

# NORTH TEXAS™

## 2015 SOFTBALL QUICK FACTS

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### GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of School..... University of North Texas  
 City/Zip..... Denton, Texas/76203  
 Founded..... 1890  
 Enrollment..... 36,221  
 Nickname..... Mean Green  
 Affiliation..... Division I-A  
 Conference..... Conference USA  
 President..... Neal J. Smatresk  
 Athletic Director..... Rick Villarreal  
 Athletic Dept. Phone..... 940-565-2662

### COACHING STAFF

Head Coach (4th Hire)..... Tracey Kee  
 Alma Mater..... East Carolina, '90  
 Record at North Texas..... 31-22  
 Seasons at North Texas..... 1  
 Overall Record..... 715-383-1 (17 seasons)  
 Office Phone..... 940-369-7958  
 Associate Head Coach..... Natalie Kozlowski (1st season)  
 Alma Mater..... Hofstra, '92  
 Assistant Coach..... Christina Merrida (1st season)  
 Alma Mater..... East Carolina, '11  
 Volunteer Assistant Coach..... Addison Staley (2nd season)  
 Alma Mater..... TWU, '12  
 Support Staff.....  
 Athletic Trainer..... Alex Crawford  
 Student Trainer..... Sarah Pumphrey  
 Sports Psychologist..... Kayla Carrigan  
 Sports Psychologist..... Kristina Clevenger

### PROGRAM HISTORY

First Era of Softball..... 1985-88  
 Record..... 37-136  
 First Year of Current Era..... 2004  
 Record..... 273-352-1  
 All-Time Overall Record..... 310-488-1  
 Most wins in a season.....  
 Overall..... 31 (2014)  
 Conference..... 14 (2014)  
 Fewest losses in a season.....  
 Overall..... 20 (2010)  
 Conference..... 9 (2010, 2013, 2014)  
 All-time conference record.....  
 Southland (1985-1988)..... 11-38  
 Sun Belt (2004-2012)..... 75-116  
 C-USA (2013-Present)..... 14-9  
 Conference Championships..... N/A  
 Best Conference Finish..... 3rd (2010, 2012, 2013, 2014)  
 Conference Tournament Championships..... N/A  
 NCAA Postseason Appearances..... N/A  
 NCAA WCWS Appearances..... N/A  
 NCAA National Championships..... N/A



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### 2014 SEASON REVIEW

Overall Record..... 31-22  
 Home..... 18-10  
 Road..... 11-10  
 Neutral..... 2-2  
 Conference USA Record..... 14-9  
 Finish..... 5th  
 Conference USA Tournament..... 1-1  
 Quarterfinals..... vs. No. 4 Florida Atlantic  
 Result..... W, 5-4 (10 innings)  
 Semifinals..... vs. No. 1 Tulsa  
 Result..... L, 7-1  
 Final RPI Rank..... 75

### 2015 SEASON PREVIEW

Starters Returning..... 6  
 (Kat Strunk, Jen Beardsley, Spencer Ferrell, Dani Hoff, Bryana Wade, Taylor Schoblocher)  
 Starters Lost..... 5  
 (Brooke Foster, Jackie Miller, Jordan Terry, Ashley Kirk, Lauren Poole)  
 Letterwinners Returning..... 12  
 (Madison Thompson, Dani Hoff, Jen Beardsley, Kat Strunk, Taylor Schoblocher, Spencer Ferrell, Madison Tierney, Bryana Wade, Karly Williams, Shelbie Smith, Mallory Land, Kenzie Grimes)  
 Letterwinners Lost..... 6  
 (Lauren Poole, Brooke Foster, Ashley Kirk, Sarah McGann, Jordan Terry, Jackie Miller)  
 Newcomers..... 5  
 (Transfers: Kelli Schkade- Missouri, Jami Schkade- Illinois, Stacey Underwood- McLennan CC, Freshmen: Sarah Barker, Monique Garcia)

