831-8663  
**Assistant Coaches:** Jeanine Radice, Trina Wilson, Cindy Carroll  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 6/4  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 3/2  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 6-21  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 3-15/10th  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads, 13-1  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 98-73 (2/8/98)

## Drexel University

January 9, 1:00 PM @ Philadelphia, Pa.  
January 30, 1:00 PM @ Orono, Maine



**Location:** Philadelphia, Pa. 19104  
**Founded:** 1891  
**Enrollment:** 6,915  
**President:** Dr. Constantina Papadakis  
**Athletic Director:** Dr. Eric Zillmer  
**Nickname:** Lady Dragons  
**Colors:** Navy Blue and Gold  
**Conference:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Physical Education Athletic Center (2,300)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Chris Beckett  
**Office Phone:** (215) 895-1570  
**Home Phone:** (215) 236-3050  
**Fax:** (215) 895-2038  
**Press Row:** (215) 895-2041

**Head Coach:** Kevin Murphy  
**Alma Mater:** Ursinus, '86  
**Career Record:** 33-51 (3 years)  
**Record at Drexel:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (215) 895-1938  
**Assistant Coaches:** Lynn Milligan, Katie Gardler, Kathy Biell  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 13/2  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 4/1  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 12-16  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 7-11/7th  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads, 18-2  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 84-59 (3/5/98)

## Furman University

December 29  
Tulane/Doubletree Tournament  
Possible Second Round Opponent



**Location:** Greenville, S.C. 29613  
**Founded:** 1826  
**Enrollment:** 2,500  
**President:** Dr. David Shi  
**Athletic Director:** Dr. John Block  
**Nickname:** Lady Paladins  
**Colors:** Purple and White  
**Conference:** Southern  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Herman Lay Physical Activities Center (1,500)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Teri Brinkman  
**Office Phone:** (864) 294-3065  
**Home Phone:** (864) 834-2528  
**Fax:** (864) 294-3061  
**Press Row:** (864) 294-3856

**Head Coach:** Sherry Carter  
**Alma Mater:** South Carolina '74  
**Career Record:** 215-194 (15 years)  
**Record at Furman:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (864) 294-3429  
**Assistant Coaches:** Adrienne Shuler, Marsha Long, Barry Nichols  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 9/2  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 4/1  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 19-8  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 10-4/1st  
**Series Record:** First Meeting



# OPPONENTS

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

## University of Hartford

January 19, 7:00 PM @ Hartford, Conn.  
February 25, 7:30 PM @ Orono, Maine



**Location:** West Hartford, Conn. 06117  
**Founded:** 1877  
**Enrollment:** 4,106  
**President:** Dr. Humphrey Tonkin  
**Athletic Director:** Pat Meiser-McKnett  
**Nickname:** Hawks  
**Colors:** Scarlet and White  
**Conference:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court (Capacity):** The Sports Center (4,500)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Jason Guy  
**Office Phone:** (860) 768-4501  
**Home Phone:** (860) 647-1289  
**Fax:** (860) 768-4068  
**Press Row:** (860) 768-5042

**Head Coach:** Allison Jones  
**Alma Mater:** St. John's, '81  
**Career Record:** 142-112 (9 years)  
**Record at Hartford:** 68-95 (6 years)  
**Coach's Phone:** (860) 768-5035/5034  
**Assistant Coaches:** Susan Cahill, Christine Michalopoulos  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 8/3  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 4/1  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 11-16  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 10-8/4th  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads, 25-3  
**Last Meeting:** Hartford, 74-67 (2/26/98)

## Hofstra University

January 11, 7:00 PM @ Hempstead, N.Y.  
February 1, 7:30 PM @ Orono, Maine



**Location:** Hempstead, N.Y. 11550  
**Founded:** 1935  
**Enrollment:** 12,000  
**President:** Dr. James M. Shuart  
**Athletic Director:** Harry Royle  
**Nickname:** Flying Dutchwomen  
**Colors:** Blue, White and Gold  
**Conference:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Physical Fitness Center (3,500)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Jim Sheehan  
**Office Phone:** (516) 463-6764  
**Home Phone:** N/A  
**Fax:** (516) 463-5033  
**Press Row:** (516) 463-5049

**Head Coach:** Leslie Schlegel-Danowski  
**Alma Mater:** Hofstra, '91  
**Career Record:** 53-84 (5 years)  
**Record at Hofstra:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (516) 463-6754/5069  
**Assistant Coach:** Patrina Blow, Kendra Koneski  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 11/4  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 3/2  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 12-16  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 5-13/9th  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads, 10-0  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 91-83 (2/21/98)

## University of Massachusetts

December 1, 7:00 PM @ Amherst, Mass.



**Location:** Amherst, Mass. 01003  
**Founded:** 1836  
**Enrollment:** 23,991  
**President:** William Bulger  
**Athletic Director:** Bob Marcum  
**Nickname:** Minutewomen  
**Colors:** Maroon & White  
**Conference:** Atlantic 10  
**Home Court (Capacity):** William D. Mullins Center (9,493)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Kathy Connors  
**Office Phone:** (413) 545-2439  
**Home Phone:** (413) 665-2328  
**Fax:** (413) 545-1556  
**Press Row:** (413) 545-6139

**Head Coach:** Joanie O'Brien  
**Alma Mater:** Penn State '86  
**Career Record:** 105-96 (7 years)  
**Record at UMass:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (413) 545-2726  
**Assistant Coaches:** Jill Rooney, Craig Dagan, Maleeka Valentine  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 9/3  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 3/2  
**1997-98 Record (Conference):** 11-5/1st A-10 East  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads, 10-4  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 82-68 (12/4/97)

## Middle Tennessee State

December 28, 7:00 PM  
Tulane/Doubletree Tournament  
First Round Opponent



**Location:** Murfreesboro, Tenn. 37132  
**Founded:** 1911  
**Enrollment:** 18,366  
**President:** Dr. James E. Walker  
**Athletic Director:** Lee Fowler  
**Nickname:** Lady Raiders  
**Colors:** Royal Blue, White and Silver  
**Conference:** Ohio Valley  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Monte Hale Arena (11,520)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Ryan Simmons  
**Office Phone:** (615) 904-8209  
**Home Phone:** (615) 449-5475  
**Fax:** (615) 898-5626  
**Press Row:** (615) 898-2807

