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WOMEN’S BASKETBALL TEAM CONTINUES HOME STAND WITH NO. 24 MISSOURI WESTERN

THE CONFERENCE GAME: Truman State University Bulldogs (NCAA Division II/Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Association) vs. No. 24 Missouri Western State College Lady Griffons (MIAA/NCAA DII)
Date: Wednesday, Feb. 12, 2003
Time: 5:30 p.m. (CDT)
Location: Kirksville, Mo.
Arena (Capacity): Pershing Arena (2,600)

BROADCAST: KRES 104.7 FM in Moberly, Mo., Brad Boyer will do play-by-play, with commentary from Truman assistant athletics director Kevin White. The pregame show begins approximately 15 minutes before the game.

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MIAA CANNED FOOD DRIVE: Free admission will be given to individuals who bring a canned food item to the Truman basketball games on Wednesday, Feb. 12. The MIAA is sponsoring the canned food drive during the month of February at all conference sites. Food will be donated to local food banks and will be collected in Kirksville by the Truman Captain’s Round Table.

TRUMAN (7-13 OVERALL, 3-9 MIAA): Truman suffered a 74-69 setback to No. 22 Emporia State (Kan.) on Saturday, but got back in the postseason hunt last Wednesday by picking up a win at Northwest Missouri, 74-72. The Bulldogs gathered two wins last week, including beating then-No. 5 Washburn, 76-71. The two-game win-streak snapped an eight-game losing span that began the last week of the Truman schedule with two losses to Emporia State and Central Missouri.

The Lady Hornets stayed close, tying the score at 10:45 and 6:04 in the first half. Truman allowed the Lady Hornets only one more free throw after halftime.

Point guard Christie McClain led all scorers with 29 points. Sommer and junior forward Annette Westhoff (Webster Groves, Mo.) tied for the lead in scoring for Truman with 17 points each, while junior guard/forward Adri Tromp (Grand Rapids, Mich./Calvin-Glen Oaks CC) posted her second straight game with double-digit rebounds with 14 and had nine points. Sophomore center Jamie Huffman (St. Peters, Mo./Francis Howell Central) also scored in double-digits for Truman with 10 points.

The ‘Dogs shot 45.6% from the field to ESU’s 39.7% and outscored the Lady Hornets 15-4 in the first stanza only to see the ‘Dogs use a 7-3 run to tie the score at 40 apiece with 13:23 to go, and then take the lead on a three-pointer by junior transfer Annie Westhoff (Webster Groves, Mo.) to end the run. The Lady Hornets stayed close, tying the score at 10:45 and again at 10:31 before the Bulldogs used a 5-1 run to take a four-point lead.

However, ESU regrouped and used a 6-2 run to tie the score at 53 apiece with 7:48 remaining in the game. The ‘Dogs lost their lead for goood on a Kristie McClain trey with 3:39 left. That three-pointer kicked off a 17-4 run for ESU that would leave them with a double-digit lead (11 points) with 46 seconds left in the game. Truman allowed the Lady Hornets only one more free throw after that and scored seven points in the final minute to leave the final score at 74-69.

McClain led all scorers with 29 points. Sommer and junior forward Annie Westhoff (Webster Groves, Mo.) tied for the lead in scoring for Truman with 17 points each, while junior guard/forward Adri Tromp (Grand Rapids, Mich./Calvin-Glen Oaks CC) posted her second straight game with double-digit rebounds with 14 and had nine points. Sophomore center Jamie Huffman (St. Peters, Mo./Francis Howell Central) also scored in double-digits for Truman with 10 points.

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rebounded the Lady Hornets 42-36.

However, 23 turnovers proved to be Truman's undoing, as well as eight long range buckets by ESU to the Bulldogs' four.

**BULLDOGS IN THE MIAA (THROUGH GAMES OF FEB. 8):**
Truman leads the MIAA with 6.95 three-pointers a game. The Bulldogs are also ninth in league scoring offense (66.1 points) and 10th in scoring defense (70.1).

**Westhoff** is tied for ninth in league scoring (14.0 ppg), is 10th in rebounding (6.2 rpg), ninth in three-point field goal percentage (.349) and 10th in three-point field goals made (1.50 pg).

**Sommer** is 16th among league scoring leaders (12.4 ppg), fourth in three-point field goal percentage (.408) and ninth in three-point field goals made (1.55 pg). She also still touts the best three-point effort in the conference this year when she was 5-of-5 vs. Westminster.

**Tromp** remains at fifth in MIAA rebounding (7.6 rpg) and is also fifth in the league in defensive rebounds (5.0 pg). She ranks ninth in free-throw percentage as well (.704).

**DOGS IMPROVE REBOUNDING IN CONFERENCE ONLY GAMES:** Through 12 MIAA games, the Bulldogs are averaging 64.7 points a game while allowing 76.0. Truman is shooting 38.8% from the field, 30.0% from three-point range and 69.7% from the free throw line. Before last week, Truman was being out-rebounded by 2.1 boards a game by its opponents. But that has fallen to just -0.2 after grabbing 12 more caroms than Northwest Missouri last week, and out-rebounding Emporia 42-36 on Saturday.

The Bulldogs are turning the ball over 3.2 more times per game than the opposition.

Individually, **Westhoff** is in double-figures in scoring with 14.3 points a game, as is Sommer with 13.0. **Tromp** leads the team during league games with 8.0 rebounds followed by Westhoff (6.3) and senior forward **Jennifer Fisher** (Fordland, Mo./Marshfield) (4.0).

Truman is averaging 6.0 three-pointers a game led by **Westhoff** and **Sommer** with 17 each, followed by **Fisher** (13).

Jamie Huffman is shooting a team-best 51.0% in MIAA games, while Sommer is hitting from the field at a 48.3% clip.

**DOGS IN DOUBLE-DIGITS:** Westhoff leads the team with 16 double-digit scoring games this year, including a streak of eight games that started with game No. 3 this year. She had a new career-high and her third 20-plus game of the season after leading the team during league games with 8.0 rebounds followed by Sommer (7.6 rpg) and is also fifth in the league in defensive rebounds (5.0 pg). She ranks ninth in free-throw percentage as well (.704).

**Sommer** has scored in double-digits 13 times this year, including the team’s best outing with 36 points vs. Missouri Southern on Jan. 15.

**Tromp** has eight double-digit scoring games this year with her best game coming against William Penn with 17 points. She had her first double-double at Truman with 16 points and 17 rebounds vs. Lincoln on Dec. 14, and enjoyed her second vs. UMR with 12 points and boards. Tromp posted her third double-double of the year with 16 points and 15 rebounds in the Northwest Missouri rematch on Feb. 5.

TRUMAN OVER THE RAINBOW: The Bulldogs enjoyed a No. 15 ranking in NCAA Division II last week (when they were averaging 7.0 treys a game) and currently lead the MIAA with 6.95 three-pointers a game. They have reached double-digits in the made column five times this year, most recently with 11 vs. then-No. 5 Washburn. The Bulldogs set a Truman single-game record vs. Westminster on Nov. 26 when they knocked down 15 treys, the best in the MIAA so far this year. They followed up that game by hitting 12 three-pointers in the next contest vs. William Penn. The ‘Dogs’ worst long range performance came in the first meeting with Southwest Baptist with three.

Sommer was 5-for-5 from beyond the arc vs. Westminster, accounting for the best performance in the MIAA to date.

Freshman forward **Sarah Bernard** (Clever, Mo.) hit five three-pointers vs. William Penn on Dec. 4.

Sophomore guard **Kelli Floyd** (Kirksville) is tied for the second-best three-point percentage in the league after going 4-for-4 vs. Washburn.

Sommer and Westhoff lead the team with 31 and 30 three-pointers, respectively.

**MISSOURI WESTERN (16-4, 9-3 MIAA):** The Lady Griffons are ranked 24th in the nation and eighth in the South Central region through games of Feb. 2. The Griffons are coming off an 89-86 triumph over Pittsburg State last Saturday.

