

# MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY-BILLINGS YELLOWJACKETS SOFTBALL

Weekly Release #8 – April 19, 2005

#### This Week's Schedule:

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#### **Next Week's Schedule:**

April 25 – vs. Minot State, 11:30 & 1:30, Cenex Stadium April 30 – vs. Western New Mexico, 3 & 5, Cenex Stadium May 1 – vs. Western New Mexico, 1 & 3, Cenex Stadium

## **Next Week's Opponent:**

Minot State University – The Beavers are the defending Dac-10 champions, but are 10-14 overall and 6-8 in the conference. Last weekend they took three of four games from Dakota State University with 39 hits and 24 runs in the four game series. Before the Beavers visit Cenex Stadium on April 25 they will play two games against University of Mary and two against Dickinson State.

The Beavers have two players hitting over .400 and another four batting at least .330. Meagan Paradine leads the team with a .424 average and 13 runs scored. Whitney Stobbs is hitting .405. Whitney Friesen is the Beavers' top pitcher, posting a 4-5 record with a 1.76 ERA. She has struck out 82 in 75 innings.

#### **Opponent Series Records:**

MSUB Wins: 3 Minot Wins: 0

First Meeting: MSUB 3, Minot 1 (3/21/03 at Cenex Stadium) Last Meeting: MSUB 9, Minot 6 (3/23/03 at Cenex Stadium) Streaks: In the only three meetings between the schools, the Yellowjackets beat the Beavers three times in three days at the 2003 Yellowjacket Invitational.

Western New Mexico University – The Mustangs are the defending PacWest and West Region champions, but are on the verge of being eliminated from playoff contention. With a current 23-21 record, the Mustangs will likely be geared up for their final four regular season games in Billings. WNMU plays at the Mountain Dew Classic in Bakersfield, CA before traveling to Billings.

Tiffany DeVaurs leads the team and is sixth in the PWC with a .387 batting average. She leads the conference with 37 RBI. Meredith Drahota and Stephanie Kirkpatrick are tied for third in the league with 33 runs apiece.

Freshman pitcher Molly Yetman has been a great addition for the 'Stangs. Last week's PWC player of the week is 12-11 overall and ranks tenth in the league for ERA (3.35), tenth for opposing batting average (.271), second for innings pitched (135.2), third for strikeouts (100), and second for wins (12).

### **Opponent Series Records:**

MSUB Wins: 0 Minot Wins: 12

First Meeting: WNMU 4, MSUB 2 (2/1/02 at Grand Junction, CO) Last Meeting: WNMU 10, MSUB 9 (10 inn) (3/13/04 at Silver City) Streaks: The Mustangs have owned the series, winning all 12 meetings. This will be WNMU's first trip to Billings. The first eight meetings were at neutral sites in Colorado. The Jackets dropped four in Silver City, NM last year.

