



BULLDOGS BASKETBALL

GAME 9

Miami (Ohio)

December 13, 2008
2:00 p.m. ET
John D. Millett Hall
Oxford, Ohio



PROBABLE STARTERS *(Based on the last game's starters)*

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Pts.	Rbs.	Ast.	Additionally...
15	Tara Miller	F	Sr.	5-10	3.3	2.5	1.9	Starter in all eight games this year
24	Melanie Thornton	F	Jr.	6-1	12.9	9.0	1.6	League's leading rebounder
55	Lade Akande	C	Sr.	6-1	12.8	7.1	1.0	HL Player of the Week on 12/8
10	Brittany Bowen	G	So.	5-10	4.9	1.9	0.9	Starter in last five games
25	Devin Brierly	G	Fr.	5-9	3.6	0.6	2.0	Butler leader in assists per game

OFF THE BENCH

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Ht.	Pts.	Rbs.	Ast.	Additionally...
30	Susan Lester	F	Jr.	6-2	8.1	5.3	0.8	Team-high 10 points at Indiana
20	Candace Jones	G	Sr.	5-9	5.4	2.1	1.3	Team-leader with nine 3-pointers
12	Terra Burns	G	So.	5-8	3.0	1.6	1.9	Five points, two boards at IU
32	Chloe Hamilton	F	So.	5-10	2.1	1.3	0.1	Career-best 10 points vs. CCU
21	Candyce Brown	G	Sr.	5-7	1.6	1.6	1.6	Team-high three steals at IU
23	Azjah Bass	G	So.	5-7	1.2	0.8	0.8	Team-best 2 assists vs. Nebraska
33	Kaley May	G/F	Fr.	5-11	3.0	1.0	0.0	Three points in first game vs. CCU
42	Jenny Ostrom	F/C	R-Fr.	6-0	2.0	4.0	0.0	Four boards in first game vs. CCU

The Opening Tip: Butler will try to rebound from a tough defeat at Indiana on Tuesday when it heads to Oxford, Ohio this weekend for a 2:00 p.m. contest with Miami (Ohio) on Saturday (Dec. 13) at Millett Hall. The Redhawks, who take a 6-2 record into the game, will be the sixth team the Bulldogs face this season that advanced to post-season play a year ago.

Butler Basketball On The Web: Butler's game against the Redhawks will feature live stats through Gametracker and can be accessed by clicking on the Gametracker link next to the game on the women's basketball schedule at www.ButlerSports.com.

The Bulldogs At A Glance: Butler heads to Miami with a 3-5 record on the year after falling in a tough, 63-41, contest at Indiana on Tuesday (Dec. 9). Prior to that, the Bulldogs had posted back-to-back convincing victories over Evansville (70-52) and Coastal Carolina (78-48). Butler has battled through a challenging non-league schedule thus far that featured five teams that advanced to post-season play in 2007-08, including nationally-ranked Ohio State, Dayton, Nebraska, Evansville and IU. A trio of post players has provided the bulk of the Bulldogs' scoring and rebounding this year, with junior Melanie Thornton (12.9 points, 9.0 rebounds), senior Lade Akande (12.8, 7.1) and junior Susan Lester (8.1, 5.3) ranking as the top three on the team in both categories. The perimeter players have stepped up their game recently, as senior Candace Jones (5.4 points), sophomore Brittany Bowen (4.9) and freshman Devin Brierly (3.6) have combined for 22 of the team's 38 three pointers made. Sophomore Terra Burns and seniors Candyce Brown and Tara Miller have added steady offense and strong defense on the perimeter, while sophomores Azjah Bass and Chloe Hamilton provide depth off the bench.

A Look At The Redhawks: Miami carries a 6-2 record into Saturday's game after winning its last four contests, including a 69-66 overtime thriller at Dayton on Wednesday (Dec. 10) afternoon. The Redhawks average over 68 points per contest and have out-scored their opponents by an average of 6.4 points thanks in part to a .417 field goal percentage (207-for-497) and 6.0 three-pointers per game. Three players average double-figure points, including senior guard Jenna Schone who boasts a team-high 16.1 points per game as well as a team-best 5.0 assists per contest. Senior forward Jaclyn Leininger touts a team-high 6.9 rebounds and averages 11.0 points.

The Series History: Butler and Miami will meet for the 12th time in program history on Saturday, with the Redhawks holding a commanding 10-1 advantage in the all-time series that dates back to the 1988-89 season. Butler's lone victory came in the 1998-99 campaign, with the Bulldogs picking up a 68-58 decision in Hinkle Fieldhouse. Since then, Miami has won seven in a row, including an 88-72 decision at Millett Hall during the 2005-06 season.

Battle-Tested: Miami will be the sixth team the Bulldogs will face this year that reached post-season play in 2007-08. Butler will match up with eight such teams this season, including Cleveland State, Dayton, Evansville, Green Bay, Indiana, Miami (Ohio), Nebraska and Ohio State. Miami won the Mid-American Conference tournament championship to advance to the NCAA Tournament in 2008.