MWSC had a 51-29 lead at halftime, but was held to just 38 points in the second period. The Lady Griffons shot 50.8% from the field, led by Carly Lee with 22 points. However, four others had double-digits in the scoring column with senior center Nicole Lindsey contributing 18, senior forward Steph Jones chipping in 14, junior guard Danielle McKinley adding 12 and senior guard Michelle Parlett picking up 11 points. Amanda Davied led PSU with 31 points. Pittsburg hit 14 three-pointers and made 8-of-12 free throws, while the Lady Griffons made just six long range shots, but were 21-of-28 from the charity stripe.

Lindsey leads the MIAA in rebounding (9.2 rpg), defensive

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rebounds (6.30 pg) and field goal percentage (.521), and is ranked fifth in league scoring (16.1 ppg), 10th in free throw percentage (.669) and seventh in blocked shots (0.95 bpg).

Jones is fourth in MIAA scoring (16.2 ppg), ninth in rebounding (6.8 rpg), third in field goal percentage (.519) and fifth in free throw percentage (.780).

Parlett is seventh in both three-point field goal percentage (.353) and three-point field goal made (1.80 pg).

SERIES RECORDS WITH MISSOURI WESTERN: Missouri Western leads the series with Truman 36-12, and has won the last six meetings, including all three last year and the first meeting this season.

The Bulldogs' last win came on Feb. 9, 2000, 58-54 in St. Joseph. Missouri Western turned the table on the Bulldogs in the second-half, Truman went to the free throw line 34 times and made 25 compared to just 12-of-20 free throw shooting for the ‘Dogs. Truman hit 10 three-pointers for the second-straight game.

**HEAD COACH:** John Sloop became the eighth head coach in the 30-year history of the Truman women's basketball program in July of 2000. Sloop spent the five previous years as the assistant for the Truman men's basketball team. In his first season as taskmaster for the Bulldogs, Sloop’s team posted nine wins, but made a rapid improvement last year with a 14-13 record. The 2001-02 squad qualified for the MIAA tournament for the fourth time in the last five years and produced first-team all-MIAA center Jennifer Perkins.

Dave Slifer is in his eighth season as Missouri Western and is 14th as a women's college head coach. He has compiled a record of 177-56 at MWSC and is 356-86 for his career.

**2003 SONIC MIAA CHAMPIONSHIPS:**

The men’s and women’s MIAA postseason tournaments will be held at a neutral site this year for the first time and will be

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sponsored by Sonic Drive-In. The 2003 Sonic MIAA Championships will take place on March 6-9 at Municipal Auditorium in Kansas City, Mo. For ticket information, call the Truman ticket office at (660) 785-4167.

NCAA DIVII SOUTH CENTRAL REGION RANKINGS
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2002-03 TRUMAN WOMEN’S SCHEDULE
Nov. 22 @ Western Illinois (Macomb), L 76-43
Nov. 26 Westminster (Mo.), W 109-37
Dec. 4 William Penn (Iowa), W 88-56
Drury Classic (Springfield, Mo.)- Dec. 6-7
Dec. 6 vs. Cameron (Okla.), W 56-47
Dec. 7 @ Drury (Mo.), L 77-62
Dec. 10 Quincy (Ill.), L 62-61
Dec. 14 Lincoln (Mo.), W 64-57
Dec. 19 Drury (Mo.), L 77-62
Dec. 30 @ Central Missouri *, W 8-76 OT
Jan. 4 @ Washburn (Topeka, Kan.) *, L 85-57
Jan. 8 Northwest Missouri *, L 63-42
Jan. 11 @ Emporia State (Kan.) *, L 87-73
Jan. 15 @ Missouri Western (St. Joseph) *, L 80-70
Jan. 18 Pittsburg State (Kan.) *, L 77-56
Jan. 22 @ Missouri-Rolla *, L 7-49
Jan. 25 Missouri Southern *, L 84-73 OT
Jan. 28 @ Southwest Baptist *, L 69-57
Feb. 1 Washburn (Kan.), L 76-71
Feb. 5 @ Northwest Missouri (Maryville), L 74-72
Feb. 8 Emporia State (Kan.) *, L 74-69
Feb. 12 Missouri Western *, 5:30 p.m.
Feb. 15 @ Pittsburg State (Kan.) *, 1:30 p.m.
Feb. 19 Missouri-Rolla *, 5:30 p.m.
Feb. 22 @ Missouri Southern *, 1 p.m.
Feb. 26 Southwest Baptist (Mo.) *, 5:30 p.m.
Mar. 1 Central Missouri *, 1:30 p.m.
Mar. 6-9 Sonic MIAA Championship

TRUMAN CAREER LEADERS

POINTS

737 Jennifer Fisher, '99-'03
726 Tami Billerbeck, 1984-87
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101 Angie Gum, 1987-91
110 Megan Kahn, 1996-00
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112 Kathy Russell, 1988-92
178 Kelli Kreuser, 1997-00
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264 Jennifer Fisher, '99-'03
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3-POINT ATTEMPTS

773 Jennifer Perkins, 1998-02
84 Wendi Sobaski, 1997-00
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101 Angie Gum, 1987-91
110 Megan Kahn, 1996-00
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264 Jennifer Fisher, '99-'03
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BLOKED SHOTS

77 Jennifer Mitts, 1992-94
73 Anna Rood, 1993-94
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131 Angelina Farnelli, 1996-97
124 Wendi Sobaski, 1997-00 & 2000-01
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Current players in bold italic.

TRUMAN WOMEN’S STATISTICS

Player GP-GS MIN-AVG FG-AVG PCT FT-AVG PCT FT-FTA PCT OFF-DEF TOT AVG PF-FO A TO BLK ST PTS AVG

Westhoff, Annie 20-7 498-24.9 102-23.3 42.0 30-86 0.349 46-64 .719 52-73 125 6.3 48.2 35 56 2 30 28 140 8.0

Sommer, Sarah 20-18 553-27.7 88-19.2 45.8 33-76 0.408 41-48 .854 24-56 47.5 3.8 62.3 32 45 4 11 24 12.8

Thalin, Keagan * 16-14 400-25.0 43-11.9 36.1 14-46 .304 30-42 .714 10-34 44 2.8 20.0 35 28 3 20 130 8.1

Tromp, Adri 20-20 508-25.4 53-12.8 41.4 6-23 .261 50-71 .704 52-100 152 7.6 52.2 24 61 5 23 162 8.1

Huffman, Jamie 18-0 211-11.7 36-7.8 46.2 0.000 28-44 .636 13-41 54 3.0 42.1 8 30 6 9 100 5.6

Floyd, Kelli 20-20 626-31.3 38-10.4 365 10-40 0.250 22-38 .579 11-34 44 2.8 20.0 35 28 3 20 130 8.1

Bernard, Sarah 18-15 348-19.3 37-8.9 416 21-54 .389 1-1.000 16-31 47 2.6 12.0 14 14 1 9 96 5.3

Fisher, Jennifer 19-0 232-12.2 33-8.1 407 16-46 0.348 11-16 .688 15-46 61 3.2 27.1 24 38 4 7 93 4.9

Long, Ali 20-5 419-21.0 24-6.3 381 5-21 0.238 10-23 .435 0-15 15 0.8 30.1 21 42 0 18 63 3.2

McClellan, Lisa 7-0 32-4.6 3-10 .300 1-4 .250 5-7 .714 5-5 10 1.4 8.0 3 1 0 0 12 1.7

Turnbull, Emily 18-1 192-10.7 8-35 .229 4-18 .222 5-8 .625 2-14 16 0.9 7.0 19 12 0 4 25 1.4

Schneider, Carrie * 4-0 32-8.0 1-9 .111 1-8 .125 0.000 1-4 5 1.3 3.0 0 0 0 3 3 0.8

Gray, Jenna * 3-0 3-1.0 0.000 0-2 .000 1-5 .333 0.2 0.2 0.7 2.0 0 0 0 0 1 0.3

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* No longer on the team.
## DII Top 25 Coaches Poll

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**Others Receiving Votes:** Lake Superior St. 41; Minnesota - Duluth 25; Catawba 19; Stonehill 11; Longwood 7; Armstrong Atlantic St. 6; Clark Atlanta 5; Merrimack 4; Massachusetts-Lowell 4; Montana St. 3; Pfeiffer 3; Tampa 2; Northern Michigan 1

## NCAA DII South Central Region Rankings

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Sarah Bernard, Fr., Forward, 5-9
Clever, Mo. (Clever)

**vs. Western Illinois:** Earned her first start in her first collegiate game, scoring five points, including a three-pointer, and grabbing three rebounds.

