

#### 2009 ACC TOURNAMENT

**April 23-26, 2009** 

#### **Thompson Field \* Virginia Tech**

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Date	Opponent	Time/Result
F15	at Richmond	W, 17-6
F21	UMASS	W, 16-4
F28	DUKE*	W, 15-13
M6	at Virginia*	W, 17-11
M11	at Georgetown	W, 14-12
M15	NEW HAMPSHIRE	W, 19-7
M18	at Dartmouth V	V, 13-12 (2ot)
M21	BOSTON COLLEGE	* W, 10-5
M24	at Towson	W, 14-7
M27	at James Madison	W, 17-7
M29	STANFORD	W, 20-12
A31	v. Penn State	W, 20-12
A51	at Ohio State	W, 17-16
A11	NORTH CAROLINA*	W, 13-5
A14	JOHNS HOPKINS	W, 18-12
A18	at Virginia Tech*	W, 16-6
A24	v. Winner of UVA/VT2	4 p.m.
A26	ACC Championship <sup>2</sup>	1 p.m.
M2	PRINCETON	Noon
M10 <sup>3</sup>	NCAA First Round	TBA
M16 <sup>3</sup>	NCAA Quarterfinals	TBA
M22 <sup>3</sup>	NCAA Semifinals	TBA
M24 <sup>3</sup>	NCAA Finals	TBA

<sup>1</sup>ACC/ALC Challenge <sup>2</sup>ACC Tournament <sup>3</sup>NCAA Tournament

#### **Team Information**

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Alma Mater:
Record at Maryland (Yrs.):
Overall Record (Yrs.):
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#### TERPS TOP SEED FOR THIRD-STRAIGHT SEASON

- The second-ranked Maryland women's lacrosse team finds itself in very familiar territory as it heads into the 2009 ACC Championship as the top seed.
- Last season, the Terps, who were also ranked second in the nation at the time, entered the tournament on a 12-game winning streak.
- This is the first time ever that Maryland has garnered the top seed in three-straight seasons.

#### **ACC CHAMPIONSHIP TERPBITS**

- Maryland has won five of the 12 ACC Championships by taking titles in 1997, 1999, 2000, 2001 and 2003.
- The Terps are 13-7 all-time in the tournament but just 2-5 in the last seven games. The two wins came against North Carolina, 8-5, in the semifinals last season and versus Boston College, 21-8, in the opening round in 2006.
- No. 1 seeds are 10-1 all-time in the semifinals of the ACC Championship.
- The last time the Terps hoisted the ACC Championship trophy was in 2003.
- Virginia has won the last three ACC Championships. Maryland and Virginia are the only two programs to boast three consecutive championships.

#### LAST YEAR AT THE TOURNEY

- No. 1-seeded Maryland upended No. 5 seed North Carolina, 8-5, in the semifinals. The Terps jumped out to a 6-0 lead and never looked back. Current Maryland juniors Caitlyn McFadden and Amanda Spinnenweber each recorded points in the win, which was Maryland's first in the ACC Championship since 2006.
- Maryland then battled third-ranked Virginia in the championship game, with the Cavaliers besting the Terps, 10-9, in Charlottesville.
- · Allie Buote, Lauren Cohen, Dana Dobbie and Kelly Kasper were named to the all-tournament team.

#### TERPS CAPTURE ACC REGULAR SEASON CROWN

- If there were any lingering doubts what this year's Maryland women's lacrosse team is capable of, they were erased Saturday, as the second-ranked Terps captured its third-straight Atlantic Coast Conference Regular Season Championship with a win over No. 4 North Carolina, 13-8, at a rain-soaked Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex.
- It was the first time in program history that the Terps have been the top seed in the ACC Championship for three-straight seasons.
- The Maryland defense, which allowed 12 shots in the first half, permitted only six Tar Heel opportunities in the second period.

#### **Probable Starters**

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown/High School
1	Sarah Mollison	Α	SO	Melbourne, Australia/Melbourne Girls
3	Caitlyn McFadden	М	JR	Phoenix, Md./Notre Dame Prep
4	Brandi Jones	М	SO	Poway, Calif./Poway
11	Laura Merrifield	М	SO	Hertfordshire, England/St. George's School
18	Karri Ellen Johnson	Α	FR	Annapolis, Md./Broadneck
19	Alexcia Niumatalolo	D	SO	Arnold, Md./Broadneck
20	Karissa Taylor	D	JR	Easton, Md./Easton
23	Amanda Spinnenweber	r M	JR	Pasadena, Md./Chesapeake
24	Katie Gallagher	D	JR	Pennsauken, N.J./Camden Catholic
25	Brittany Jones	М	JR	Poway, Calif./Poway/Cal Poly
27	Brittany Poist	D	SO	Hampstead, Md./North Carroll/Louisville
43	Brittany Dipper	G	FR	Clarksboro, N.J./Kingsway Regional

#### Inside Lacrosse Media Poll (4/20)

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Rank	Team	Record
1	Northwestern	15-0
2	Maryland	16-0
	Pennsylvania	13-0
4	North Carolina	13-3
5	Princeton	11-2
6	Syracuse	12-3
7	Duke	11-4
8	Georgetown	11-4
9	Virginia	10-6
10	Vanderbilt	9-4
11	Boston University	11-3
12	Notre Dame	12-4
13	Loyola	10-5
14	Ohio State	11-4
15	Stanford	10-4
16	Dartmouth	7-5
17	Old Dominion	11-3
18	New Hampshire	10-6
19	Penn State	7-7
20	Cornell	8-5
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#### **IWLCA Poll (4/14)**

Rank	Team	Record L	ast Wk
1.	Northwestern	15-0	1
2.	Maryland	16-0	2
3.	Penn	13-0	3
4.	North Carolina	13-3	4
5.	Duke	11-4	5
6.	Princeton	11-2	7
7.	Georgetown	11-4	6
8.	Syracuse	12-3	8
9.	Virginia	10-6	10
10.	Vanderbilt	9-4	12
11.	Notre Dame	12-4	9
12.	Boston University	11-3	11
13.	Ohio State	11-4	13
14.	Stanford	10-4	15
15.	Penn State	7-7	17
16.	Dartmouth	7-5	14
17.	Loyola	10-5	16
18.	Old Dominion	11-3	RV
19.	New Hampshire	10-6	19
20.	Cornell	8-5	18
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#### **Tracking The Terps**

Date	Inside Lacrosse	<b>IWLCA</b>
Preseason	7	6
February 18	6	6
February 25	6	5
March 4	3	3
March 11	2	2
March 18	2	2
March 23	2	2t
April 1	2	2
April 8	2	3
April 15	2	2
April 22	2	2
April 29		

#### THREE TERPS TABBED TEWAARATON NOMINEES

- Three Maryland women's lacrosse players have been named as nominees for the 2009 Tewaaraton Trophy, annually handed out to the nation's best women's lacrosse player. Karri Ellen Johnson, Caitlyn McFadden and Sarah Mollison have all been tabbed to the prestigious list.
- Johnson's 58 goals this season are a Maryland program-best for a freshman. The attacker from Annapolis, Md., has snagged two ACC Player of the Week awards for the undefeated Terps this season. Johnson leads the ACC in goals and ranks in the top ten in goals and draw controls in the nation. She is the lone freshman on this year's Tewaaraton list.
- Mollison, a sophomore, tops the ACC and ranks eighth in the nation in assists this season with 34. The Australian-product boasts 64 points for the second most-prolific offense in the nation in 2009.
- McFadden ranks in the top three in goals, assists, points, ground balls, draw controls and caused turnovers for the ACC regular-season champions. The captain, who was an All-American last season as a sophomore, is also ranked in the top ten in goals, assists, points and shots in the always-challenging ACC.

## TOPPING THE CHARTS - TERPS WOMEN'S LACROSSE

- The Terps have been invited to the NCAA Tournament a total of 24 times which is more than any other team in the country. Virginia, which is second, made its 21st appearance in the postseason.
- Maryland has played the most games in the tournament (51) and has the most wins with a 37-15 record. Virginia is second in games played with 46 while Princeton has 29 wins which is second.
- The Terps have won nine NCAA Championships which is five more than the second place team. Northwestern has won its first four national titles the last four seasons while Princeton and Virginia also have three to their names.
- Maryland has won the most overtime games in the NCAA Tournament with a 6-0 record.
- Maryland has the longest winning streak in NCAA Tournament history with 21 consecutive victories from 1995-2002 and have appeared in 16 title games, more than any other school.
- Heading into the 2009 campaign, Maryland has more wins than any other program in the country, totaling in at 495 and also boast the top winning percentage (.801).