2005 Schedule & Results 28-12 overall, 9-5 PacWest							
Date Feb. 26	Opponent at St. Cloud Indoor Tournament	<u>Time</u>					
1 00. 20	Pittsburg State	W, 8-3					
	St. Cloud State	L, 5-3					
Feb. 27	at St. Cloud Indoor Tournament						
	Winona State	W, 7-6 (9)					
	Emporia State	L, 2-1					
	Minnesota-Duluth	W, 2-0					
Mar. 3	at Cent. Wash. Tournament						
	Humboldt State	L, 1-0					
M 4	Central Washington	L, 1-0					
Mar. 4	at Cent. Wash. Tournament	W 2 2 (0)					
	Western Washington Western Oregon	W, 3-2 (9) W, 6-4					
Mar. 5	at Cent. Wash. Tournament	W, 0-4					
iviai. 5	Grand Canyon	W, 5-1					
	Northwest Nazarene	W, 9-0					
Mar. 6	at Cent. Wash. Tournament	,					
	Saint Martin's	W, 9-2					
	Seattle University	W, 4-3					
Mar. 8	at Seattle University	W, 2-1					
Mar. 8	at Seattle University	L, 6-2					
Mar. 9	at St. Martin's	W, 11-4					
Mar. 9	at St. Martin's	W, 5-0					
Mar. 13	Dickinson State	<b>W, 9-1</b> L, 4-3					
Mar. 24 Mar. 24	at Hawaii Pacific * at Hawaii Pacific *	L, 4-3 L, 10-3					
Mar. 25	at Hawaii Pacific *	rained out					
Mar. 25	at Hawaii Pacific *	rained out					
Mar. 28	at BYU-Hawaii *	W, 4-3 (8)					
Mar. 28	at BYU-Hawaii *	W, 10-3					
Mar. 29	at BYU-Hawaii *	L, 7-6					
Mar. 29	at BYU-Hawaii *	W, 16-11					
Apr. 1	Easton Tournament of Champions						
	Western Washington	W, 9-1					
	Central Washington	W, 6-4					
Apr. 2	Easton Tournament of Champions	W 2.1					
	Hawaii Pacific Humboldt State	W, 2-1					
Apr. 3	Easton Tournament of Champions	L, 3-2 (8)					
Арг. 3	Western Oregon	W, 4-2					
	Humboldt State	L, 4-0					
Apr. 5	Chaminade *	W, 7-0					
Apr. 5	Chaminade *	W, 5-0					
Apr. 6	Chaminade *	W, 10-0					
Apr. 6	Chaminade *	L, 4-2					
Apr. 10	Hawaii-Hilo *	W, 7-5					
Apr. 10	Hawaii-Hilo *	W, 11-6					
Apr. 11	Hawaii-Hilo *	L, 2-0					
Apr. 11	Hawaii-Hilo *	W, 9-8					
Apr. 13	Albertson College	W, 12-0					
Apr. 13 Apr. 25	Albertson College Minot State	W, 15-4 11:30 a.m.					
Apr. 25 Apr. 25	Minot State Minot State	1:30 a.m. 1:30 p.m.					
Apr. 23 Apr. 30	Western New Mexico *	3 p.m.					
Apr. 30	Western New Mexico *	5 p.m.					
May 1	Western New Mexico *	1 p.m.					
May 1	Western New Mexico *	3 p.m.					

Home games in **bold**, played at Cenex Stadium

\* Pacific West Conference Game
All times local to game site

#### **Notes**

#### **NCAA Poll Watch**

The Yellowjackets are in prime position to qualify for their first NCAA Tournament in the program's five year history. With six games remaining in the regular season, the Jackets control their own tournament destiny. They were ranked fifth in the West Region last week, and with losses by teams above them over the weekend could challenge for a higher spot this week. The next poll will be released on Thursday, April 21. The top six teams on May 9 will be invited to the NCAA Tournament that will begin on May 12. Last week's poll: 1. Humboldt State; 2. Cal State-Dominguez Hills; 3. San Francisco State; 4. Hawaii-Hilo; 5. Montana State-Billings; 6. Cal State-Chico; 7. Hawaii Pacific; 8. Cal State-Bakersfield; 9. Seattle University; 10. Central Washington.

#### And if You're Planning on Going to the Tourney

For Yellowjacket fans planning to attend the NCAA West Regional should the Jackets qualify, don't book your plane tickets quite yet. The obvious No. 1 seed will be Humboldt State, which is 47-2 overall and ranked third in the nation. The Lumberjacks would also earn the right to host the tourney in Arcata, CA. However, the weekend of the regional tournament is also the weekend of Humboldt's commencement ceremony, which has led to speculation that Arcata might not have the required number of hotel rooms available to host a regional tourney. No. 2 Cal State-Dominguez Hills in Carson, CA could be the next school in line to host if Humboldt cannot. The final site may not be known until May 9.

#### Yellowjacket Ironwomen

Entering their final week of the regular season, four Yellowjackets have played in all 40 games this season. Joey Ehnes, Sara Hanley and Christy Wankel have started all 40. Layne Pavey has played in 40 and started 38. Cami Rainey has played in 39 of 40, followed by Rachel Quarnburg and Theresa Campbell with 38 appearances apiece.