**vs. Westminster:** Had her first double-figure scoring outing as a starter with 12 points, aided by 3-of-6 shooting from beyond the arc. She also had six rebounds.

**vs. William Penn:** Started her third straight game and was second in scoring with 15 points, all three-pointers, and had five rebounds and two assists.

**vs. Cameron:** Started and played 34 minutes and scored 10 points. She had seven rebounds, two three-pointers and two assists as well.

**vs. Drury:** Started and saw 31 minutes of action, scoring seven points, including a three-pointer, and grabbing seven rebounds.

**vs. Quincy:** Made her sixth start of the year and scored two points and had an assist in 26 minutes on the floor.

**vs. Lincoln:** Started her seventh game, scoring two points and grabbing two rebounds, along with rejecting one shot.

**vs. Drury:** Started and played 34 minutes, scoring five points with one trey and two rebounds and steals.

**vs. Central Missouri:** Started and played 12 minutes, going 2-of-3 from the field with four rebounds.

**vs. Washburn:** Started and played 13 minutes, but missed both field goal attempts.

**vs. Northwest Missouri:** Started and was 3-of-6 from beyond the arc, scoring a team-best nine total points for game, along with an assist and two steals in 26 minutes.

**vs. Emporia State:** Started and scored eight points, grabbed four rebounds and had one assist and one steal in 18 minutes. She was 3-of-5 from the field, 2-of-3 from three-point range.

**vs. Missouri Western:** Started and scored seven points with three rebounds, two assists and one steal.

**vs. Pittsburg State:** Started and played 21 minutes, leading the team with her fourth double-double of the year with 10 points. Hit two three-pointers and had three rebounds.

**Missouri-Rolla:** Started and played 2 minutes, scoring two points and grabbing two rebounds.

**vs. Missouri Southern:** Did not start for the first time this season, but saw two minutes on the bench.

**vs. Southwest Baptist:** Played four minutes.

**vs. Washburn (2):** Played two minutes.

**vs. Northwest Missouri (2):** Did not play for the first time this season.

**Emporia State (2):** Did not play.

Career: Bernard redshirted the 2001-02 season.

Jennifer Fisher, Senior, Forward, 6-2
Fordland, Mo. (Marshfield)

**vs. Western Illinois:** Played in her 63rd straight game for the Bulldogs and was second on the team with five rebounds and led squad with three assists.

**vs. Westminster:** Made both field goal attempts, including one outside the arc, and had a rebound, assist and steal in 10 minutes on the floor.

**vs. William Penn:** Had one three-pointer, along with five rebounds and two assists in nine minutes of action.

**vs. Cameron:** She missed her only three-point attempt in three minutes on the floor.

Kelli Floyd, So., Guard, 5-8
Kirksville, Mo. (Kirksville)

**vs. Western Illinois:** Made her first start as a Bulldog and saw the second-most time on the floor for the ‘Dogs, scoring five points, with one trey, and had one steal and three rebounds.

**vs. Westminster:** Started and charted a new regular season career high with 11 points, including two threes, and had another career-high with seven assists.

**vs. William Penn:** Started and saw 28 minutes of action, scoring four points and grabbing three rebounds.

**vs. Cameron:** Floyd started and played all but five minutes, but could not connect on any of her four field goal attempts. She had six rebounds and four assists, along with her first-ever block and two steals.
vs. **Drury**: Scored a three-pointer and had four assists in 30 minutes as a starter.
vs. **Quincy**: Started her sixth straight game and scored seven points with one three-pointer, a rebound, an assist, a block and a steal.
vs. **Lincoln**: Started and played 32 minutes, garnering one assist.
vs. **Drury**: Started and had four points in 23 minutes with two assists.
vs. **CMSU**: Made 3-of-4 free throws to help seal the overtime win. Started and played 35 minutes with one field goal and five rebounds, along with a team-high three steals.
vs. **Washburn**: Started and saw 29 minutes on the floor, going 3-of-8 from the field and 1-for-1 from the line with four rebounds and an assist.
vs. **Northwest Missouri**: Started and saw 30 minutes on the floor, going 1-of-4 from the field, with two rebounds and an assist.
vs. **Emporia State**: Started and saw 19 minutes on the floor, going 1-of-4 from the field, 1-of-1 from three's, 2-of-2 from the free throw line with two rebounds and an assist.
vs. **Missouri Western**: Started and went two-of-six from the field, with six assists and one steal for the night.
vs. **Missouri Rolla**: Started and saw 26 minutes on the floor, scoring three points and tallying two rebounds, three assists and a steal.
vs. **Missouri Southern**: Started and played the most minutes of any Bulldog with 45. Scored four points, but was 0-for-4 from the line and 0-for-2 from beyond the arc with a career-high seven rebounds and five assists.
vs. **Southwest Baptist**: Started her 17th straight game, going 1-of-3 from the field with four rebounds, three assists and two steals.
vs. **Washburn** (2): Had the best game of her career with 16 points and 4-of-4 three-pointers. Also went 4-of-6 from the line, and had three rebounds and four assists as a starter in 37 minutes.
vs. **Northwest Missouri** (2): Enjoyed her second straight double-digit scoring game with 10 points, going 4-of-12 from the field and 2-of-2 from the charity stripe. Also had three rebounds, three assists and a steal. Started and played 39 minutes.
vs. **Emporia State** (2): Had nine points in 38 minutes as a starter. Was 3-of-8 from the field and 3-of-6 from the line with three rebounds and four assists.
**Career**: Has four career double-digit scoring games, not counting the 13 points she scored in the 2002-03 season-opening exhibition game at Missouri ... has made all of her starts this year ... performed in every game as a true freshman.

**JAMIE HUFFMAN, SO., CENTER, 6-2**

**ST. PETERS, MO. (FRANCIS HOWELL CENT.)**

vs. **Western Illinois**: Saw eight minutes off the bench, scoring three points and had three rebounds.
vs. **Westminster**: Scored eight points and had five rebounds in 16 minutes.
vs. **Wm. Penn**: Was 3-of-7 from the floor with two rebounds and three steals in 10 minutes.
vs. **Cameron**: Huffman saw eight minutes of action, grabbing two rebounds and going 2-of-4 from the line.
vs. **Drury**: Played 16 minutes and had a rebound and a block, but missed her only field goal attempt.
vs. **Quincy**: Was 1-for-2 from the line in one minute of action.
vs. **Lincoln**: Saw four minutes of action and went 1-for-2 from the field with one rebound.

vs. **Drury**: Saw 17 minutes of action off the bench and scored seven points and grabbed three rebounds.
vs. **CMSU**: Came off the bench an played 15 vital minutes, hitting 8-of-10 free throws late in regulation and in OT to help pull off the win. Had just her second double-digit scoring game with a career-high 14 points and grabbed five rebounds. It was the best performance from the line by a 'Dog so far during the season.
vs. **Washburn**: Contributed 11 minutes off the bench and went 2-of-4 from the field and 2-for-2 from the line with three rebounds, an assist and a block.
vs. **Northwest Missouri**: Huffman contributed 10 minutes off the bench and was 1-of-2 from the field and the line. She also had two rebounds.
vs. **Emporia State**: Huffman came off the bench and scored 10 points, had five rebounds and two assists. Was three-of-four from the field and four-of-six from the line.
vs. **Missouri Western**: Off the bench she was two-of-two from the field and had three rebounds.
vs. **Pittsburg State**: Did not play due to an injury.
vs. **Missouri Rolla**: Did not play due to an injury.
vs. **Missouri Southern**: Made her first appearance in two games and played 17 minutes, going 2-of-7 from the field and 4-of-6 from the line. She had two rebounds and an assist and was the only player off the bench to score.
vs. **Southwest Baptist**: Saw 19 minutes of action and was 1-of-5 from the field and 0-of-2 from the line with three rebounds, two steals and a block.
vs. **Washburn** (2): Scored the most points of any player off the bench with six after going 3-of-7 from the field. Had four rebounds, two blocks, an assist and a steal in 14 minutes.
vs. **Northwest Missouri** (2): Came off the bench for a total of 15 minutes and was 4-of-6 from the field with five rebounds, an assist, a block and a steal.
vs. **Emporia State** (2): Enjoyed career highs with 5-of-8 shooting from the field, and had 10 points and seven rebounds in 13 minutes off the bench.