THE MATCH-UP AT A GLANCE

2008-09 Records

Butler	3-5
Miami	6-2

Series History

All-Time Record	Miami leads, 10-1
Record at Millett Hall	Miami leads, 5-0
Coach Couture vs. Miami	0-4
Last Meeting	Dec. 7, 2005 Millett Hall - Oxford, Ohio Miami 88, Butler 72

2008-09 BUTLER SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Nov. 14	at #18 Ohio State	L, 56-75
Nov. 18	at IPFW	W, 72-56
Nov. 21	DAYTON	L, 49-69
<i>Holiday Inn & Suites Express Midtown</i>		
<i>Thanksgiving Tournament - Albuquerque, N.M.</i>		
Nov. 28	vs. Nebraska	L, 54-67
Nov. 29	vs. William & Mary	L, 50-53

Dec. 3	at Evansville	W, 70-52
Dec. 6	COASTAL CAROLINA	W, 78-48
Dec. 9	at Indiana	L, 41-63
Dec. 13	at Miami (Ohio)	2:00 p.m.
Dec. 22	INDIANA STATE	12:00 p.m.
Dec. 29	CHRISTIAN BROTHERS	7:00 p.m.

Jan. 3	CLEVELAND STATE*	2:00 p.m.
Jan. 5	YOUNGSTOWN STATE*	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 8	at Detroit*	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 10	at Wright State*	1:00 p.m.
Jan. 15	LOYOLA*	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 17	UIC*	2:00 p.m.
Jan. 23	VALPARAISO*	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 29	at Green Bay*	8:00 p.m.
Jan. 31	at Milwaukee*	3:00 p.m.

Feb. 6	WRIGHT STATE* (ESPNU)	9:00 p.m.
Feb. 8	DETROIT*	2:00 p.m.
Feb. 12	at UIC*	8:00 p.m.
Feb. 14	at Loyola*	3:00 p.m.
Feb. 21	at Valparaiso*	2:35 p.m.
Feb. 26	MILWAUKEE*	5:00 p.m.
Feb. 28	GREEN BAY*	6:00 p.m.

March 5	at Youngstown State*	7:05 p.m.
March 7	at Cleveland State*	3:00 p.m.



March 9, 11, 13 & 15 - Sites to be determined

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Butler vs. Miami

STATISTICAL COMPARISON

Category	Butler	MU
Scoring	470	547
Points per game	58.8	68.4
Scoring margin	-1.6	+6.4
Field Goals-Att.	171-490	207-497
Field goal pct.	.349	.417
3-Point Field Goals-Att.	38-158	48-128
3-Point FG pct.	.241	.375
3-Point FG per game	4.8	6.0
Free Throws-Att.	90-142	85-111
Free throw pct.	.634	.766
Rebounds	314	304
Rebounds per game	39.2	38.0
Rebounding margin	-2.7	+1.1
Assists	108	122
Assists per game	13.5	15.3
Turnovers	112	136
Turnovers per game	14.0	17.0
Turnover margin	+3.5	+2.5
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	0.9
Steals	70	75
Steals per game	8.8	9.4
Blocks	16	23
Blocks per game	2.0	2.9

ALL-TIME RESULTS

Year	H/A/N	W/L	Score
1988-89	A	L	40-60
1989-90	H	L	59-71
1993-94	H	L	66-75
1998-99	H	W	68-58
1999-2000	A	L	92-99
2000-01	H	L	68-83
2001-02	A	L	68-86
2002-03	H	L	61-72
2003-04	A	L	60-65
2004-05	H	L	62-73
2005-06	A	L	72-88

Preseason Information

Horizon League Preseason Poll

Team (First Place Votes)	Points
1. Green Bay (24)	284
2. Wright State (1)	241
3. Milwaukee (2)	240
4. Cleveland State (1)	228
5. Butler (1)	204
6. Valparaiso	179
7. UIC	97
8. Loyola	94
9. Youngstown State	71
10. Detroit	41

Indiana Shoots Past Butler: A 14-1 Indiana run late in the opening period broke open what had been a closely-contested battle through the first 15 minutes, as the host Hoosiers claimed a 63-41 decision over Butler at Assembly Hall on Tuesday (Dec. 9) evening. The Bulldogs came out looking much stronger in the second half, as the defense held the Hoosiers to just nine field goals in the entire final period, but the effort would not be enough to overcome the large hole created in the opening stanza. Lade Akande finished with 10 points and a team-high six rebounds, while Susan Lester added a pair of treys to finish with 10 points of her own.

Akande Earns Weekly Honor: After supplying a huge boost in a pair of dominant wins for the Bulldogs last week, senior center Lade Akande was named the Horizon League's Women's Basketball Player of the Week. She notched her first double-double of the year with 10 points and 11 rebounds at Evansville on Wednesday (Dec. 3) in helping the Bulldogs to a convincing 70-52 win over the Purple Aces. Three days later (Dec. 6), she went for a season-high 21 points on 8-of-17 shooting and chipped in a game-high 10 boards while leading Butler to a blow-out 78-48 victory over Coastal Carolina.

Keeping Up With Jones: It's been a hard thing to do lately. Senior Candace Jones played a huge role in the Bulldogs' long-distance scoring in the last week. The Indianapolis native went 4-for-7 from beyond the arc for 13 points at Evansville before hitting 4-of-5 from long range for 12 points against Coastal Carolina. Her nine treys on the year are tops on the team.