#### **The Next Generation**

With nine seniors leading the Yellowjackets' record breaking season, it's been easy to overlook the contributions of the underclassmen. Freshman Jenna Haacke has had the biggest impact of the younger players. The former Billings Senior standout has played in and started 36 games, hitting a respectable .294. Her 18 RBI and three homers are tops among the Jackets' freshmen and sophomores. She has also scored 12 runs. Sophomore Aysha Blatter is batting .233 in 35 games and has scored 13 runs. Freshman Jessica Frank has seen increased playing time late in the season and is 4-for-9 at the plate in 17 games. She has four runs and four RBI.

Hawaii-Hilo     14-4     .778     29-9     .763       Hawaii Pacific     8-4     .667     27-13     .673       MSU-Billings     9-5     .643     28-12     .700       Western N.M.     8-10     .444     23-21     .523	PacWest Conference Standings										
Hawaii Pacific     8-4     .667     27-13     .67       MSU-Billings     9-5     .643     28-12     .700       Western N.M.     8-10     .444     23-21     .52		Conf.	Pct	All	Pct						
MSU-Billings 9-5 .643 28-12 .700 Western N.M. 8-10 .444 23-21 .523	Hawaii-Hilo	14-4	.778	29-9	.763						
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	MSU-Billings	9-5	.643	28-12	.700						
NAME II	Western N.M.	8-10	.444	23-21	.523						
BYU-Hawaii 6-12 .555 15-25 .59;	BYU-Hawaii	6-12	.333	15-23	.395						
Chaminade 3-13 .188 10-33 .233	Chaminade	3-13	.188	10-33	.233						

## PacWest Conference Preseason Coaches' Poll

- 1. Western New Mexico
- 2. Hawaii-Hilo
- 3. MSU-Billings
- 4. Hawaii Pacific
  - . BYU-Hawaii
- 6. Chaminade

No.NameB/TPos.Yr.Hometown (Previous School)3Jessica FrankR/RSS/2BFr.Great Falls, MT/C.M. Russell HS4Jordan WaverekR/RP/OFSr.Kalispell, MT/Flathead HS6Stephanie CochrunL/LP/1BSr.Lake Stevens, WA/Lake Stevens HS7Stephanie RinehartR/ROFFr.Gig Harbor, WA/Gig Harbor HS8Cami PaineyL/PSS/OESr.Tarreton, ID/W, Lafferen, HS									
No.	<u>Name</u>	B/T	Pos.	<u>Yr</u> .	Hometown (Previous School)				
3	Jessica Frank	R/R	SS/2B		Great Falls, MT/C.M. Russell HS				
4	Jordan Waverek	R/R	P/OF	Sr.	Kalispell, MT/Flathead HS				
6	Stephanie Cochrun	L/L	P/1B	Sr.	Lake Stevens, WA/Lake Stevens HS				
7	Stephanie Rinehart	R/R	OF	Fr.	Gig Harbor, WA/Gig Harbor HS				
8	Cami Rainey	L/R	SS/OF	Sr.	Terreton, ID/W. Jefferson HS				
9	Natalie Luehr	R/R	C/OF	So.	Kalispell, MT/Flathead HS				
10	Sara Hanley	R/R	3B/OF	Sr.	Kalispell, MT/Flathead HS				
11	Cari Dunlap	R/R	2B/OF	So.	Billings, MT/West HS				
12	Anna Henderson	L/L	OF	Jr.	Frenchtown, MT/Yakima Valley CC				
14	Theresa Campbell	R/R	C/DP/1B	Sr.	Great Falls, MT/Great Falls HS				
15	Joey Ehnes	L/R	P/2B	Sr.	Great Falls, MT/Great Falls HS				
16	Caitlin Luehr	R/R	3B/1B	So.	Kalispell, MT/Flathead HS				
18	Aysha Blatter	R/R	IF/Ut	So.	Richland, WA/Kamiakin HS				
20	Layne Pavey	R/R	C/OF	Sr.	Spokane, WA/Lewis & Clark HS				
21	Jenna Haacke	R/R	2B/3B	Fr.	Billings, MT/Senior HS				
22	Melissa DelSignore	R/R	C/3B	Sr.	Manassas, VA/Frederick CC				
24	Rachel Quarnburg	L/R	P/1B	So.	Billings, MT/Senior HS				
25	Megan McCrae	R/R	P/OF	Sr.	Brandon, Manitoba/Vincent Massey HS				
30	Christy Wankel	R/R	OF	Jr.	Great Falls, MT/C.M. Russell HS				