**Career**: Huffman played in 15 games as a true freshman before missing the remainder of the season with a knee injury ... has four double-figure scoring games including two this year in MIAA play.

**ALI LONG, FRESHMAN, GUARD, 5-9**

**LEBANON, MO. (LEBANON)**

vs. **Western Illinois**: Had a steal in her first collegiate game in 18 minutes on the floor.
vs. **Westminster**: Scored points and grabbed two rebounds in another 18 minutes of action.
vs. **William Penn**: Enjoyed her first double-digit scoring game with 11 points on 4-of-4 shooting from the field, including a pair treys. She also had a rebound and two assists in 18 minutes.
vs. **Cameron**: Played eight minutes and had a rebound and an assist.
vs. **Drury**: Played 16 minutes and made two jumpers and had four rebounds and three assists.
vs. **Quincy**: Played two minutes.
vs. **Lincoln**: Went 2-for-2 from the field and had two steals in 15 minutes on the floor.
vs. **Drury**: Played 19 minutes and had three points, all from the line.
vs. **CMSU**: Played 16 minutes, but missed all three field goal attempts.
vs. **Washburn**: Played 12 minutes and had two steals, but was 0-
LISA MICELI, SOPHOMORE, CENTER, 6-0
FENTON, MO. (URSULINE ACADEMY)
vs. Western Illinois: Saw one minute of action.
vs. Westminster: Was 0-of-4 from the line and
made her first three-pointer, along with tallying
three rebounds and two assists in 11 minutes.
vs. William Penn: Came in late in the game
and played two minutes and had one rebound
and four fouls.

vs. Cameron: did not play.
vs. Drury: Did not play.
vs. Quincy: Did not play.
vs. Lincoln: Did not play.
vs. Drury: Played two minutes and made one bucket.
vs. CMSU: did not play.
vs. Washburn: Played a minute and grabbed an offensive board.
vs. Northwest Missouri: Did not play.
vs. Emporia State: Did not play.
vs. Missouri Western: Did not play.
vs. Pittsburg State: Gave the ’Dogs a spark in 10 minutes on
the floor late in the game. Was 1-of-2 from the field and 2-for-2
from the line with a pair of rebounds and an assist.
vs. Missouri-Rolla: Played five minutes and grabbed three
rebounds, but was 0-for-4 from the field.
vs. Missouri Southern: Did not play.
vs. Southwest Baptist: Did not play.
vs. Washburn (2): Did not play.
vs. Northwest Missouri (2): Did not play.
vs. Emporia State (2): Did not play.

SARAH SOMMER, JUNIOR, FORWARD, 6-1
SPARLAND, ILL. (MIDLAND/BRADLEY UNIV.)
vs. Western Illinois: Earned her first start for
the Bulldogs and made three treys and both free
throws to tie for the team-lead with 11 points,
playing a total of 31 minutes.
vs. Westminster: Had a perfect game, going 8-of-
8 from the field, with five three-pointers and
a free throw for a team-high 22 points as a
starter. She also had four rebounds and five
assists in just 18 minutes on the hardwood.
vs. William Penn: Started and scored nine points, with
one three-pointer, six rebounds and an assist in 20 minutes.
vs. Cameron: Started and played 25 minutes, scoring 12 points
with two three-pointers, four rebounds and an assist before fouling
out.
vs. Drury: Started and played 34 minutes, going 2-for-2 from the
line with a three-pointer, three rebounds and two assists.
vs. Quincy: Made her sixth start at Truman and scored five
points and had six rebounds and an assist in 37 minutes of
action.
vs. Lincoln: Was fourth in scoring for the ’Dogs with 10 points
and had two three-pointers, four rebounds and three assists in
34 minutes.
vs. Drury: Started and had eight points in 18 minutes, going 3-
of-7 from the field and 2-for-2 from the line with six rebounds
and two steals.
vs. CMSU: Came off the bench to play 23 minutes and was 3-of-7
from the field, with one three, and went 6-for-7 from the line
with two rebounds, an assist, block and steal. It was her best per-
formance for the season to date from the line.
vs. Washburn: Came off the bench to finish second in team
scoring with 12 points. Was 4-of-7 from the field and 2-of-3 from
long range and the line.
vs. Northwest Missouri: Started and played 15 minutes, scoring
two points on 1-of-5 from the field. Also had three rebounds and
one assist.
vs. Emporia State: Started and played 28 minutes, going 3-of-10
from the field with two rebounds and a steal and an assist.
vs. Missouri Western: Started and had 20 points, six rebounds
and one assist in just 21 minutes.
vs. Pittsburg State: Started and played 20 minutes, scoring five
points with one three-pointer and two rebounds.
vs. Missouri-Rolla: Started and played 22 minutes, but was
scoreless. Had two rebounds and a steal.
vs. Missouri Southern: Tied for the fifth-best game in school
history with 36 points, going 11-of-19 from he field and 10-of-10
from the line with six rebounds, three assists and a steal in 44
minutes as a starter. Scored the final 21 points of regulation
and five of the ’Dogs’ six overtime points.
vs. Southwest Baptist: Started and was 8-of-13 from the field
with a three-pointer and six rebounds in 38 minutes.
vs. Washburn (2): started and was second in team scoring with
17 points in 32 minutes of action. Went 6-of-11 from the field, 3-
of-4 from outside the arc and 2-of-2 from the line. Tied her
career-high with six rebounds and had two assists.
vs. Northwest Missouri (2): Played 38 minutes as a starter and
tied for the team lead with 16 points. Was 7-of-12 from the field,
0-for-4 from beyond the arc and made 2-of-4 from the line. Also
had a career high with seven rebounds, along with three assists,
two blocks and a steal.
vs. Emporia State (2): Tied the team-lead with 17 points, going
7-of-11 from the field, 2-for-3 from outside the arc and 1-of-2
from the line with a rebound and a steal, and four assists in 27
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ADRI TROMP (AU-DREE), JUNIOR
GUARD/FORWARD, 5-10
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.
(CALVIN CHRISTIAN/GLEN OAKS CC)

vs. Western Illinois: Played 14 minutes as a starter and recorded two assists.

vs. Westminster: Played 14 minutes as a starter and recorded two assists.

vs. William Penn: Made third start and was 5-of-9 from the field and 7-for-7 from the line, tying for the team-lead with 17 points in her first double-figure scoring game for the ‘Dogs. She also had team-highs with nine rebounds and three assists.

vs. Cameron: Started and played 25 minutes. Scored four points and had four rebounds.

vs. Drury: Started and played 23 minutes, scoring five points and going 2-for-2 from the field with seven rebounds and an assist and a steal.

vs. Quincy: Tromp made her sixth start this year and had seven points and five rebounds, along with a pair of assists and steals.

vs. Lincoln: Had her first double-double at Truman, leading the team with 16 points and 17 rebounds. She was 6-of-13 from the field with one trey, eight offensive rebounds, five assists and three steals, all career highs at Truman.

vs. Drury: Tied for the team-lead with 12 points and had a team-high seven rebounds. Was 4-of-9 from the field with two three-pointers and seven rebounds in 20 minutes.

vs. CMSU: Made her ninth straight start of the year, and was second on the team with seven rebounds. Was 2-of-6 from the field and had two assists and steals and a blocked shot.

vs. Washburn: Started and led the team with 13 points and was second on the team in rebounding with five boards. Made her only three-point attempt and was 6-of-8 from the line with a block and a steal.

vs. Northwest Missouri: Started an led the team with six rebounds, but scored her only point at the line. She also had two assists in 20 minutes.

vs. Emporia State: Started and played a team-high 30 minutes. Has three points on 1-of-6 from the field, 0-of-1 from three-point and 1-of-2 from the free throw line. Recorded six rebounds, two assists and two steals.