**Head Coach:** Stephany Smith  
**Alma Mater:** Harding '88  
**Career Record:** 18-12 (1 year)  
**Record at MTSU:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (615) 898-2968  
**Assistant Coaches:** Altherias Warmley, Valecia Buckner-Todder, Vonda Scott, Scott Cherry  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 8/4  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 3/2  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 18-12  
**Conference Record:** 11-7  
**Series Record:** Maine leads 1-0  
**Last Meeting:** Maine, 75-67 (12/28/86)



# OPPONENTS

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98

## University of Mississippi

December 30

Dead River Company Classic

Possible Second Round Opponent



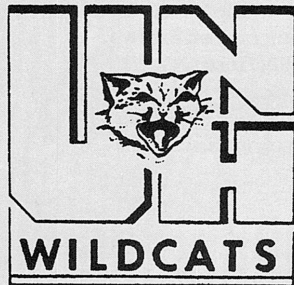
**Location:** University, Miss. 38677  
**Founded:** 1848  
**Enrollment:** 13,315  
**President:** Dr. Robert Khayat  
**Athletic Director:** John Shafer  
**Nickname:** Lady Rebels  
**Colors:** Cardinal Red and Navy Blue  
**Conference:** SEC  
**Home Court (Capacity):** C.M. Tad Smith Coliseum (8,135)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Kimberly Ling  
**Office Phone:** (601) 232-7522  
**Home Phone:** (601) 234-8525  
**Fax:** (601) 232-7006  
**Press Row:** (601) 236-1931

**Head Coach:** Ron Aldy  
**Alma Mater:** Ole Miss '69  
**Career Record:** 91-59 (five years)  
**Record at Mississippi:** 12-19 (one year)  
**Coach's Phone:** (601) 232-7592  
**Assistant Coaches:** John Ishee, Kathy Wilson  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 12/1  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 5/0  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 12-19  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 4-12/12th  
**Series Record:** Ole Miss leads, 1-0  
**Last Meeting:** Ole Miss 64-50, (12/6/92)

## University of New Hampshire

January 16, 1:00 PM @ Durham, N.H.

February 14, 1:00 PM @ Orono, Maine



**Location:** Durham, N.H. 03824  
**Founded:** 1866  
**Enrollment:** 12,450  
**President:** Dr. Joan Leitzel  
**Athletic Director:** Dr. Judith L. Ray  
**Nickname:** Wildcats  
**Colors:** Blue and White  
**Conference:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Lundholm Gym (3,500), Whittemore Center (7,000)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Douglas Poole  
**Office Phone:** (603) 862-3835  
**Home Phone:** (603)  
**Fax:** (603) 862-3839  
**Press Row:** (603) 862-3181/0735

**Head Coach:** Susan Johnson  
**Alma Mater:** Yale '86  
**Career Record:** 12-15 (1 year)  
**Record at UNH:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (603) 862-3831  
**Assistant Coaches:** Kerri Bascom-Poliquin, Gretchen Browne, Kathy Caldwell  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 18/4  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 3/2  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 12-15  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 9-9/6th  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads, 26-13  
**Last Meeting:** UNH 75-65, (2/1/98)

## UNC-Charlotte

December 30

Dead River Company Classic

Possible Second Round Opponent



**Location:** Charlotte, NC 28223  
**Founded:** 1946  
**Enrollment:** 15,895  
**President:** Dr. James H. Woodward  
**Athletic Director:** Judy Rose  
**Nickname:** Lady 49ers  
**Colors:** Green and White  
**Conference:** Conference USA  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Halton Arena (9,105)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Thomas Whitestone  
**Office Phone:** (704) 510-6212  
**Home Phone:** (704) 795-4529  
**Fax:** (704) 547-4918  
**Press Row:** (704) 547-4999

**Head Coach:** Ed Baldwin  
**Alma Mater:** N.C. Central '76  
**Career Record:** 149-132 (10 years)  
**Record at UNC-C:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (704) 547-4939  
**Assistant Coaches:** Ruth Watson, Tolonda Rose  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 10/3  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 4/1  
**1997-98 Record:** 10-18  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 5-11/  
**Series Record:** First Meeting

## Northeastern University

November 20, 7:30 PM @ Portland, Maine

February 4, 7:00 PM @ Boston, Mass.



**Location:** Boston, Mass. 02115  
**Founded:** 1898  
**Enrollment:** 11,500  
**President:** Dr. Richard Freeland  
**Athletic Director:** Ian McCaw  
**Nickname:** Huskies  
**Colors:** Red and Black  
**Conference:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Cabot Gym (3,000)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Adam Polgreen  
**Office Phone:** (617) 373-4154  
**Home Phone:** (617) 783-1653  
**Fax:** (617) 373-3152  
**Press Row:** (617) 373-7925

**Head Coach:** Joy Malchodi  
**Alma Mater:** Ithaca, '70  
**Career Record:** 300-309 (22 years)  
**Record at NU:** 241-255 (18 years)  
**Coach's Phone:** (617) 373-2702  
**Assistant Coaches:** Karen Pinkos, Cathleen Coakley, Lucie Fontanella  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 8/5  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 4/1  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 15-13  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 11-7/3rd  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads, 23-14  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 77-70 (3/6/98)





# OPPONENTS

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

## Northwestern University

December 5  
Northwestern Roger L. White Invitational  
Possible Second Round Opponent



**Location:** Evanston, Ill. 60208  
**Founded:** 1851  
**Enrollment:** 7,400  
**President:** Henry S. Bienen  
**Athletic Director:** Rick Taylor  
**Nickname:** Wildcats  
**Colors:** Purple and white  
**Conference:** Big Ten  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Welsh-Ryan Arena (8,117)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Kerrin Perniciaro  
**Office Phone:** (847) 491-7503  
**Home Phone:** (847) 869-5357  
**Fax:** (847) 491-8818  
**Press Row:** (847) 491-8852/8853

**Head Coach:** Don Perrelli  
**Alma Mater:** Southern Conn. State '61  
**Career Record:** 414-236 (22 years)  
**Record at Northwestern:** 239-165 (14 years)  
**Coach's Phone:** (410) 830-3153/3154  
**Assistant Coaches:** Robin Garrett, Amy Backus, Jennifer Kiefer  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 9/4  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 3/2  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 10-21  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 3-13/10th  
**Series Record:** Northwestern leads 1-0  
**Last Meeting:** Northwestern, 77-54 (12/4/93)

## Ohio University

December 5  
Northwestern Roger L. White Invitational  
Possible Second Round Opponent