### SINGLE GAME CAREER HIGHS FOR 2005 YELLOWJACKETS

#3 Jessica Frank

Hits: 1 four times Runs: 1 four times

RBI: 1 vs. St. Martin's, 3/9/05;

1 vs. Chaminade, 4/5/05 Doubles: N/A

Triples: N/A Homeruns: N/A

Stolen Bases: 1 vs. NW Nazarene, 3/5/05

#4 Jordan Waverek

Hits: 1 five times Runs: 1 nine times

RBI: 1 vs. San Francisco State, 2/18/03;

1 vs. Minot State, 3/21/03 Doubles: N/A Triples: N/A Homeruns: N/A Stolen Bases: N/A

Pitching Ks: 3 vs. Valley City State, 3/20/04;

3 vs. Minnesota-Duluth, 2/27/05

Innings Pitched: 6.0 vs. SF State, 2/18/03

#6 Stephanie Cochrun

Hits: 3 six times Runs: 2 six times

RBI: 4 vs. Valley City State, 3/20/04

**Doubles:** 1 nine times

Triples: 1 vs. Chico State, 4/2/04

Homeruns: 1 four times

Stolen Bases: 3 vs. Dickinson State, 4/11/02 Pitching Ks: 7 vs. BYU-Hawaii, 2/25/03; 7 vs. Northwest Nazarene, 3/8/04 Innings Pitched: 7 vs. NW Nazarene, 3/8/04

#7 Stephanie Rinehart

Hits: N/A Runs: N/A RBI: N/A Doubles: N/A Triples: N/A Homeruns: N/A Stolen Bases: N/A

#8 Cami Rainey

Hits: 4 vs. Chaminade, 4/5/05

Runs: 3 eight times

RBI: 4 vs. Albertson College, 4/13/05

**Doubles:** 2 seven times

Triples: 1 vs. Western Oregon, 4/3/05 Homeruns: 2 vs. Albertson College, 4/13/05 Stolen Bases: 2 vs. SF State, 2/18/03;

2 vs. St. Martin's, 3/9/05

#9 Natalie Luehr Hits: 1 vs. Hawaii Pacific, 4/11/04; 1 vs. Chaminade, 4/6/05

Runs: 1 vs. Hawaii-Hilo, 4/10/05

RBI: N/A Doubles: N/A Triples: N/A Homeruns: N/A Stolen Bases: N/A

#10 Sara Hanley

Hits: 3 vs. Chaminade, 2/14/04; 3 vs. Humboldt State, 3/5/04; 3 vs. Chaminade, 4/5/05

Runs: 3 vs. Pittsburg State, 2/26/05 **RBI:** 4 vs. Western New Mexico, 2/1/02

Doubles: 1 twenty-four times Triples: 1 five times

**Homeruns:** 1 vs. Western New Mexico, 2/1/02;

1 vs. Hawaii Pacific, 4/11/04

Stolen Bases: 2 vs. Northwest Nazarene, 3/8/04

#11 Cari Dunlap

Hits: 1 vs. Valley City State, 3/20/04 Runs: 1 vs. Emporia State, 2/27/05 RBI: 1 vs. Valley City State, 3/20/04 Doubles: N/A

Triples: N/A Homeruns: N/A Stolen Bases: N/A

#12 Anna Henderson Hits: 4 vs. Northern State. 3/20/04 Runs: 2 vs. Northern State, 3/20/04; 2 vs. NW Nazarene, 3/5/05

RBI: 2 five times **Doubles:** 1 four times Triples: N/A Homeruns: N/A

Stolen Bases: 1 vs. Northern Colorado, 5/2/04

#14 Theresa Campbell

Hits: 3 five times

Runs: 3 vs. Albertson College, 4/13/05 RBI: 4 vs. Jamestown, 3/22/03; 4 vs. BYU-Hawaii, 2/28/05 Doubles: 2 vs. Jamestown, 3/22/03

