



CONCORDIA WOMEN'S SOCCER SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Aug. 26	Calumet College - St. Joseph	Seward, Neb.	2:00 p.m.
Aug. 29	York College	Seward, Neb.	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 1	St. Mary-Kansas	Leavenworth, Kan.	3:00 p.m.
Sept. 2	Ottawa University	Ottawa, Kan.	3:00 p.m.
Sept. 6	Bellevue University	Seward, Neb.	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 9	Mount Marty College*	Yankton, S.D.	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 12	College of St. Mary - Omaha	Seward, Neb.	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 16	Dordt College*	Seward, Neb.	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 19	Midland Lutheran College*	Fremont, Neb.	4:00 p.m.
Sept. 23	Northwestern College*	Seward, Neb.	1:00 p.m.
Sept. 27	Nebraska Wesleyan University*	Seward, Neb.	5:00 p.m.
Sept. 30	Dakota Wesleyan University*	Mitchell, S.D.	1:00 p.m.
Oct. 3	Hastings College*	Hastings, Neb.	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 7	University of Sioux Falls*	Seward, Neb.	2:00 p.m.
Oct. 11	Doane College*	Crete, Neb.	5:00 p.m.
Oct. 14	Briar Cliff University*	Seward, Neb.	6:00 p.m.
Oct. 21	Morningside College*	Sioux City, Iowa	5:30 p.m.
Oct. 26	Dana College*	Seward, Neb.	5:00 p.m.
Nov. 1	NAIA Region III Quarterfinals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 7	NAIA Region III Semifinals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 8	NAIA Region III Finals	TBA	TBA
Nov. 15-21	NAIA Nationals	Olathe, Kan.	TBA

*Indicates Great Plains Athletic Conference Games

All Home Matches in BOLD

All home matches played at Bulldog Stadium located on the campus of Concordia University, Nebraska



CONCORDIA WOMEN'S SOCCER ROSTER/COACHES

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown	High School
00	Sara Webb	GK	5-10	So.	Littleton, Colo.	Chatfield Senior High
1	Victoria Reetz	GK	5-9	So.	Lincoln, Neb.	Lincoln Lutheran
2	Felicia Freitas	F	5-2	Fr.	Hollister, Calif.	San Benito
3	Laura Ochs	MF	5-7	Sr.	Wichita, Kan.	Trinity Academy
4	Carolyn Chrzan	F	5-9	Fr.	Burbank, Calif.	Burbank Senior High
5	Allison Chrismer	D/MF	5-5	Fr.	St. Peters, Mo.	Lutheran High
6	Amber Dirks	D	5-5	Fr.	Omaha, Neb.	Millard South
7	Andrea Carpenter	D/MF	5-8	Sr.	Colorado Springs, Colo.	Roy J. Wasson
8	Ashley Dirks	D	5-5	Fr.	Omaha, Neb.	Millard South
9	Lauren Mutter	F	5-5	So.	Vail, Colo.	NE Boswell High
10	Brittany Tomsick	MF	5-2	Sr.	Arvada, Colo.	Ralston Valley
11	Nora Rolf	MF/F	5-7	So.	Castle Rock, Colo.	Lutheran High of the Rockies
13	Erin Ernest	D	5-4	So.	Spring, Texas	Klein Oak High
15	Sarah Strohschein	F	5-4	Sr.	Annandale, Minn.	Annandale High
16	Annika Norz	MF	5-4	Fr.	De Pere, Wis.	N.E.W. Lutheran
17	Bethia Barone	F	5-4	Fr.	Colorado Springs, Colo.	St. Mary's
19	Gentri Brown	F	5-3	Sr.	West Jordan, Utah	Skyline High
21	Shelley Hermann	MF	5-8	Fr.	Lincoln, Neb.	Lincoln Southwest
23	Dana McClain	MF	5-7	Fr.	Greenwood, Ind.	Indianapolis Lutheran
24	Jessica Nehrt	D	5-6	Fr.	Greenville, Ill.	Metro East Lutheran
30	Shelly Davis	GK	5-7	Jr.	Fort Worth, Texas	W.E. Boswell

ROB GIESBRECHT HEAD COACH

Rob Giesbrecht enters his second year at the helm of the women's soccer program at Concordia.

A native of Abbotsford, British Columbia, Giesbrecht has degrees from the University of British Columbia and Trinity Western University. While at Trinity Western he was a member of the varsity soccer team and was a two-time conference all-star and the team's MVP. Giesbrecht holds a National Diploma from the NSCAA (National Soccer Coaching Association of America).

Giesbrecht has an impressive coaching resume that includes serving as an assistant coach for the women's soccer program at Trinity Western from 1999-2005. In 2004, Trinity Western claimed the Canadian Interuniversity Sports (CIS) National Championship. The CIS is the highest level of university athletics in Canada. He also served as head coach of the Fraser Valley Action Football Club, a women's Pacific Coast Soccer League team. Giesbrecht has also coached on the high school level.

In addition to coaching, Giesbrecht has been the managing director for the Athletes in Action (AIA) Soccer Ministry since 2001, where he has been involved with international soccer tours to Ireland, Albania and Asia. He has also actively recruited student athletes for participation in AIA soccer projects.

JANET MYERS ASSISTANT COACH

Returning for her seventh year on the sidelines as an assistant coach for the Bulldogs is Janet Myers. She is a 1981 graduate of Concordia.