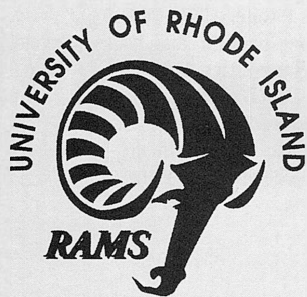


**Location:** Athens, Ohio 45701  
**Founded:** 1804  
**Enrollment:** 19,500  
**President:** Dr. Robert Glidden  
**Athletic Director:** Thomas Boeh  
**Nickname:** Bobcats  
**Colors:** Hunter Green and White  
**Conference:** Mid-American  
**Home Court (Capacity):** The Convo (13,000)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Kevin Zerby  
**Office Phone:** (740) 593-0054  
**Home Phone:** (740) 594-4271  
**Fax:** (740) 593-2420  
**Press Row:** TBA

**Head Coach:** Marsha Teall  
**Alma Mater:** Ohio State, '75  
**Career Record:** 301-164 (16 years)  
**Record at Ohio:** 119-104 (8 years)  
**Coach's Phone:** (740) 593-1193  
**Assistant Coaches:** Liana Coutts, Matt Ladich  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 6/4  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 2/3  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 17-11  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 13-5/4th  
**Series Record:** First Meeting

## University of Rhode Island

December 11, 7:30 PM @ Orono, Maine



**Location:** Kingston, R.I. 02881  
**Founded:** 1892  
**Enrollment:** 13,437  
**President:** Dr. Robert Carothers  
**Athletic Director:** Ron Petro  
**Nickname:** Rams  
**Colors:** Dark Blue, Light Blue & White  
**Conference:** Atlantic 10  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Keaney Gymnasium (3,385)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Joel Quevillon  
**Office Phone:** (401) 874-2409  
**Home Phone:** (401) 783-1099  
**Fax:** (401) 874-5354  
**Press Row:** (401) 874-5359

**Head Coach:** Linda Ziemke  
**Alma Mater:** West Chester, '73  
**Career Record:** 228-271 (19 years)  
**Record at Rhode Island:** 101-152 (9 yrs.)  
**Coach's Phone:** (401) 874-5236  
**Assistant Coaches:** Dayna Smith, Ginny Doyle, Scott Faulis  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 7/3  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 5/0  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 6-21  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 4-12/4th  
**Series Record:** URI leads 9-7  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 91-55 (12/21/97)

## St. Bonaventure

November 27, 7:00 PM @ Orono, Maine  
Dead River Company Classic  
First Round Opponent



**Location:** St. Bonaventure, N.Y.  
**Founded:** 1858  
**Enrollment:** 3,000  
**President:** Dr. Robert Wickenheiser  
**Athletic Director:** Dr. David Diles  
**Nickname:** Bonnies  
**Colors:** Brown and White  
**Conference:** Atlantic 10  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Reilly Center (6,000)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Kate Mahar  
**Office Phone:** (716) 375-2575  
**Home Phone:** (716) 379-3747  
**Fax:** (716) 375-2383  
**Press Row:** TBA

**Head Coach:** Marti Whitmore  
**Alma Mater:** St. Bonaventure '85  
**Career Record:** 74-133 (8 years)  
**Record at St. Bonaventure:** 49-59 (4 years)  
**Coach's Phone:** N/A  
**Assistant Coach:** Jim Crowley, Stacia Rustad, Christopher Mennig  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 9/5  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 4/2  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 16-14  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 7-9/3rd  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads 2-0  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine 73-62, (1/2/95)

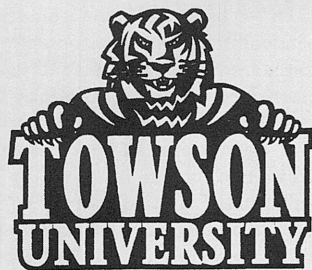


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### Towson University

January 24, 1:00 PM @ Orono, Maine  
February 20, 1:00 PM @ Towson, Md.



**Location:** Towson, Md. 21204  
**Founded:** 1866  
**Enrollment:** 14,600  
**President:** Dr. Hoke L. Smith  
**Athletic Director:** Dr. Wayne Edwards  
**Nickname:** Tigers  
**Colors:** Gold, White & Black  
**Conference:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Towson Center (5,000)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Adrienne Mullikin  
**Office Phone:** (410) 830-2232  
**Home Phone:** (410) 243-1238  
**Fax:** (410) 830-3861  
**Press Row:** (410) 830-3286

**Head Coach:** Ellen Fitzkee  
**Alma Mater:** Lafayette, '81  
**Career Record:** 121-154 (10 years)  
**Record at Towson:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (410) 830-3153/3154  
**Assistant Coaches:** Bob Clark, Paul Smith  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 8/5  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 2/3  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 15-13  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 10-8/4th  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads 7-0  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 84-52 (2/6/98)

### Tulane University

December 29  
Tulane/Doubletree Tournament  
Possible Second Round Opponent



**Location:** New Orleans, La.  
**Founded:** 1834  
**Enrollment:** 11,300  
**President:** Dr. Scott S. Cowan  
**Athletic Director:** Sandy Barbour  
**Nickname:** Green Wave  
**Colors:** Olive Green and Sky Blue  
**Conference:** Conference USA  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Fogelman Arena (3,600)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Philip Allison  
**Office Phone:** (504) 865-5506  
**Home Phone:** (504) 818-2068  
**Fax:** (504) 865-5512  
**Press Row:** (504) 862-8172

**Head Coach:** Lisa Stockton  
**Alma Mater:** Wake Forest '86  
**Career Record:** 151-59 (7 years)  
**Record at Tulane:** 88-32 (4 years)  
**Coach's Phone:** (504) 865-5672  
**Assistant Coaches:** Katie Meier, Kellie Kennedy, Amy Wallace  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 8/5  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 3/2  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 21-7  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 12-4/2nd National Div.  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads 1-0  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 65-57 (12/30/87)

### University of Vermont

January 27, 7:30 PM @ Burlington, Vt.  
February 10, 7:30 PM @ Orono, Maine

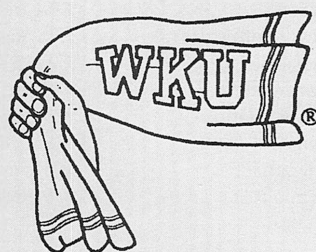


**Location:** Burlington, Vt. 05405  
**Founded:** 1791  
**Enrollment:** 7,500  
**President:** Judith Ramaley  
**Athletic Director:** Richard A. Farnham  
**Nickname:** Catamounts  
**Colors:** Green and Gold  
**Conference:** AMERICA EAST  
**Home Court (Capacity):** Patrick Gymnasium (3,228)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Lisa Champagne  
**Office Phone:** (802) 656-1818  
**Home Phone:** TBA  
**Fax:** (802) 656-8328  
**Press Row Phone:** (802) 864-6114