Bench Dominance: A big reason for the Bulldogs' success this year has been due to the strong play of the bench. Butler has out-scored its opponents in bench scoring in all but one game this year and averages over 11 points more points per game than its foes (24.6 to 13.3). In fact, the Bulldog bench has accounted for nearly 42 percent of its scoring this year (197 of 470 points).

Thornton In Their Side: Melanie Thornton has not had much of a let down in any one of her eight games this year. The Carmel, Ind., has registered five double-figure scoring efforts and four double-digit rebounding performances while posting three double-doubles – the first of her collegiate career. Her 18 points scored against Ohio State and Dayton and her 13 rebounds at IPFW are career-highs. She currently leads the team with 12.9 points and 9.0 rebounds per contest.

Quite A Start: Through just eight games this season, Melanie Thornton has already put together a year to remember. So far this season, she leads the team with 103 points, 72 rebounds and 223 minutes played – all of which are already well over her entire season totals from 2007-08 (73 points, 47 rebounds, 148 minutes played).

Highway Robbery: Thornton's 24 steals this season are easily the most on the team and are already more than she recorded in her entire first two seasons combined (21).

Among The League's Best: Thornton's performance in the first eight games not only has her ranked at the top of the team's stats but also have her among the best in the Horizon League. She finds herself listed in the league's top-10 in six categories, including a first-place ranking in rebounds and a third-place mark in steals.

In Elite Company: Senior center Lade Akande has assembled one of the finest careers in school history during her three-plus years on the team. In fact, this year she accomplished something that only three other Butler players have ever done. Her five rebounds against William & Mary pushed her career rebounding total to 603, making her just the fourth player in Bulldogs history to record over 1,000 points, 600 rebounds and 100 blocks in their career. She currently touts 1,462 points, 630 rebounds and 117 blocks in her three-plus seasons.

Moving Up The Scoring List: Lade Akande continues her ascent up the Bulldogs' all-time scoring list. After notching 10 points at Indiana on Tuesday, she touts 1,462 points in her career: the fourth-most all-time after passing Barb Skinner (1,448) a week ago. She is now just 24 points away from moving into third past Jennifer Marlow (1,485) and has a good chance at passing Elza Purvlicis (1,517) for second all-time. First place is a ways off, however, as Julie VonDielingen holds the school record with 2,018 points. Akande became just the 19th player in school history to notch 1,000 points in her career early last season and quickly climbed up to seventh by the end of the year. She also became the first non-senior player to reach 1,000 points in her career since Marlow in 1997-98.

...Among Other Lists: By pulling in 57 rebounds so far this season, Lade Akande has moved up into ninth place on the Bulldogs' career rebounding chart with 630 and is just 29 shy of passing both Sue Morris (657) and Liesl Schultz (658) for seventh all time. Akande also finds herself ranked in four other categories, including blocks (117 - 4th) and field goals made (602 - 3rd).

1,000 On The Radar: In her third season with the team, sophomore Susan Lester has totalled 733 points in her career, the second most among Butler's active players. She already finds herself on the Bulldogs' career three-pointers-made list, checking in at 10th with 87.

Crime Prevention: Opponents have not had much luck picking the pockets of the Bulldogs in their first seven games of the year. Butler has averaged just 14.0 turnovers per game so far this season, including season-low nine at IPFW. The Bulldogs' average puts themselves at the top of the league standings in fewest turnovers per game and is 1.8 per game fewer than their next closest rival (UIC - 15.8 per game).

...From Effective Helpers: Four Bulldog players find themselves ranked in the Horizon League's top-10 list in assist-to-turnover ratio heading into Saturday's game. Senior Candyce Brown leads the team and ranks third in the Horizon League with a 2.2 A/T ratio. Sophomore Brittany Bowen ranks sixth with a 1.8 A/T ratio, senior Tara Miller checks in at seventh with a 1.7 mark and freshman Devin Brierly finds herself in eighth with a 1.6 A/T ratio.

Effective Assistance: Butler currently leads the Horizon League with a 1.0 assist-to-turnover ratio. The Bulldogs have dished 108 assists and allowed 112 miscues on the year.

30-Something: The Bulldogs' 78-48 victory over Coastal Carolina was the program's largest margin of victory since defeating Youngstown State, 79-45, on Feb. 14, 2004.

Downtown Living: What a difference some downtown shooting makes. After struggling to just 19 three-pointers through the first five games of the season (3.8 per contest), the Bulldogs have connected for 19 in their last three outings (6.3), including a season-high 10 at Evansville on Dec. 3. The added long-range effort helped the Bulldogs average nearly seven points more in the last three games than they had in the previous five (63.0 to 56.2).

The Horizon League

2008-09 STANDINGS

#	School	Horizon	Overall
1.	UIC	0-0	5-0
2.	Green Bay	0-0	7-1
3.	Valparaiso	0-0	4-2
4.	Loyola	0-0	4-3
5.	Cleveland State	0-0	4-4
6.	Butler	0-0	3-5
	Milwaukee	0-0	3-5
	Wright State	0-0	3-5
9.	Detroit	0-0	2-5
10.	Youngstown State	0-0	1-6

Upcoming Games

Saturday, Dec. 13

Butler at Miami (Ohio), 2:00 p.m.
 Notre Dame at Valparaiso, 2:35 p.m.
 Illinois State at Green Bay, 3:00 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 14

Detroit at Iowa State, 3:00 p.m.
 Youngstown State at Central Michigan, 5:00 p.m.