#### MCFADDEN LANDS ON U.S. WORLD CUP TEAM

- Maryland junior Caitlyn McFadden was one of 18 players selected to compete for the United States in the 2009 Federation of International Lacrosse World Cup from June 17-27 in the Czech Republic. The team was selected following the Champion® Challenge event in Lake Buena Vista, Fla., the first weekend in February.
- McFadden, who boasted All-American honors as a sophomore, is one of six current collegiate players to be named to the team. The junior from Phoenix, Md., tallied 27 goals and 27 assists a year ago.
- In addition to McFadden, former Terp Acacia Walker was also named to the team. Walker played for the Terps from 2002-05 and was a two-time All-American. Walker is currently the associate head coach at UMass. Current Maryland assistant coach and former Terp standout Quinn Carney was named as an alternate. Carney was a four-time national champion and two-time All-American for the Terps. She was a member of the U.S. World Cup champion squad in 2001 and then earned a silver medal in 2005, where she was named to the All-World Team.

## MOLLISON AND MERRIFIELD SELECTED TO PLAY IN WORLD CUP

- Sophomores Sarah Mollison and Laura Merrifield will compete for the Australian and English national teams, respectively, at this summer's International Federation of Lacrosse World Cup in Prague.
- Mollison, a sophomore from Melbourne, was one of the youngest members of the 2005 Australian World Cup team that won the championship. Mollison has won seven Australian championships as a member of the U-21 and U-17 Victorian junior national teams. As a Terrapin, the midfielder racked up eight goals and six assists in her rookie campaign in 2008. She also tallied seven groundballs and a pair of draw controls in 18 games played.
- Merrifield, a sophomore from Hertfordshire, played in 17 contests last season. The midfielder notched 10 goals and one assist with two draw controls and six caused turnovers. She was a member of the U-19 All-World Team and a co-captain of the U-19 England squad.

#### TRADITION NEVER GRADUATES

- Just as so many Terps have done in the past, this season the torch has been passed down to yet another group of players looking to keep Maryland women's lacrosse front and center in the national spotlight.
- The Terps benefited from a plethora of senior leadership last season, including Tewaarton finalists Dana Dobbie and Kelly Kasper. Dobbie captured ACC Player of the Year honors as a junior and a senior, while Kasper exited Maryland as one of its most prolific players, ranking fifth in assists and seventh in points all-time. Dobbie and Kasper were two-time and three-time All-Americans, respectively.
- Caitlyn McFadden is poised to be the next in line of Terp greats, already notching All-ACC and All-America honors as a sophomore. The junior midfielder is a preseason All-American by several publications this season.

#### **2009 CAPTAINS NAMED**

- Head coach Cathy Reese and the Maryland women's lacrosse team named Caitlyn McFadden, Amanda Spinnenweber and Karissa Taylor captains for the 2009 season.
- The announcement comes on the cusp of McFadden being tabbed to the 2009 U.S. World Cup Team, which will compete in the Czech Republic this summer. The junior is the Terps top returner this season after notching 27 goals and 27 assists for a Maryland squad that finished 18-3 in 2008. McFadden earned All-America honors in addition to landing on the All-ACC team.
- Spinnenweber is also a returning starter and is poised to make an increased impact in the midfield this season. The junior from Pasadena, Md., netted 18 goals and dished out three assists a year ago and appeared in 17 games as a freshman.
- Taylor is one of the top returning defenders for Maryland this season after starting in all 20 games as a sophomore in 2008. The Easton, Md.-native tallied 26 groundballs and 20 draw controls last season.

#### TWO STEPPIN'

- In consecutive games, Maryland managed to top the No. 2 team in the country when they dropped Duke and Virginia.
- When ranked fifth, the Terps topped Duke at home before earning a No. 3-ranking the next week and defeating No. 2 Virginia on the road.

#### YOUTH MOVEMENT

- The underclassmen for Maryland have been nothing short of spectacular for Maryland this season.
- 62 percent (236 points) of the Terps' scoring comes via the freshman and sophomore classes. The youth have also been responsible for 63 percent (160g) of the goal scoring.
- Freshman Karri Ellen Johnson leads Maryland in goals (58) and points (65).

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Number	ACC Rank	NCAA Rank
380	1st	2nd
16.0	1st	3rd
9.38	2nd	15th
6.63	1st	3rd
10.00	3rd	26th
14.63	2nd	9th
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#### **FAST START**

- Maryland, compliments of its 16-0 record, is in the midst of its best start since
- $2001. \ \ That season, the \ Terps \ won \ the \ national \ championship \ en \ route \ to \ an \ undefeated \ record.$
- This is the best start for the Terps under the tutelage of head coach Cathy Reese. Her previous best was in 2007, when Maryland jumped out to a 5-0 record before losing to Virginia.

#### **PROTECT THIS HOUSE**

- Maryland is 24-1 at home under third-year head coach Cathy Reese.
- Maryland was a perfect 9-0 in College Park in 2007, going 5-0 at the Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex, 3-0 at Ludwig Field, and 1-0 at Chevy Chase Bank Field at Byrd Stadium.
- Maryland saw its home winning streak come to a halt at 17 games when they fell to Duke in the NCAA Quarterfinals to end the 2008 season.
- The Terps have won all four games in which they have played an opponent ranked No. 1 or No. 2 at home in the past three seasons and have done it in three different locations.
- The Terps are 164-15 in College Park dating back to 1990 with 10 perfect seasons in that span.
- Records of home and away games are incomplete from 1974-89.

#### RANKED SCHMANKED

- Maryland put together a challenging schedule this season yet continues to roll right through it.
- The Terps are a perfect 10-0 against nationally-ranked opponents this season, including two wins over No. 2-ranked squads.

20	09 Individ	dual R	anks (4	/20)
Player	Stat	Number	ACC Rank	NCAA Rank
Johnson	Points/Game	4.06	2nd	24th
	Goals/Game	3.62	1st	7th
	DC/Game	3.36	NA	10th
Dipper	GAA	9.46	2nd	17th
Mollison	Assists/Game	2.12	1st	8th
	Points/Game	4.00	3rd	27th
McFadden	Goals/Game	2.31	8th	81st
	Points/Game	3.88	8th	37th
	Shots/Game	6.06	5th	NA
	Assists/Game	1.56	6th	33rd
Bra. Jones	Assists/Game	1.75	2nd	17th
	Points/Game	3.38	10th	71st
Merrifield	Goals/Game	2.57	7th	63rd

#### The Terps When...

Tendency	Record
Overall Record	16-0
Home	7-0
Road	8-0
Neutral	1-0
ACC Record	5-0
Non-Conference Record	11-0
Day Games	12-0
Night Games	4-0
Leading after first half	12-0
Trailing after first half	1-0
In overtime	1-0
Maryland has more shots	16-0
Opponent has more shots	0-0
Maryland has more saves	3-0
Opponent has more saves	11-0
Maryland wins more draws	11-0
Opponent wins more draws	3-0
Maryland has more ground balls	13-0
Opponent has more ground balls	2-0
Maryland commits more fouls	10-0
Opponent commits more fouls	6-0
Maryland commits more turnovers	3-0
Opponent commits more turnovers	13-0
Games decided by one goal	2-0
Games decided by 2-4 goals	2-0
Games decided by 5-8 goals	7-0
Games decided by 9-12 goals	5-0
Games decided by 13+ goals	0-0
Maryland scores less than 10 goals	0-0
Maryland scores 10-14 goals	5-0
Maryland scores 15-19 goals	9-0
Maryland scores 20+ goals	2-0
Opponent scores less than 10 goals	
Opponent scores 10-14 goals	7-0
Opponent scores 15-19 goals	1-0
vs. top 5 ranked opponents	3-0
vs. teams tanked 6-10	1-0
vs. teams ranked 11-20	6-0
vs. unranked opponents	6-0
Games in February	3-0
Games in March	8-0
Games in April	5-0
Games in May	0-0

#### **TERPS TOPPLE TECH, 16-6**

- The No. 2 women's lacrosse team got a trifecta of hat tricks from junior Brittany Jones and freshmen Kristy Black and Karri Ellen Johnson on its way to cap a perfect ACC regular season with a win at Virginia Tech, 16-6, on Saturday afternoon at Thompson Field.
- Black secured career-bests in goals (3), assists (2) and points (5) on the day. Fellow classmate Brittany Dipper recorded eight saves in only one half of action in the cage.

#### AWARDS CONTINUE TO PILE UP FOR JOHNSON

- After posting four goals to lift the Terps past No. 4 North Carolina, Karri Ellen Johnson was named ACC Player of the Week for the second time this season.
- The freshman was also named womenslax.com and womenslacrosse.com Rookie of the Week for her efforts as the Terps clinched the ACC regular-season title.