vs. Missouri Western: Started and scored 15 points. She also lead the team with eight rebounds.

vs. Pittsburg State: Started and played 25 minutes, scoring six points. Grabbed four rebounds and had the team’s only block and two steals.

vs. Missouri-Rolla: Had her second double-double of the season with 12 points and rebounds to finish second in team scoring. Led the team in rebounding, made her only three-point attempt and was 5-of-6 from the line with two steals.

vs. Missouri Southern: Made her 16th start of the year, playing 34 minutes and scoring 11 points, along with seven rebounds, a block and an assist. Scored the first four points of the game.

vs. Southwest Baptist: Started and was 1-of-3 from the field with three rebounds, a steal and an assist before fouling out after 13 minutes of action.

vs. Washburn (2): Had a team-high of nine rebounds as a starter in 29 minutes on the floor. Was 1-of-3 from the field and 3-for-3 from the line with two assists and a steal.

vs. Northwest Missouri (2): Led the team with 15 rebounds and tied for the lead in scoring with 16 points. It was her fourth double-double of the year. Was 4-of-11 from the field and had career high at the line going 8-of-10, along with two steals and a block.

vs. Emporia State (2): Led the team with 14 rebounds and scored 12 points at Glen Oaks Community College and was named first-team all-Michigan Community College Athletic Association.

EMILY TURNBULL, JUNIOR, GUARD, 5-6
TOULON, ILL. (STARK COUNTY)

vs. Western Illinois: Started for the first time since Feb. 2, 2002 and made 1-of-3 field goals in 14 minutes of action.

vs. Westminster: Made both field goal attempts, including one trey, and had six points, two assists and a rebound in 17 minutes.

vs. William Penn: Had two assists and rebounds in 16 minutes of play.

vs. Cameron: Played six minutes and made one three-pointer, grabbed two rebounds and a steal.

vs. Drury: Played six minutes and tallied one rebound.

vs. Quincy: Played 11 minutes and had one rebound.

vs. Lincoln: Played four minutes and assisted on one bucket.

vs. Drury: Saw 17 minutes on the floor and had one three-pointer, a rebound and an assist.

vs. CMSU: Played four minutes and had a rebound.

vs. Washburn: Played 16 minutes and was 1-of-3 from the field with a pair of assists.

vs. Northwest Missouri: Contributed 10 minutes off the bench, going 1-of-2 from the field with one rebound, three assists and a steal.

vs. Emporia State: Had five points in 19 minutes off the bench. 1-of-7 from the field, 1-of-5 from three-point range, 2-of-2 from the charity stripe. Recorded two rebounds, three assists and one steal.

vs. Missouri Western: Saw nine minutes of action and recorded two assists.

vs. Pittsburg State: Did not play due to an injury.

vs. Missouri-Rolla: Did not play due to an injury.

vs. Missouri Southern: Returned after missing two games and played 11 minutes, grabbing two rebounds and charting two assists. She did not take a shot from the field or the line.

vs. Southwest Baptist: Came off the bench for 15 minutes, going 0-of-3 from the field with one steal.

vs. Washburn (2): Came off the bench for six minutes and was 0-of-2 from the field and 2-of-3 from the line.

vs. Northwest Missouri (2): Played six minutes off the bench and was 0-of-2 from the field with two rebounds and an assist.

Career: Had her only double-digit scoring game with 12 points as a freshman vs. Missouri Western on Jan. 10, 2001 ... a member of the 2001-02 MIAA commissioner’s academic honor roll ... played in every game as a freshman, garnering eight starts at point guard ... 15 starts.
ANNIE WESTHOFF, JUNIOR, FORWARD, 6-0
WEBSTER GROVES, MO. (WEBSTER GROVES)

vs. Western Illinois: Made a three-pointer and had two rebounds, assists and steals in 18 minutes on the floor.

vs. Westminster: Was second on the team with 19 points and snatched a team-high seven rebounds in 21 minutes.

vs. William Penn: Charted the best long range game of her career, making 3-of-7 from outside the arc, and had a team-high nine rebounds and had two assists and a trey.

vs. Drury: Played just 15 minutes but had 13 points, including a pair of threes, and eight rebounds.

vs. Quincy: Had the second double-double of her career with 15 points and 10 rebounds to finish second in team-scoring for the game. Had two threes and a block and was 3-for-4 at the free throw line.

vs. Lincoln: Was second on the team with 15 points, going 6-of-12 from the field with a pair of threes, six rebounds, three steals and an assist.

vs. Drury: Tied for the team-lead with 12 points, including a pair of three-pointers, and had four rebounds and three assists and steals.

vs. CMSU: Made her first start of the year and was second in scoring with 15 points. She was 6-of-19 from the field, with one trey, and 2-for-2 at the line. Also had five rebounds, two assists and a steal.

vs. Washburn: Made her second start of the season and had six points, four rebounds and a steal in 27 minutes.

vs. Northwest Missouri: Came off the bench to play 19 minutes and 3-of-8 from the field with one trey, five rebounds and an assist.

vs. Emporia State: Came off the bench and led the team with 21 points, tying a career-high, and eight rebounds. Was 7-of-15 from the field, 3-of-5 from three-point, 4-of-4 from the free throw line. Also had three assists and two steals, both tying team-highs.

vs. Missouri Western: In 20 minutes of play she had 12 points, two rebounds, and one steal.

vs. Pittsburg State: Came off the bench to score four points in 24 minutes. Also had three assists, four rebounds and a steal.

vs. Missouri-Rolla: Led the team with 20 points and had her second double-double of the season with 10 rebounds. Also led the team from long range, going 3-for-5 and was 7-of-14 from the field and 3-for-4 from the line with an assist and a steal in 25 minutes of action.

vs. Missouri Southern: Made her third start of the season and scored the second-most points on the team with 14 in 38 minutes of action. She was 4-of-9 from the field and 5-of-8 from the line, and made one three-pointer. Also grabbed a team-high eight rebounds, five offensively, and had four assists and a steal.

vs. Southwest Baptist: Made her fourth start, but fouled out after 27 minutes. Was 5-of-21 from the field, 0-for-4 from beyond the arc and 5-of-6 from the line. Also led the team with 10 rebounds, charting her third double-double of the season with 15 points as well. Had a pair of assists and steals. Scored first 11 points of the game for Truman.

vs. Washburn (2nd): Third 20-plus effort of the season and new career-high with 27 points. Led all scorers, going 8-of-19 from the field and 7-of-9 from the line, and was had new career-highs with 4-of-8 performance from three-point land. Team-high three steals, along with six rebounds.

vs. Northwest Missouri (2): Started her sixth straight game and finished second in scoring with 15 points in 24 minutes of action. She was 5-of-8 from the field, 2-for-2 from outside the arc and 3-for-3 from the line. Was second in rebounding with eight and had one assist.

vs. Emporia State (2): Tied for the team-lead with 17 points in 31 minutes as a starter. Was 6-of-17 from the field, 1-of-5 from long range and 4-of-5 from the charity stripe. She also had six rebounds, four assists and two steals.

