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WHO WE ARE: SIX NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS, 19 FINAL FOURS, 112 NCAA SELECTIONS

STANDINGS

Team	C-USA	Pct.	Н	Α	Overall	Pct.	Н	Α	N	L-10	Streak
(RV) UTEP	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	10-1	.909	7-0	2-1	1-0	9-1	W 2
WKU	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	10-2	.833	5-0	4-2	1-0	9-1	W 7
Southern Miss	1-0	1.000	1-0	0-0	8-4	.667	7-0	1-3	0-1	7-3	W 2
North Texas	1-0	1.000	0-0	1-0	6-5	.545	3-3	3-2	0-0	6-4	W 3
Florida Atlantic	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	8-3	.727	6-1	1-2	1-0	7-3	W 3
Charlotte	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	7-4	.636	4-1	2-3	1-0	6-4	L1
UAB	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	7-4	.636	5-0	1-3	1-1	7-3	W 5
Middle Tennessee	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	6-5	.545	3-2	3-2	0-1	6-4	L1
Old Dominion	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	4-8	.333	2-2	2-3	0-3	3-7	L1
FIU	0-0	.000	0.0	0.0	2-9	.182	2-5	0-4	0-0	1-9	L 5
Marshall	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1	10-2	.833	8-0	2-1	0-1	8-2	L1
Louisiana Tech	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1	5-7	.417	3-3	1-3	1-1	4-6	L 2
UTSA	0-1	.000	0-1	0-0	4-7	.364	4-2	0-5	0-0	4-6	L 3
Rice	0-1	.000	0-0	0-1	1-11	.083	0-6	1-5	0-0	1-9	L 4

SCHEDULE (CST)

★Live stream/TV coverage in parenthesis

Fri., January 1

- →at North Texas 68. UTSA 58
- **→**UTEP 60 at Rice 54

Sat., January 2

- →at WKU 81, Marshall 52
- →at Southern Miss 69, Louisiana Tech 59

Sun., January 3

→Old Dominion at Charlotte (FOX Sports)	12 p.m.
→FIU at Florida Atlantic	1 p.m.
→ UTSA at Rice	2 p.m.
→ UAB at Middle Tennessee	2 p.m.
→LITEP at North Texas	3 n m

Thu., January 7

→Southern Miss at Charlotte (TWC22)	11 a.m.
→WKU at FIU	6 p.m.
→ Marshall at Florida Atlantic	6 p.m.
→ Louisiana Tech at Old Dominion (FOX Sports)	6 p.m.
→ UAB at UTSA	7 p.m.

→ Middle Tennessee at UTEP

Sat., January 9	
→Louisiana Tech at Charlotte (TWC22)	6 p.m.
→ Marshall at FIU	1 p.m.
→ WKU at Florida Atlantic	2 p.m.
→ Middle Tennessee at UTSA	2 p.m.
→ Southern Miss at Old Dominion	3 p.m.

Sun January 10

→ UAB at UTEP (FOX Sports)	6 p.m.
→North Texas at Rice (ASN)	2 p.m.

Thu., January 14

→Charlotte at Middle Tennessee	6:30 p.m.
→FIU at Louisiana Tech	6:30 p.m.
→ Florida Atlantic at Southern Miss (FOX Sports)	8 p.m.
→North Texas at Marshall	5 p.m.
→Old Dominion at UAB	7 p.m.
→ Pico at WKII	7 n m

Sat., January 16

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→FIU at Southern Miss	4 p.m
→Florida Atlantic at Louisiana Tech	6 p.m
→Rice at Marshall	12 p.m
→Old Dominion at Middle Tennessee (MT10)	
	6 p.m

Sun January 17

Julii, Juliuul y 17	
→ UTSA at UTEP (ASN)	2 p.m.

Thu., January 21

→Charlotte at Marshall	5 p.m.
→ UTSA at FIU	6 p.m.
→UTEP at Florida Atlantic	6 p.m.
→ Middle Tennessee at North Texas	7 p.m.
→ UAB at Rice	7 p.m.
→Old Dominion at WKU (FCS)	11 a.m.

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→UAB at UTEP (FOX Sports)	6 p.m.
→North Texas at Rice (ASN)	2 p.m.

→Rice at WKU 7 p.m.

→Charlotte at UAB	2 p.m.
→FIU at Southern Miss	4 p.m.
→Florida Atlantic at Louisiana Tech	6 p.m.
→ Rice at Marshall	12 n m

→North Texas at WKU 2 p.m. **→**UTSA at UTEP TBA

→ UTSA at UTEP (ASN)	2 p.m.
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→Charlotte at Marshall	5 p.m.
→ UTSA at FIU	6 p.m.
→UTEP at Florida Atlantic	6 p.m.
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HOOPS HEADLINES

→UTEP in the polls, WKU on a seven-game win streak

→ODU at Charlotte on FOX Sports on Sunday, 1 p.m. ET

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WHAT'S UP?

→ <u>League Play Underway</u>

All 14 squads are in action on the opening weekend of C-USA play as teams begin jockeying for seeding at the C-USA Championship. North Texas, Southern Miss, UTEP and WKU are each 1-0 through two days of league action.

→ FOX Sports Coverage

C-USA will see an opening weekend game televised nationally on FOX Sports when redhot Charlotte hosts Old Dominion on Sunday, Jan. 3, at 1 p.m. EST.

→ National Marks (as of Dec. 31)

Stat	Player (School)	Mark	Rank
3PT/G	Brea Edwards (MT)	3.73	2nd
P/G	Brea Edwards (MT)	20.5	21st
3PT%	Kendall Noble (WKU)	53.7%	3rd
FT%	Chelsee Black (UAB)	96.6%	3rd
FT%	Ciara Gregory (CHA)	96.3%	6th
FG%	Alexis Alexander (CHA)	59.3%	18th

Middle Tennessee rising star Brea Edwards is second nationally in three-pointers per game (3.73) and 21st in pure scoring (20.5 points per game).

→UTEP Remains in the Polls

UTEP continued its stay in the polls as it received votes in the latest AP Top-25 Poll for the third consecutive week. It is one of three C-USA squads to appear in the polls this season and the lone C-USA team in the latest poll.

→Old Dominion Hits 1,000 Wins

In what is no small feat, the Lady Monarchs of Old Dominion topped the 1,000-win mark with a 19-point victory against Howard. ODU is only the fourth team in NCAA women's basketball history to be granted entry into the exclusive club, where they join fellow C-USA program Louisiana Tech.