### SPORTS INFORMATION

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### FACILITY INFORMATION

Softball Facility..... Lovelace Stadium  
 Address..... 1500 S. Bonnie Brae Street, Denton, TX, 76207  
 Seating Capacity..... 371  
 Dimensions..... LF: 200ft CF: 220ft RF: 200ft  
 Opened..... 2007  
 First Game..... Feb. 21, vs. Nicholls State, L 10-3  
 All-Time Record at "The Lace"..... 109-81-1 (8 seasons)  
 Post-Season Tournaments Hosted..... 2009 Sun Belt Tournament



## 2015 NORTH TEXAS SOFTBALL ROSTER

## NUMERICAL

NO	NAME	POS	B/T	HT	Class	Hometown	Last School
00	Dani Hoff	INF	L/L	5-2	SR	Garland, TX	Garland HS
2	Jen Beardsley	OF	L/R	5-3	SR	Flower Mound, TX	Marcus HS
3	Kat Strunk	OF	R/R	5-5	SR	Grand Prairie, TX	NCTC (TR-2014)
4	Sarah Barker	INF/OF	L/R	5-2	FR	Beach City, TX	Barbers Hill HS
5	Shelbie Smith	C/OF	R/R	5-6	SO	Edmond, OK	Edmond Memorial HS
6	Jami Schkade	INF	R/R	5-6	JR	Albany, TX	Illinois (TR-2015)
7	Madison Tierney	OF	R/R	5-4	JR	Austin, TX	Vandegrift HS
10	Monique Garcia	P	R/R	5-5	FR	Lubbock, TX	Coronado HS
11	Karly Williams	UT	R/R	5-7	JR	Castroville, TX	Medina Valley HS
12	Kelli Schkade	INF	R/R	5-7	SO	Albany, TX	Missouri (TR-2015)
14	Spencer Ferrell	UT	L/R	5-3	JR	Dallas, TX	Cameron (TR-2014)
15	Stacey Underwood	P	R/R	5-10	SO	Hico, TX	McLennan CC (TR-2015)
16	Taylor Schoblocher	UT	R/R	5-9	JR	Forney, TX	North Forney HS
18	Mallory Land	UT	R/R	5-7	SO	Parkville, MO	Park Hill South HS
19	Madison Thompson	P	R/R	5-9	SR	Sand Springs, OK	Charles Page HS
20	Kenzie Grimes	P/1B	R/R	5-9	SO	Arcadia, CA	Arcadia HS
23	Bryana Wade	C	R/R	5-8	JR	Choctaw, OK	Mount St. Mary HS

## ALPHABETICAL

NO	NAME	POS	B/T	HT	Class	Hometown	Last School
4	Barker, Sarah	INF/OF	L/R	5-2	FR	Beach City, TX	Barbers Hill HS
2	Beardsley, Jen	OF	L/R	5-3	SR	Flower Mound, TX	Marcus HS
14	Ferrell, Spencer	UT	L/R	5-3	JR	Dallas, TX	Cameron (TR-2014)
10	Garcia, Monique	P	R/R	5-5	FR	Lubbock, TX	Coronado HS
20	Grimes, Kenzie	P/1B	R/R	5-9	SO	Arcadia, CA	Arcadia HS
00	Hoff, Dani	INF	L/L	5-2	SR	Garland, TX	Garland HS
18	Land, Mallory	UT	R/R	5-7	SO	Parkville, MO	Park Hill South HS
6	Schkade, Jami	INF	R/R	5-6	JR	Albany, TX	Illinois (TR-2015)
12	Schkade, Kelli	INF	R/R	5-7	SO	Albany, TX	Missouri (TR-2015)
16	Schoblocher, Taylor	UT	R/R	5-9	JR	Forney, TX	North Forney HS
5	Smith, Shelbie	C/OF	R/R	5-6	SO	Edmond, OK	Edmond Memorial HS
3	Strunk, Kat	OF	R/R	5-5	SR	Grand Prairie, TX	NCTC (TR-2014)
19	Thompson, Madison	P	R/R	5-9	SR	Sand Springs, OK	Charles Page HS
7	Tierney, Madison	OF	R/R	5-4	JR	Austin, TX	Vandegrift HS
15	Underwood, Stacey	P	R/R	5-10	SO	Hico, TX	McLennan CC (TR-2015)
23	Wade, Bryana	C	R/R	5-8	JR	Choctaw, OK	Mount St. Mary HS
11	Williams, Karly	UT	R/R	5-7	JR	Castroville, TX	Medina Valley HS