#### **OFFENSE ERUPTS IN SECOND HALF TO LIFT TERPS**

- The No. 2 women's lacrosse team scored 14 goals in the second half to burst past Johns Hopkins, 18-12, at the Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex.
- Karri Ellen Johnson, the reigning ACC Player of the Week, scored a game-high five goals to pace the offense which saw eight different Terps score. The freshman added four draw controls as Maryland topped the Blue Jays in draws (18-14) and shots (37-17).

#### MERRIFIELD LANDS SECOND ACC P.O.W. AWARD

- Laura Merrifield was named the Atlantic Coast Conference Women's Lacrosse Player of the Week for the period ending Sunday, April 5. Merrifield led the No. 2 Terrapins to a perfect 2-0 week, including wins over No. 14 Ohio State and No. 18 Penn State in the 2009 ACC/ALC Challenge.
- The sophomore from Hertfordshire, England, erupted for a career-high eight goals as Maryland upended Penn State, 20-12 in the opener of the 2009 ACC/ALC Challenge in Columbus last week. Merrifield's tally of eight was one-shy of the Terps' single game record, while she added one draw control and one caused turnover against the Nittany Lions.
- The midfielder scored two goals against Ohio State as Maryland moved to 13-0 on the year following a tight 17-16 victory.

#### **JOHNSON WINS ANOTHER**

- Freshman attacker Karri Ellen Johnson received her second WomensLax.com Rookie of the Week award of 2009 after two stellar performances against Penn State and Ohio State in the ACC/ALC Challenge the first weekend in April.
- Johnson notched two goals and five draw controls in the Terps 20-12 victory over 17th-ranked Penn State. Maryland then dropped 14th-ranked Ohio State, 17-16, in which Johnson led the Terp charge with six goals and six draw controls on the afternoon.

#### TERPS ROLL THROUGH ACC/ALC CHALLENGE

- Sophomore Laura Merrifield erupted for eight goals, including seven in the first half, to lift the No. 2 Maryland women's lacrosse team to a 20-12 win against No. 18 Penn State in the opening game of the 2009 ACC/ALC Challenge on the campus of The Ohio State University.
- With the help of six goals from freshman Karri Ellen Johnson, the No. 2 women's lacrosse team escaped No. 14 Ohio State. 17-16, to conclude the 2009 ACC/ALC Challenge.

#### 2009 ACC Standings

Team	Conf.	Pct.	Overall	Pct
Maryland	5-0	1.000	16-0	1.000
North Carolina	4-1	.800	13-3	.812
Duke	3-2	.600	11-4	.733
Virginia	2-3	.400	10-6	.625
Virginia Tech	1-4	.200	7-9	.438
Boston College	0-5	.000	9-7	.562

#### JOHNSON SNAGS ACC PLAYER OF THE WEEK HONOR

- Freshman attacker Karri Ellen Johnson was named the Atlantic Coast Conference Women's Lacrosse Player of the Week for the period ending Sunday, March 29.
- Johnson helped pace the second-ranked Terps to three wins, including two over ranked opponents, No. 18 James Madison and No. 14 Stanford.
- The freshman from Annapolis, Md., tied a career-high with five goals against Towson on Tuesday, before eclipsing that mark with six goals at James Madison on Friday. The attacker also established career-bests with two assists and eight points against the Dukes.
- It was the first time since 2007 that a freshman garnered the award. Johnson was also tabbed womenslacrosse.com Offensive Player of the Week.

#### **KARRI'ing THE ATTACK**

- Karri Ellen Johnson continues to shine in her freshman campaign.
- Johnson boasts a team and conference-high 58 goals this season. It is the highest single-season total for a freshman in Maryland program history.

#### **MARYLAND BLASTS THROUGH NO. 14 STANFORD**

- Junior Brittany Jones had a breakout game, tallying a career-high six goals as the No. 2 Maryland women's lacrosse team won an offensive battle against No. 14 Stanford, 20-12, at the Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex.
- The win ties Maryland's best start since 2003 when the Terps began their year with 11-straight wins before ending the season in the NCAA semifinals. Bri. Jones' six goal effort ties a season-high for Maryland as Karri Ellen Johnson scored six against No. 18 James Madison on Friday. Sarah Mollison added four goals and three assists for a game-high seven points. Brittany Poist paced the defense with four caused turnovers and three ground balls. Terp goalie Brittany Dipper made seven saves in the winning effort.

#### **TERPS ROLL PAST NO. 18 JAMES MADISON, 17-7**

- After netting five goals in a defeat of Towson on Tuesday, freshman Karri Ellen Johnson scored a career-high six scores and eight points to lead the No. 2 Maryland women's lacrosse team past No. 18 James Madison, 17-7, at the JMU Soccer/Lacrosse Complex.
- In total, 11 players tallied points for Maryland. Caitlyn McFadden tallied five assists while Amanda Spinnenweber, and Brandi and Brittany Jones all added two goals each to move Maryland to 10-0.

#### **JOHNSON NETS FIVE AS TERPS TOPPLE TOWSON**

- Freshman Karri Ellen Johnson scored five goals on Tuesday to propel the No. 2 Maryland women's lacrosse team to a win, 14-7, against Towson at Johnny Unitas Stadium.
- Johnson's five goals were a game-high and tied a career-best. Jones tallied a career-best six points on three goals and three assists. Jones and Caitlyn McFadden paced the Terps with three draw controls each.

#### **DEFENSE TAKES CENTER STAGE IN WIN OVER BC**

- A stingy Maryland defense granted only 12 shots as the second-ranked Terps women's lacrosse team upended Boston College, 10-5, in ACC action at the Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex.
- Maryland was nearly perfect on clears, going 13-for-14 while Boston College was 10-for-17. The Terps also more than doubled Boston College's draw controls and ground balls output. Caitlyn McFadden scored a hat trick to lead the Terps. Amanda Spinnenweber wrapped up a team-high four draw controls and two assists. Laura Merrifield added five ground balls and a pair of caused turnovers.

#### **KEEPING UP WITH THE JONES'**

- The sister tandem of Brandi Jones and Brittany Jones has been solid for the Terps this season.
- Brandi Jones was named womenslacrosse.com Offensive Player of the Week after she had a pair of four-point games and 11 draw controls against two ranked teams earlier this season. The sophomore has scored 26 goals and dished out 28 assists while starting in every game in the Maryland midfield.
- Brittany Jones has 25 goals and seven assists for 32 points in her junior campaign with Maryland.

#### **MARYLAND SLIPS PAST NO. 15 DARTMOUTH**

- The No. 2 Maryland women's lacrosse team needed two extra sessions to get past its fifth-straight ranked opponent but a goal by Karri Ellen Johnson in the second overtime helped Maryland avoid the upset and defeat No. 15 Dartmouth, 13-12, at Scully Fahey Field.
- The Terps outshot the Big Green, 37-20, and won all four critical draw controls in the overtime periods. Laura Merrifield and Johnson each led the Terrapin offense with three goals while Caitlyn McFadden, Sarah Mollison and Brandi Jones tallied three points apiece off a goal and two assists. Jones added three ground balls and three caused turnovers while Merrifield paced Maryland with five draw controls.
- It was the first time this season that Maryland has been forced into overtime. The Terps improved to 7-0 following the win.

#### **TERPS TROUNCE NO. 13 NEW HAMPSHIRE**

- The No. 2 Maryland women's lacrosse team, led by five goals from Laura Merrifield, used a total team effort to down No. 13 New Hampshire, 19-7, at the Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex.
- A total of 27 Terps saw action in Sunday's rain-soaked match as Maryland tallied its highest scoring output this season en route to moving to 6-0 on the season. Three goalies, paced by Brittany Dipper's ten saves, combined to give up a mere seven goals to the Wildcats a team that entered the game averaging nearly 14 goals a contest.
- Nine different Terps scored for Maryland in its fourth-straight win against a nationally-ranked foe. Caitlyn McFadden led Maryland with six points on three goals and three assists while Karri Ellen Johnson and Brittany Jones added three goals apiece.

#### NO. 2 TERPS HOLD ON, TOP NO. 8 HOYAS

- Maryland possessed an early lead and held on tight, downing its third top ten-ranked opponent in a row with a road win against No. 8 Georgetown, 14-12, at Multi-Sport Field.
- The Terps moved to 5-0 on the year while Georgetown fell to 3-2. Brittany Dipper had seven saves at goalie for the win. Brandi Jones had three goals and one assist while Caitlyn McFadden added two goals and two assists to lead the Terp offense.