→ Pouring It On

C-USA has seen 36 different student-athletes score 20+ points already this season. Three players in particular have been on offensive onslaughts as WKU's Tashia Brown and MIddle Tennessee's Brea Edwards have each dropped 20+ on six separate occasions, while LA Tech's Brandi Wingate owns four 20+ point explosions.

★Superlatives 30-Point Scoring Games

Player (Team) Opponent (Date)
Jennie Simms (ODU) 35 at William & Mary (12/29)
Chelsee Black (UAB) 31 vs. Troy (12/18)
Brea Edwards (MT) 30 vs. Virginia (11/13)
Alexis Alexander (CHA) 30 vs. RMU (11/15)

→ A Winning Tradition: C-USA Women's Basketball

National titles are in C-USA's DNA. Louisiana Tech sports three national championships (1981, 1982 and 1988), while Old Dominion carries a trio of its own (1979, 1980 and 1985). In summation, current C-USA programs hold a combined six national titles since 1979, winning all six in a span of less than a decade. C-USA is home to 50 NCAA Tournament berths and 52 WNIT squads between its 14 members. Of the member institutions in C-USA, 13 have won at least one conference championship in their respective histories. Old Dominion leads the charge, boasting a league-best 22 tournament crowns to go with 21 regular-season titles. while Louisiana Tech is second with 16 tournament titles and 20 regular-season trophies.

→C-USA Digital Network

Non-televised coverage of C-USA basketball will be available online through the C-USA Digital Network, available exclusively on the league's official website www.ConferenceUSA. com. Conference USA school home games will be offered live and archived for All-Access subscribers, along with weekly highlights and feature programming.

→ Double-Doubles		
Player (Team)	Career	Season
Ivy Brown (WKU)	6	6
Brittany Winborne (UAB)		<u>5</u>
Caitlin Jenkins (USM)	5	<u>5</u>
Acheil Tac (NT)	11	4
Tesha Smith (UTSA)	4	4
Kendall Noble (WKU)	11	3
Shani Rainey (RICE)	3	3
Olivia Jones (MT)	22	2
Brea Edwards (MT)	6	2
Alexis Alexander (CHA)	5	2
Destinee Young (ODU)	5	2
Brandi Wingate (LT)	3	2
Ty Petty (MT)	2	2
Keri Jewett-Giles (USM)	2	2
Kira Gordon (CHA)	8	1
Leah Scott (MAR)	8	1
Lefty Webster (CHA)	3	<u>'</u>
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Laia Raventos (CHA)		
Destini Feagin (FIU)	1	1
Reauna Cleaver (LT)	1	1
Tiara Davenport (LT)	1	1
Ashley Santos (LT)	1	
Talenquia Hamilton (MAR		1
Norrisha Victrum (MAR)		1
Keonna Farmer (UAB)		1
Kara Rawls (UAB	1	1
Jayla King (USM	11	1
<u>Agata Dobrowolska (LT)</u>	11	1
Chrishauna Parker (UTEP) 15	0
Jennie Simms (ODU)	11	0
<u>Kiandre'a Pound (FIU)</u>	8	0
Jerontay Clemons (USM)	7	0
Tesha Smith (UTSA)	7	0
Akunna Elonu (UTSA)	5	0
Ali Gorrell (FAU)	5	0
Cameasha Turner (UTEP)	4	0
Kevione Moten (LT)	3	0
Chelsey Romero (MAR)	3	0
Dy'Man Webb (UAB)	3	0
Jalynn McClain (WKU)	2 (2)	0
Sparkle Taylor (UTEP)	2	0
Tiara Davenport (LT)	1	0
Jasmine Goodwine (RICE		0
Maya Hawkins (RICE)	1	0
Niaga Mitchell-Cole (UTSA)		0
Megan Palmer (RICE)	1	
riegali Fallilei (RICE)	<u> </u>	0

→ Double-Doubles (through 1/2)



























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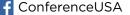




(x) double-doubles prior to becoming a C-USA









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POLLING PLACE

	ASSOCIATED PRESS (Dec. 28)	US	(Dec. 28)		NCAA RPI (Dec. 27)
#	School	#	School	#	School
1	Connecticut (32)	1	Connecticut (32)	24	UTEP
2	South Carolina	2	South Carolina	58	Charlotte
3	Notre Dame	3	Notre Dame	81	WKU
4	Baylor	4	Baylor	92	Florida Atlantic
5	Texas	5	Maryland	113	Middle Tennessee
6	Maryland	6	Texas	127	Southern Miss
7	Kentucky	7	Kentucky	177	Marshall
8	Mississippi State	8	Mississippi State	155	North Texas
9	Ohio State	9	Ohio State	171	UAB
10	Oregon State	10	Oregon State	186	UTSA
11	Stanford	11	Stanford	211	Old Dominion
12	Duke	12	Duke	202	LA Tech
13	Tennessee	13	Texas A&M	255	Rice
14	Northwestern	13	Florida State	346	FIU
15	Florida State	15	Northwestern		
16	Texas A&M	16	Tennessee		
17	Arizona State	17	South Florida		
18	Oklahoma	18	California		
19	California	19	Oklahoma		
20	South Florida	20	Miami (FL)		
21	UCLA	21	Arizona State		
22	Miami (FL)	22	Michigan State		
23	Missouri	23	Seton Hall		
24	Michigan State	24	DePaul		
25	DePaul	25	lowa		
RV -	UTEP				

VS. CONFERENCE	W-L
America East	1-0
American	1-2
ACC	1-11
Atlantic Sun	4-2
Atlantic 10	4-3
Big East	1-1
Big Sky	2-2
Big South	1-0
Big Ten	0-1
Big 12	1-7
Big West	1-0
Colonial	1-2
Horizon	1-2
lvy	1-1
MAAC	0-1
Mid-American	3-3
MEAC	8-0
Missouri Valley	3-2
Mountain West	3-0
Northeast	3-0
Ohio Valley	8-1
Pac-12	0-3
Patriot	1-0
SEC	2-8
Southern	3-2
Southland	6-5
SWAC	5-3
Summit	2-2
Sun Belt	5-3
West Coast	0-1
WAC	1-0
Non-Division I	9-0
TOTAL	84-68

POLL TRACKER

Follow the progress of C-USA teams in the national polls (Associated Press/USA Today Sports Coaches)

	PRE	N16	N23	N30	D7	D14	D21	D28	J4	J11
MT	/RV	/	/	/	/	/	/	/		
WKU	RV/	RV/	RV/RV	RV/RV	/	/	/	/		
UTEP	/	/	/	/	/	RV/	RV/	RV/		
	J18	J25	F1	F8	F15	F22	F29	M7	POST	FINAL