Triples: N/A

Homeruns: 1 eighteen times Stolen Bases: 1 vs. Mesa State, 2/2/02;

1 vs. Dickinson State, 3/13/05;

1 vs. Hawaii Pacific, 3/24/05

#15 Joey Ehnes

**Hits:** 4 vs. Hawaii-Hilo, 4/11/05

Runs: 3 four times

**RBI:** 4 vs. Colorado College, 4/21/03;

4 vs. Hawaii-Hilo, 4/11/05 **Doubles:** 3 vs. St. Martin's. 3/7/04

Triples: 1 four times

Homeruns: 2 vs. Colorado College, 4/21/02;

2 vs. Hawaii-Hilo, 4/11/05 Stolen Bases: 2 vs. Dickinson State, 4/11/02

Pitching Ks: 15 vs. Western Wash., 3/4/05 (9 inn);

15 vs. Chaminade, 4/6/05 (7 inn)

Innings Pitched: 10 vs. BYU-Hawaii, 4/24/04

#16 Caitlin Luehr

Hits: 1 six times Runs: 1 three times

RBI: 2 vs. BYU-Hawaii, 4/24/04

Doubles: 1 vs. Central Washington, 3/5/04

Triples: N/A

Homeruns: 1 vs. BYU-Hawaii. 4/24/04

Stolen Bases: N/A

#18 Aysha Blatter

Hits: 3 vs. Mesa State, 3/10/04 Runs: 2 four times RBI: 2 vs. Mesa State, 3/10/04

Doubles: 1 eight times

Triples: 1 vs. Cal State-Chico, 4/2/04 Homeruns: 1 vs. Mesa State, 3/10/04 Stolen Bases: 1 vs. NW Nazarene, 3/5/05 #20 Layne Pavey

Hits: 3 five times

Runs: 3 vs. Valley City State, 3/20/04 RBI: 4 vs. BYU-Hawaii, 3/29/05; 4 vs. Albertson College, 4/13/05 **Doubles:** 2 vs. Pittsburg State, 2/7/04

Triples: N/A

Homeruns: 2 vs. Northern Colorado, 5/1/04 Stolen Bases: 1 vs. BYU-Hawaii, 4/26/04

#21 Jenna Haacke

Hits: 2 six times

Runs: 2 vs. Winona State, 2/26/05; 2 vs. Albertson College, 4/13/05 RBI: 3 vs. Albertson College, 4/13/05

Doubles: 1 six times

Triples: 1 vs. Hawaii-Hilo, 4/11/05 Homeruns: 1 vs. Seattle, 3/6/05; 1 vs. BYU-Hawaii, 3/28/05; 1 vs. BYU-Hawaii, 3/29/05

Stolen Bases: N/A

#22 Melissa DelSignore

Hits: 1 vs. Seattle, 3/6/04; 1 vs. St. Martin's, 3/6/05

Runs: 1 vs. Northwest Nazarene, 3/8/04

RBI: N/A Doubles: N/A Triples: N/A Homeruns: N/A Stolen Bases: N/A

#24 Rachel Quarnburg Hits: 3 vs. BYU-Hawaii, 3/29/05; 3 vs. Chaminade, 4/6/05; 3 vs. Hawaii-Hilo, 4/10/05

Runs: 3 vs. Albertson College, 4/13/05 RBI: 5 vs. Dickinson State, 3/13/05;

5 vs. Chaminade, 4/6/05

Doubles: 2 vs. NW Nazarene, 3/5/05 Triples: N/A

Homeruns: 2 vs. Chaminade, 4/6/05

Stolen Bases: N/A Pitching Ks: 2 vs. St. Martin's, 3/6/05;

2 vs. Humboldt State, 4/2/05

Innings Pitched: 7 vs. Humboldt State, 4/2/05

#25 Megan McCrae Hits: 2 vs. Western New Mexico, 3/13/04;

2 vs. Grand Canyon, 4/3/04

Runs: 2 vs. Western New Mexico, 3/13/04

RBI: 2 vs. Chaminade, 2/14/04 Doubles: 1 vs. Minot State, 3/23/03; 1 vs. Western New Mexico, 3/12/04