#### MARYLAND TERRAPINS

#### **MOLLISON NETS SIX AS TERPS ROUT UVA**

- For the second straight week, Maryland ousted the No. 2 team in the country, defeating Virginia in commanding fashion, 17-11, on the road at Klockner Stadium.
- The victory avenged a 10-9 loss to Cavaliers in last season's ACC title game.
- For the fourth straight game, a different player led the Terps in scoring as Sarah Mollison led the way with six goals. Karri Ellen Johnson added four goals and a game-high seven draw controls. Maryland outshot Virginia, 28-20, and secured three more draw controls than UVA.

#### **MOLLISON PICKS UP ACC PLAYER OF THE WEEK NOD**

• Attacker Sarah Mollison was named the Atlantic Coast Conference Women's Lacrosse Player of the Week for the period ending Sunday, March 8. Mollison helped the third-ranked Terrapins to a 17-11 upset over second-ranked Virginia on the road at Klockner Stadium.

#### **ACC PLAYERS OF THE** WEEK Date Player School UNC F17 Corey Donohoe F23 Ashley McCulloch UVA M2 Laura Merrifield MD М9 Sarah Mollison MD M16 Jenn Russell **UNC** M23 Megan Bosica UNC M30 Karri Ellen Johnson MD A6 Laura Merrifield MD A13 Karri Ellen Johnson MD A20 Logan Ripley UNC

- Mollison led Maryland to its second win over a team ranked in the top two in the country Friday as the Terps defeated Virginia. The sophomore scored a career-high six goals and added an assist to best her career-mark in points with seven. She also added a caused turnover and connected on six of her seven shots attempted on the night to move Maryland to 4-0 on the year.
- It was the second week in a row the Terps staked claim to the award as Laura Merrifield earned the honor the week prior.

#### **MERRIFIELD SHINES AS TERPS TOP NO. 2 DUKE**

- Maryland remained perfect on the season with a pivotal ACC win, 15-13, against No. 2 Duke at the Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex.
- Laura Merrifield led the Terps with five goals while Caitlyn McFadden added three assists and a goal for four points. Amanda Spinnenweber had three goals and an assist. Karri Ellen Johnson paced Maryland with four draw controls in addition to scoring three goals. Karissa Taylor and Katie Gallagher led the defense with three groundballs and three caused turnovers, respectively.
- The win avenged a pair of losses to the Blue Devils in 2008, including one that knocked the Terps from the NCAA Tournament.

#### MERRIFIELD NAMED ACC PLAYER OF THE WEEK

- Sophomore Laura Merrifield was named the Atlantic Coast Conference Women's Lacrosse Player of the Week for the period ending Sunday, March 1. Merrifield helped the fifth-ranked Terrapins to a 15-13 upset over No. 2 league-foe Duke at Maryland's Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex.
- The midfielder from Hertfordshire, England, made her 2009 debut in the Terps' lineup and picked up a career-high five goals to lead fifth-ranked Maryland past No. 2 Duke. Merrifield had been sidelined with an injury the first two contests of the 2009 season. The sophomore also added two ground balls and one draw control.
- · Merrifield was also named WomensLax.com Player of the Week.

#### **MARYLAND OUTLASTS UMASS, 16-4**

- The UMass women's lacrosse team did all it could to stall the sixth-ranked Terps, but Maryland's offense eventually broke out, racking up 12 goals in the second half en route to a 16-4 win at the Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex.
- McFadden set a career-high for goals in a game (7) and point total (8). Mollison also had a career-day, notching bests in goals (3), assists (5) and points (8). The Terps offense has combined for 33 goals in its first two games. Brandi Jones led the Terps with two draw controls, while Mollison, McFadden and Maeve McKew all added two groundballs as Maryland won the groundball battle, 11-4. The Terrapin defense was tremendous, allowing only ten Minutewomen shots.

#### **TERPS DROP RICHMOND, 17-6**

- Freshman Karri Ellen Johnson scored five goals and the sixth-ranked Maryland women's lacrosse team opened up the 2009 campaign with win, defeating Richmond, 17-6, Sunday afternoon at First Market Stadium.
- Johnson led all players with five goals and five draw controls while Mollison had a career-high three assists. The Jones sister (Brittany and Brandi) tandem combined for seven points on five goals and two assists. Katie Gallagher and Brittany Poist led the Maryland defense with three groundballs a piece.

#### **JOHNSON PICKS UP AWARD AFTER STRONG SHOWING V. RICHMOND**

- Freshman Karri Ellen Johnson started off what looks to be an illustrious career with the Terps with a five-goal showing in a win against Richmond.
- For her efforts, the attacker picked up womenslax.com's Rookie of the Week award, the first to be distributed this season.

#### MARYLAND DOMINATES ENGLAND IN EXHIBITION

- The Terps went on a tear to kick off the game against England, notching ten goals in the first half en route to a 16-3 win at the Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex.
- Karri Ellen Johnson shined for Maryland in her first action in College Park, tallying five goals and an assist to lead the Maryland attack.
- Brandi Jones added a pair of scores and three assists while Alex Mavris and Karissa Taylor each scored twice.
- Freshman Mary Jordan surrendered only three goals in her first action and tallied three saves.

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- Caitlyn McFadden, Brittany Jones, Alexcia Niumatalolo, Abby Caso and Helen McCutcheon all found their way on the scoreboard as well, scoring a goal apiece.
- Maryland won the draw control battle 13-5, while out-shooting England, 31-10.

#### **NEW FACES**

- Maryland women's lacrosse fans will need to get accustomed to a few new faces this season, as the Terps added seven to its roster in 2009.
- Six freshman and one sophomore transfer newly dot the roster.
- Below is a quick rundown of this year's newbies:

#### #27 Brittany Poist \* Sophomore \* D

- led the nation in caused turnovers as a freshman at Louisville
- tenth in the country in ground balls with 54
- Wendy's High School Heisman Award winner while enrolled at North Carroll High School

#### #5 Grace Gaeng \* Freshman \* M

- two-sport standout (lax and soccer) at John Carroll HS in Bel Air
- also played lacrosse for the Skywalkers

#### #8 Kristy Black \* Freshman \* M

- set Glenelg career records with 172 goals, 143 assists, 315 points and 221 draw controls
- All-American, Toyota Girl's High School All-Tewaarton, and Under Armour All-American

#### #18 Karri Ellen Johnson \* Freshman \* A

- won World Championship with U-19 women's lacrosse national team
- high school Tewaarton winner in 2007

#### #21 Mary Jordan \* Freshman \* G

- team MVP, All-Galaxy and Under Armour All-American at St. Mary's HS
- also played four years with CCLAX

#### #22 Liz Hamilton \* Freshman \* D

- excelled in both lacrosse and field hockey as a prep athlete at Roland Park Country
- first team All-City in lacrosse in 2007 and 2008

#### #43 Brittany Dipper \* Freshman \* G

- four-time first team All-Olympic Conference selection
- All-New Jersey pick as a senior and member of U-19 N.J. National Team

#### **TERPS IN THE NEWS**

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#### WMUC ON THE CALL

• Exciting Maryland women's lacrosse action will once again be available via the internet at www.wmucsports.com.



## Head Coach Cathy Reese Third Season Maryland '98

Former Maryland standout Cathy Reese enters her third season at the helm of the Terrapins' women's lacrosse program after revitalizing a team hungry to return to the national forefront.

Reese continued to move Maryland in a positive direction in 2008, steering the Terps to an 18-3 record and an Atlantic Coast Conference regular season title. Once again, Reese boasted some of the top talent in the nation as senior Dana Dobbie was tabbed ACC Player of the Year in addition to being named a finalist for the Tewaarton Trophy, given annually to the nation's best player. Dobbie and fellow seniors Kelly Kasper and Lauren Cohen joined sophomore Caitlyn McFadden on the All-America team while Kasper accompanied Dobbie as a Tewaarton finalist. The Terps' 18-3 record was the best for the program since 2003 as Maryland punched its ticket to the NCAA Tournament for the 18th consecutive season.

Reese returned to her alma mater in 2007 as the head coach and guided the Terps to a 16-4 record, including a first-place finish in the Atlantic Coast Conference at 4-1, earning the conference's Coach of the Year award.

Maryland had bowed out of the NCAA Tournament in the first round the previous two seasons, but Reese's Terps advanced to the quarterfinals for the first time since 2004 and had the most wins since 2003. Included in those 16 wins were a pair against teams ranked No. 1 and No. 2 in the country against North Carolina and Duke, respectively.