**Head Coach:** Keith Gieplicki  
**Alma Mater:** William & Mary '85  
**Career Record:** 22-7 (1 year)  
**Record at Vermont:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (802) 656-2136/7695  
**Assistant Coaches:** Jen Niebling, Erin O'Brien  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 8/5  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 2/3  
**1997-98 Conference Record/Finish:** 15-3/1st  
**Series Record:** UMaine leads, 35-14  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 81-80 (3/7/98)

### Western Kentucky University

December 4, 6:00 p.m.  
Northwestern Roger L. White Invitational  
First Round Opponent



**Location:** Bowling Green, Ky. 42101  
**Founded:** 1906  
**Enrollment:** 14,795  
**President:** Dr. Gary Ransdell  
**Athletic Director:** Lewis Mills  
**Nickname:** Lady Toppers  
**Colors:** Red and White  
**Conference:** Sun Belt  
**Home Court (Capacity):** E.A. Diddle Arena (11,300)  
**Sports Information Contact:** Sally Krauss  
**Office Phone:** (502) 745-5388  
**Home Phone:** (502) 846-4492  
**Fax:** (502) 782-0767  
**Press Row:** (502) 745-6941

**Head Coach:** Steve Small  
**Alma Mater:** Campbellsville '70  
**Career Record:** 26-9 (1 year)  
**Record at Western Kentucky:** Same  
**Coach's Phone:** (410) 830-3153/3154  
**Assistant Coaches:** Mary Taylor Cowles, Blaine Embry, Lillie Mason Stockton  
**Letterwinners Ret./Lost:** 10/4  
**Starters Ret./Lost:** 2/3  
**1997-98 Overall Record:** 26-9  
**Conference Record/Finish:** 12-2/2nd  
**Series Record:** Tied 1-1  
**Last Meeting:** UMaine, 76-64 (1/29/98)



# AMERICA EAST

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

Now in its 11th year of championship competition, AMERICA EAST continues its rise toward national prominence with a reputation as one of the most competitive and comprehensive conferences in the nation.

Over the last decade, AMERICA EAST teams have established a record of unparalleled success, enabling the conference to earn automatic-qualifier status in six NCAA Championships: Baseball, Men's Basketball, Women's Basketball, Field Hockey, Women's Soccer and Women's Volleyball.

In addition, AMERICA EAST is on the verge of receiving automatic qualifier status in softball, men's tennis, women's tennis and men's soccer. Only a handful of the nation's Division I conferences provides as much access to its champions into NCAA postseason play.

This on-field success has come without sacrificing the academic integrity of the 10 member institutions: Boston University, University of Delaware, Drexel University, University of Hartford, Hofstra University, University of Maine, University of New Hampshire, Northeastern University, Towson University, and University of Vermont.

"The conference has made significant strides toward national prominence in all sports," says Chris Monasch, Commissioner of AMERICA EAST. "The potential for continued development is considerable due to the academic and athletic quality of the 10 member institutions. AMERICA EAST is poised to attain an even greater presence in the near future."

Again last season, AMERICA EAST continued its ascent into the national picture in several sports.

Men's basketball saw its championship played before a packed house and national audience on ESPN, as Delaware earned the conference's automatic berth to the NCAA Tournament.

AMERICA EAST also earned the national spotlight in women's basketball as the conference rated No. 13 of 30 Division I conferences according to the NCAA's Rating Percentage Index (RPI). With a high level of play, it should come as no surprise AMERICA EAST continued to be ranked in the top 10 nationally in attendance, as evidenced by the 13,624 fans who passed through the turnstiles at Maine's Alford Arena during the AMERICA EAST Championship.

AMERICA EAST career scoring leader Cindy Blodgett, who twice led the nation in scoring during her four years at Maine, has taken her talent to the next level as the sixth overall pick (by the Cleveland Rockers) in the 1998 WNBA Draft.

The fall of 1997 was another banner season for AMERICA EAST as the Hartford women's soccer team advanced to the NCAA second round. Northeastern was one of only six automatic qualifiers to the NCAA Field Hockey Championship after winning the AMERICA EAST title.

Boston University's men's soccer team advanced to the NCAA Championship, continuing AMERICA EAST's streak of placing

at least one team in the NCAA Championship since the league began competition in that sport in 1988.

Hofstra advanced to the NCAA Championship by virtue of its AMERICA EAST title in volleyball.

The spring proved to be one of the most successful in recent history as Delaware's baseball team received a No. 3 seed in the NCAA Baseball Championship, the highest AMERICA EAST seed since Maine's third seed in 1991.

The Blue Hens' Kevin Mench, the first sophomore to win AMERICA EAST Player of the Year honors, became the first sophomore to earn Collegiate Baseball Magazine's National Player of the Year. Mench led the nation in both batting and home runs.

Northeastern's Carlos Pena became the first of six AMERICA EAST players selected in the 1998 Major League Baseball Draft, when he was chosen with the 10th overall pick in the first round by the Texas Rangers.

With that talent, AMERICA EAST baseball was ranked ninth nationally in the most recent RPI as the top-rated conference in the East.

Hofstra ranked near the top 25 in the nation en route to its AMERICA EAST softball title.

In addition to the team-sport success, Boston University's Karl Rasmussen, the first four-time cross-country champion in AMERICA EAST history, was named All-American after finishing fifth in the 10,000-meters at the NCAA Outdoor Track and Field Championships.

In keeping the proper balance between academics and athletics, AMERICA EAST continued to award the Academic Cup, honoring the institution whose student-athletes compile the highest composite team grade-point average of the 10 member institutions over the course of the academic year. In addition, more than 1,300 student-athletes with grade-point averages of 3.0 or higher during their playing season were named to the Academic Honor Roll.

Several AMERICA EAST student-athletes were also recognized both regionally and nationally as GTE/CoSIDA Academic All-Americans.

To see just how far AMERICA EAST has come, consider the following. The league was established in 1979 as the ECAC North. The conference at that time consisted of 10 institutions and sponsored league competition only in men's basketball, with the champion having an automatic bid to the NCAA Division I Championship.

Men's basketball remained the lone league sport until the 1987-88 academic year. At that time, the Board of Directors made a new commitment to the Conference, establishing a conference office, hiring a full-time commissioner, and embarking on a building program which, within a few short years, sponsored championship competition in 21 different sports for men and women.