Monday, Dec. 15

Cleveland State at Ohio, 7:00 p.m.

Recent Results

Wednesday, Dec. 10

Valparaiso 71, No. 23 Purdue 60
 Ball State 65, Wright State 61
 Illinois 63, Milwaukee 61
 Wisconsin 59, Green Bay 47

Tuesday, Dec. 9

Indiana 63, Butler 41

Sunday, Dec. 7

DePaul 68, Loyola 64
 Washington State 73, Milwaukee 52

Saturday, Dec. 6

Bowling Green 94, Youngstown State 61
 Butler 78, Coastal Carolina 48
 Kent State 84, Cleveland State 77
 Green Bay 76, Northern Iowa 49
 UIC 54, Western Michigan 45
 North Texas 71, Valparaiso 67
 Wright State 71, BYU Hawaii 51

...But The Best Offense: Is a great defense. Butler ranks fourth in the Horizon League by allowing its foes just 60.4 points per game. Last week, the Bulldogs limited Evansville to a then-season-low 52 points on 16 field goals on Dec. 3 before smothering Coastal Carolina to a miniscule 48 points on 15 field goals on Dec. 6. Most recently, Butler held host Indiana to just 24 second-half points on nine field goals en route to holding the Hoosiers nearly seven points below their season average entering the game (69.7).

A Sign Of Things To Come: Freshman guard Devin Brierly didn't waste too much time to get started on her college career. The Hanover, Ind., native notched her first collegiate points against Ohio State on Nov. 14 hitting her second three-point attempt of the game a little over three minutes after subbing in. Since then, she has drained seven more treys and is currently second on the team with 1.0 threes per game. Additionally, her .333 three-point percentage is 10th in the Horizon League. Brierly finished her prep career at Southwestern High School with 1,278 points - the fourth-most in school history - and was presented with the team's 3-Point Award all four seasons.

National Attention: The Butler women's basketball team will get national attention later in the season, as the Bulldogs' game against Wright State on Feb. 6 will be broadcast live on ESPN-U beginning at 9 p.m. at Hinkle Fieldhouse. It will be the fourth time in four seasons Butler will appear on the ESPN network. The Bulldogs' appearance in the 2007 Horizon League Championship game against Green Bay was broadcast live on ESPNU, while Butler's regular season road games against the Phoenix last spring and during the 2005-06 campaign were both on ESPNU.

Butler Basketball On The Web: Twenty-three of the Bulldogs' games this season will feature free live streaming video online. The Horizon League Network will feature 21 of those contests, including all of Butler's home games and every league road game. Additionally, the Bulldogs' match at Indiana will be streamed at Big-TenNetwork.com, while its contest at Ohio State was carried on the online network.

Bring 'Em Back: Butler returns 11 of 13 letter-winners from 2007-08, accounting for 91 percent of its scoring, 91 percent of its rebounding and 92 percent of its assists.

Crunching The Numbers: The Bulldogs' 20-10 overall mark in 2007-08 was the program's best single-season record since the 1997-98 team finished the year at 25-6. Butler's 20 victories were also the most in a single season during head coach Beth Couture's six years.

Bulldogs Ink Four For 2009-10: High school seniors Becca Bornhorst (6-1, F, Dublin, Ohio), Claire Freeman (5-9, G, Fishers, Ind.), Dragana Grbic (6-3, C, Terre Haute, Ind.) and Liz Jennings (6-1, F, Anderson, Ind.) each signed National Letters of Intent on the first day of the Early Signing Period. The quartet will attend Butler and play basketball beginning next fall.

Butler in the League

2008-09 Team Rankings

Category	Stat	Rank
Scoring Offense	58.8	T-7th
Scoring Defense	60.4	4th
Scoring Margin	-1.6	7th
Free Throw Pct.	63.4	9th
Field Goal Pct.	34.9	9th
Field Goal Defense	39.3	5th
3-point FG Made	4.8	T-5th
3-point FG Pct.	24.1	8th
3-point FG Defense	34.4	6th
Rebounds	39.2	3rd
Rebounding Defense	42.0	10th
Rebounding Margin	-2.7	8th
Blocked Shots	2.0	T-6th
Steals	8.8	6th
Assists	13.5	7th
Turnovers	14.0	1st
Turnover Margin	+3.5	2nd
Assist-Turnover Ratio	1.0	1st

2008-09 Individual Rankings

Points per game	PPG	Rank
Melanie Thornton	12.9	T-9th
Lade Akande	12.8	12th

Rebounds per game	RPG	Rank
Melanie Thornton	9.0	1st
Lade Akande	7.1	6th

FT Percentage	FT%	Rank
Susan Lester	90.5	4th

Steals per game	SPG	Rank
Melanie Thornton	3.0	3rd

3FG Percentage	3FG%	Rank
Candace Jones	34.6	9th
Devin Brierly	33.3	10th

3FG per game	3FG	Rank
Candace Jones	1.1	T-10th

Blocked Shots per game	BPG	Rank
Melanie Thornton	0.9	T-3rd
Lade Akande	0.8	T-7th

Assist-Turnover Ratio	A/T Ratio	Rank
Candace Brown	2.2	3rd
Brittany Bowen	1.8	6th
Tara Miller	1.7	7th
Devin Brierly	1.6	8th

Offensive Rebounds per game	ORPG	Rank
Melanie Thornton	2.8	3rd
Susan Lester	2.5	T-6th

Defensive Rebounds per game	DRPG	Rank
Melanie Thornton	6.3	1st
Lade Akande	5.0	6th

Next Up: Butler will have an eight-day break for finals before returning to Hinkle Fieldhouse on Dec. 22 to host Indiana State beginning at noon.