Reese's guidance produced more than just team success. Dana Dobbie was a finalist for the Tewaaraton Trophy, given annually to the nation's best player, and was the ACC Player of the Year. In addition, Dobbie along with Becky Clipp, Kelly Kasper, and Krista Pellizzi were named All-Americans.

Reese returned to Maryland after spending her first three seasons as head coach at the University of Denver where she guided the Pioneers to their most successful season in school history in 2006. Denver finished that year with a 16-5 record and rattled off 11-straight wins over the course of 43 days. The 11-game win streak was more victories than the school had seen in an entire season as its eight wins in 2003 was the most in a season for the Pioneers prior to 2006.

For a program that saw limited success since its inception in 1999, Reese proved that she is a winner. With a 4-1 Mountain Pacific Sports Federation (MPSF) record, the Pioneers won its first-ever regular season championship in 2006. For her efforts, Reese was named the 2006 MPSF Coach of the Year. In addition, two of her student-athletes were also given season-ending awards as Denver sweeped the conference accolades. Kristie Leggio was tabbed the Player of the Year and Karen Morton was the Newcomer of the Year.

Leggio, Stephanie Greenlees, and Kelly O'Connell were each recognized as all-regional performers in 2006. It was the first time in program history that a Pioneer student-athlete was recognized by the IWLCA/US Lacrosse committee.

In her three seasons in the Mile High City, 11 student-athletes were named to the All-MPSF Team. Not only did her students excel on the field, but they also achieved in the classroom as Denver student-athletes were named to the Academic All-Conference team 11 times.

Prior to lifting the Denver program to national attention, Reese spent nine seasons in College Park, four as a student-athlete and five as an assistant coach. During that span, the women's lacrosse program had one of the most successful streaks seen in collegiate women's sports history. The Terps won seven national championships in her first nine years on campus. That is the third-longest streak in women's NCAA history in any sport.

When Reese first stepped foot on campus as a freshman, it was impossible to gauge how successful she and the Terps would be. Maryland did not lose in her first two seasons as a student-athlete, and it did not lose until midway through her junior campaign. In all, Reese and the Terps went 50-straight games without a loss. In her playing career, Reese guided the Terps to an incredible 75-4 record. In her first three seasons as assistant coach, the Terps went 65-1. Her total record with Maryland in her first nine seasons was 169-19. The Terps also made the NCAA quarterfinals in 2002 and advanced to the national semifinals in 2003 before Reese took the reins at Denver.

As a student-athlete from 1995-98, she was a two-time All-America selection. As a senior, she was tabbed the NCAA Tournament Most Valuable Player and was the second-leading scorer on that championship team with 58 goals and 25 assists. She finished her career with 140 goals, 77 assists, and 217 points. Her 77 assists is tied for eighth all-time at Maryland and her 217 points is 11th.

Reese graduated in 1998 with a degree in speech communications. She and her husband, Brian, have three children, Riley, who is three years old, and Brody, who was born September 24, 2006. Reese gave birth to her first girl, Cayden Elizabeth, on March 12.



#### **Reese Notes**

- 2007 ACC Coach of the Year
- Coached 2007 and 2008 ACC Player of the Year, two Tewaarton finalists, four All-Americans, two two-time All-Americans and has quided seven players to All-ACC honors
- Two-time US Lacrosse Coach of the Week in 2007
- 2006 MPSF Coach of the Year
- Guided Denver to record 16 wins in 2006
- Mentored first Denver student-athlete to All-America status
- Has won seven national titles at Maryland as a player/coach (1995-2003)
- 1998 NCAA Tournament MVP
- 202-27 record as player/coach at Maryland (1995-2003, 2007-09)

Rec	ese's Ca	areer	Coa	ching Rec	ord
Year	School	W-L	Pct.	MPSF-ACC/Finish	Postseason
2004	Denver	7-12	.368	3-2/Third	
2005	Denver	8-12	.400	3-2/Third	
2006	Denver	16-5	.750	4-1/First	MPSF Finals
2007	Maryland	16-4	.800	4-1/First	NCAA Quarterfinals
2008	Maryland	18-3	.900	4-1/First	NCAA Quarterfinals
Total	2 Schools	65-37	.650	18-7/.720	

## 2009 Roster

#### NUMERICAL

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Hometown/High School/Previous School
1	Sarah Mollison	Attack	SO	5-5	Melbourne, Australia/Melbourne Girls College
2	Allie Perkins	Attack	JR	5-10	Annapolis, Md./St. Mary's HS
3	Caitlyn McFadden	Midfield	JR	5-4	Phoenix, Md./Notre Dame Prep
4	Brandi Jones	Midfield	SO	5-5	Poway, Calif./Poway HS
5	Grace Gaeng	Midfield	FR	5-3	Bel Air, Md./The John Carroll School
6	Sara Cooper	Defense	SO	5-4	Ellicott City, Md./Centennial HS
7	Maeve McKew	Defense	SR	5-3	Glen Arm, Md./Maryvale Prep
8	Kristy Black	Midfield	FR	5-5	Glenwood, Md./Glenelg
9	Laura Merrifield	Midfield	SO	6-1	Hertfordshire, England/St. George's School
10	Lynne Cooper	Goalie	SR	5-6	Ellicott City, Md./Centennial HS
11	Alex Mavris	Attack	SR	5-11	Pasadena, Md./Chesapeake HS
12	Megan McGarvey	Defense	RS SO	5-5	Rockville, Md./Good Counsel HS/Ohio
13	Ellen Cook	Attack	SO	5-6	Catonsville, Md./St. Paul's School
18	Karri Ellen Johnson	Attack	FR	5-7	Annapolis, Md./Broadneck
19	Alexcia Niumatalolo	Defense	SO	5-7	Arnold, Md./Broadneck HS
20	Karissa Taylor	Defense	JR	5-7	Easton, Md./Easton HS
21	Mary Jordan	Goalie	FR	5-4	Davidsonville, Md./St. Mary's
22	Elizabeth Hamilton	Defense	FR	5-8	Monkton, Md./Roland Park Country
23	Amanda Spinnenweber	Midfield	JR	5-8	Pasadena, Md./Chesapeake HS
24	Katie Gallagher	Defense	JR	5-10	Pennsauken, N.J./Camden Catholic HS
25	Brittany Jones	Midfield	RS JR	5-8	Poway, Calif./Poway HS/Cal Poly
26	Kate Faas	Attack	RS JR	5-6	West Henrietta, N.Y./Rush-Henrietta HS
27	Brittany Poist	Defense	SO	5-4	Hampstead, Md./North Carroll/Louisville
28	Kearny Raver	Attack	SR	5-5	Laurel, Md./Mount de Sales Academy
29	Colleen Dawson	Attack	SO	5-7	West Chester, Pa./West Chester East HS
30	Mindy Jones	Defense	SR	5-5	Annapolis, Md./St. Mary's HS
31	Abby Caso	Defense	JR	5-8	Phoenix, Md./McDonogh School/William & Mary
33	Jenny Collins	Attack	RS JR	5-4	Lansdale, Pa./North Penn HS
34	Marie Moorman	Defense	SR	5-8	Chestertown, Md./Kent County HS
37	Helen McCutcheon	Midfield	SO	5-7	Chatham, N.J./Chatham HS
43	Brittany Dipper	Goalie	FR	5-6	Clarksboro, N.J./Kingsway Regional

Head Coach: Cathy Reese (Maryland, '98)
Assistant Coach: Quinn Carney (Maryland, '01)
Assistant Coach: Lauri Kenis (Virginia, '03)

Volunteer Assistant Coach: Brian Reese (Maryland, '98)

#### **Terps By Location**

# AUSTRALIA (1) Sarah Mollison (Melbourne) CALIFORNIA (2) Brandi Jones (Poway) Brittany Jones (Poway)

**ENGLAND (1)**Laura Merrifield (Harpenden, Hertfordshire)

MARYLAND (21)
Kristy Black (Glenwood)
Abby Caso (Phoenix)
Ellen Cook (Catonsville)
Lynne Cooper (Ellicott City)

Lynne Cooper (Ellicott City)
Sara Cooper (Ellicott City)
Karri Ellen Johnson (Annapolis)
Mindy Jones (Annapolis)

Mary Jordan (Davidsonville)
Grace Gaeng (Bel Air)
Liz Hamilton (Monkton)
Alex Mavris (Pasadena)
Caitlyn McFadden (Phoenix)
Megan McGarvey (Rockville)
Maeve McKew (Glen Arm)
Marie Moorman (Chestertown)
Alexcia Niumatalolo (Arnold)
Allie Perkins (Annapolis)
Brittany Poist (Hampstead)
Kearny Raver (Laurel)
Amanda Spinnenweber (Pasadena)
Karissa Taylor (Easton)