Stuart P. Haskell, Jr. was employed as the conference's first commissioner in 1987, and served in that capacity until his retirement in July, 1997. During his tenure, AMERICA EAST expanded to conduct men's championships in baseball, basketball, cross country, golf, indoor

track, lacrosse, outdoor track, soccer, swimming and tennis.

The conference's Board of Directors voted to include women's athletics in the conference at the beginning of the 1988-89 academic year. These sports — basketball, cross country, field hockey, indoor track, lacrosse, outdoor track, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis and volleyball — have thrived under AMERICA EAST leadership. The conference is proud to provide a postseason championship in every league-sponsored women's sport.

In addition to supporting and recognizing success on the playing field, AMERICA EAST also sponsors one of the most expansive programs in the country citing academic successes among its student-athletes. Among the conference awards is the Academic Cup, honoring the institution whose student-athletes compile the highest composite team grade-point average of the 10 member-institutions over the course of the academic year. All varsity team members who earn Dean's List honors or a grade-point average of 3.0 or higher during their playing season receive AMERICA EAST recognition and awards. The conference annually determines the top Scholar-Athlete in each of its 21 championship sports and from those 21 winners, the top male and female Scholar-Athlete are further honored by the league.

With a recently-expanded staff and resources, and the conference's relocation to downtown Boston, AMERICA EAST is poised to continue its rise with an eye on the 21st century.

AMERICA EAST and ESPN Regional will once again provide a Game of the Week television package for men's and women's basketball. In addition, the conference championship will be televised live on ESPN for the 12th consecutive year.

This venture, and several others, including the advent of the conference website — [www.americaeast.org](http://www.americaeast.org) — are aimed at servicing the needs and interests of AMERICA EAST fans everywhere.

## AMERICA EAST MEMBERSHIP HISTORY

| Member Institution | Years        |
|--------------------|--------------|
| Boston University  | 1979-present |
| Canisius           | 1979-1989    |
| Colgate            | 1979-1990    |
| Delaware           | 1991-present |
| Drexel             | 1991-present |
| Hartford           | 1985-present |
| Hofstra            | 1994-present |
| Holy Cross         | 1979-1983    |
| Maine              | 1979-present |
| New Hampshire      | 1979-present |
| Niagara            | 1979-1989    |
| Northeastern       | 1979-present |
| Rhode Island       | 1979-1981    |
| Siena              | 1979-1989    |
| Towson             | 1995-present |
| Vermont            | 1979-present |



# AMERICA EAST

NCAA APPEARANCES: '95, '96, '97, '98; CONFERENCE TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONSHIPS: '90, '91, '95, '96, '97, '98

## 1997-98 AMERICA EAST Women's Basketball Standings

Webber Energy Fuels/Exxon  
AMERICA EAST

Women's Basketball Championship  
at Alford Arena, Orono, Maine

Wednesday, March 3

First Round

No. 9 Hofstra 76, No. 8 Boston Univ. 62

No. 7 Drexel 68, No. 10 Delaware 66

Thursday, March 4

Quarterfinals

No. 4 Towson 66, No. 5 Hartford 61

No. 1 Vermont 72, No. 9 Hofstra 69

No. 2 Maine 84, Drexel 59

No. 3 Northeastern 71, No. 6 New Hampshire 59

Friday, March 5

Semifinals

No. 1 Vermont 78, No. 4 Towson 55

No. 2 Maine 77, No. 3 Northeastern 70

Saturday, March 6

Finals

No. 2 Maine 81, No. 1 Vermont 80

### All-Tournament Team

Cindy Blodgett, Maine  
Kate Gordon, Hofstra  
Karalyn Church, Vermont  
Lori Taylor, Vermont  
Jamie Cassidy, Maine

### Most Outstanding Player

Cindy Blodgett, Maine

| School            | AMERICA EAST |    |      | Overall |    |      |
|-------------------|--------------|----|------|---------|----|------|
|                   | W            | L  | Pct. | W       | L  | Pct. |
| # Vermont         | 15           | 3  | .833 | 22      | 7  | .759 |
| * Maine           | 13           | 5  | .722 | 21      | 9  | .724 |
| Northeastern      | 11           | 7  | .611 | 15      | 13 | .536 |
| Towson            | 10           | 8  | .556 | 15      | 13 | .536 |
| Hartford          | 10           | 8  | .556 | 11      | 16 | .407 |
| New Hampshire     | 9            | 9  | .500 | 12      | 15 | .444 |
| Drexel            | 7            | 11 | .389 | 12      | 16 | .429 |
| Boston University | 7            | 11 | .389 | 9       | 18 | .333 |
| Hofstra           | 5            | 13 | .278 | 12      | 16 | .429 |
| Delaware          | 3            | 15 | .167 | 6       | 21 | .222 |

# regular season champion

\* tournament champion (automatic qualifier)

### AMERICA EAST All-Conference Teams

#### First Team

|                |              |     |   |                             |
|----------------|--------------|-----|---|-----------------------------|
| Kate Gordon    | Hofstra      | Sr. | F | East Islip, N.Y./East Islip |
| Cindy Blodgett | Maine        | Sr. | G | Clinton, Maine/Lawrence     |
| Jamie Cassidy  | Maine        | So. | F | Methuen, Mass./Methuen      |
| Tesha Tinsley  | Northeastern | Jr. | G | Baltimore, Md./Western      |
| Karalyn Church | Vermont      | So. | C | Guelph, Ontario/Guelph      |

#### Second Team

|               |               |     |   |                                  |
|---------------|---------------|-----|---|----------------------------------|
| Jen MacNeill  | Drexel        | Sr. | F | Egg Harbor, N.J./Egg Harbor Twp. |
| Orsi Farkas   | New Hampshire | So. | F | Budapest, Hungary/Va'Ros Major   |
| Betsy Palecek | Northeastern  | Jr. | C | Indianapolis, Ind./Carmel        |
| Shneice Perry | Towson        | So. | C | Red Bank, N.J./Red Bank          |
| Kate Cronin   | Vermont       | Sr. | G | Dundee, N.Y./Dundee Central      |