TEAM-BY-TEAM NONCONFERENCE RECORDS

Marshall	10-1
UTEP	9-1
WKU	9-2
Florida Atlantic	8-3
Charlotte	7-4
UAB	7-4
Southern Miss	7-4
Middle Tennessee	6-5
North Texas	5-5
Louisiana Tech	5-6
UTSA	4-6
Old Dominion	4-8
FIU	2-9
Rice	1-10
ΤΟΤΔΙ	84-68































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TELEVISION

Conference USA women's basketball is set for prime television exposure again in 2015-16 as 47 (subject to change) regular-season games and the entire C-USA Women's Basketball Championship have been selected for television broadcasts across the country. The national television slate is highlighted by eight Fox Sports Network games, including seven C-USA matchups, and five games on the American Sports Network (ASN), while Charlotte and Middle Tennessee have been picked up locally in the Murfreesboro area (ch. 10) and the Charlotte area (Time Warner Cable ch. 22). WKU will also see five home matchups televised nationally by the Hilltopper Sports Satellite Network on FOX College Sports.

2015-16 Conference USA Women's Basketball TV Schedule

Date	Matchup (TV Network) *Regional Telecast Only	Time (EST)
Friday, November 13	at No. 18 Kentucky 72, Rice 39 (SEC Network+)	
Friday, November 13	*(RV) Virginia 70 at Middle Tennessee 66 (MT10 - M	urfreesboro)
Saturday, November 14	at No. 12 Texas 90, UTSA 53 (Longhorn Network)	
Sunday, November 15	*at Charlotte 72, Robert Morris 66 (Time Warner Cal	ble ch. 22 - Charlotte)
Monday, November 16	North Texas 61 at No. 17 Oklahoma 57 (FOX College	Sports)
Saturday, November 21	at WKU 71, No. 16 Louisville 69 (FOX College Sports))
Sunday, November 22	at Middle Tennessee 84, Ole Miss 75 (FOX Sports)	
Monday, November 23	*(RV) Miami 77 at Charlotte 70 (Time Warner Cable	ch. 22 - Charlotte)
Wednesday, December 2	at Baylor 89, Rice 38 (FSSW+)	
Wednesday, December 2	at Ole Miss 59, WKU 53 (SEC Network+)	
Tuesday, December 8	*at Charlotte 89, College of Charleston 61 (Time Warner	Cable ch. 22 - Charlotte)
Sunday, December 13	at No. 17 Oklahoma 80, UTSA 41 (FOX College Spor	ts, FSSW+)
Wednesday, December 16	at No. 9 Mississippi St. 78, Southern Miss 65 (SEC No	etwork +)
Thursday, December 17	at Middle Tennessee 70, Missouri St. 54 (ASN)	
Tuesday, December 29	at No. 23 Missouri 88, Charlotte 71 (SEC Network+)	
Tuesday, December 29	at WKU 80, Belmont 65 (FOX College Sports)	
Sunday, January 3	Old Dominion at Charlotte (FOX Sports)	1 p.m.
Thursday, January 7	Louisiana Tech at Old Dominion (FOX Sports)	1 p.m.
Thursday, January 7	*Southern Miss at Charlotte (Time Warner Cable ch.	22 - Charlotte) 7 p.m.
Saturday, January 9	*Louisiana Tech at Charlotte (Time Warner Cable ch	. 22 - Charlotte) 7 p.m.
Sunday, January 10	North Texas at Rice (ASN)	3 p.m.
Sunday, January 10	UAB at UTEP (FOX Sports)	7 p.m.
Thursday, January 14	Florida Atlantic at Southern Miss (FOX Sports)	9 p.m.
Saturday, January 16	*Old Dominion at Middle Tennessee (MT10 - Murfree	esboro) 7 p.m.
Sunday, January 17	UTSA at UTEP (ASN)	3 p.m.
Thursday, January 21	Old Dominion at WKU (FOX College Sports)	12 p.m.
Sunday, January 24	Southern Miss at Louisiana Tech (ASN)	1 p.m.
Saturday, January 30	WKU at Middle Tennessee (FOX Sports)	6 p.m.
Saturday, February 6	UTEP at WKU (FOX College Sports)	3 p.m.
Friday, February 11	*Louisiana Tech at Middle Tennessee (MT10 - Murfre	esboro) 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, February 13	*Southern Miss at Middle Tennessee (MT10 - Murfree	esboro) 6 p.m.
Sunday, February 14	WKU at Marshall (ASN)	1 p.m.
Saturday, February 20	Rice at FIU (FOX Sports)	12 p.m.
Saturday, February 20	*WKU at Charlotte (Time Warner Cable ch. 22 - Cha	rlotte) 7 p.m.
Sunday, February 21	Middle Tennessee at UAB (ASN)	1 p.m.
Thursday, February 25	Middle Tennessee at WKU (FOX Sports)	9 p.m.
Saturday, February 27	UAB at WKU (FOX College Sports)	3 p.m.
Tuesday, March 8	C-USA Championship First Round (ASN	7/9:30 p.m.
Wednesday, March 9	C-USA Championship Second Round (ASN)	1/3:30/7/9:30 p.m.
Thursday, March 10	C-USA Championship Quarterfinals (ASN)	1/3:30/7/9:30 p.m.
Friday, March 11	C-USA Championship Semifinals (CBS Sports)	1/3:30 p.m.
Saturday, March 12	C-USA Championship Game (CBS Sports)	8 p.m.





ASN is an initiative of the Sinclair Networks Group, LLC, which owns and operates, programs and provides sales services to 164 television stations in 78 markets. reaching approximately 40 percent of U.S. television households. It includes FOX, ABC, CBS, MyTV, CW, NBC, Univision and Azteca affiliates.











































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AWARDS CENTRAL

→ C-USA PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Conference USA will name a Player of the Week and Freshman of the Week for women's basketball each Monday, beginning Nov. 16. The awards are selected by a media panel one representitive from each program.