Career: Has 34 double-digit scoring outings and four double-doubles ... has made 38 career starts.
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### BULLDOG CAREER HIGHS

#### 3-KELLI FLOYD
- **Points:** 16 vs. Washburn, 2-1-03 (13 vs. Missouri-Exhibition, 11-15-02)
- **Field Goals Made:** 4 vs. Pittsburg State, 2-16-02; vs. Westminster, 11-26-02; vs. Washburn, 2-1-03 & vs. Northwest Missouri, 2-5-03
- **Field Goal Attempts:** 12 vs. Northwest Missouri, 2-5-03
- **Three-Point Field Goals Made:** 4 vs. Washburn, 2-1-03
- **Three-Point Att.:** 6 vs. Northwest Missouri, 2-5-03
- **Free Throws Made:** 4 vs. Northwest Missouri, 1-9-02; vs. Missouri-Rolla, 2-20-02; & vs. Washburn, 2-1-03
- **Free Throws Attempted:** 6 vs. Kentucky St., 12-15-01; vs. Washburn, 2-1-03 & vs. Emporia, 2-8-03
- **Rebounds:** 7 vs. Missouri Southern, 1-25-02
- **Assists:** 7 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02
- **Blocked Shots:** 1 vs. Cameron, 12-6-02 & vs. Quincy, 12-10-02
- **Steals:** 3 vs. Missouri-Rolla, 1-23-02 & vs. Central Missouri, 12-30-02

#### 23-EMILY TURNBULL
- **Points:** 12 vs. Missouri Western, 1-10-01
- **Field Goals Made:** 5 vs. Missouri Western, 2-25-02 (MIAA Tourn.)
- **Field Goal Attempts:** 7 vs. Emporia St., 1-11-03
- **Three-Point Field Goals Made:** 2 vs. Graceland, 11-20-01
- **Three-Point Att.:** 5 vs. Emporia State, 1-11-03
- **Free Throws Made:** 7 vs. Missouri Western, 1-10-01
- **Free Throws Attempted:** 10 vs. Missouri Western, 1-10-01
- **Rebounds:** 7 vs. Missouri-Rolla, 2-21-01
- **Assists:** 6 vs. Pittsburg St., 2-24-01
- **Blocked Shots:** 1 vs. Metro. State, 11-17-01 & vs. Greenville (Ill.), 11-27-01
- **Steals:** 2 vs. Missouri-Rolla, 1-24-01 & vs. Pittsburg State, 1-19-02 & vs. Central Missouri, 2-4-02

#### 24-ANNIE WESTHOFF
- **Points:** 27 vs. Washburn, 2-1-03
- **Field Goals Made:** 10 vs. Pittsburg St., 1-27-01
- **Field Goal Attempts:** 21 vs. Southwest Baptist, 1-28-03
- **Three-Point Field Goals Made:** 4 vs. Washburn, 2-1-03
- **Three-Point Attempts:** 8 vs. Washburn, 2-1-03
- **Free Throws Made:** 8 vs. Kentucky St., 12-15-01
- **Free Throws Attempted:** 11 vs. Kentucky St., 12-15-01
- **Rebounds:** 11 vs. St. Joseph’s, 11-21-00
- **Assists:** 5 vs. Missouri Southern, 1-4-03
- **Blocked Shots:** 2 vs. St. Joseph’s, 11-21-00 & vs. Pittsburg St., 1-27-01
- **Steals:** 4 vs. Mt. Mercy, 12-5-00; vs. Quincy, 12-29-01; & vs. William Penn, 12-4-02

#### 30-JAMIE HUFFMAN
- **Points:** 14 vs. Central Missouri, 12-30-02
- **Field Goals Made:** 5 vs. Emporia, 2-8-03
- **Field Goal Attempts:** 8 vs. Emporia, 2-8-03
- **Three-Point Field Goals Made:** None
- **Three-Point Att.:** 1 vs. Pittsburg State, 1-19-02
- **Free Throws Made:** 8 vs. Kentucky St., 12-15-01 & Central Missouri, 12-30-02
- **Free Throws Attempted:** 10 vs. Kentucky St., 12-15-01 & Central Missouri, 12-30-02
- **Rebounds:** 7 vs. Greenville, 11-27-01 & vs. Emporia, 2-8-03
- **Assists:** 4 vs. Park, 12-8-01
- **Blocked Shots:** 2 vs. Northwest Missouri, 1-9-02 & vs. Washburn, 2-1-03
- **Steals:** 3 vs. William Penn, 12-4-02

#### 40-JENNIFER FISHER
- **Points:** 25 vs. St. Joseph’s, 11-21-00
- **Field Goals Made:** 9 vs. St. Joseph’s, 11-21-00
- **Field Goal Attempts:** 17 vs. Culver-Stockton, 11-30-99
- **Three-Point Field Goals Made:** 5 vs. St. Joseph’s, 11-21-00
- **Three-Point Att.:** 8 vs. Culver-Stockton, 11-30-99 & Greenville, 11-27-01
- **Free Throws Made:** 8 vs. Southwest Baptist, 2-28-00 & vs. Neb Omaha, 12-17-00
- **Free Throws Attempted:** 10 vs. Southwest Baptist, 2-28-00
- **Rebounds:** 14 vs. Hannibal-LaGrange, 12-7-99; vs. Missouri-Rolla, 2-21-01 & vs. Missouri-Rolla, 2-20-02
- **Assists:** 6 vs. Missouri-Rolla, 1-23-02
- **Blocked Shots:** 4 vs. Hannibal-LaGrange, 12-7-99
- **Steals:** 6 vs. St. Joseph’s, 11-21-00

#### 11-SARAH SOMMER
- **Points:** 36 vs. Missouri Southern, 1-25-02
- **Field Goals Made:** 11 vs. Missouri Southern, 1-25-02
- **Field Goal Attempts:** 19 vs. Missouri Southern, 1-25-02
- **Three-Point Field Goals Made:** 5 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02
- **Three-Point Att.:** 7 vs. Western Ill., 11-22-02
- **Free Throws Made:** 10 vs. Missouri Southern, 1-25-02
- **Free Throws Attempted:** 10 vs. Missouri Southern, 1-25-02
- **Rebounds:** 7 vs. Northwest Missouri, 2-5-03
- **Assists:** 5 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02
- **Blocked Shots:** 2 vs. Northwest Missouri, 2-5-03
- **Steals:** 2 vs. Drury, 12-19-02

#### 14-ALL LONG
- **Points:** 11 vs. William Penn, 12-4-02
- **Field Goals Made:** 5 vs. Southwest Baptist, 1-28-03
- **Field Goal Attempts:** 9 vs. Southwest Baptist, 1-28-03
- **Three-Point Field Goals Made:** 2 vs. William Penn, 12-4-02
- **Three-Point Att.:** 3 vs. Pittsburg St., 1-18-03
- **Free Throws Made:** 3 vs. Drury, 12-19-02
- **Free Throws Attempted:** 4 vs. Drury, 12-19-02
- **Rebounds:** 4 vs. Pittsburg State, 1-18-03 & vs. Washburn, 2-1-03

#### 34-SARAH BERNARD
- **Points:** 15 vs. William Penn, 12-4-02
- **Field Goals Made:** 5 vs. William Penn, 12-4-02
- **Field Goal Attempts:** 12 vs. Cameron, 12-6-02
- **Three-Point Field Goals Made:** 5 vs. William Penn, 12-4-02
- **Three-Point Att.:** 7 vs. Cameron, 12-6-02
- **Free Throws Made:** 1 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02
- **Free Throws Attempted:** 1 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02
- **Rebounds:** 7 vs. Cameron, 12-6-02
- **Assists:** 2 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02; vs. William Penn, 12-4-02; & vs. Cameron, 12-6-02; & vs. Mo. Western, 1-15-03
- **Blocked Shots:** 1 vs. Lincoln, 12-14-02
- **Steals:** 2 vs. Drury, 12-19-02 & vs. Northwest Missouri 1-8-03

#### 35-LISA MICELI
- **Points:** 6 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02
- **Field Goals Made:** 1 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02; vs. Drury, 12-19-02 & vs. Pittsburg St., 1-18-03
- **Field Goal Attempts:** 4 vs. Missouri-Rolla, 1-22-03
- **Three-Point Field Goals Made:** 1 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02
- **Three-Point Att.:** 2 vs. Missouri-Rolla, 1-22-03
- **Free Throws Made:** 3 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02
- **Free Throws Attempted:** 4 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02
- **Rebounds:** 3 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02 & vs. Missouri-Rolla, 1-22-03
- **Assists:** 2 vs. Westminster, 11-26-02 & vs. Missouri-Rolla, 1-22-03
- **Blocked Shots:** None
- **Steals:** None

#### Blocked Shots: None
- **Steals:** 5 vs. Southwest Baptist, 1-28-03
- **Points:** None
Senior guard Keagan Thalin and junior transfer Sarah Sommer tied for the team-leading 11 points apiece. Thalin also tied her career high and led the team with six rebounds, along with hitting one long range bucket and going 4-of-5 from the free throw line. Sommer was 4-of-7 from beyond the arc and notched one each, including three 1-for-1 performances.

Junior forward Sarah Sommer had a perfect game, going 8-of-8 from the field, an incredible 5-of-5 from three-point land and 1-for-1 from the line for a team-high 22 points. The Bulldogs set a new team record in the game with 15 total three-pointers, erasing the old mark of 13 the ‘Dogs achieved in three other games.