#### Third Team

|                |               |     |     |                                 |
|----------------|---------------|-----|-----|---------------------------------|
| Jamie Nicholls | Boston Univ.  | Jr. | G   | Ringwood, N.J./Lakeland         |
| Tracy Stolle   | Hartford      | Jr. | G/F | Warren, Conn./Wamogo            |
| Kim Kassik     | New Hampshire | So. | F   | Kitchner, Ontario/Resurrection  |
| Kelly Karl     | New Hampshire | Sr. | G   | Libertyville, Ill./Libertyville |
| Lori Taylor    | Vermont       | Sr. | G   | Markham, Ontario/Markham        |

#### All-Rookie Team

|                    |              |     |     |                                  |
|--------------------|--------------|-----|-----|----------------------------------|
| Alison Dixon       | Boston Univ. | Fr. | C   | Norwood, Mass./Norwood           |
| Danielle Leyfert   | Delaware     | Fr. | G/F | Vienna, Va./Oakton               |
| Cindy Johnson      | Delaware     | Fr. | G   | Far Rockaway, N.Y./August Martin |
| Michelle Maslowski | Drexel       | Fr. | F   | Williamstown, N.J./Williamstown  |
| Jess Gordon        | Towson       | Fr. | F   | Williamsburg, Pa/Williamsburg    |

Player of the Year: Karalyn Church, Vermont

Rookie of the Year: Alison Dixon, Boston University

Coach of the Year: Ellen Fitzkee, Towson



## FACILITIES

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The Harold Alfond Sports Arena, one of the finest all-purpose facilities in the northeast, was completed in February of 1977. Thanks to the generosity of Mr. Harold Alfond, the Arena allows basketball to return to campus in a modern, up-graded facility. The UMaine women played their first game in Alfond on January 30, 1992 when they defeated Boston University, 74-57. The largest women's crowd at the Arena was 5,862 when they faced New Hampshire on February 1, 1998.

Attendance at the University of Maine reached an all-time high last year with 4,846 fans on average at Alfond Arena. UMaine finished 14th in the nation in the national rankings of attendance, and was as high as tenth in the country during the season.

Mr. Alfond, who has contributed over \$6 million dollars to the University since 1968, donated \$2 million dollars for the expansion. Mr. Alfond's gift represented the largest one-time (non-posthumous) cash contribution ever bestowed upon the University at that time. Over 2,000 people, headed by Mr. Alfond, donated funds for the original construction of the complex.

The expansion created 70-foot by 140-foot additions to the east and west sides of the Arena allowing for the installation of 1,200 seats. The construction raises the capacity to 5,587 for hockey and 5,712 for basketball. Included in the Arena expansion are additional concession areas and rest rooms, locker rooms, ticket offices, souvenir stands and improved media facilities. A storage area has also been built for the new basketball court to be used in the building.

Aside from being UMaine's home court, the Arena is used by high school and youth hockey leagues, and for concerts and graduation ceremonies.

The complex is a modern facility with virtually no obstructed-view seats in the building and an excellent view of the court.

The following services are offered at Alfond Arena:



The Alfond Sports Arena was the sight of UMaine's big upset victory 75-73 over #10 Alabama during the 1994-95 campaign and another upset in 1998 when the Black Bears defeated 18th ranked Western Kentucky.

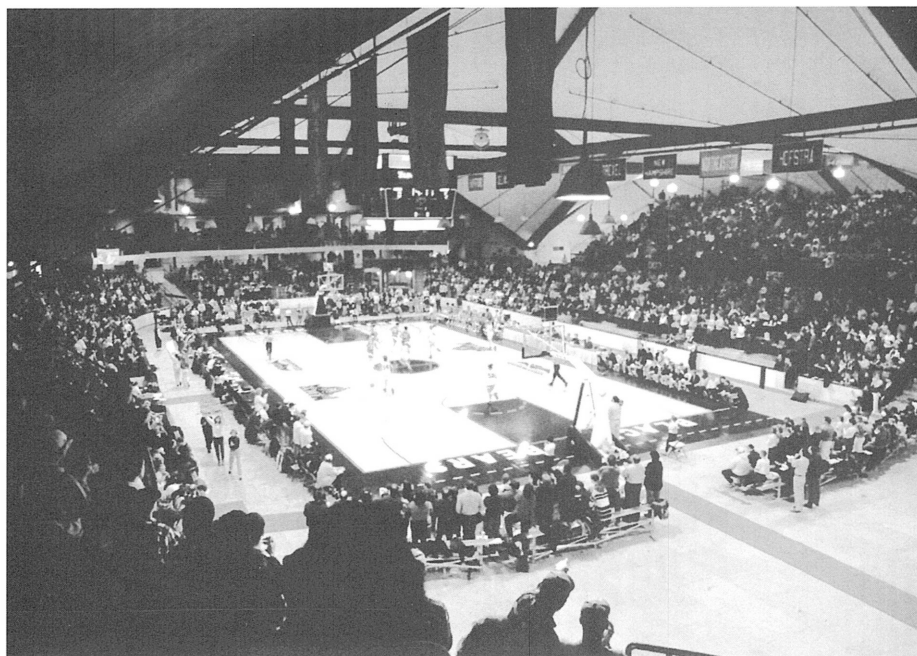
**Public Telephones:** Pay phones are located in the lobby of the arena.

**Concession stands:** Located at both the east and west sides of the arena.

**Rest Rooms:** Located underneath the east and west side bleachers.

**Public Address:** Announcements under emergency situations may be made. To make an emergency announcement, report to the press row area. We regret that announcements of a personal nature will not be made.

**First Aid:** Medical attendants are present at each game and can be found at the south end of the arena.

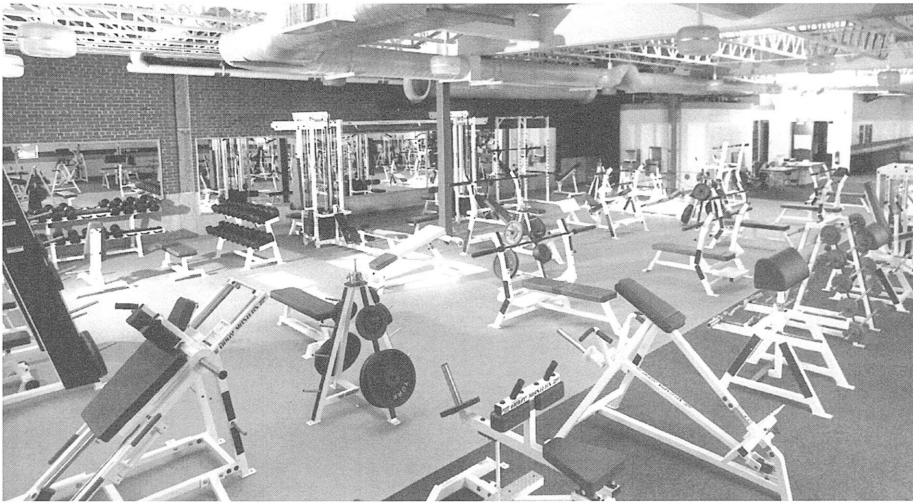


Alfond Sports Arena: Home of the Black Bears since 1992.