C-USA PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

N16	Ali Gorrell, Florida Atlantic
N23	Kendall Noble, WKU
N30	Brandi Wingate, LA Tech
D7	Brea Edwards, Middle Tennessee
D14	Brandi Wingate, LA Tech
D21	Brea Edwards, Middle Tennessee
D28	Ivy Brown, WKU
<u>J4</u>	
<u>J11</u>	
<u>J18</u>	
<u>J25</u>	
<u>F1</u>	
F8	
F15	
F22	
F29	
M7	

C-USA FRESHMEN OF THE WEEK

N16	Shayna Gore, Marshall
N23	Reauna Cleaver, LA Tech
N30	Alex Johnson, Middle Tennessee
D7	Alex Johnson, Middle Tennessee
D14	Caitlin Jenkins, Southern Miss
D21	Kierra Anthony, LA Tech
D28	Deanna Kuzmanic, UAB
<u>J4</u>	
<u>J11</u>	
<u>J18</u>	
<u>J25</u>	
F1	
F8	
F15	
F22	
F29	
M7	

PRESEASON ALL-CONFERENCE USA

Following a dominant regular season and deep WNIT run, the Middle Tennessee Blue Raiders were selected as the Conference USA women's basketball preseason favorite to win the league's regular-season crown in 2015-16, according to the league's coaches.

Veteran head coach Rick Insell, who has compiled a 29-5 C-USA record in his first two years in the league, will guide a unit led by C-USA Preseason Player of the Year Olivia Jones. Jones, an allconference first-team selection a year ago, averaged nearly 20 points per game and broke seven Middle Tennessee sophomore records. Now a junior, Jones needs merely 40 points to join the Blue Raider 1.000 point club.

Last season's C-USA Newcomer of the Year, Jennie Simms, a preseason All-C-USA selection, will lead Old Dominion, which placed second in the preseason poll with four first-place votes following its exciting run in the 2015 C-USA Championship. Simms emerged as one of the dominant guards in the league and led ODU in points (19.3 ppg) and rebounds (8.1) on top of first-team allconference honors.

Placing third in the tight preseason poll was defending C-USA champion and NCAA participant WKU, which also received four first-place votes. Leading the Lady Toppers will be preseason All-C-USA selection Kendall Noble, who was the 2015 C-USA Defensive Player of the Year. The local product out of Hazard, Kentucky, finished the 2014-15 crusade with the most steals in WKU singleseason history (105), a mark that ranked 14th in the nation.

Southern Miss senior Jerontay Clemons earned preseason All-C-USA honors after a plucky all-around performance a season ago. Clemons produced a team-best 62 steals and scored in the double-digits during 24 outings for the 25-11 Golden Eagles.

UTEP senior Cameasha Turner represents the Miners on the preseason squad. The 5-9 guard completed a breakthrough season with the orange and blue to earn second-team all-conference honors and was a C-USA All-Defensive team honoree. Turner was the only C-USA student-athlete to finish in the top 10 in three-point field goal percentage (.387), points (15 per game) and steals (2.1 per game) during the 2014-15 season.

A versatile swing guard for Charlotte, Lefty Webster earned preseason all-conference honors on the heels of a resilient finish to her sophomore season, where she closed the year with doubledigit scoring performances in her last 10 games. A threat on both ends of the floor, the junior averaged over two steals per game to go along with 14 points per game and nearly six boards per contest.

Louisiana Tech wing Brandi Wingate was named the C-USA Sixth Player of the Year last season and earned a nod on the preseason squad. The accurate senior shot 55 percent from the field along with 78 percent from the free throw line.

C-USA Preseason Player of the Year

Olivia Jones, Jr., Middle Tennessee

Preseason C-USA Poll

1. Middle Tennessee (5) 2. Old Dominion (4)

3. WKU (4)

4. Southern Miss

5. UTEP

6. Charlotte

7. UTSA (1)

8. UAB

9. Louisiana Tech

10. Marshall

11. Florida Atlantic

12. Rice

13. FIU

14. North Texas

(#) - designates first-place votes

Preseason All-C-USA Team

Lefty Webster, Charlotte, Jr., Guard Brandi Wingate, LA Tech, Sr., Guard/Forward Leah Scott, Marshall, Sr., Guard/Forward Olivia Jones, Middle Tennessee, Jr., Guard/Forward Jennie Simms, Old Dominion, Jr., Guard Jerontav Clemons, Southern Miss, Sr., Guard Cameasha Turner, UTEP, Sr., Guard Kendall Noble, WKU, Jr., Guard

Rounding out the preseason team was Marshall senior Leah Scott. The Detroit finished in the C-USA top five in defensive rebounds (5.4) and was eighth in the league in scoring (15.4 points per game).



































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CHARLOTTE 49ERS (7-4, 0-0 C-USA)

Head Coach: Cara Consuegra Twitter: @CharlotteWBB, @CConsuegra Facebook: Charlotte 49ers Women's Basketball

Arena: Halton Arena (9,105)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
N13	Ball State	W, 72-66
N15	Robert Morris	W, 94-73
N19	at Elon	L, 90-83
N23	(RV) Miami (Fla.) (TWC22)	L, 77-70
	GSU Thanksgiving Classic (Atlanta, G	
N28	vs. Mercer#	W, 72-62
N29	at Georgia State#	W, 83-71
D2	North Carolina Central	W, 67-52
D6	at North Carolina State	L, 72-65
D8	College of Charleston	W, 89-61
D20	at Davidson	W, 99-88
D29	at No. 23 Missouri	L, 88-71
J3	→Old Dominion	1 p.m.
J7	→ Southern Miss	Noon
J9	→ Louisiana Tech	7 p.m.
J14	→at Middle Tennessee	8 p.m.
J16	→ at UAB	3 p.m.
J21	→at Marshall	6 p.m.
J23	→ at WKU	3 p.m.
J28	→ FIU	7 p.m.
J30	→ Florida Atlantic	7 p.m.
F6	→at Old Dominion	4 p.m.
F11	→ at Rice	8 p.m.
F13	→at North Texas	3 p.m.
F18	→ Marshall	7 p.m.
F20	→WKU	7 p.m.
F25	→ at UTSA	8 p.m.
F27	→ at UTEP	4:05 p.m.
М3	→ Rice	7 p.m.
M5	→ North Texas	7 p.m.
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Charlotte Team Notes

Charlotte hit a bump on the road against a ranked Missouri squad on the road, but the 49ers have still taken five of their last seven and are riding high offensively. Head coach Cara Consuegra's squad is first in three major C-USA offensive categories, scoring offense (78.6 points per game), field goal percentage (.462) and three-point shooting (.383). The Niners are led by Ciara Gregory, who is tied for fifth in C-USA scoring (16.5 points per game).