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## 2015 NORTH TEXAS SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

## FEBRUARY

<i>North Texas Invitational • Denton, TX</i>			
6	Friday	vs. Seton Hall	Lovelace Stadium 12 p.m.
6	Friday	vs. Texas Southern	Lovelace Stadium 4:30 p.m.
7	Saturday	vs. Boise State	Lovelace Stadium 2:30 p.m.
7	Saturday	vs. Seton Hall	Lovelace Stadium 4:30 p.m.
8	Sunday	vs. Boise State	Lovelace Stadium 11:00 a.m.
<i>ASU Littlewood Classic • Tempe, AZ</i>			
13	Friday	vs. Illinois State	Alberta B. Farrington Stadium 4:45 p.m.
13	Friday	at Arizona State	Alberta B. Farrington Stadium 7:00 p.m.
14	Saturday	vs. Washington	Alberta B. Farrington Stadium 10:00 a.m.
14	Saturday	vs. Boston University	Alberta B. Farrington Stadium 2:30 p.m.
15	Sunday	vs. Washington	Alberta B. Farrington Stadium 12:00 p.m.
<i>Baylor Invitational • Waco, TX</i>			
20	Friday	vs. Abilene Christian	Getterman Stadium 9:30 a.m.
20	Friday	at Baylor	Getterman Stadium 4:15 p.m.
21	Saturday	vs. Oregon	Getterman Stadium 9:30 a.m.
21	Saturday	vs. Tulsa	Getterman Stadium 11:45 a.m.
22	Sunday	vs. Abilene Christian	Getterman Stadium 10:00 a.m.
<i>Tulsa Invitational • Tulsa, OK</i>			
27	Friday	vs. Northern Iowa	Collins Family Softball Complex 10:00 a.m.
27	Friday	vs. Creighton	Collins Family Softball Complex 12:15 p.m.
28	Saturday	vs. Nebraska	Collins Family Softball Complex 10:00 a.m.
28	Saturday	vs. Northern Iowa	Collins Family Softball Complex 4:45 p.m.

## MARCH

1	Sunday	at Tulsa	Collins Family Softball Complex 1:00 p.m.
4	Wednesday	at Stephen F. Austin	Nacogdoches, TX 3:00 p.m.
7	Saturday	at UAB* (DH)	Birmingham, AL 1:00 p.m.
8	Sunday	at UAB*	Birmingham, AL 12:00 p.m.
11	Wednesday	vs. Houston (DH)	Denton, TX 4:00 p.m.
14	Saturday	vs. Southern Miss* (DH)	Denton, TX 1:00 p.m.
15	Sunday	vs. Southern Miss*	Denton, TX 12:00 p.m.
17	Tuesday	vs. Tulsa	Denton, TX 2:00 p.m.
21	Saturday	at FIU* (DH)	Miami, FL 12:00 p.m.
22	Sunday	at FIU*	Miami, FL 11:00 a.m.
25	Wednesday	vs. Baylor	Denton, TX 6:00 p.m.
28	Saturday	vs. Western Kentucky* (DH)	Denton, TX 1:00 p.m.
29	Sunday	vs. Western Kentucky*	Denton, TX 11:00 a.m.

## APRIL

1	Wednesday	at UT-Arlington	Arlington, TX 6:00 p.m.
3	Friday	at Marshall* (DH)	Huntington, WV 12:00 p.m.
4	Saturday	at Marshall*	Huntington, WV 11:00 a.m.
8	Wednesday	at Texas A&M	College Station, TX 6:30 p.m.
11	Saturday	vs. UTSA* (DH)	Denton, TX 1:00 p.m.
12	Sunday	vs. UTSA*	Denton, TX 1:00 p.m.
14	Tuesday	vs. Oklahoma	Denton, TX 6:00 p.m.
22	Wednesday	vs. Stephen F. Austin	Denton, TX 6:00 p.m.
25	Saturday	at Louisiana Tech* (DH)	Ruston, LA 1:00 p.m.
26	Sunday	at Louisiana Tech*	Ruston, LA 12:00 p.m.
29	Wednesday	at Oklahoma State	Stillwater, OK 6:00 p.m.