Triples: N/A Homeruns: N/A Stolen Bases: N/A

Pitching Ks: 10 vs. Northern State, 3/19/04 Innings Pitched: 8.2 at Hawaii-Hilo, 3/2/02

#30 Christy Wankel

Hits: 3 four times

Runs: 3 vs. Valley City State, 3/23/03

**RBI:** 3 six times Doubles: 1 sixteen times Triples: 1 four times Homeruns: 1 ten times

Stolen Bases: 2 vs. Western New Mexico 3/13/04

#### **MSUB Career Leaders**

D ((' 100 AB)						
Batting Average (min. 100 A Rachel Quarnburg	.463					
Cami Rainey	.343					
Joey Ehnes	.304					
Sara Hanley	.291					
Christy Wankel	.288					
Layne Pavey	.270					
Theresa Campbell	.267					
Megan O'Donnell Stephanie Cochrun	.265					
Stephanie Cochrun	.232					
Joey Ehnes	94					
Cami Rainey	83					
Sara Hanley	64					
Theresa Campbell	62					
Christy Wankel	58					
Layne Pavey	52					
Stephanie Cochrun	49					
Hits						
Cami Rainey Joey Ehnes	146 145					
Sara Hanley	130					
Theresa Campbell	108					
Layne Pavey	103					
Christy Wankel	99					
Stephanie Cochrun	86					
<b>Doubles</b>						
Cami Rainey	34					
Joey Ehnes	28					
Sara Hanley	24					
Layne Pavey Theresa Campbell	22 18					
Christy Wankel	16					
<u>Triples</u>						
Sara Hanley	5					
Joey Ehnes	4					
Christy Wankel	4					
Michelle Falsken	2 2					
Meghan O'Donnell	2					
Home Runs	10					
Theresa Campbell Layne Pavey	18 17					
Joey Ehnes	13					
Cami Rainey	11					
Christy Wankel	10					
Rachel Quarnburg	5					
Stephanie Cochrun	4					
Runs Batted In						
Joey Ehnes	76 76					
Theresa Campbell Layne Pavey	76 67					
Cami Rainey	58					
Christy Wankel	57					
Sara Hanley	54					
Stephanie Cochrun	35					
Rachel Quarnburg	34					
Pitching Strikeouts						
Joey Ehnes	609					
Megan McCrae Kamee Love	183 46					
Jessica Murray	35					
Stephanie Cochrun	32					
Jordan Waverek	26					

# The Last Time in Yellowjacket Softball.....

A player had 3 hits in a game - Cami Rainey & Layne Pavey vs. Albertson, 4/13/05

A player had 4 hits in a game – Joey Ehnes vs. Hawaii-Hilo, 4/11/05

A player scored three runs in a game – Theresa Campbell vs. Albertson, 4/13/05

A player had two doubles in a game – Cami Rainey vs. Albertson College, 4/13/05

A player had three doubles in a game – Joey Ehnes vs. St. Martin's, 3/7/04

A player had two triples in a game - n/a

A player hit 2 home runs in a game - Cami Rainey vs. Albertson, 4/13/05

A player hit 3 home runs in a game - n/a

A player had 3 RBI in a game – Theresa Campbell vs. Albertson, 4/13/05

A player had 4 RBI in a game – Cami Rainey & Layne Pavey vs. Albertson, 4/13/05

A player had 5 RBI in a game – Rachel Quarnburg vs. Chaminade, 4/6/05

A player had 3 walks in a game – Theresa Campbell vs. Hawaii Pacific, 4/2/05

A player had 4 walks in a game – Theresa Campbell vs. Hawaii Pacific, 4/10/04

A player had 2 stolen bases in a game – Cami Rainey vs. St. Martin's, 3/9/05

A player had 3 stolen bases in a game – Stephanie Cochrun vs. Dickinson St., 4/11/02

A pitcher had 10 strikeouts in a game – Joey Ehnes vs. Cal St.-Stanislaus, 4/4/04