FIU PANTHERS (2-9, 0-0 C-USA)

Head Coach: Marlin Chinn Twitter: @FIUWBasketball, @CoachChinn Facebook: FIUWBasketball Arena: FIU Arena (5,000)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
N13	Florida A&M	W, 81-65
N17	at UCF	L, 89-72
N23	Florida Gulf Coast	L, 81-53
	FIU Thanksgiving Classic (Miami,	Fla.)
N27	Marquette	L, 95-83
N29	Wichita St./Richmond	L, 76-62
D4	UMASS Lowell	W, 71-68
D6	at Jacksonville	L, 80-44
D15	at Cleveland State	L, 64-57
D22	at No. 23 Miami (Fla.)	L, 83-55
	FILL Fun & Sun Classic (Miami E	la)

	FIU Fun & Sun Classic (Miami, Fla.)	
D28	Rhode Island	L, 68-50
D29	Wake Forest	Ĺ, 57-53
J3	at Florida Atlantic	2 p.m.
J7	→WKU	7 p.m.
J9	→ Marshall	2 p.m.

J16 →at Southern Miss. 5 p.m. **J21 →UTSA** 7 p.m. **→**UTEP **J23** 2 p.m. J28 →at Charlotte 7 p.m. J30 →at Old Dominion 4 p.m. F4 **→UAB** 7 p.m. **→ Middle Tennessee** F6 2 p.m. F11 **→**at UTEP 9:05 p.m. F13 **→**at UTSA 2 p.m. F18 **→North Texas** 7 p.m. **F20** → Rice 12 p.m.

M3 **→**at UAB 8 p.m. M5 →at Middle Tennessee M8-12 Conference USA Championships, Birmingham, Ala.

FIU Team Notes

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First-year head coach Marlin Chinn earned his first career win against in-state foe Florida A&M. The Panthers open up league play against local rival Florida Atlantic following the conclusion of its FIU Fun & Sun Classic that saw FIU lose narrowly to Wake Forest in the final game. FIU leads the league in free throw percentage (.753), an area of his squad's game that head coach Marlin Chinn makes sure is clean.













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→at LA Tech

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FLORIDA ATLANTIC OWLS (8-3, 0-0 C-USA)

Head Coach: Kellie Lewis-Jay Twitter: @FAU WBB, @FAUCoachJay Facebook: FAUWomensBasketball Arena: FAU Arena (2,980)

<u>Date</u>	Opponent	Time/Result
N13	Akron	W, 91-77
N17	at (RV) FGCU	W, 62-55
N24	Wisconsin-Milwaukee	W, 71-67
	Thanksgiving Tournament (Boca R	laton, Fla.)
N27	Delaware State	W, 83-55
N28	South Dakota	L, 76-53
D6	Keiser	W, 74-52
D13	at Kansas State	L, 102-53
	Lady Griz Classic (Missoula, Mont.)	
D19	at Montana	L, 83-69
D20	Tennessee St.	W, 69-64
	Holiday Tournament (Boca Raton, Fla.)	
D29	Bethune-Cookman	W, 82-60
D30	Miami (Ohio)	W, 72-49
J3	→FIU	2 p.m.
J7	→ Marshall	7 p.m.
J9	→WKU	3 p.m.
J14	→at Southern Miss	9 p.m.
J16	→at Louisiana Tech	7 p.m.
J21	→UTEP	7 p.m.
J23	→UTSA	5 p.m.
J28	→at Old Dominion	7 p.m.
J30	→ at Charlotte	7 p.m.
F4	→ Middle Tennessee	7 p.m.
F6	→UAB	5 p.m.
F11	→ at UTSA	8 p.m.
F13	→ at UTEP	4:05 p.m.
F18	→ Rice	7 p.m.
F20	→ North Texas	5 p.m.
F27	→ at FIU	2 p.m.
M3	→at Middle Tennessee	TBA
M5	→ at UAB	2 p.m.
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Florida Atlantic Team Notes

Florida Atlantic is riding a three-game win streak headed into conference play following a sweep of its home tournament that was capped off by an overtime win over Miami (Ohio). The Owls enter C-USA play fifth in in scoring offense, averaging just over 70 points per game. The Owls sport two players averaging double figures in Ali Gorrell (13.7) and Kat Wright (11.2).



LOUISIANA TECH LADY TECHSTERS (5-7, 0-1 C-USA)

Head Coach: Tyler Summitt Twitter: @LATechWBB, @TylerSummitt Facebook: LATechWBB **Arena:** Thomas Assembly Center (8,000)

<u>Date</u>	Opponent	Time/Result
N14	at Wisconsin	L, 79-65
N18	Loyola-NO	W, 76-40
N21	SFA	W, 76-44
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N27	vs. (RV) UCLA	L, 68-57
N28	vs. Denver	W, 58-53
D2	Prairie View A&M	L, 77-68
D5	at Nicholls State	W, 58-55
D10	at Arizona	L, 77-67

D19 W, 79-62 **UL-Lafayette D22 McNeese State** L, 74-71 J3 →at Southern Miss L, 69-59 J7 →at Old Dominion 6 p.m. J9 →at Charlotte **TBA J14** → FIU 6:30 p.m.

J23 → Southern Miss J28 →at UTSA J30 **→**at UTEP F4 **→**Rice 6:30 p.m. F6 → North Texas

No. 9 Mississippi State

→Florida Atlantic

→at Middle Tennessee

F13 **→**at UAB 2 p.m. F18 **→UTSA** 6:30 p.m. F20 **→UTEP** 6 p.m. F25 →at North Texas 7 p.m. F27 **→**at Rice 2 p.m.

M3 → Marshall 6:30 p.m. **M5 →WKU** 7 p.m.

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LA Tech Team Notes

Following the long sabbatical, Louisiana Tech sits a game below .500 on the eve of league play. Leading the Lady Techsters has been Brandi Wingate, who is averaging 16.2 points per game and is shooting at a high clip, .566, which is good for fifth in the conference.































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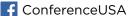
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MARSHALL THUNDERING HERD (10-2, 0-1 C-USA)

Head Coach: Matt Daniel
Twitter: @HerdWBB, @CoachMattDaniel
Facebook: MarshallAthletics
Arena: Cam Henderson Center (9,043)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
	Morehead State Classic (Morehead, K	(y.)
N13	at Morehead State	W, 104-101
N15	Brescia	W, 92-40
N18	Rhode Island	W, 72-62
N22	NJIT	W, 63-50
N27	Cornell	W, 73-47
D5	Alabama A&M	W, 81-45
D13	vs. West Virginia (Charleston, W. Va.)	L, 66-60
D17	St. Francis (PA)	W, 81-73
D20	Norfolk State	W, 81-67
D22	West Virginia Tech	W, 83-59
D28	at Southern Illinois	W, 61-55
J2	at WKU	L, 81-52
J7	at Florida Atlantic	7 p.m.
J9	at FIU	2 p.m.
J14	→ North Texas	6 p.m.
J16 J21	→ Rice → Charlotte	1 p.m.
J21 J23	→Old Dominion	6 p.m. 1 p.m.
J23 J28	→at Middle Tennessee	7:30 p.m.
J30	→at UAB	7.50 p.m. 3 p.m.
F4	→UTEP	6 p.m.
F6	→UTSA	1 p.m.
F13	→ WKU	1 p.m.
F18	→at Charlotte	7 p.m.
F20	→at Old Dominion	4 p.m.
F25	→UAB	11:30 a.m.
F27	→ Middle Tennessee	1 p.m.
M3	→at Louisiana Tech	7:30 p.m.
M5	→ at Southern Miss	5 p.m.
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Marshall Team Notes