Statistical Breakdown

2008-09 Statistics

Butler's record when...	Overall	HL
Playing at night (after 5 p.m. local)	2-5	0-0
Playing during the day	1-0	0-0
Leading at halftime	3-0	0-0
Tied at halftime	0-0	0-0
Trailing at halftime	0-5	0-0
Overtime games	0-0	0-0
Game decided by 5 points or less	0-1	0-0
...by 6-10 points	0-0	0-0
...by 11-15 points	0-1	0-0
...by more than 15 points	3-3	0-0
Butler shoots 45% or better	0-0	0-0
Opponent shoots 45% or better	0-2	0-0
Butler shoots same or better FG%	3-0	0-0
Opponent shoots better FG%	0-5	0-0
Butler scores same or more FTs	3-1	0-0
Opponent scores more FTs	0-4	0-0
Butler scores same or more 3FGs	3-2	0-0
Opponent scores more 3FGs	0-3	0-0
Butler has same or fewer turnovers	2-4	0-0
Opponent has fewer turnovers	1-1	0-0
Butler has same or more rebounds	2-1	0-0
Opponent has more rebounds	1-4	0-0

Miscellaneous Statistics

Double-Digit Scoring Games: 22

Akande 6, Thornton 6, Jones 3, Lester 3, Brierly 2, Bowen 1, Hamilton 1.

20+ Point Scoring Games: 1

Akande 1.

30+ Point Scoring Games: 0

Double-Digit Rebounding Games: 7

Thornton 4, Akande 2, Lester 1.

Double-Doubles: 6

Thornton 3, Akande 2, Lester 1.

Led Butler in Points (includes ties)

Akande 4, Thornton 3, Lester 2.

Led Butler in Rebounds (includes ties)

Thornton 6, Akande 2.

Led Butler in Assists (includes ties)

Bass 2, Brierly 2, Brown 2, Miller 2, Akande 1, Jones 1.

Starting Lineups

Lineup	Gms.	Rec.
Akande, Burns, Jones, Lester, Miller	1,2,3	1-2
Akande, Bowen, Brierly, Miller, Thornton	4,5,6,7,8	2-3

2008-09 Butler Women's Basketball Roster

No.	Name	Ht.	Pos.	Year	Hometown/High School (Last College)
10	Brittany Bowen	5-10	G/F	So.	Columbus, Ind./Columbus North
11	Amie Kabara	5-11	C	Jr.	Waynesfield, Ohio/Waynesfield-Goshen
12	Terra Burns	5-8	G	So.	Peoria, Ill./Peoria
15	Tara Miller	5-10	G/F	Sr.	Ramsey, Ind./North Harrison (Indiana)
20	Candace Jones	5-7	G	Sr.	Indianapolis, Ind./Arsenal Tech
21	Candyce Brown	5-7	G	Sr.	Pickerington, Ohio/Pickerington North
22	Alyssa Pittman #	5-8	G	Jr.	Elkhart, Ind./Elkhart Memorial (Eastern Michigan)
23	Azjah Bass	5-7	G	So.	Indianapolis, Ind./Lawrence North
24	Melanie Thornton	6-1	F	Jr.	Carmel, Ind./Carmel
25	Devin Brierly	5-9	G	Fr.	Hanover, Ind./Southwestern
30	Susan Lester	6-2	F/C	Jr.	Anderson, Ind./Pendleton
32	Chloe Hamilton	5-10	F	So.	Holt, Mich./Holt
33	Kaley May	5-11	G/F	Fr.	Avon, Ind./Avon
42	Jenny Ostrom	6-0	F/C	Fr.	St. Anthony, Minn./St. Anthony Village
55	Lade Akande	6-1	C	Sr.	Robinson, Ill./Robinson

- Will sit out the 2008-09 season to meet NCAA residency requirements.

Head Coach: Beth Couture (Erskine, 1984), Seventh Season
Assistant Coach: Amy Cherubini (Indiana, 1994), Third Season
Assistant Coach: Seph Hatley (Pheiffer, 1994), Fifth Season
Assistant Coach: Angel Mason (Butler, 2004), First Season

PRONUNCIATIONS

Lade Akande - lah-DAY ah-CON-day
Azjah Bass - (like the continent Asia)
Devin Brierly - BR-Y-er-lee
Amy Cherubini - chair-eh-BEE-nee
Beth Couture - KOO-chur
Jenny Ostrom - OH-strum



Beth COUTURE

- Head Coach
- Seventh season at Butler
- 20th season as a head coach
- 346 career wins
- Erskine, 1984