A pitcher had 11 strikeouts in a game – Joey Ehnes vs. Dickinson St., 4/11/02

A pitcher had 12 strikeouts in a game – Joey Ehnes vs. Chaminade, 4/5/05

A pitcher had 13 strikeouts in a game – Joey Ehnes vs. Mesa State, 3/10/04

A pitcher had 15 strikeouts in a game – Joey Ehnes vs. Chaminade, 4/6/05

# Yellowjacket Coaching Staff



Jeff Aumend is in his fifth season at the helm of the Yellowjacket program that he built from the ground beginning in 2000. At MSU-Billings, Aumend has again taken a program from scratch and made it competitive in just a few years. The Yellowjackets won 18 of their last 24 games, last year, to finish just one game below .500 at 27-28. The 2004 season was full of highlights as they led the Pacific West Conference in home runs and had six players named all-conference with two of those also being named all-region. A 53-92 overall record for the program is deceptive as the Jackets have increased, progressively, from 2 wins in 2001 to 9 (2002), 15 (2003) and 27, last season.

Aumend, a native of Alliance, Ohio, started the NCAA Division II women's softball program at Queens College in Charlotte, North Carolina in 1994 and served as its first and only Head Women's Softball Coach until he moved to Billings in September of 2000 to start the MSU-Billings softball program. In his

seven years at Queens College, Aumend achieved a 155-132 record with a 100% graduation rate among his student-athletes. In Aumend's first season at Queens College (1993-94), the Royals posted a 26-17 record. More recently, in the 1997 season, the Royals went 32-13 and finished the season ranked fourth in the South Atlantic Region. Aumend earned his 200th career victory last season and has an eleven-year career record of 208-224. A respected hitting coach, his 1998 team at Queens finished fourth in the nation in team batting average at .372 and last year's MSU-Billings finished 23rd in the nation home runs with 32.

MSU-Billings competes in the Pacific West Conference, which includes four schools in Hawaii and one in New Mexico. MSU-Billings is the first four-year institution in Montana to offer women's softball. Aumend received a Bachelor of Science degree in Communication Arts from Defiance College (Ohio). He currently serves on the NCAA Division II "Top 25" poll committee and is the former National Chairperson for Education/Publications for the National Fastpitch Coaches Association (NFCA).

#### **Assistant Coaches**



Sean McGary (5<sup>th</sup> Season)



Kamee Love (2<sup>nd</sup> Season)



Anthony Stone (4<sup>th</sup> Season)