NEW YORK (1)
Kate Faas (West Henrietta)

## NEW JERSEY (3) Brittany Dipper (Clarksboro) Katie Gallagher (Pennsauken) Helen McCutcheon (Chatham)

PENNSYLVANIA (2)
Jenny Collins (Lansdale)
Colleen Dawson (West Chester)

#### **Pronunciation Guide**

(Abby) Caso	CASE-oh
(Kate) Faas	FAHS
Alexcia Niumatalolo	Ah-LEX-see-ah
	knee-ah-MATT-ah-lolo
Kearny (Raver)	CAR-nee
(Grace) Gaeng	GANG

#### **Terps By Class**

Seniors (6): Lynne Cooper, Mindy Jones, Alex Mavris, Maeve McKew, Marie Moorman, Kearny Raver

Juniors (9): Abby Caso, Katie Gallagher, Caitlyn McFadden, Allie Perkins, Amanda Spinnenweber, Karissa Taylor, Jenny Collins, Brittany Jones, Kate Faas

Sophomores (10): Ellen Cook, Sara Cooper, Colleen Dawson, Brandi Jones, Helen McCutcheon, Laura Merrifield, Sarah Mollison, Alexcia Niumatalolo, Megan McGarvey, Brittany Poist

Freshmen (6): Grace Gaeng, Kristy Black, Karri Ellen Johnson, Mary Jordan, Liz Hamilton, Brittany Dipper

#### **Terps By Height**

**6-1 (1):** Laura Merrifield **5-11 (1):** Alex Mavris

5-10 (2): Katie Gallagher, Allie Perkins5-8 (5): Abby Caso, Brittany Jones, Marie Moorman, Liz Hamilton, Amanda

Spinnenweber 5-7 (5): Colleen Dawson, Karri Ellen Johnson, Helen McCutcheon,

Alexcia Niumatalolo, Karissa Taylor 5-6 (4): Ellen Cook, Lynne Cooper, Brittany Dipper, Kate Faas

**5-5 (6):** Kristy Black, Brandi Jones, Mindy Jones, Megan McGarvey, Sarah Mollison, Kearny Raver

**5-4 (5):** Jenny Collins, Sara Cooper, Caitlyn McFadden, Mary Jordan, Brittany Poist

5-3 (1): Maeve McKew, Grace Gaeng

## **2009 Season Results**

#### **OVERALL:** 16-0 • ACC: 5-0 • HOME: 7-0 • AWAY: 8-0 • NEUTRAL: 1-0

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Rec.	Goals-Assists	Saves	Att.
2/15	at Richmond	W	17-6	1-0	Johnson 5-1; Jones, Bri. 3-0; Mollison 2-3; Jones, Bra., 2-2; Spinnenweber 2-1; McFadden 2-0; Taylor 1-0	Jordan, 1	471
2/21	UMASS	W	16-4	2-0	McFadden 7-1; Mollison 3-5; Johnson 4-1; Spinnenweber 1-1; Taylor 1-0	Dipper, 3	469
2/28	DUKE*	W	15-13	3-0	Merrifield 5-0; Johnson 3-0; Spinnenweber 3-1; McFadden, 1-3; Bri. Jones 1-2; Bra. Jones 2-1; Mollison 0-2;	Dipper, Jordan 3	869
3/6	at Virginia*	W	17-11	4-0	Mollison 6-1; McFadden 2-1; Bra. Jones 3-2; Merrifield 0-1; Johnson 4-1; Taylor 0-1; Spinnenweber 1-0; Bri. Jones 1-1	Dipper, 3	593
3/11	at Georgetown	W	14-12	5-0	Bra. Jones 3-1; McFadden 2-2; Mollison 3-0; Johnson 2-0; Spinnenweber 2-0; Merrifield 1-0; Bri. Jones 1-0		
3/15	NEW HAMPSHIRE	W	17-11	6-0	Mollison 0-3; Merrifield 5-0; McFadden 3-3; Bra. Jones 1-3; Johnson 3-0; Taylor 1-0; Spinnenweber 1-0, Bri. Jones 3-0; Black 1-0, Mavris 1-0	Dipper, 10	769
3/18	at Dartmouth	W	13-12 (2ot)	7-0	Merrifield 3-0; Johnson 3-0; Mollison 1-2; McFadden 1-2; Bra. Jones 1-2; Spinnenweber 1-0; Black 1-1; Taylor 1-0	Dipper, 5	58
3/21	BOSTON COLLEGE*	W	10-5	8-0	McFadden 3-0; Bra. Jones 2-0; Merrifield 2-0; Mollison 1-0; Johnson 1-0; Spinnenweber 0-2		
3/24	at Towson	W	14-7	9-0	Johnson 5-0; Bra. Jones 3-3; Spinnenweber 2-1; McFadden 2-1; Mollison 0-2; Taylor 1-0; Poist 0-1; Bri. Jones 0-1; Black 1-0	Cooper, 3	655
3/27	at James Madison	W	17-7	10-0	Johnson 6-2; Mollison 1-2; McFadden 1-5; Bra. Jones 2-0; Merrifield 1-0; Spinnenweber 2-1; Gallagher 0-1; Bri. Jones 2-0;		
					Perkins 0-1; Black 1-0; Caso 1-0	Dipper, 5	378
3/29	STANFORD	W	20-12	11-0	Mollison 4-3; McFadden 2-0; Bra. Jones 2-2; Merrifield 2-1; Bri. Jones 6-0; Johnson 2-1; Taylor 1-1; Spinnenweber 1-0, Poist 0-1	Dipper, 7	769
4/3	v. Penn State	W	20-12	12-0	Merrifield 8-0; Mollison 1-4; McFadden 2-2; Bra. Jones 0-3; Johnson 2-0; Spinnenweber 2-1; Bri. Jones 2-1; Black 2-0; Niumatalolo 1-0	Dipper, 4	300
3/5	at Ohio State	W	17-16	13-0	Johnson 6-0; Mollison 3-2; Bra. Jones 3-1; McFadden 2-1; Bri. Jones 1-1; Spinnenweber 0-1	Jordan, 3	836
4/11	NORTH CAROLINA*	W	13-8	14-0	Johnson 4-0; Merrifield 3-0; Bra. Jones 0-3; Mollison 2-1; McFadden 2-0; Taylor 1-0; Bri. Jones 1-0	Dipper, 5	1269
4/14	JOHNS HOPKINS	W	18-12	15-0	Johnson 5-1; McFadden 3-2; Spinnenweber 3-0; Merrifield 3-0; Mollison 1-2; Bra. Jones 1-2; Bri Jones 1-1; Black 1-0	Dipper, 2	250
4/18	at Virginia Tech*	W	16-6	16-0	Black 3-2; Bri. Jones 3-0; Johnson 3-0; McFadden 2-2; Mollison 1-2; Taylor 1-2; Bra. Jones 1-2; Collins 1-0; Perkins 0-1; Merrifield 1-0	Dipper, 8	213
4/23	ACC Tournament						
4/24	ACC Tournament						
4/26	ACC Tournament						
5/2	PRINCETON						
5/10	NCAA First Round						
5/16	NCAA Quarterfinals						
5/22	NCAA Semifinals						
5/24	NCAA Finals						