Freshman guard Sarah Bernard made three shots from beyond the arc and Kelli Floyd made two, while five other ‘Dogs notched one each, including three 1-for-1 performances.

Junior forward Annie Westhoff was second in scoring with 19 points and was 7-of-11 from the field, while Bernard scored 12 total points and Floyd had 11 to account for Truman’s double-figure scorers. Westhoff also had a team-high seven rebounds and Floyd led the squad with seven assists in charting the highest scoring game of her career.

Truman shot 54.9% from the field, the best team outing since the MIAA postseason tourney.

The Bulldogs opened the game with Westminster by going on a 23-2 run and built a 21-point lead by midway through the first half. Westminster went to intermission down 57-16 as the ‘Dogs finished off the half with a 5-0 run. The second stanza did not go well for Truman, as sophomore walk-on Lisa Miceli hit the first three-pointer of her career with 16 seconds left to help leave the final score at 109-37.

The Bulldogs began the regular season at Division I Western Illinois on Nov. 11, losing 76-43. The Dogs opened the 2002-03 campaign with an exhibition loss at the University of Missouri-Columbia, 92-46.

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**TRUMAN BULLDOGS AT WESTERN ILLINOIS**

**11-22-02 - MACOMB, ILL.**

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Junior forward Annie Westhoff (Webster Groves, Mo.) led the team in scoring for the second-straight game with 15 points, including one three-pointer, and posted a team-high nine rebounds as well. Three Bulldogs hit two long range buckets as junior guard Keagan Thalin (Glenview, Ill./Glenbrook South), Sommer and Bernard all had a pair.

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DRURY 77, TRUMAN 62

The Bulldogs did not get off to a good start, falling behind by 10-points by the 13-minute mark in the game. Bernard hit a three right after that to cut the deficit to seven. Drury managed 10-points by the 13-minute mark in the game. Bernard hit a free throw attempts.

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QUINCY 62, TRUMAN 61

Minus one tied score midway through the first half and Quincy's game-winning bucket with 17 seconds remaining in the contest, Truman led the Lady Hawks for nearly the entire game on Tuesday night. The Bulldogs were up by as much as 11 points in the first period and that much again midway through the second half. However, a late rally by QU, which out-scored the 'Dogs 6-0 in the final minute, gave the Lady Hawks the win, 62-61.

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TRUMAN VS. LINCOLN
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TRUMAN 64, LINCOLN 57

The Bulldogs got off to a not-so-hot start after the Blue Tigers took their first double-digit lead at 11:11, 18-7. Junior forward Annie Westhoff (Webster Groves, Mo.) then sparked a 14-0 Bulldog run with a three-pointer that ended with about four minutes to go in the first half and left the 'Dogs with a three-point margin over the Blue Tigers. However, LU out-scored Truman 12-6 in the closing minutes to take a 30-27 lead into the half.

The Bulldogs kept Lincoln’s lead under six points for nearly 10 minutes of the second period, but the Blue Tigers pushed it to eight points once at 10:27 after a 5-1 run. Junior guard/forward Adri Tromp (Grand Rapids, Mich./Calvin-Glen Oaks CC) started a 14-2 run for Truman with a long range bucket at the 10-minute mark that ended with the 'Dogs up by four points with 5:52 remaining in the game. Truman maintained its lead for the rest of the game and expanded the margin to as much as nine points with 10 seconds to go.

Tromp led the team with her first double-double of the year with 16 points and 17 rebounds. It was the first double-digit performance in the rebound column by a Bulldog this season as the 'Dogs out-rebounded LU, 40-28.

DRURY 77, TRUMAN 62

No. 23 Drury got off to a 16-4 start on the Bulldogs before junior guard/forward Adri Tromp hit a three-pointer at 9:54 in the first to cut the Lady Panthers’ lead to nine. DU answered with a fast break layup to get back its double-digit lead. A bucket by junior guard Keagan Thalin next was nearly the last time the 'Dogs would see the lead under double-digits though, and the Lady Panthers would take a 35-22 lead at the break.

In the second period, DU’s lead climbed to as much as 18 at the 15-minute mark. The 'Dogs put together a 12-4 run after that to whittle the Lady Panthers margin down to 10 midway through the half. A 6-3 run shortly after that got the Drury lead down to nine with 9:32 to go. But the Lady Panthers proceeded on an 18-6 run after that, taking their first 20-point lead with 3:39 left in the game, 72-52. A three-pointer by Tromp and a fastbreak layup by freshman forward Sarah Bernard got the margin down to 16, but it was too little too late as DU stayed with it and came away with the 77-62 win.
TRUMAN AT CENTRAL MISSOURI - 12-30-02 - KIRKSVILLE, MO.

Midway through the second half, the Truman Bulldogs used 8- and 7-0 runs to overcome a 15-point deficit and tie the score, sending the MIAA women's basketball opener into overtime before pulling out an 80-76 win at Central Missouri this evening.

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The Bulldogs were ahead 27-22 at halftime, but suffered a seven-minute scoring drought to start the second-half in a 63-42 loss to the Northwest Missouri Bearcats Wednesday evening in Kirksville. Truman led NWMS for most of the first half after Bernard led Truman with nine points and junior guard/forward Adri Tromp had a team-high six rebounds, while four Bearcats scored in double-figures led by Tanesha Fields with 15. Northwest Missouri shot 100% from the free throw line (14-of-14) and Truman was 3-of-7 (42.9%).

Truman hung around for 35 minutes but in the end couldn’t keep up with a hot shooting Emporia State squad in a 87-73 loss. The Bulldogs held a small lead for almost the entire first-half and went into the break with a 32-31 lead. They continued to hold on to the lead in the second-half until a 8-0 run by the Hornets in the second half put Emporia State up 48-40 and outrebounded them 42-34. However, Truman hung around and was within five with 4:55 left, but the Hornets went on a 18-5 run to close the Bulldogs out.

Emporia State shot 50% from the field for the game, including 64% in the second-half. It hit eight-of-12 three-point attempts and scored 27 points off turnovers. The Bulldogs bench outscored the Hornets' 48-4 and outrebounded them 42-34. However, Truman shot just 37.1% in the loss.

Annie Westhoff (Webster Groves, Mo.) led Truman by tying her career-high with 21 points and also grabbing eight rebounds. Jamie Huffman (St. Peters, Mo.) and Jennifer Fisher (Fordland, Mo.) each had 10 points. Those three players were 15-of-24 from the field (64%) while the rest of the team was just 10-of-38 (26%).

Emporia State had three players with over 20 points. Kristie McClain led the way with 25 points, Nicole Patry had 22 and Nichole Switzer added 21. McClain also led the team with 12 rebounds.
Truman jumped out early but No. 14 Missouri Western made the final run as the Griffons held off the Bulldogs by a 80-70 score.  

The first part of the game was all 'Dogs as they jumped out to a 33-14 lead with eight minutes left in the half. The Griffons made a run but Truman led at half by a 38-29 after knocking in a 33-14 lead with eight minutes left in the half. The Griffons outscored 15-6 after that and took a 43-25 deficit into the locker-room at the break.

Missouri Western turned the game on for over seven minutes to start the half and the Griffons responded with a 19-3 run to grab the lead. Down nine the 'Dogs tied the game with three three-pointers in a one-minute span. The Griffons, however, answered that with a 13-0 run of their own to put the game away.

Missouri Western shot 52.1% from the field, including 61.5% in the second-half, to make up for 24 turnovers. The Griffons made 25 compared to just 12-20 free throw shooting for the 'Dogs. Truman hit 10 three-pointers for the second-straight game.

Sarah Sommer (Sparland, Ill.) led four Bulldogs in double-figure scoring with 14. Adri Tromp (Grand Rapids, Mich.) and Fisher each had 13 points while Annie Westhoff (Webster Groves, Mo.) had 10. Tromp led the team with eight rebounds, Fisher had a team-high five assists and Keagan Thalin (Glenview, Ill.) had four steals.