Marshall has been on a blistering pace since the opener against Morehead State that saw the Herd post 104 points. With its one loss on the road by six points to West Virginia, Marshall looks poised entering league play with the No. 2 scoring offense (77.4 points per game) in C-USA. The Herd has proven apt on defense as well, only allowing opponents 58.6 points per game, a mark that is in the C-USA top five. Marshall is led by Leah Scott, the league's fourth-highest scorer at 17.2 points per game.



MIDDLE TENNESSEE BLUE RAIDERS (6-5, 0-0 C-USA)

Head Coach: Rick Insell
Twitter: @MT_WBB, @CoachInsell
Facebook: MTSU Women's Basketball
Arena: Murphy Center (11,520)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
N13	(RV) Virginia (MT10)	L, 70-66
N19	at Central Michigan	Ĺ, 81-59
N22	Ole Miss (FOX Sports)	W, 84-75
	Nugget Classic (Reno, Nev.)	
N27	vs. Alabama	L, 64-46
N28	vs. Nevada	W, 90-46
N30	at Austin Peay	W, 86-55
D6	at Xavier	W, 62-53
D13	No. 8 Kentucky	L, 68-52
D17	Missouri State	W, 70-54
D20	Tennessee Tech	W, 69-53
D29	at Ohio	L, 72-49
J3	→ UAB	2 p.m.
J7	→at UTEP	8:05 p.m.
Ј9 J14	→at UTSA →Charlotte	2 p.m.
J14 J16	→Old Dominion	6:30 p.m.
J21	→at North Texas	6 p.m. 7 p.m.
J21 J23	→at Rice	7 p.m. 2 p.m.
J23	→ Marshall	6:30 p.m.
J30	→ WKU	5 p.m.
F4	→at Florida Atlantic	6 p.m.
F6	→at FIU	1 p.m.
F11	→Louisiana Tech	6:30 p.m.
F13	→ Southern Miss	5 p.m.
F21	→ at UAB	12 p.m.
F25	→ at WKU	8 p.m.
F27	→ at Marshall	12 p.m.
M3	→FIU	6:30 p.m.
M5	→ Florida Atlantic	TBA

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Middle Tennessee Team Notes

The Blue Raiders have won five of their last eight, thanks largely to the efforts of Brea Edwards, one of the nation's top three-point threats and C-USA's No. 1 scorer, averaging over 20 points per game. Middle Tennessee has played well on the boards this season, sitting second only to UAB in rebounding margin (+6.5). Furthermore, the Blue Raiders lead the league in offensive rebounding (17.7 per game) and win on the offensive glass nearly 43 percent of the time.



















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NORTH TEXAS MEAN GREEN (6-5, 1-0 C-USA)

Head Coach: Jalie Mitchell

Twitter: @MeanGreenWBB, @NT_CoachJ

Facebook: MeanGreenWBB **Arena:** The Super Pit (10,500)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
N13	San Francisco	L, 69-61
N16	at No. 17 Oklahoma (FOX College Sports)	W, 61-57
N21	at Texas State	L, 64-62
N27	Arizona	L, 51-44
D1	SMU	W, 60-57
	Hospitality Hill Tournament (Denton, T	•
D4	Weber State	L, 45-38
D5	IUPUI	W, 68-67
D13	at Iona	L, 62-51
D16	at La Salle	W, 69-63
D21	at Incarnate Word	W, 62-55
D29	Oklahoma Pandhandle State	Canceled
J1	→UTSA	W, 68-58
J3	→UTEP	3 p.m.
J9	→at Rice	2 p.m.
J14	→at Marshall	5 p.m.
J16 J21	→at WKU → Middle Tennessee	2 p.m.
J21 J23	→ UAB	7 p.m. 2 p.m.
J30	→ Rice	2 p.m.
F4	→at Southern Miss	6 p.m.
F6	→at Louisiana Tech	6 p.m.
F11	→ Old Dominion	7 p.m.
F13	→ Charlotte	2 p.m.
F18	→at FIU	6 p.m.
F20	→at Florida Atlantic	4 p.m.
F25	→ Louisiana Tech	7 p.m.
F27	→Southern Miss	2 p.m.
M3	→ at Old Dominion	7 p.m.
M5	→ at Charlotte	6 p.m.
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North Texas Team Notes

North Texas, which is led by head coach Jalie Mitchell, has already matched last year's win total with a 5-5 record on the cusp of league play. The Mean Green has seen its biggest improvement on defense, where it sits fifth in the league allowing a mere 59 points per game. North Texas has seen heavy production from senior Acheil Tac, who leads the squad in scoring (10.8 points per game) and rebounding (7.9 per game), the latter mark of which is fifth in C-USA.



OLD DOMINION MONARCHS (4-8, 0-0 C-USA)

Head Coach: Karen Barefoot Twitter: @ODUWBB, @BarefootODU Facebook: LadyMonarchsWBB

Arena: Ted Constant Convocation Center (8,472)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
N13	at Richmond	L, 62-57
N15	Wagner	W, 71-57
N17	(RV) Miami	L, 61-55
N23	East Tennessee State	L, 56-52
	Paradise Jam (St. Thomas, Virgin Island	ds)
N26	vs. Maryland	L, 95-49
N27	vs. Pittsburgh	L, 67-58
N28	vs. South Dakota State	L, 71-39
D2	Loyola (Md.)	W, 64-41
D15	at Howard	W, 83-64
D19	at VCU	L, 74-54
D22	at Maryland Eastern Shore	W, 69-52
D29	at William & Mary	L, 75-64
J3	→at Charlotte	1 p.m.
J7	→Louisiana Tech	7 p.m.
J9	→Southern Miss	4 p.m.
J14	→ at UAB	8 p.m.
J16	→at Middle Tennessee	7 p.m.
J21	→ at WKU	12 p.m.
J23	→at Marshall	1 p.m.
J28	→ Florida Atlantic	7 p.m.
J30	→FIU	4 p.m.
F6	→ Charlotte	4 p.m.
F11	→at North Texas	8 p.m.
F13	→ at Rice	3 p.m.
F18	→WKU	7 p.m.
F20	→ Marshall	4 p.m.
F25	→at UTEP	9:05 p.m.