## **2009 Individual Statistics**

##	Name	GP/GS		G .	A Pts	Sh	Shot%	Sog	Sog %	GW	FPG-FPS	GB	DC	T/O	CT
18	Johnson, Karri Ellen	16-16	5	8	7 65	91	.637	71	.780	5	6-7	16	57	12	15
3	McFadden, Caitlyn	16-16	3	7 2	5 62	97	.381	61	.629	2	5-16	20	26	25	15
9	Merrifield, Laura	14-14	3	6	2 38	68	.529	53	.779	2	6-16	15	21	21	12
1	Mollison, Sarah	16-16	3	0 3	4 64	68	.441	53	.779	1	4-7	17	22	30	13
4	Jones, Brandi	16-16	2	6 2	8 54	64	.406	46	.719	2	5-11	21	36	31	14
25	Jones, Brittany	15-15	2	5	7 32	44	.568	37	.841	1	6-12	10	15	16	9
23	Spinnenweber, Amanda	15-15	2	2	9 31	45	.489	35	.778	2	2-6	14	19	18	7
8	Black, Kristy	11-0		9	3 12	18	.500	14	.778	1	0-1	3	4	6	2
20	Taylor, Karissa	16-16		8	4 12	24	.333	16	.667	0	1-4	21	13	16	12
33	Collins, Jenny	9-0		2	0 2	8	.250	7	.875	0	0-2	3	1	3	0
31	Caso, Abby	12-0		1	0 1	1	1.000	1	1.000	0	0-0	2	3	3	5
11	Mavris, Alex	9-1		1	0 1	4	.250	3	.750	0	1-3	3	0	3	2
19	Niumatalolo, Alexcia	16-16		1	0 1	2	.500	2	1.000	0	0-0	18	5	3	7
21	Jordan, Mary	10-2		0	0 0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	7	0	2	1
43	Dipper, Brittany	16-14		0	0 0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	9	0	2	0
10	Cooper, Lynne	8-0		0	0 0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	1	0	1	0
7	McKew, Maeve	15-4		0	0 0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	13	2	4	11
6	Cooper, Sara	6-0		0	0 0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	4	0	0	1
24	Gallagher, Katie	15-15		0	1 1	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	19	2	2	15
27	Poist, Brittany	16-16		0	2 2	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	33	6	8	18
34	Moorman, Marie	7-0		0	0 0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	3	0	2	3
37	McCutcheon, Helen	6-0		0	0 0	3	.000	2	.667	0	0-1	0	1	0	0
30	Jones, Mindy	2-0		0	0 0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0	0	0	0
2	Perkins, Ali	3-0		0	2 2	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	0	0	1	0
12	McGarvey, Megan	2-0		0	0 0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	2	0	0	0
22	Hamilton, Liz	2-0		0	0 0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	1	0	0	0
13	Cook, Ellen	4-0		0	0 0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Tota		16	25	6 12	4 380	539	.475	401	.744	16	36-86	256	234	216	162
Орр	onents	16	15	0 6	2 212	323	.464	246	.762	0	41-75	186	196	281	96

#### Goalkeeper Statistics

##	Name	GP/GS	Minutes	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Pct	W	L	T	Faced
10	Cooper, Lynne	7-0	65:00	8	7.38	13	.619	0	0	0	24
43	Dipper, Brittany	16-14	704:07	109	9.29	69	.388	11	0	0	237
21	Jordan, Mary	9-1	200:53	33	9.86	15	.312	3	0	0	62
Tota	ıl	16	970:00	150	9.28	97	.393	14	0	0	323
Opp	onents	16	970:00	256	15.84	144	.360	0	14	0	538

## **Player Bios**

**Abby** Junior • Defense CASO



On Caso: Very smart player who contributes defensively ... quick learner with good game sense.

#### **CASO'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2007	13-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	3	11
2008	9-0	0	0	0	1	0-0	1	1
2009	11-0	1	0	1	3	0-0	5	2
Totals	34-0	1	0	1	4	0-0	9	14

#### **CASO'S CAREER HIGHS**

Goals:	
Assists:	
Points:	

#### Jenny Junior · Attack COLLINS

On Collins: Solid player with powerful attacking moves ... a hard worker who is committed to do anything for the team.

#### **COLLINS' CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2006	1-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0
2007	9-0	2	0	2	1	0-0	0	0
2008	9-0	2	0	2	2	1-2	2	2
2009	8-0	2	0	2	1	0-1	0	3
Totals	28-0	6	0	6	4	1-3	2	5

#### **COLLINS' CAREER HIGHS**

Goals: 1 (6x) last at Virginia Tech (4/18/09)

Assists:

Points: 1 (6x) last vs. Richmond (4/18/09)

#### Ellen Sophomore · Attack COOK



On Cook: Athletic player with great stick work ... aggressive on ground balls and draw controls.

#### **COOK'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	<b>GP-GS</b>	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2008	9-0	2	2	4	0	1-1	0	1
2009	3-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	1
Totals	13-0	2	2	4	0	1-1	0	2

#### **COOK'S CAREER HIGHS**

Goals: 1 (2x) last vs. Virginia Tech (4/19/08)

Assists: 2 at Loyola (5/3/08) Points: 2 at Loyola (5/3/08)

#### Lynne Senior · Goalie COOPER



On Cooper: Quick hands ... has good awareness and is aggressive both in and out of the crease.

#### COOPER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	Svs.	GA	Min.	GAA	W-L	GB	
2006	7-0	5	4	13:25	17.89	0-0	0	
2007	4-0	7	6	39:59	9.00	0-0	1	
2008	6-0	2	10	34:46	17.26	0-0	2	
2009	6-0	11	7	65:00	8.69	0-0	1	

Totals 23-0 25 27 142:12 14.78 0-0

**COOPER'S CAREER HIGHS** 

**Saves:** 3 at Towson (3/24/09)

#### Sara Sophomore Defense COOPER (1)

On Cooper: Tough team defender ... good athlete with great speed.

#### **COOPER'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2008	8-0	0	0	0	2	0-0	1	1
2009	6-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	1	4
Career	14-0	0	0	0	2	0-0	2	5

#### **COOPER'S CAREER HIGHS**

Goals:

Assists: Points:

Colleen Sophomore · Attack



On Dawson: Excellent stick work and field sense ... good finisher.

#### DAWSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2008	8-0	3	0	3	0	0-0	1	1

#### DAWSON'S CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 1 (3x) last at Loyola (5/3/08)

Assists:

Points: 1 (3x) last at Loyola (5/3/08)

Kate Junior · Attack FAAS



On Faas: One of the most agile players on the team ... excellent stick handler ... great field awareness and has quick one-on-one moves.

#### FAAS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	<b>GP-GS</b>	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2006	17-12	56	14	70	31	13-27	7	31
2007	15-15	54	14	68	12	14-19	2	9
2008	16-0	13	0	13	2	2-6	2	4
Totals	48-27	123	28	151	45	29-52	12	44

#### FAAS' CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 4 at Loyola (5/3/08)

Assists:

Points: 4 at Loyola (5/3/08)

#### Katie Junior · Defense GALLAGHER

On Gallagher: Very strong, athletic defender ... good speed and body position.

#### **GALLAGHER'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	<b>GP-GS</b>	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2007	9-0	0	0	0	2	0-0	0	1
2008	21-21	0	1	1	9	0-0	7	8
2009	15-15	0	1	1	5	0-0	12	19
Totals	45-36	0	2	2	16	0-0	19	28

#### **GALLAGHER'S CAREER HIGHS**

Goals:

Assists: 1 vs. Virginia (4/27/08) Points: 1 vs. Virginia (4/27/08)

#### Brandi Sophomore · Midfield **JONES**

On Jones: Talented player with great speed ... solid

one-on-one attacker with dynamic moves.

#### JONES' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	<b>GP-GS</b>	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2008	18-0	6	6	12	5	0-1	1	4
2009	16-16	26	28	54	36	4-10	14	21
Totals	34-16	32	34	66	41	3-9	15	25

#### JONES' CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 3 (4x) last at Ohio State (4/5/09) Assists: 3 (3x) last v North Carolina (4/11/09) **Points:** 6 at Towson (3/24/09)

#### Brittany Junior · Midfield IONES



On Jones: Good speed ... ability to get herself open to score and create opportunities through the midfield.

#### JONES' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2008	15-0	4	1	5	5	0-1	1	3
2009	15-15	25	7	32	15	3-6	9	10
Totals	30-15	29	8	37	20	3-9	10	12

#### JONES' CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 6 v. Stanford (3/29/09) Assists: 2 v. Duke (2/28/09) Points: 6 v. Stanford (3/29/09)

#### MindySenior · Defense IONES



On Jones: Smart player and good leader ... solid oneon-one defender.

#### JONES' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2006	10-0	1	0	1	1	1-1	0	2
2007	8-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	1	1
2008	13-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0
2009	2-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	33-0	1	0	1	1	1.1	1	3

#### JONES' CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 1 at Boston College (4/22/06)

Assists:

Points: 1 at Boston College (4/22/06)

#### **Alex** Senior • Attack MAVRIS

On Mavris: Hard-working attacker who continues to improve ... provides depth on attack.

#### MAVRIS' CARFFR STATISTICS

'ear	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB				
2006	4-0	1	0	1	0	0-0	0	1				
2007	7-0	1	1	2	2	0-3	0	0				
8002	8-0	0	0	0	0	0-1	1	0				
2009	9-1	1	0	1	0	1-3	2	3				

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**MAVRIS' CAREER HIGHS** Goals: 1 (3x) last v. New Hampshire (3/16/09)

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Assists: 1 at Virginia Tech (4/22/07) Points: 1 (4x) last v. New Hampshire (3/16/09)

Totals 28-1 3 1 4

#### Helen Sophomore · Midfield **McCUTCHEON**

On McCutcheon: Hard-working attacker ... brings intensity and speed to the midfield.