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The Michael B. and Georgia D. Latti Fitness Center.

A modern training facility to service the University community was completed in June of 1990. The new facility is more than double the size of the old facility. The 1,800-foot room also features top equipment to serve the 200 recreational and varsity athletes who use the facility each day. The wet area of the room includes a freezer with ice making capabilities and three whirlpools. The facility also houses seven plinths and a taping area for 30 athletes.

The University employs three full-time trainers to assist with athletic coverage. Approximately 15 student-trainers also help in the coverage of practices and home events.



The Michael Kessock Sports Medicine Center.



The Edith Ness Women's Basketball Suite.

The women's basketball team also received new locker room facilities as part of the expansion project.

The Edith Ness Women's Basketball Suite was made possible by the generous donation of Mrs. Edith Talbot Ness, class of 1932, a loyal fan and dedicated alumna who is devoted to excellence at the University of Maine.

The locker room contains 20 oak box-style lockers with upper compartments in which valuables and equipment may be stored. There is also a shower room and bathroom area.

The plush carpeting and attractive architecture make this a premier locker room facility.



# 1998-99 SCHEDULE

CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS: 88-89, 89-90, 90-91, 93-94, 94-95, 95-96, 96-97

| Day  | Date    | Time      | Opponent  | Site              |
|--|---------|-----------|---|-------------------|
| Tuesday  | Nov. 10 | 7:30 p.m. | FOREIGN EXHIBITION GAME                         | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Friday   | Nov. 13 | 7:30 p.m. | LEVICE (Exhibition.)                            | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Friday   | Nov. 20 | 7:30 p.m. | DEAD RIVER COMPANY SHOOTOUT<br>vs. Northeastern | PORTLAND, MAINE*  |
| <b>DEAD RIVER COMPANY CLASSIC</b>                          |         |           |   |                   |
| Friday   | Nov. 27 | 5:00 p.m. | UNC-Charlotte vs. Univ. of Mississippi          | ALFOND ARENA      |
|  |         | 7:00 p.m. | St. Bonaventure vs. Maine                       |                   |
| Saturday   | Nov. 28 | 5:00 p.m. | Consolation Game                                | ALFOND ARENA      |
|  |         | 7:00 p.m. | Championship Game                               |                   |
| Wednesday  | Dec. 2  | 7:00 p.m. | at UMass  | Amherst, Mass.    |
| <b>Northwestern Roger L. White Invitational Tournament</b> |         |           |   |                   |
| Friday   | Dec. 4  | 6:00 p.m. | Maine vs. Western Kentucky                      | Evanston, Ill.    |
|  |         | 8:00 p.m. | Northwestern vs. Ohio                           |                   |
| Saturday   | Dec. 5  | 6:00 p.m. | Consolation Game                                | ALFOND ARENA      |
|  |         | 8:00 p.m. | Championship Game                               |                   |
| Friday   | Dec. 11 | 7:30 p.m. | RHODE ISLAND                                    | ALFOND ARENA      |
| <b>Tulane/Doubletree Tournament</b>                        |         |           |   |                   |
| Monday   | Dec. 28 | 7:00 p.m. | Maine vs. Middle Tennessee State                | New Orleans, La.  |
|  |         | 9:00 p.m. | Tulane vs. Furman                               |                   |
| Tuesday  | Dec. 29 | 7:00 p.m. | Consolation Game                                | ALFOND ARENA      |
|  |         | 9:00 p.m. | Championship Game                               |                   |
| Tuesday  | Jan. 5  | 7:30 p.m. | BOSTON UNIVERSITY #                             | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Saturday   | Jan. 9  | 1:00 p.m. | at Drexel#                                      | Philadelphia, Pa. |
| Monday   | Jan. 11 | 7:00 p.m. | at Hofstra #                                    | Hempstead, N.Y.   |
| Saturday   | Jan. 16 | 1:00 p.m. | at New Hampshire#                               | Durham, N.H.      |
| Tuesday  | Jan. 19 | 7:00 p.m. | at Hartford#                                    | Hartford, Conn.   |
| Friday   | Jan. 22 | 7:30 p.m. | DELAWARE#                                       | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Sunday   | Jan. 24 | 1:00 p.m. | TOWSON#   | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Wednesday  | Jan. 27 | 7:30 p.m. | at Vermont                                      | Burlington, Vt.   |
| Saturday   | Jan. 30 | 1:00 p.m. | DREXEL#   | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Monday   | Feb. 1  | 7:30 p.m. | HOFSTRA#  | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Thursday   | Feb. 4  | 7:00 p.m. | at Northeastern #                               | Boston, Mass.     |
| Saturday   | Feb. 6  | 1:00 p.m. | at Boston University#                           | Boston, Mass.     |
| Wednesday  | Feb. 10 | 7:30 p.m. | VERMONT   | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Sunday   | Feb. 14 | 1:00 p.m. | NEW HAMPSHIRE #                                 | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Thursday   | Feb. 18 | 7:00 p.m. | at Delaware#                                    | Newark, Del.      |
| Saturday   | Feb. 20 | 1:00 p.m. | at Towson #                                     | Towson, Md.       |
| Thursday   | Feb. 25 | 7:30 p.m. | HARTFORD#                                       | ALFOND ARENA      |
| Wednesday  | March 3 | TBA       | First Round                                     | Burlington, Vt.   |
| Thursday   | March 4 | TBA       | AMERICA EAST Quarterfinals                      |                   |
| Friday   | March 5 | TBA       | AMERICA EAST Semi-Finals                        |                   |
| Saturday   | March 6 | TBA       | AMERICA EAST Championship                       |                   |
|  |         | TBA       | NCAA 1st/2nd Rounds                             | TBA               |
|  |         | TBA       | NCAA Regionals                                  | TBA               |
|  |         | TBA       | NCAA Final Four                                 | TBA               |

# AMERICA EAST Game

\* Cumberland County Civic Center

## Information for the Media

The University of Maine Sports Information Staff extends a cordial welcome to all working media covering our home games. We appreciate the coverage you give us, and we will do everything possible to assist you in your game duties. In order to create the best possible situation, please observe the following:

**CREDENTIALS:** All credential requests should be directed to Lisa McEvoy, Assistant Sports Information Director, 5747 Memorial Gym, University of Maine, Orono, Me. 04469-5747 (207) 581-1086. Credentials to be mailed should be requested at least two weeks in advance. All other credentials can be picked up at the will-call booth at the main entrance of the Alfond Arena.

