

2015 SOFTBALL



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FACTS & FIGURES

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Feb. 19 LIU Brooklyn 3 vs. 7 South Carolina
 Feb. 20 Bryant 11 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 1 (5)
 LIU Brooklyn 5 vs. Kentucky 3
 Mount St. Mary's 0 at Georgia Tech 10 (5)
 Mount St. Mary's 2 at Georgia Tech 12 (5)
 Robert Morris 2 vs. North Dakota 9
 Robert Morris 7 vs. Eastern Michigan 4
 Sacred Heart 1 vs. Boston College 4
 Feb. 21 Bryant 19 vs. Maryland Eastern Shore 6 (5)
 Bryant 3 vs. S.C. Upstate 2
 LIU Brooklyn 2 vs. Cal Poly 7
 Mount St. Mary's 0 vs. Presbyterian 8 (5)
 Mount St. Mary's 4 vs. Georgia State 10
 Robert Morris 7 vs. Texas State 5
 Sacred Heart 1 vs. Murray State 2
 Sacred Heart 1 at Coastal Carolina 11 (5)
 Feb. 22 Bryant 2 at S.C. Upstate 10
 LIU Brooklyn 1 vs. California 11(6)
 Mount St. Mary's 0 vs. Georgia Tech 2
 Robert Morris 0 vs. UAB 11 (5)
 Robert Morris 2 vs. Harvard 1
 Sacred Heart 1 vs. Bucknell 9 (5)
 Saint Francis U 3 at Saint Joseph's 1
 Saint Francis U 5 at Saint Joseph's 1

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Feb. 27 Bryant vs. UC Riverside
 Bryant vs. Texas-Arlington
 Central Connecticut vs. Brown
 Central Connecticut vs. Elon
 Fairleigh Dickinson vs. UMBC
 LIU Brooklyn vs. Florida A&M
 LIU Brooklyn vs. Iowa
 Mount St. Mary's vs. Saint Joseph's
 Mount St. Mary's vs. Coastal Carolina
 Robert Morris vs. Charlotte
 Robert Morris vs. St. Bonaventure
 Sacred Heart vs. Central Arkansas
 Sacred Heart vs. UIC
 Wagner vs. UMES
 Wagner vs. Winthrop
 Feb. 28 Bryant vs. Colorado State
 Bryant vs. UTEP
 Central Connecticut vs. Niagara
 Fairleigh Dickinson vs. Cornell
 Fairleigh Dickinson vs. UMBC
 LIU Brooklyn vs. Princeton
 LIU Brooklyn vs. Central Florida
 Mount St. Mary's vs. Loyola
 Mount St. Mary's vs. Coastal Carolina
 Robert Morris at Charlotte
 Robert Morris vs. St. Bonaventure
 Sacred Heart vs. Radford
 Sacred Heart vs. USF
 Wagner vs. Hartford
 Wagner vs. Coppin State
 March 1 Bryant vs. Arizona
 Bryant vs. Arizona
 Central Connecticut vs. Brown
 Central Connecticut vs. Niagara
 Fairleigh Dickinson vs. Cornell
 LIU Brooklyn vs. TBA
 Mount St. Mary's vs. Saint Joseph's
 Robert Morris vs. Kent State
 Sacred Heart vs. Oakland
 Wagner vs. Harvard

2015 NEC STANDINGS

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SCHOOL	NEC	PTS.	OVERALL	PCT.	STREAK	HOME	AWAY	NEU.
Saint Francis U	0-0	0.000	4-0	1.000	W3	0-0	1-0	3-0
Bryant	0-0	0.000	3-1	0.750	L1	0-0	0-0	3-1
Robert Morris	0-0	0.000	6-3	0.667	W1	0-0	1-0	5-3
LIU Brooklyn	0-0	0.000	1-12	0.077	L11	0-0	0-1	1-11
Central Connecticut	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	---	0-0	0-0	0-0
Fairleigh Dickinson	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	---	0-0	0-0	0-0
Wagner	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	---	0-0	0-0	0-0
Sacred Heart	0-0	0.000	0-0	0.000	---	0-0	0-0	0-0
Mount St. Mary's	0-0	0.000	0-5	0.000	L5	0-0	0-4	0-1

NEC Player of the Week

Elle Madsen, Bryant

Pitcher/Utility, Junior, Wheat Ridge, CO/Wheat Ridge

Madsen wasted no time in making a statement to defend her NEC Player of the Year title at the Spartan Invitational this weekend. Offensively, she went 5-for-12 (.417) with four HR, eight RBI and five runs scored. In the season opener against Maryland Eastern Shore on Friday, Madsen pitched a five inning shutout and blasted a two-run homerun. Unfortunately for UMES, the Madsen and the Bulldogs were not done making a statement on the field. On Saturday, the junior hurled another complete game shutout and belted three home runs, including one in the third inning as the Bulldogs broke the NCAA record with seven home runs in one inning and tied the record with 10 total in one game. Madsen was key in leading Bryant to a 3-1 record over the weekend and went 2-0 with a 1.75 ERA in the circle, allowing three runs on 12 hits with 5 Ks in 12 innings.



NEC Pitcher of the Week

Nicole Sleith, Robert Morris

Pitcher, Senior, Smithton, PA/Yough

Sleith was a force to be reckoned with this weekend, allowing opponents to hit just .160 off of her this past weekend and racked up 32 strikeouts against five walks in 22.1 innings pitched. The senior went 3-0 with three complete games in three starts and picked up a save. On Saturday, Sleigh notched 10 strikeouts in a win 9-2 win against North Dakota and sealed a 7-4 win over Eastern Michigan. Sleith tossed a four-hitter against Texas State with 13 strikeouts, one off matching her career high, as she notched her fourth double-digit strikeout effort in four starts. The senior closed out her stellar weekend as she etched her name in the Colonials record book. Sleith did not allow an earned run in an eight-inning effort against Harvard as she struck out nine without walking a batter and became just the second Colonial ever to surpass 700 career strikeouts.



NEC Rookie of the Week

Olivia Lorusso, Robert Morris

Third Base, Freshman, Eighty-Four, PA/Canon McMillan

Lorusso continued to impress during RMU's second weekend of action, pacing the Colonials to a 4-1 record this weekend. Lorusso scored a run and recorded a RBI double against Eastern Michigan. Lorusso delivered in the clutch in the Colonials comeback win against Texas State. The freshman reached base safely in three of her four plate appearances against the Bobcats and launched a three-run home run in the fifth inning to turn a two-run deficit into a lead with two outs to give the Colonials the lead for good. Lorusso leads the Colonials in slugging percentage (.615), home runs (2), RBI (7), and is tied for the lead in total bases (16).