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Old Dominion Team Notes

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→Rice

→ North Texas

Old Dominion's attack is spearheaded by reigning C-USA Newcomer of the Year and preseason all-conference selection Jennie Simms, who is scoring 18.4 points per game, a rate that is good for second in the league. Simms' presence has also been felt on the boards, where the junior is averaging 6.6 rebounds per game, second on the squad to Destinee Young (7.4).

















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RICE OWLS (1-11, 0-1 C-USA)

Head Coach: Tina Langley

Twitter: @RiceWBasketball, @CoachLangley

Facebook: RiceWBasketball **Arena:** Tudor Fieldhouse (5,208)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
N13	at No. 18 Kentucky	L, 72-39
N18	at Texas A&M-Corpus Christi	L, 60-55
N21	No. 11 Texas	L, 70-47
N25	at McNeese State	L, 61-53
N28	Harvard	L, 67-61
D2	at No. 4 Baylor (FSSW+)	L, 89-38
D5	Houston	L, 62-59
D17	at Sam Houston St.	W, 58-46
D19	at Stephen F. Austin	L, 59-45
D21	Texas Southern	L, 69-66 (OT)
D28	Loyola	L, 57-50
J1	→UTEP	L, 60-54
J3	→UTSA_	2 p.m.
J9	→ North Texas	2 p.m.
J14	→at WKU	7 p.m.
J16	→at Marshall	12 p.m.
J21	→ UAB	7 p.m.
J23	→ Middle Tennessee	2 p.m.
J30 F4	→at North Texas →at Louisiana Tech	2 p.m.
F4 F6	→at Louisiana Tech →at Southern Miss	6:30 p.m.
F11	→ Charlotte	4 p.m. 6 p.m.
F13	→ Old Dominion	2 p.m.
F18	→at Florida Atlantic	6 p.m.
F20	→at FIU	11 a.m.
F25	→ Southern Miss	7 p.m.
F27	→ Louisiana Tech	2 p.m.
M3	→at Charlotte	6 p.m.
M5	→at Old Dominion	12 p.m.
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Rice Team Notes

Rice first-year head coach Tina Langley notched her first career wir as the Owls knocked off regional Sam Houston State as the Owls continue to grow under their first-year head coach. Sophomore Shani Rainey leads the Owls in scoring (11.8 points per game) and rebounding (6.7 per game). Rice has also seen solid production from Maya Hawkins, who is seventh in the conference in 3-pointers made per game (2.0).



SOUTHERN MISS GOLDEN EAGLES (8-4, 1-0 C-USA)

Head Coach: Joye Lee-McNelis

Twitter: @SouthernMissWBB, @CoachMcNelis Facebook: Southern Miss Lady Eagle Basketball Arena: Reed Green Coliseum (8,095)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Preseason WNIT		
N13	Alabama State	W, 65-44
N16	at No. 5 Baylor	L, 97-42
N20	(RV) Chattanooga	L, 53-48
Lac	ly Eagle Thanksgiving Tournament (Hatties	
N27	Mississippi Valley State	W, 71-55
N28	Samford	W, 56-48
D2	at Tennessee Tech	W, 69-57
D6	South Alabama	W, 71-51
D12	Ole Miss	W, 57-38
D16	at No. 9 Mississippi State	L, 78-65
D20	UNC (Myrtle Beach)	L, 69-62
D28	William Carey	W, 75-34
J2	→ Louisiana Tech	W, 69-59
J7	→at Charlotte	11 p.m.
J9	→at Old Dominion	3 p.m.
J14	→ Florida Atlantic	8 p.m.
J16	→FIU	4 p.m.
J24	→at Louisiana Tech	12 p.m.
J28	→at UTEP	8:05 p.m.
J30 J4	→at UTSA →North Texas	4 p.m. 6 p.m.
J 4	→ Rice	4 p.m.
J11	→at UAB	7 p.m.
J13	→at Middle Tennessee	5 p.m.
J18	→UTEP	6 p.m.
J20	→UTSA	4 p.m.
J25	→at Rice	7 p.m.
J27	→at North Texas	2 p.m.
M3	→WKU	6 p.m.
M5	→ Marshall	4 p.m.
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Southern Miss Team Notes

As always, head coach Joye Lee-McNelis' defensive tactics have proven successful. The Golden Eagles are third in C-USA in scoring defense, holding opponents to 56.7 points per game. Furthermore, Southern Miss has suffocated opponents' ranged attacks, only allowing a .270 shooting percentage from beyond the arc, a mark that is good for first in the league.

































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UAB BLAZERS (7-4, 0-0 C-USA)

Head Coach: Randy Norton
Twitter: @UAB_WBB, @CoachNorton1
Facebook: UABWBB

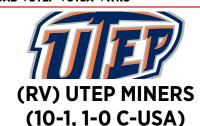
Arena: Bartow Arena (8,500)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
N13	at Auburn	L, 85-71
N15	at Belmont	L, 63-62
N20	South Carolina State	W, 71-38
N22	at No. 6 Florida State	L, 84-44
	2015 Cancun Challenge (Cancun, Mexico	
N26	vs. High Point	W, 56-46
N27	vs. NC State	L, 67-56
D3	Arkansas Pine Bluff	W, 82-32
D5	Mississippi Valley State	W, 80-33
D13	at South Alabama	W, 53-39
D18	Troy	W, 89-67
D21	Samford	W, 61-41
J3	→ at Middle Tennessee	2 p.m.
J7	→ at UTSA	7 p.m.
J10	→ at UTEP	6 p.m.
J14	→Old Dominion	7 p.m.
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F6	→at Florida Atlantic	4 p.m.
F11	→ Southern Miss	7 p.m.
F13	→Louisiana Tech	2 p.m.
F21	→ Middle Tennessee	12 p.m.
F25	→at Marshall	10:30 a.m.
F27	→at WKU	2 p.m.
M3	→FIU	7 p.m.
M5	→ Florida Atlantic	2 p.m.
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UAB Team Notes

UAB is one of the league's hottest teams, having won its last five contests. The Blazers have dominated the glass this season and sport the league's top rebounding numbers in several categories, including offensive rebounds (43.3 per game), defensive rebounds (32.3 per game) and rebounding margin (+11.0). Naturally, UAB also possesses the top rebounder in the league in Brittany Winborne (9.5 boards per game). UAB is also first in defense, only allowing 54.1 points per game.