# Statistics Summary for Mont. St.-Billings (as of Apr 19, 2005) (All games)

Record: 28-12 Home: 9-1 Away: 3-4 Neutral: 16-7 PacWest: 9-5

Date	Opposing team	Score	Player	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	Н	2В	3в	HR	RBI	ВВ	нвр	so	SB-ATT
2/26	vs Pittsburg State	W 8-3	9 Luehr, Natalie	1.000	8-0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0-0
2/26	at St. Cloud State	3-5 L	24 Quarnburg, Rachel	.463	38-38	108	17	50	5	0	5	34	20	3	9	0-1
2/26	vs Winona State	₩ 7-6	3 Frank, Jessica	. 444	17-3	9	4	4	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1-2
2/27	vs Emporia State	1-2 L	8 Rainey, Cami	. 432	39-39	139	39	60	16	1	6	27	7	0	16	5-7
2/27	vs Minnesota Duluth	W 2-0	15 Ehnes, Joey	. 392	40-40	120	33	47	11	2	6	27	7	1	5	3-3
3/3	vs Humboldt State	0-1 L	14 Campbell, Theresa	.354	38-33	96	23	34	3	0	10	31	18	0	17	2-2
\$3/3	vs Central Washington	0-1 L	30 Wankel, Christy	.323	40-40	124	23	40	5	3	4	26	8	1	12	3-4
3/4	vs Western Washington	W 3-2	10 Hanley, Sara	.305	40-40	118	21	36	5	1	0	8	9	3	9	1-2
3/4	vs Western Oregon	W 6-4	21 Haacke, Jenna	.294	36-36	102	12	30	6	1	3	18	5	0	18	0-0
3/5	vs Grand Canyon	W 5-1	6 Cochrun, Stephani	.250	34-22	56	12	14	0	0	0	8	3	1	9	1-1
3/5	vs Northwest Nazarene	₩ 9-0	18 Blatter, Aysha	. 233	35-22	43	13	10	4	0	0	5	2	0	10	1-1
3/6	vs Saint Martin's	₩ 9-2	12 Henderson, Anna	.217	34-28	69	13	15	1	0	0	6	5	1	8	0-0
3/6	vs Seattle	W 4-3	20 Pavey, Layne	.186	40-38	97	13	18	5	0	3	16	17	2	35	0-0
3/8	at Seattle University	W 2-1	22 DelSignore, Melis	.143	15-2	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	3	0-0
3/8	at Seattle University	2-6 L		.100	12-2	10		1	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	0-0
3/9	at Saint Martin's Coll.		4 Waverek, Jordan	.000	16-2	6		0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0-0
3/9	at Saint Martin's Coll.		11 Dunlap, Cari	.000	11-0	5			0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0-0
3/13	Dickinson State	W 9-1	16 Luehr, Caitlin	.000	3-0	2		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0
*3/24	at Hawai'i Pacific	3-10 L	7 Rinehart, Stephan	.000	5-3	1		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0-0
*3/24	at Hawai'i Pacific	3-4 L	, <u>.</u>													
*3/28	vs BYU-Hawaii	W 4-3	Totals	.324	40-40	1113	229	361	61	8	37	209	108	15	157	17-23
*3/28	vs BYU-Hawaii	W 10-3	Opponents	.220	40-40	1021			35	2	14		72			32-35
*3/29	vs BYU-Hawaii	6-7 L														
*3/29	vs BYU-Hawaii	W 16-11	LOB - Team (273), Opp	(227)	. DPs t	urned	- T	eam	(11),	aa0	(4)	. IE	3B -	Tear	n (2)	
&4/1	vs Western Washington	W 9-1	Ehnes 2.						. ,,		` '				` '	'
&4/1	vs Central Washington	W 6-4														
&4/2	vs Hawaii-Pacific	W 2-1	Player	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG S	SHO/C	BO S	V	ΙP	Н	R	ER	BB SO
&4/2	vs #4 Humboldt State	2-3 L														
&4/3	vs Humboldt State	0-4 L	6 Cochrun, Stephani	0.00	0-0	1	0	0	0/0		0	0.0	0	0	0	0 0
&4/3	vs Western Oregon	W 4-2	15 Ehnes, Joey	1.54	22-9	36	24	20	4/2		1 19	1.1	127	55	42	51 241
*4/5	Chaminade	₩ 7-0	24 Quarnburg, Rachel		0-0	3	3	0	0/0		0 1	0.2	14	6	5	2 4
*4/5	Chaminade	₩ 5-0	4 Waverek, Jordan		3-0	8	5	0	0/1		0 2	7.2	34	24	15	11 18
*4/6	Chaminade	W 10-0	25 McCrae, Megan		3-3	12	8	3	1/1		0 3	8.0	50	39	23	8 24
*4/6	Chaminade	2-4 L	, ,													
*4/10	Hawaii-Hilo	₩ 7-5	Totals	2.22	28-12	40	40	23	7/2		1 26	7.2	225	124	85	72 287
*4/10	Hawaii-Hilo	W 11-6	Opponents	4.95	12-28	40	40	12	4/0		1 25	8.2	361	229	183	108 157
*4/11	Hawaii-Hilo	0-2 L														
*4/11	Hawaii-Hilo	₩ 9-8	PB - Team (18), Pavey	, 13, I	elSigno	re 5,	qqO	(8).	SBA	/ATT	- F	avey	7 (2	9-32)	, Eh	nes
4/13	Albertson College	W 12-0	(22-25), McCrae (8-8)		_								-			
4/13	Albertson College	W 15-4	(1-1).	•	-		•	-						• •	_	-
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Win-loss breakouts: Day 28-12; Night 0-0; vs Left 2-0; vs Right 26-12; 1-Run games 7-6; 2-Run games 5-3; 5+Run games 15-1; Extra inns 3-1; Shutouts 7-4. Current streak: Won 3; Longest winning streak: 7; Longest losing streak: 2. Attendance: Home 860 (avg 57); Away 1037 (avg 41); Total 1897 (avg 47).