- Touts a 346-213 (.619) career record and a 88-96 (.478) mark at Butler.
- Signed a five-year contract extension prior to the 2007-08 season to remain at the helm through the 2011-12 season.
- The Bulldogs' 20 wins last season were the most during Couture's tenure and gave the program its first 20-win season since 1997-98.
- Led the Bulldogs to a 10-1 non-league record in 2007-08.
- Butler's 11 wins in Horizon League play during the 2006-07 season were the most in her six years at the helm, while the second-place tie in the league standings was the highest finish.
- Notched her 300th career victory on Jan. 18, 2006, defeating Loyola, 85-72.
- Began her collegiate head coaching career at Presbyterian College in Clinton, S.C. in 1989 after spending two seasons as the assistant coach for the Blue Hose.
- During her tenure at Butler, three Bulldogs have been named to All-Horizon League teams, four have been All-League Defensive selection and three have received All-Newcomer honors.
- Guided the Bulldogs to a 15-14 overall mark and 9-7 record in Horizon League play in 2005-06, finishing fourth in the league regular season standings.
- 2005-06 season was the first above-.500 record since the 1998-99 campaign.
- Butler advanced to the semifinals of the Horizon League Championship in 2005-06, falling to eventual league champion Milwaukee in a 58-57 contest.
- Led the Bulldogs to a 14-14 record in 2004-05, the first season at .500 since 1998-99.
- The 2003-04 team won nine of its final 13 games to finish with a 14-15 overall record and a 9-7 league mark.
- Doubled the Bulldogs' win total in her first season at the helm, finishing the 2002-03 campaign with a 6-23 overall record.
- Named the seventh head coach in Butler women's basketball history on April 23, 2002.
- Won nearly 70 percent of her games at Presbyterian, guiding the team to eight 20 win seasons in 13 years.
- Led the Blue Hose to the NCAA Division II Tournament in six of her final nine years, including the program's first in 1993.
- Four-time South Atlantic Conference (SAC) Coach of the Year.
- Only coach in SAC history to be named Coach of the Year in two sports (basketball and volleyball).
- Also served as an assistant AD at Presbyterian from 1993-2002.
- Four-time MVP at Erskine, earning Kodak All-America honors as a senior.
- Inducted into the Erskine Athletic Hall of Fame in 1989.

Couture's Collegiate Record

	W	L	Pct.
1989-90	Presbyterian	20	10 .667
1990-91	Presbyterian	13	14 .482
1991-92	Presbyterian	16	11 .593
1992-93	Presbyterian	16	10 .615
1993-94	Presbyterian	22	8 .733
1994-95	Presbyterian	23	7 .767
1995-96	Presbyterian	13	14 .482
1996-97	Presbyterian	17	10 .630
1997-98	Presbyterian	23	8 .742
1998-99	Presbyterian	24	6 .800
1999-2000	Presbyterian	28	2 .933
2000-01	Presbyterian	22	8 .733
2001-02	Presbyterian	21	9 .700
2002-03	Butler	6	23 .207
2003-04	Butler	14	15 .483
2004-05	Butler	14	14 .500
2005-06	Butler	15	14 .517
2006-07	Butler	16	15 .516
2007-08	Butler	20	10 .667
2008-09	Butler	3	5 .375
Presbyterian (13 yrs.)	258	117	.688
Butler (7th yr.)	88	96	.478
Overall (20th yr.)	346	213	.619



**Lade
AKANDE • 55**

- Senior • 6-1
- Center
- Robinson, Ill.
- Robinson High School

- Touts 1,462 points in her career, the fourth-most in school history after passing Barb Skinner's total of 1,448.
- Is just 56 points away from passing both Jennifer Marlow (1,485) and Elza Purvlicis (1,517).
- Also boasts 630 rebounds and 117 blocks in her career and is just the fourth player in school history to record 1,000 points, 600 rebounds and 100 blocks in her career.
- Led the team with 10 points and six rebounds at Indiana (12/9).
- Scored a season-high 21 points and added 10 rebounds for her second double-double of the year against Coastal Carolina (12/6).
- Notched her first double-double of the season with 10 points and 11 rebounds at Evansville (12/3).
- Paced the team with 12 points on 5-for-10 shooting vs. Nebraska (11/28).
- Netted 16 points and seven boards against Dayton (11/21).
- Led the team with 18 points on 9-of-12 shooting and added eight rebounds at IPFW (11/18).
- Finished with eight points and four rebounds at Ohio State (11/14).
- Named to the 2008 Preseason All-Horizon League First Team.
- A 2007-08 All-Horizon League First Team member.
- The team's leading scorer in 2007-08 with 16.1 points per game and a .559 field goal percentage.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts 21, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 28 (2x), last at Cleveland State, 12/28/06
FG 9, at IPFW, 11/18/08 12, at Detroit, 1/24/08
FGA 17, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 23, at Milwaukee, 3/5/06
3FG 0 0
3FGA 0 0
FT 5, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 12, at Cleveland State, 12/28/06
FTA 10, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 20, at Cleveland State, 12/28/06
O Reb 6, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 6 (7x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08
D Reb 9, at Evansville, 12/3/08 9 (4x), last at Evansville, 12/3/08
Reb 10 (2x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 14, vs. Detroit, 1/12/06
Ast 2 (3x), last at Evansville, 12/3/08 4, vs. Loyola, 1/13/07
Blk 3, at Indiana, 12/9/08 6, vs. Evansville, 12/19/05
Stl 3, vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 5, vs. Youngstown State, 12/29/05
Min 33 (2x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08 38, vs. Evansville, 12/19/05



**Azjah
BASS • 23**

- Sophomore • 5-7
- Guard
- Indianapolis, Ind.
- Lawrence North High School

- Had two points, two boards and two assists vs. Nebraska (11/28).
- Went 2-for-6 from the field with four points at Ohio State (11/14).
- Earned starts in 11 games in 2007-08 after coming off the bench in the first 15 contests as a freshman.
- Fifth on the team with 5.3 points per game in Horizon League contests.
- Notched a career-best 18 points on 7-for-14 shooting and added four rebounds at Wright State (1/26/08).