#### McCUTCHEON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2008	7-0	1	1	2	0	0-1	4	5
2009	6-0	0	0	0	1	0-1	0	0
Totals	13-0	1	1	2	1	0-2	4	5

#### McCUTCHEON'S CAREER HIGHS

**Goals:** 1 vs. Towson (3/26/08) Assists: 1 vs. Ohio State (4/6/08) **Points:** 1 vs. Towson (3/26/08)

#### Caitlyn Junior · Midfield



On McFadden: One of the top freshmen in the nation last year ... extremely dynamic and explosive player ... skilled midfielder who creates opportunities on both ends of the field.

#### McFADDEN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2007	20-20	18	17	35	29	2-5	21	27
2008	21-21	27	27	54	31	5-16	12	32
2009	16-16	37	25	54	23	4-15	15	19
Totals	57-57	82	69	149	83	11-36	48	78

#### McFADDEN'S CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 7 v. UMass (2/21/09) Assists: 5 at James Madison (3/27/09) **Points:** 8 v. UMass (2/21/09)

#### Megan Sophomore · Defense McGARVEY



On McGarvey: Strong, tough defender who holds her ground ... good vision.

#### McGarvey's Career Statistics

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2008	7-0	0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0
2009	2-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	2
Totals	9-0	0	0	0	1	0-0	0	2

#### McGARVEY'S CAREER HIGHS

Goals: Assists: Points:

#### **Maeve Senior · Defense** McKEW



On McKew: Hard worker on the defensive end with good one-on-one body position.

#### McKEW'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year GP-GS G A Pts. DC FPS CT GB

2006	16-8	0	0	0	6	0-0	6	16
2007	7-0	0	0	0	1	0-0	0	0
2008	6-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0
2009	15-4	0	0	0	3	0-0	11	12
Totals	45-12	0	0	0	10	0-0	17	28

#### McKEW'S CAREER HIGHS

Goals:

Assists: Points:

#### Laura Sophomore · Attack



On Merrifield: A standout player with exceptional speed and work ethic ... adds immediate depth between the lines.

#### MERRIFIELD'S CAREER STATISTICS

	GP-GS							
2008	19-0	10	1	11	2	1-3	6	3_
2009	14-14	36	1	37	17	6-13	11	15
<b>Totals</b>	33-14	46	2	48	19	7-16	17	18

#### MERRIFIELD'S CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 8 v Penn State (4/3/09)

Assists: 1 at Boston College (2/24/08) Points: 8 v. Penn State (4/3/09)

#### Sarah Sophomore · Midfield MOLLISON

On Mollison: An impact player who boasts outstanding stickwork and an innate ability to read the game.

#### MOLLISON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2008	19-1	8	6	14	3	0-2	2	8
2009	16-16	29	34	65	22	3-5	12	17
Totals	35-17	37	40	78	25	3-7	14	25

#### **MOLLISON'S CAREER HIGHS**

**Goals:** 6 at Virginia (3/6/09) Assists: 5 v. UMass (2/21/09) Points: 7 (2x) last v. Stanford (3/29/09)

#### Marie Junior · Defense

## MOORMAN

On Moorman: Tough player with a good attitude ... has a good field sense and is a solid one-on-one defender.

#### MOORMAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	<u>GB</u>
2006	5-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	0
2007	7-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	0	1
2008	8-0	0	0	0	1	0-0	3	1
2009	7-0	0	0	0	0	0-0	3	3
Totals	27-0	0	0	0	1	0-0	6	5

#### Alexcia Sophomore · Defense NIUMATALOLO

On Niumatalolo: Solid team defender ... great field sense ... brings speed out of the defensive end.

NIUMATALOLO'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2008	15-3	0	0	0	1	0-0	4	7
2009	16-16	1	0	1	5	0-0	5	18
Totals	31-19	1	0	1	6	0-0	9	25

#### NIUMATALOLO'S CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 1 v. Penn State (4/3/09)

Assists:

Points: 1 v. Penn State (4/3/09)

**Ali** Junior • Attack

### PERKINS



On Perkins: Great field vision and has the ability to find the open player ... very consistent and dependable with the ball.

#### PERKINS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	<b>GP-GS</b>	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2007	9-0	4	6	10	0	0-0	0	1
2008	10-0	1	8	9	0	0-0	0	0
2009	3-0	0	2	2	0	0-0	0	0
Totals	22-0	5	16	21	0	0-0	0	1

#### PERKINS' CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 1 (5x) last vs. James Madison (3/3/08) Assists: 3 (2x) last at Johns Hopkins (3/17/08)

Points: 4 at UMBC (2/19/07)

#### **Kearny** Senior • Attack RAVER



On Raver: Enthusiastic player with great attitude ... always ready to help the team.

#### **RAVER'S CAREER STATISTICS**

Year	<b>GP-GS</b>	G	Α	Pts.	DC	<b>FPS</b>	CT	GB
2007	10-0	1	0	1	1	0-0	2	0
2008								
Totals								

#### **RAVER'S CAREER HIGHS**

Goals: 1 vs. Boston College (2/24/07)

Assists:

Points: 1 vs. Boston College (2/24/07)

#### Amanda Junior · Midfield **SPINNENWEBER**



On Spinnenweber: Tough player with exceptional speed ... great field sense ... strong in transition and in one-onone situations.

#### SPINNENWEBER'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP-GS	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB
2007	17-1	10	3	13	7	0-0	4	6
2008	20-19	18	3	21	10	1-5	1	11
2009	15-15	22	9	31	18	2-6	7	14
Totals	52-35	50	15	65	36	3-11	12	31

#### SPINNENWEBER'S CAREER HIGHS

**Goals:** 4 at UMBC (2/19/07)

Assists: 2 (2x) last vs. Ohio State (4/6/08)

Points: 6 at UMBC (2/19/07)

#### RAPINS

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Karissa Junior · Defens TAYLOR
On Taylor: Impact player great a sive speed strong stick skills g defender.





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TAYLOR'S CAREER STATISTICS									
Year	<b>GP-GS</b>	G	Α	Pts.	DC	FPS	CT	GB	
2007	16-0	0	0	0	3	0-0	4	3	
2008	21-21	0	0	0	21	0-0	16	27	

2009 16-16 8 4 12 12 0-3 12 Totals 53-36 8 4 12 36 0-3 32 50



Goals: 1 (8x) last at Virginia Tech (4/18/09)

Assists: 2 at Virginia Tech (4/18/09) Points: 3 at Virginia Tech (4/18/09)





**BLACK'S CAREER STATISTICS** 

Year GP-GS G A Pts. DC FPS CT GB 2009 11-0 9 3 12 3 1-2

**BLACK'S CAREER HIGHS** 

Goals: 3 at Virginia Tech (4/18/09) Assists: 2 at Virginia Tech (4/18/09) **Points:** 5 at Virginia Tech (4/18/09)

Brittany Freshman · Goalie **DIPPER** 



**DIPPER'S CAREER STATISTICS** 

Year GP-GS Svs. GA Min. W-L 2009 16-14 61 109 704:0712-0 9

**DIPPER'S CAREER HIGHS** 

Saves: 10 v. New Hampshire (3/16/09

**Grace Freshman · Midfield** GAENG



**GAENG'S CAREER STATISTICS** 

Year GP-GS G A Pts. DC FPS CT GB 2009

**GAENG'S CAREER HIGHS** 

Goals: Assists: Points:

Liz Freshman · Defense HAMILTON



HAMILTON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year GP-GS G A Pts. DC FPS CT GB 2-0 0 0 0 0 0-0

HAMILTON'S CAREER HIGHS

Goals: Assists: Points:

JOHNSON'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year GP-GS G A Pts. DC FPS CT GB 2009 16-16 58 7 65 57 6-7 15

JOHNSON'S CAREER HIGHS

Goals: 6 at James Madison (3/27/09) Assists: 2 at James Madison (3/27/09) Points: 8 at James Madison (3/27/09)

**Mary Freshman · Goalie JORDAN** 

JORDAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year GP-GS Svs. GA Min. W-L 10-2 15 33 200:53 4-0

JORDAN'S CAREER HIGHS

Saves: 3 (2x) last at Virginia Tech (4/18/09)

Brittany Sophomore · Defense POIST



POIST'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year GP-GS G A Pts. DC FPS CT GB 2009 16-16 0 2 2 5 0-0

POIST'S CAREER HIGHS

Goals:

**Assists: 1** (2x) last v. Stanford (3/29/09)

**Points:** 1 (2x) last v. Stanford (3/29/09)