Missouri Western was led bySteph Jones who had a double-double with 22 points and 11 rebounds. She was seven-of-nine from the field and seven-of-the ten from the free throw line. Danielle McKinley had 18 points followed by Michelle Parlett with 14 and Carly Lee with 11.

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PITTSBURG STATE 77, TRUMAN 56: The Bulldogs never did hold the lead in a 77-56 loss to Pittsburg State on Saturday. The Gorillas took an early 40 lead before freshman forward Sarah Bernard got Truman on the board with a three-pointer at 18:17. The 'Dogs kept the PSU lead under six for the first 10 minutes, but watched the Gorillas take their first double digit lead at 7:02 after Stephanie Shanline hit two long range shots. Truman was outscored 15-6 after that and took a 43-25 deficit into the locker-room at the break.

The Bulldogs couldn't cut into their deficit much to start the second half, but did get it down to 14 at 13:34 behind a 5-0 run. Freshman forward Lisa Miceli came off the bench to spark a 7-4 run for the 'Dogs with a layup and later a pair of free throws that cut the margin to 11 with 6:46 left to play.

But PSU used a 11-4 run to put the game away and take its first 20-point lead with 1:39 to go. Amanda Davied led Pittsburg and all scorers with 21 points and 14 rebounds, while Bernard topped Truman with 10 points.

The Bulldogs shot 40.8% for the game, but turned the ball over 22 times. Pittsburg shot 49.2% from the field and outrebounded the 'Dogs 34-28.
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MISSOURI-ROLLA 74, TRUMAN 49:
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Missouri Southern 83, Truman 74: It was a wild ride in Pershing Arena on Saturday as the Lions and Dogs took a hotly contested game into overtime. Truman, which had been having trouble putting together two good halves, scored 32 points in the first half and 35 in the second period, but fell short in overtime, 17-6. Junior transfer Sarah Sommer and MSSC’s Jacquie Rzeszut were both half a point shy of scoring half of their team’s points for the game. Rzeszut also came within one point of tying the MIAA single game scoring record with 45 points, while Sommer tied for the fifth-best game in Truman history with 36 points.
The Bulldogs led early on, taking a 6-0 lead on a pair of layups by junior guard forward Adri Tromp to start things off, followed by a layup from junior forward Annie Westhoff. The ‘Dogs cut the Lady Lions’ lead to three with the first of her seven three-pointers for the game and went on to score the Lady Lions’ first 19 points. She scored eight straight points, starting with that three, to give MSSC a 32-point lead in the first half and 35 in the second period, but fell short in overtime, 17-6.
Adri Tromp scored the Bulldogs’ first seven points, giving Truman an early 3-0 lead in the 74-49 loss to Missouri-Rolla on Wednesday. Tromp hit a three to get the ‘Dogs on the board and then went 4-for-4 from the line. About half a minute later junior forward Annie Westhoff made one from outside the arc to give Truman its last lead of the game (10-8) at 14:17. A jumper by Westhoff a minute later tied the score at 12 apiece, but UMR proceeded on a 5-0 run from there to take the lead for good.
Missouri-Rolla expanded its lead to as much as nine by the three-minute mark, but a pair of threes by junior forward Jennifer Fisher and Westhoff, and another bucket by Westhoff, kept the lead under 10 for the remainder of the half as the Bulldogs took a 36-28 deficit to the lockerroom at intermission.
The Lady Miners quickly got their lead into double-digits after starting the second period with an 8-0 run and outscored the ‘Dogs 33-10 through the first 15 minutes of the second half.
Westhoff led the team with a 20 points, one off of her career high, and posted her second double-double of the year with 10 rebounds. However, Tromp led the team on the boards with 12 and was the only other ‘Dog in double figures in the scoring column with 12 points as well. It was her second double-double of the season.
Truman shot just 26.2% from the field and 20.0% from beyond the arc, its worst performances of the season, while the Lady Miners were .500 from the field and 4-of-10 (40.0%) from three-point land.
SOUTHWEST BAPTIST 69, TRUMAN 57: Junior forward Annie Westhoff (Webster Groves, Mo.) put Truman on the board first a few seconds into the game and the two teams traded the lead five times and tied the three times during the first five minutes of play. Southwest Baptist went ahead for good at 15:41 during a 7-0 run. Westhoff would score the 'Dogs' first 11 points of the game and 10 boards. Truman managed to keep SBU's lead under double-digits in the first half, taking just a six-point deficit into the locker-room at halftime, 32-26.

The Lady Bearcats opened the second period by outscoring Truman 11-5 in the first few minutes, taking their first double-digit lead at 17:41, 39-28. SBU expanded its lead to 17 points at 17:04, culminating a 7-2 run to start the half. After that, the Bulldogs rallied and cut their deficit to four behind an 11-2 run that put the score at 43-39 with 12:27 to go. The Lady Bearcats would push their lead back into double-digits three more times before taking a 38-34 lead at the break. The biggest lead of the first half came at 9:24 when a jumper and free shot by Westhoff gave Truman a six-point margin over the Lady Blues.

The Bulldogs expanded their lead to seven after halftime when Westhoff hit a three-pointer less than a minute into the period. Washburn never regained the lead in the second stanza, but did manage to tie the score at 45 apiece at the 15-minute mark after a 9-2 run. The 'Dogs took an 11-point lead with 8:36 to go after an 8-0 run that included threes by Sommer and Floyd, and ended on a jumper by sophomore center Jamie Huffman. Truman would reach double-digit leads three more times, the last time with 4:12 remaining. Truman scored seven of the 'Dogs' last nine points, starting at 2:29, but SBU had an answer each time and made 3-of-4 free throws in the final minute to seal the win, 69-57.

SOUTHWEST BAPTIST 69, TRUMAN 57: The Truman State University women's basketball team snapped an eight-game losing streak at home today, knocking off No. 5 Washburn, 76-71. It was the Bulldogs' first MIAA win since beating Central Missouri 80-76 in the conference opener on Dec. 30.

Junior forward Annie Westhoff led all scorers with a career high 27 points, while two other 'Dogs, junior transfer Sarah Sommer and sophomore guard Kelli Floyd, also scored in double figures with 17 and 16 points, respectively.

The two teams battled through nine lead changes and seven tied scores in the first half with Truman scoring the last four points of the half on a free throw by Westhoff and a three-pointer by Floyd to take a 38-34 lead at the break. The biggest lead of the first half came at 9:24 when a jumper and free shot by Westhoff gave Truman a six-point margin over the Lady Blues.

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Both teams shot 42.6% from the field and Truman committed four more turnovers than WU (17-13), but the 'Dogs were 11-of-18 from the field and 7-of-9 from the line for the game. Crystal Walker led the Bulldogs with 24 points.
TRUMAN 74, NORTHWEST MISSOURI 72: The Truman women's basketball team jumped into a tie for eighth in the MIAA with its second straight win, a 74-72 edging of Northwest Missouri State on Wednesday evening.

Adri Tromp led the Bulldogs with a double-double, tying for the team lead with 16 points and grabbing nearly as many rebounds with 15.

The Bulldogs tied the Bearcats at 35 at halftime and made just 4-of-21 three-pointers, but outrebounded the ‘Cats 48-36 and shot 43.5% from the field (27-of-62) to NWMS's 35.1% performance (26-of-74).

Truman had 19 second-chance points and used a 15-2 run starting at 11:22 in the second period to grab a six-point lead with 7:33 to go. A three-pointer by freshman guard Ali Long kicked off the spurt that included a pair of treys by junior forward Annie Westhoff and two buckets by sophomore center Jamie Huffman, along with a 2-for-2 performance from the line by Tromp.

The Bearcats managed to tie the score with as little at 1:26 remaining, but the ’Dogs sank 5-of-8 free throws after that, taking a five-point lead with 11 seconds left. Northwest hit a three at the buzzer to leave the final score, 74-72.

Tromp led the team from the line as well hitting 8-of-10 charity shots, while Westhoff was 3-for-3 and sophomore guard Kelli Floyd was 2-for-2. Junior forward Sarah Sommer tied Tromp for the lead in scoring with 16 points. Westhoff had 15 points and Floyd rounded out Truman’s double-digit scorers with 10 points.

Erica Hatterman led Northwest Missouri with 18 points.