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts 4, at Ohio State, 11/14/08 18, at Wright State, 1/26/08
FG 2, at Ohio State, 11/14/08 7, at Wright State, 1/26/08
FGA 6, at Ohio State, 11/14/08 14 (2x), last vs. Youngstown State, 2/2/08
3FG 0 3, vs. Evansville, 12/6/07
3FGA 2, at Ohio State, 11/14/08 5, at Wright State, 1/26/08
FT 0 6, vs. Detroit, 2/23/08
FTA 0 6, vs. Detroit, 2/23/08
O Reb 1 (2x), last vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 3, vs. Oakland City, 12/3/07
D Reb 1 (2x), last vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 5, at Detroit, 1/24/08
Reb 2 (2x), last vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 5, at Detroit, 1/24/08
Ast 2 (2x), last vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 5, at Detroit, 1/24/08
Blk 0 1 (2x), last at Wright State, 1/26/08
Stl 0 5, vs. Loyola, 2/9/08
Min 13, vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 38, vs. Cleveland State, 1/31/08



Brittany BOWEN • 10

- Sophomore • 5-10
- Guard/Forward
- Columbus, Ind.
- Columbus North High School

- A starter in the last five games.
- Had four points and two steals at Indiana (12/9).
- Totaled five points and season-highs with four rebounds and two assists against Coastal Carolina (12/6).
- Posted a season-high 12 points on 5-for-14 shooting and added a career-best three steals William & Mary (11/29).
- Scored seven points on 3-for-8 shooting vs. Nebraska (11/28).
- Went 3-for-7 from the field with a trey for eight points at IPFW (11/18).
- The Bulldogs' starting shooting guard in 27 of 30 games in 2007-08.
- Finished her rookie campaign as the team's most accurate three-point shooter, hitting 38.5 percent (25-of-65).
- Butler's third-leading scorer in Horizon League contests, averaging 7.1 points per game.

Season Highs	Career Highs
Pts 12, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 20, vs. UIC, 2/7/08
FG 5, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 7 (3x), last at Cleveland State, 3/12/08
FGA 14, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 16, at Cleveland State, 3/12/08
3FG 2, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 3 (2x), last at Green Bay, 2/16/08
3FGA 6, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 5 (2x), last at Cleveland State, 3/12/08
FT 2, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . 5, vs. Valparaiso, 3/8/08
FTA 2 (4x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 6, vs. Valparaiso, 3/8/08
O Reb 2 (4x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . 5 (2x), last vs. Detroit, 2/23/08
D Reb 2 (2x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . 4 (3x), last vs. UIC, 2/7/08
Reb 4, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . 8, vs. Monmouth, 11/23/07
Ast 2, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . 5, vs. UIC, 2/7/08
Blk 0	. . . . . 1 (3x), last vs. Milwaukee, 1/19/08
Stl 3, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . Same
Min 30, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 32, vs. Youngstown State, 2/2/08



Devin BRIERLY • 25

- Freshman • 5-9
- Guard
- Hanover, Ind.
- Southwestern High School

- Has started in the last five games.
- Scored a career-best 13 points on 4-for-5 shooting from three-point range at Evansville (12/3).
- Led the team with four assists and added three points against William & Mary (11/29).
- Earned her first career start vs. Nebraska (11/28).
- Finished with 10 points and a pair of three-pointers and added a team-high five assists at IPFW (11/18).
- Scored her first career-points on a three-pointer at Ohio State (11/14).
- McDonald's All-American nominee as a senior at Southwestern HS.
- *Hoosier Basketball Magazine* Indiana Top-60 player.
- Finished as the school's fourth-leading scorer with 1,278 points.
- Averaged 15.3 points, 6.5 rebounds and 5.0 assists per game as a senior.

Season Highs	Career Highs
Pts 13, at Evansville, 12/3/08	. . . . . Same
FG 4, at Evansville, 12/3/08	. . . . . Same
FGA 7, at Evansville, 12/3/08	. . . . . Same
3FG 4, at Evansville, 12/3/08	. . . . . Same
3FGA 5, at Evansville, 12/3/08	. . . . . Same
FT 4, at IPFW, 11/18/08	. . . . . Same
FTA 6, at IPFW, 11/18/08	. . . . . Same
O Reb 1, at Evansville, 12/3/08	. . . . . Same
D Reb 2, vs. Dayton, 11/21/08	. . . . . Same
Reb 2, vs. Dayton, 11/21/08	. . . . . Same
Ast 5, at IPFW, 11/18/08	. . . . . Same
Blk 0	. . . . . Same
Stl 1, at Ohio State, 11/14/08	. . . . . Same
Min 25, at Evansville, 12/3/08	. . . . . Same