Head Coach: Keitha Adams **Twitter:** @UTEPWBB, @UTEPKeithaAdams

Facebook: UTEPWomensBasketball Arena: Don Haskins Center (12,000)

Date	Opponent	Γime/Result
N15		W, 98-63
N17	Northern Arizona	W, 77-66
N22	Hampton	W, 78-54
Fi	fth-annual UTEP Thanksgiving Classic (El Pas	o, Texas)
N27	UC Riverside	W, 68-57
N28	Idaho State	W, 67-54
D2	New Mexico	W, 70-62
D5	at New Mexico State	W, 71-65
D14	UTPB	W, 86-32
	2016 Beach Classic (Long Beach, Ca	
D18	at Long Beach State	L, 47-40
D19	vs. UNLV	W, 60-52
D28	Eastern New Mexico	Canceled
J1	→at Rice	W, 60-54
J3	→at North Texas	2 p.m.
J7	→ Middle Tennessee	7:05 p.m.
J10	→UAB	5 p.m.
J17	→UTSA	1 p.m.
J21	→at Florida Atlantic	5 p.m.
J23 J28	→at FIU →Southern Miss	2 p.m. 7:05 p.m.
J20	→ Louisiana Tech	2:05 p.m.
F4	→at Marshall	4 p.m.
F6	→at WKU	1 p.m.
F11	→ FIU	7:05 p.m.
F13	→ Florida Atlantic	2:05 p.m.
F18	→at Southern Miss	5 p.m.
F20	→at Louisiana Tech	5 p.m.
F25	→Old Dominion	7:05 p.m.
F27	→ Charlotte	2:05 p.m.
M3	→ at UTSA	6 p.m.
M8-12	Conference USA Championships, Birmingham	

→ C-USA GameAll times Mountain

UTEP Team Notes

UTEP is the only squad receiving votes in the polls, and that is due largely in part to a 9-1 record, which is backed by a top-five offense and defense. The Miners are scoring 71.5 points per game and only allowing 55.2 on the other end, which is good for the second best scoring margin in C-USA (+16.3). UTEP's attack is led by Jenzel Nash (13.3 points per game).



































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UTSA ROADRUNNERS (4-7, 0-1 C-USA)

Head Coach: Lubomyr Lichonczak Twitter: @UTSAWBB, @LubyUTSA Facebook: UTSAWBB

Arena: UTSA Convocation Center (2,650)

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	
N14	at No. 12 Texas	L, 90-53	
N21	at Abilene Christian	L, 79-60	
N27	Illinois State	W, 77-51	
N29	Houston Baptist	W, 79-50	
D3	at Texas State	L, 72-64	
D13	at No. 17 Oklahoma	L, 80-41	
D15	Howard Payne	W, 106-65	
D19	Texas A&M-Kingsville	W, 88-51	
D21	UTA	L, 51-47	
D28	Texas Southern	L, 59-4	
D30	Bowling Green	Canceled	
J1	→ at North Texas	L, 68-58	
J3	→ at Rice	2 p.m.	
J7	→UAB	7 p.m.	
J9	→ Middle Tennessee	2 p.m.	
J16	→ at UTEP	2 p.m.	
J21	→ at FIU	6 p.m.	
J23	→ at Florida Atlantic	4 p.m.	
J28	→Louisiana Tech	7 p.m.	
J30	→Southern Miss	2 p.m.	
F4	→ at WKU	7 p.m.	
F6	→ at Marshall	12 p.m.	
F11	→Florida Atlantic	7 p.m.	
F13	→FIU	1 p.m.	
F18	→ at Louisiana Tech	6:30 p.m.	
F20	→at Southern Miss	4 p.m.	
F25	→ Charlotte	7 p.m.	
F27	→Old Dominion	2 p.m.	
M3	→UTEP	7 p.m.	
M8-12	Conference USA Championships, Birm	ningham, Ala.	
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UTSA Team Notes

UTSA begins conference play on a Texas tour, visiting North Texas followed by Rice. The Roadrunners are sixth in C-USA in field goal percentage (.408), while second in the league in field goal percentage defense (.346). The Roadrunner's are led by Tesha Smith, who is fourth in the league in boards per game (8.5) and averages a team-high 12.8 points per game. She is also seventh in the league in shooting percentage (.515).



WKU LADY TOPPERS (10-2, 1-0 C-USA)

Head Coach: Michelle Clark-Heard Twitter: @LadyTopperHoops, @CoachHeard Facebook: WKUWomensBasketball Arena: E.A. Diddle Arena

<u>Date</u>	Opponent	Time/Result
N19	at Ball State	L, 74-60
N21	No. 16 Louisville (FOX College Sports)	W, 71-69
	GCI Great Alaska Shootout (Anchorage, Alas	
N24	vs. George Mason	W, 84-58
N25	at Alaska Anchorage	W, 62-58
D2	at Ole Miss	L, 59-53
D5	Austin Peay	W, 88-69
D13	at UT Arlington	W, 73-64
D16	Eastern Kentucky	W, 76-60
D18	at College of Charleston	W, 78-44
D21	at Lipscomb	W, 64-56
D29	Belmont	W, 80-65
J2	→ Marshall	W, 81-52
J7	→ at FIU	6 p.m.
J9	→at Florida Atlantic	2 p.m.
J14	→ Rice	7 p.m.
J16	→ North Texas	2 p.m.
J21	→Old Dominion	11 a.m.
J23	→ Charlotte	2 p.m.
J28	→ at UAB	7 p.m.
J30	→at Middle Tennessee	5 p.m.
F4	→UTSA	7 p.m.
F6	→UTEP	2 p.m.
F13	→ at Marshall	12 p.m.
F18	→at Old Dominion	11 a.m.
F20	→ at Charlotte	6 p.m.
F25	→ Middle Tennessee	8 p.m.
F27	→UAB	2 p.m.
M3	→at Southern Miss	6 p.m.
M5	→at LA Tech	7 p.m.
M8-12	Conference USA Championships, Birmingha	m, Ala.

→C-USA Game All times Central

WKU Team Notes

WKU is a nine-win team entering league play, having not lost since a trip to Ole Miss on Dec. 2. The defending league champs have Kendall Noble (17.4 points per game) and Tashia Brown (16.5 points per game) to thank for a large chunk of its offensive production. But the Lady Toppers do much more than score, sitting in the top five in C-USA in field goal percentage defense (.373) and defensive boards (37.1 per game). Ivy Brown has done most of the damage on the glass for WKU, averaging 9.1 boards per game.



































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