Myers also serves as the head girl's soccer coach at Norris High School in Firth, Neb. She has her Regional and National NSCAA Diploma.

RACHEL MATTEN ASSISTANT COACH

Former Bulldog Rachel Matten joins the staff after completing her playing days as a Bulldog.

She is a native of Missoula, Mont.



CONCORDIA WOMEN'S SOCCER SEASON OUTLOOK

The Concordia University, Nebraska women's soccer team enters the 2006 season with high expectations and look to building on the success of 2005. Last season Head Coach **Rob Giesbrecht** led the Bulldogs to the GPAC tournament, hosting a GPAC playoff game for the first time in school history, in his first year at the helm. Gone from last year's squad are five starters, including Concordia's all-time goal and points leader Jennifer Davis.

Concordia does return six starters from last year's squad that compiled a record of 9-8-2 overall and 7-3 in the GPAC. Offensively, the Bulldogs return to standouts in seniors Brittany Tomsick and Gentri Brown. Both tied for the second most goals on the team last year with 11 each. Brown led the team in assists with 13. The duo may move around on the field in order to best utilize there talents according to Coach Giesbrecht.

"Tomsick will start the season as our attacking center midfielder," Giesbrecht said. "Her technical ability and vision will allow her to be the creative force behind our attack. Moving her central from the outside should allow her to get more touches and have a greater impact."

Brown may also be holding down a different spot, making the move from striker to outside midfielder.

"Gentri's fitness and work-rate are second to none and she is very hard to stop one-on-one," added Giesbrecht. Her pace and aggressiveness will cause problems for opponents and provide very effective width to our attack."

Other starters returning including goal keeper Victoria Reetz, defender Erin Ernest and midfielders Andrea Carpenter and Laura Ochs.

In addition to returning players there are a number of newcomers that look to contribute to the success of the team. Carolyn Chrzan and Shelley Hermann will both most like start and as the season progresses could have a serious impact.

"There is the potential that we will have quite a few freshmen playing significant minutes," Giesbrecht said. "Right now we are continuing to learn how to play together, learning each other tendencies ant trying to get on the same page. That process may take some time."

The goal offensively is to be aggressive productive with each possession. On the flip side look for the Bulldogs to play a high pressure, physical style of defense.

"We have improved our depth and athleticism which should allow us to play at a higher tempo through the season," said Giesbrecht. "If we can gel as a team quickly I am optimistic that we can improve on last year's record and go deeper in postseason play."

The Bulldogs open their season at home against Calmut College-St. Joseph on Aug. 26th at 2:00 p.m. Calmut is one of five non-conference opponents on the docket including College of St. Mary who was ranked eleventh at the end of last season.

One change in the schedule this season is that the GPAC tournament has been eliminated. Teams instead will go directly to regional play. This was done to eliminate the repetitious play at the end of the season.

Once again the GPAC portion of the schedule looks to be tough. In the preseason GPAC women's soccer poll, Hastings is the favorite to take the title, while the Bulldogs were picked to finish fifth.



CONCORDIA WOMEN'S SOCCER 2005 RECAP

POINTS		GOALS		ASSISTS	
Jennifer Davis.....	56	Jennifer Davis.....	24	Gentri Brown.....	13
Gentri Brown.....	35	Gentri Brown.....	11	Brittany Tomsick.....	10
Brittany Tomsick.....	32	Brittany Tomsick.....	11	Jennifer Davis.....	8
Liesel Barz.....	11	Laura Ochs.....	4	Liesel Barz.....	3
Laura Ochs.....	10	Liesel Barz.....	4	Laura Ochs.....	2
SHOTS		GAME WINNING GOALS		SAVES	
Jennifer Davis.....	115	Jennifer Davis.....	4	Victoria Reetz.....	88
Brittany Tomsick.....	86	Gentri Brown.....	2	Shelly Davis.....	16
Gentri Brown.....	75	Brittany Tomsick.....	2	Team.....	1

GPAC Honors

All-conference first-team:

Jennifer Davis, MF, Lincoln, Neb., Senior
 Brittany Tomsick, MF, Aravada, Colo., Junior

All-conference second-team:

Rebecca Hiller, D, Lincoln, Neb., Senior

Honorable Mention:

Liesel Barz, San Antonio, Texas, Senior
 Gentri Brown, West Jordan, Utah, Junior

NAIA SCHOLAR-ATHLETES

Liesl Barz, San Antonio, Texas, Senior
 Sarah Schmidt, Hickman, Neb., Senior

NAIA ALL-AMERICANS (HONORABLE MENTION)

Jennifer Davis, Lincoln, Neb., Senior
 Brittany Tomsick, Arvada, Colo., Junior

2005 GPAC STANDINGS

	GPAC	All
Dordt.....	16-0	40-5
Hastings College.....	15-1	35-6
Briar Cliff University.....	11-5	29-9
Doane College.....	11-5	24-16
Northwestern College.....	11-5	24-11
Morningside College.....	9-7	19-15
Concordia University.....	9-7	24-11
Nebraska Wesleyan.....	6-10	13-16
Midland Lutheran College.....	5-11	10-24
Dakota Wesleyan University.....	3-13	9-22
Dana College.....	3-13	10-21
University of Sioux Falls.....	2-14	10-23