2002 TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY SOFTBALL PROSPECTUS

2002 TRUMAN SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

Mar. 2 Lincoln, 12 pm
Mar. 3 @ Columbia College, 1 pm
Mar. 5 @ Quincy University (Ill), 3:30 pm
Mar. 10-15 @ Rebel Springs Games (in Kissimmee, Fla.), TBA
Mar. 10 vs. American International (Mass.), 10:40 am
Mar. 10 vs. Ashland (Ohio), 2:20 pm
Mar. 11 vs. Merrimack (Mass.), 10:40 am
Mar. 11 vs. Bloomsburg (Pa.), 2:20 pm
Mar. 13 vs. Wayne State (Mich.), 10:40 am
Mar. 13 vs. South Dakota, 12:30 pm
Mar. 14 vs. Tiffin (Ohio), 6 pm
Mar. 14 vs. Northern Kentucky, 7:50 pm
Mar. 15 vs. Minnesota State Univ., Mankato, 2:20 pm
Mar. 15 vs. Southern Illinois Univ.-Edwardsville, 6 pm
Mar. 19 Drake (Iowa), 3 pm
Mar. 20 S. Ill. Univ.-Edwardsville, 3 pm
Mar. 23 vs. North Dakota State (in St. Joseph, Mo.), TBA
Mar. 23 @ Missouri Western (St. Joseph), TBA
Mar. 27 @ Missouri-St. Louis, 5 pm
Mar. 29-30 @ Nebraska-Omaha Tournament
Mar. 29 vs. Central Missouri, 9 am
Mar. 29 vs. Minnesota State U., Mankato, 3 pm
Mar. 29 vs. Northwest Missouri, 5 pm
Mar. 30 vs. Pittsburg State (Kan.), 11 am
Mar. 30 vs. Nebraska-Omaha, 3 pm
Mar. 30 vs. Nebraska-Kearney, 5 pm
Apr. 1 @ Southwest Baptist (Bolivar), 1 pm
Apr. 5 Pittsburg State (Kan.), 2 pm
Apr. 6 Missouri Southern, 12:30 pm
Apr. 8 @ Missouri-Rolla, 3 pm
Apr. 10 @ Missouri Western (St. Joseph), 5 pm
Apr. 17 Northwest Missouri State, 2 pm
Apr. 19 @ Washburn (Topeka, Kan.), 2 pm
Apr. 20 @ Emporia State (Kan.), 1 pm
Apr. 23 Central Missouri State, 1 pm
Apr. 26-27 @ Central Missouri Tournament (Warrensburg)
Apr. 26 vs. Nebraska-Omaha, 2 pm
Apr. 26 vs. Southwest Baptist, 4 pm
Apr. 27 vs. Emporia State (Kan.), Noon
Apr. 27 vs. Northwest Missouri, 2 pm
Apr. 25-May 1 Conference make-up games
May 3-5 MIAA Tournament (Gladstone, Mo.), TBA
May 10-12 North Central Regional (site TBA), TBA
May 16-19 NCAA Division II World Series (site TBA), TBA

* Indicates Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Association game

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QUICK FACTS

Location: Kirkville, Mo., 63501
Founded: 1867
Enrollment: 6,000
President: Dr. Jack Magruder
Director of Athletics: Jerry Wollmering
Office Phone: (660) 785-4235
Conference: Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Association (MIAA)
Affiliation: NCAA Division II
Nickname: Bulldogs
Colors: Purple & White
Home Field (Capacity): Truman Softball Field (250)

COACHING FACTS

Interim Head Coach: Kristi Bredbenner
Alma Mater/Year: Truman/2001
Record at Truman: First Year
Office Phone: (660) 785-4343
Graduate Assistant Coach: Missy Kane
Student Assistant: Erin Schwada

TOP RETURNING POSITION PLAYERS

Name Pos. Yr. AB H Avg. R RBI HR SB/A
Katy Mueller CF So. 165 41 .248 20 13 0 2/4
Leann Paul 1B So. 165 46 .279 22 3 1 0/0
Stephanie Cepicky RF So. 147 45 .306 28 12 0 10/15
Elizabeth Economon SS So. 180 70 .389 47 36 4 3/3

TOP RETURNING PITCHERS

Name Yr. W-L IP ERA CG SHO K
Jennifer Hulsopple Sr. 23-7 197.1 0.96 24 10 107
Breanna Wonderly So. 19-5 152.1 1.79 24 7 72

KEY LOSSES

Kristi Bredbenner, C; Heather Mackie, 2B; Missy Kane, 3B

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TEAM HISTORY

First Year of Softball: 1973
All-Time Record: 578-427-1

LAST SEASON

Overall Record: 43-11-1 North Central Region Runner-up
Conference Record (Place): 13-4 (2nd)
Final NFCA Ranking: 13th
Starters Returning/Lost: 6/3
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 10/5

2002 TRUMAN SOFTBALL ROSTER

No. Name Pos. B/T Hr. Yr. Hometown Previous School(s)
1 Natalie Balli (By-ee) OF R/R 5-4 Fr. Bettendorf, Iowa Bettendorf
2 Krysti Brown CF R/R 5-5 So. Olathe, Kan. Olathe North
3 Elizabeth Economon SS L/R 5-3 So. Affton, Mo. Cor Jesu
4 Angela Ligouri LF L/R 5-3 Sr. Clive, Iowa Dowling (Neb.-Omaha)
5 Stephanie Cepicky OF L/R 5-3 Sr. St. Louis Lindbergh
6 Cathy Mueller CF L/R 5-3 Sr. Affton, Mo. Cor Jesu
7 Holly Kessler C R/L 5-6 Fr. Blue Springs, Mo. Blue Springs
8 Breanna Wonderly P R/R 5-5 So. Conception, Mo. Jefferson
9 Grace Wachtler CF R/R 5-5 So. Ferguson, Mo. Incarnate Word
10 Jennifer Hulsopple P/UT R/R 5-11 Sr. Peculiar, Mo. Raymore-Peculiar
11 Amanda Holland 3B R/L 5-10 Fr. Omaha, Neb. Millard North
12 Shelby Ortworther 2B R/L 5-6 Jr. Hannibal, Mo. Hannibal (Culver-Stockton)
13 Catherine Monroe RF R/R 5-6 Jr. Kirkwood, Mo. Lutheran South
14 Ashley Siegel C R/R 5-5 Jr. Branson, Mo. Branson
15 Catherine Ramsey LF R/R 5-8 Fr. Clayton, Mo. Clayton
16 Britni Buford P R/R 5-7 Fr. Olathe, Kan. St. Thomas Aquinas
17 Courtney Strubel C/2B L/R 5-6 Jr. Kahoka, Mo. Clark County
18 Leann Paul 1B L/R 5-7 Jr. Olathe, Kan. Olathe North

* Letters earned $ Previously Redshirted