## MAY

2	Saturday	vs. UTEP* (DH)	Denton, TX 1:00 p.m.
3	Sunday	vs. UTEP*	Denton, TX 12:00 p.m.
7-9	Thursday-Saturday	<i>Conference USA Tournament • Miami, FL</i>	
15-17	Friday-Sunday	<i>NCAA Regionals • Campus Sites TBD</i>	

\*Conference USA Game

(DH) Double Header

All times Central



## 2014 NORTH TEXAS SOFTBALL STATISTICS

Record: 31-22 Home: 18-10 Away: 11-10 Neutral: 2-2 C-USA: 14-9

Date	Opponent	Score	Player	avg	slug	ob%	g	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	bb	so	sb	cs	e	
2/7	vs James Madison	w 7-1	HOFF, Danielle	.355	.529	.434	53	172	34	61	13	1	5	34	24	13	6	2	3	
2/7	at #23 Georgia	L 2-10	FOSTER, Brooke	.337	.641	.374	51	184	46	62	9	1	15	38	10	18	7	3	12	
2/8	at #23 Georgia	L 4-7	STRUNK, Kat	.311	.520	.406	53	148	30	46	8	1	7	42	21	20	7	3	2	
2/8	vs Winthrop	L 2-5	FERRELL, Spencer	.308	.363	.402	52	146	24	45	6	1	0	12	23	25	9	2	5	
2/9	vs Winthrop	w 4-1	TERRY, Jordan	.289	.500	.397	52	152	32	44	11	3	5	33	16	24	3	1	13	
2/14	NICHOLLS	w 8-4	MILLER, Jackie	.275	.436	.337	52	149	19	41	8	5	2	27	14	31	9	2	3	
2/14	SOUTHERN	w 9-0	SCHOBLOCHER, Ta	.271	.438	.380	51	144	26	39	7	1	5	21	26	42	2	2	3	
2/15	NORTHERN IOWA	w 8-6	BEARDSLEY, Jennif	.254	.271	.302	40	59	14	15	1	0	0	6	4	14	8	1	1	
2/15	SOUTHERN	w 9-1	WADE, Bryana	.202	.319	.423	49	94	18	19	2	0	3	9	32	29	3	1	2	
2/16	NORTHERN IOWA	w 7-6	GRIMES, Kenzie	.200	.200	.294	26	15	1	3	0	0	0	3	2	6	0	0	0	
2/20	TEXAS STATE	w 1-0	SMITH, Shelbie	.164	.279	.243	34	61	12	10	1	0	2	11	7	22	2	2	0	
2/20	ABILENE CHRISTIAN	w 12-8	WILLIAMS, Karly	.153	.203	.206	28	59	10	9	0	0	1	3	3	12	1	0	2	
2/21	PRAIRIE VIEW A&M	w 18-0	MCGANN, Sarah	.133	.200	.133	12	15	1	2	1	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	
2/22	STEPHEN F. AUSTIN	w 13-4	LAND, Mallory	.043	.043	.154	20	23	1	1	0	0	0	1	3	5	2	0	0	
2/23	TEXAS STATE	w 3-1	-----																	
3/1	WICHITA STATE	L 4-5	TIERNEY, Madison	.000	.000	.667	18	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	
3/1	MCNEESE	L 2-5	THOMPSON, Madiso	.000	.000	.000	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
3/3	at Houston	w 6-1	POOLE, Lauren	.000	.000	.000	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
*3/8	at Middle Tennessee	w 5-1	KIRK, Ashley	.000	.000	.000	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
*3/8	at Middle Tennessee	w 8-1	Totals	.279	.440	.370	53	1422	272	397	67	13	45	242	187	264	60	19	48	
*3/9	at Middle Tennessee	w 11-5	Opponents	.251	.420	.352	53	1371	229	344	56	7	54	202	188	283	31	24	73	
3/11	TEXAS	L 2-10	LOB - Team (360), Opp (324). DPs turned - Team (10), Opp (7). IBB - Team (0), Opp (3).																	
3/11	TEXAS	L 1-2																		
3/12	OKLAHOMA STATE	w 4-3																		
*3/15	UTSA	w 3-0																		