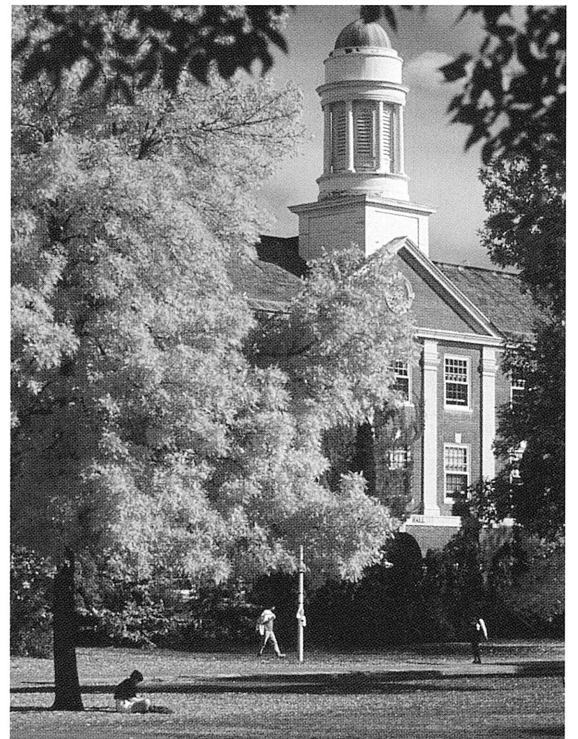
**INTERVIEWS:** All requests for interviews, either in person or via phone, must be approved by the UMaine Sports Information Office, and should be directed through the Sports Information Director or assistant. Postgame interviews will be conducted 10 minutes after the game in an area designated outside of the locker room.

**RADIO POLICY:** Permission to broadcast may be obtained by calling the UMaine Sports Information Office. One phone line for a rental fee of \$75 will be available for the visiting school. Other lines may be obtained by calling the Sports Information Office. All calls on these lines should be collect or billable to the user.

**PRESS PARKING:** A section of VIP parking has been reserved for members of the media. Please contact the UMaine Sports Information Office in advance for passes.

**PRESS SERVICES:** Pregame notes, statistics, media guides, and programs/rosters are available prior to the start of the game. Halftime statistics, and final statistics will also be provided. Telephone lines and a fax machine are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Refreshments are available at the concession stand.

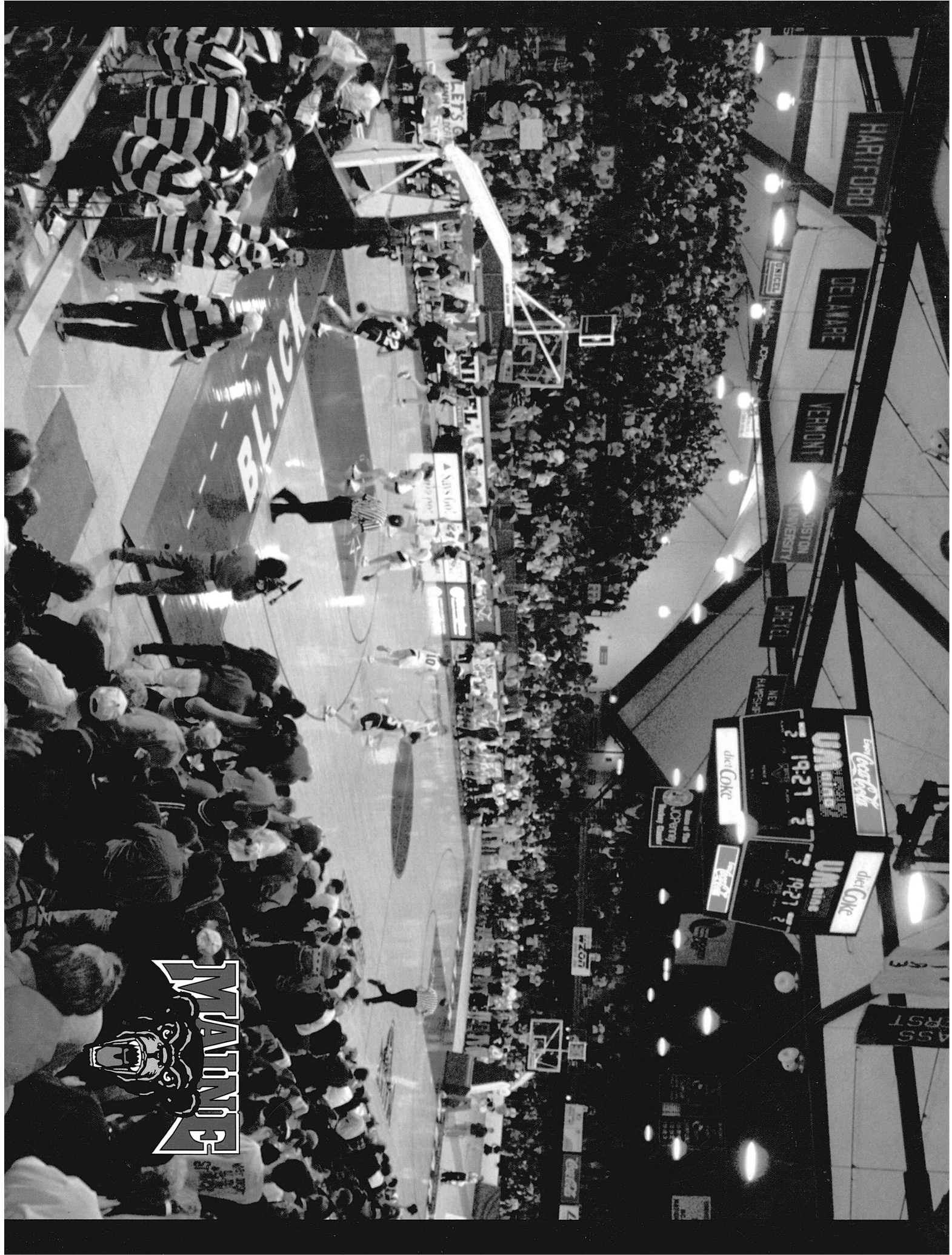




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