

Montana State University-Billings

Women's Basketball

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School Address Montana State University-Billings

1500 University Drive Billings, MT 59101

Founded/Enrollment Nickname/Colors

National Affiliation

1927 (Eastern Montana College until 1994)/4,343

Yellowiackets/Cobalt Blue and Yellow

NCAA Division II Independent

Conference

Arena/Capacity

Alterowitz Gymnasium/3,500

Chancellor Dr. Ronald Sexton (Oregon '71) **Athletic Director** A.D. Phone

Dr. Gary Gray (Oregon '83)

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Head Coach Karyn Ridgeway (University of Montana '89) 3rd Season

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Kevin Woodin, Assistants Darryl Helmber Kami Malnaa

Ridgeway's MSUB Record 40-15 (2 Seasons) **Overall Career Record** 95-117 (8 Seasons)

2001 Season Record 23-5; NCAA West Region Qualifiers

Returning Starters/Lost 3/2 **Returning Letterman/Lost** 5/3

Top Returning Players:

Natalie Visger, 5-11 Senior Forward (12.7 ppg, 7.3 rpg, 51.7 FG%, 83.7 FT%)

Jessica Henigman, 6-2 Senior Center (6.5 ppg, 5.4 rpg, 2.4 bpg)

Amy Bantz, 5-7 Senior Guard (5.7 ppg, 2.0 apg, 2.4 rpg)

Jessica Bachmann, 5-8 Senior Guard (5.6 ppg, 1.7 apg)

Robyn Milne, 6-3 Sophomore Center (4.8 ppg, 6.3 rpg, 2.0 bpg) Joan Langford, 5-7 Senior Guard (Redshirted in 2001-2002)

Incoming Players:

Kayla Frize, 5-6 Sophomore Guard (Montana State University-Bozeman) Lisa Jellum, 5-7 Freshman Guard (Campbell County HS, Gillette, WY)

Alyssa Root, 5-10 Freshman Forward (Billings Skyview HS) Tanya Petersen, 6-0 Freshman Forward (Billings West HS)