*3/15	UTSA	L 6-10	<b>Player</b>	<b>era</b>	<b>w-l</b>	<b>app</b>	<b>gs</b>	<b>cg</b>	<b>sh</b>	<b>sv</b>	<b>ip</b>	<b>h</b>	<b>r</b>	<b>er</b>	<b>bb</b>	<b>so</b>	<b>avg</b>	<b>hr</b>		
*3/16	UTSA	w 10-7	KIRK, Ashley	3.43	22-10	36	33	16	3	0	187.2	145	110	92	122	214	.212	25		
3/19	at Texas Tech	L 1-5	POOLE, Lauren	3.48	6-5	21	9	5	2	0	76.1	91	47	38	25	24	.296	8		
3/19	at Texas Tech	L 4-5	GRIMES, Kenzie	4.11	1-1	15	1	1	0	2	32.1	39	23	19	10	22	.285	6		
*3/21	at Miners	w 8-5	THOMPSON, Madison	5.28	2-6	18	10	2	1	0	59.2	69	49	45	31	23	.283	15		
*3/21	at Miners	w 8-0	Totals	3.81	31-22	53	53	24	6	2	356.0	344	229	194	188	283	.251	54		
*3/22	at Miners	w 11-4	Opponents	4.05	22-31	53	53	24	2	4	352.2	397	272	204	187	264	.279	45		
*3/29	UAB	L 1-9	PB - Team (9), Wade 7, Smith, S. 2, Opp (10). SBA/ATT - Wade (25-48), Kirk (16-36), Thompson (8-8), Smith, S. (6-7), Poole (4-7), Grimes, K (3-4).																	
*3/29	UAB	L 1-5																		
*3/30	UAB	L 1-2																		
4/2	STEPHEN F. AUSTIN	w 5-4	<b>Score by innings</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>EX</b>	<b>Total</b>						
*4/5	LA TECH	w 3-1	North Texas	54	36	50	34	15	41	34	7	0	1	272						
*4/5	LA TECH	L 2-3	Opponents	36	27	47	31	30	31	19	4	4	0	229						
4/9	at Oklahoma State	L 4-7	Win-loss breakouts: Day 22-13; Night 9-9; vs Left 2-5; vs Right 29-17;																	
*4/12	at Marshall	w 7-3	1-run games 7-5; 2-run games 3-0; 5+run games 11-8; Extra inns 2-2; Shutouts 6-2.																	
*4/12	at Marshall	w 9-8	Current streak: Lost 1; Longest winning streak: 11; Longest losing streak: 6.																	
*4/13	at Marshall	w 8-2	Attendance: Home 11918 (avg 425); Away 6072 (avg 276); Total 17990 (avg 359).																	
4/16	UTA	w 3-0																		
4/23	at #17 Oklahoma	L 0-3																		
*4/26	at FIU	L 1-7																		
*4/26	at FIU	L 0-7																		
*4/27	at FIU	L 2-10																		
4/29	at #17 Baylor	L 1-7																		
*5/3	#18 TULSA	L 3-7																		
*5/3	#18 TULSA	w 3-2																		
*5/4	#18 TULSA	w 11-8																		
5/8	at Florida Atlantic	w 5-4																		
5/9	vs Tulsa	L 1-7																		

### 2014 NORTH TEXAS SOFTBALL MILESTONES

- North Texas broke several team single-season records including runs scored (272), RBI (242), batting average (.272) and on-base percentage (.370).
- Senior pitcher Ashley Kirk picked up 22 wins and 214 strike-outs, both team records, en route to leading North Texas to a program best 31 win season.
- Senior Brooke Foster finished 2014 by recording 225 career hits, an all-time record.
- Sophomore Spencer Ferrell broke a Mean Green school record with 17 sacrifice hits.
- Sophomore Kat Strunk picked up 42 RBI, a single-season team record, en route to North Texas' first superlative award (C-USA Newcomer of the Year).