**Candyce
BROWN • 21**

- Senior • 5-7
- Guard
- Pickerington, Ohio
- Pickerington North High School

- Had a team-high three steals at Indiana (12/9).
- Pulled in a season-high four rebounds and added three points and three assists against Coastal Carolina (12/6).
- Led the team with five assists at Evansville (12/3).
- Had a team-high three assists against Dayton (11/21).
- Scored three points at Ohio State (11/14) and at IPFW (11/18).
- Arguably the Bulldogs' best defensive perimeter player, ranking second on the team with 43 steals in 2007-08.
- Finished seventh on the team with 4.2 points per game in 2007-08.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts 3 (3x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 . . . 11 (2x), last vs. Valparaiso, 3/8/08	
FG 1 (4x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 . . . 4 (2x), last at Ball State, 12/29/07	
FGA 6, at Evansville, 12/3/08 8, vs. Wright State, 2/21/08	
3FG 1 (3x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 . . . 3, vs. Indiana State, 12/1/07	
3FGA 3, at Evansville, 12/3/08 4 (4x), last vs. Wright State, 2/21/08	
FT 2, vs. Dayton, 11/21/08 6, vs. Wright State, 2/21/08	
FTA 2, vs. Dayton, 11/21/08 8, vs. Wright State, 2/21/08	
O Reb 1 (3x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08 3 (3x), last at Purdue, 11/17/07	
D Reb 4, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 8, vs. Detroit, 3/1/06	
Reb 4, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 9, vs. Detroit, 3/1/06	
Ast 5, at Evansville, 12/3/08 6, vs. Detroit, 3/1/06	
Blk 0 1 (4x), last at Cleveland State, 3/12/08	
Stl 3, at Indiana, 12/9/08 6, vs. Wright State, 2/21/08	
Min 26, vs. Dayton, 11/21/08 38 (3x), last at Youngstown State, 2/28/08	



**Terra
BURNS • 12**

- Sophomore • 5-8
- Guard
- Peoria, Ill.
- Peoria High School

- Started the first three games of the year - the first of her career.
- Finished with five points and two boards at Indiana (12/9).
- Totaled four points and three assists and added her first career block against Coastal Carolina (12/6).
- Had two points and three boards against William & Mary (11/29).
- Came off the bench to score a career-best seven points on 3-for-7 shooting against Nebraska (11/28).
- Matched her career-high with three points against Dayton (11/21).
- Notched a career-best three boards and three assists at IPFW (11/18).
- Earned her first career start at Ohio State (11/14).
- Saw limited action as a freshman, playing in 16 contests and averaging 4.4 minutes per game.
- Scored a season-high three points in one minute off the bench at Detroit (1/24).
- Averaged 0.7 points per game.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts 7, vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 Same	
FG 3, vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 Same	
FGA 7, vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 Same	
3FG 1 (2x), last vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 Same	
3FGA 2 (4x), last vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 Same	
FT 1 (2x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08 3, at Detroit, 1/24/08	
FTA 2 (2x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08 4 (2x), last at Detroit, 1/24/08	
O Reb 2 (2x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08 1 (2x), last at Milwaukee, 2/14/08	
D Reb 3, at IPFW, 11/18/08 Same	
Reb 3 (2x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08 . . . 3 (3x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	
Ast 3 (3x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 . . . 3 (4x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	
Blk 1, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 Same	
Stl 2 (2x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08 . . . 2 (4x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	
Min 27, vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08 Same	



Chloe HAMILTON • 32

- Sophomore • 5-10
- Forward
- Holt, Mich.
- Holt High School

- Posted a career-highs with 10 points on 3-for-5 shooting from the field and three rebounds against Coastal Carolina (12/6).
- Tallied four points and added two boards vs. Nebraska (11/28).
- Tied her career-high with two rebounds at Ohio State (11/14).
- Played in 21 games during her freshman season in 2007-08.
- Earned her first career start against Milwaukee (1/19).
- Scored a career-high nine points against Oakland City (12/3)
- Averaged 5.9 minutes per contest.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts	10, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	Same
FG	3, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	3 (3x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08
FGA	5, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	5 (3x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08
3FG	0	0
3FGA	1 (3x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	1 (5x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08
FT	4, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	5, vs. Oakland City, 12/3/07
FTA	7, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	Same
O Reb	1, vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08	1 (7x), last vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08
D Reb	3, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	Same
Reb	3, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	3, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08
Ast	1, at IPFW, 11/18/08	2, at Detroit, 1/24/08
Blk	0	1, vs. Green Bay, 1/17/08
Stl	1, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	1 (4x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08
Min	16, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	18, vs. Milwaukee, 1/19/08



Candace JONES • 20

- Senior • 5-7
- Guard
- Indianapolis, Ind.
- Arsenal Tech High School

- Scored a bench-high 12 points and added five rebounds and a team-high five assists against Coastal Carolina (12/6).
- Posted a season-best 13 points on 4-for-7 shooting from three-point range at Evansville (12/3).
- Had three points and three boards against Dayton (11/21).
- Finished second on the team with 11 points at Ohio State (11/14).
- The team's starting point guard in 19 games last season.
- Named to the University of Miami Thanksgiving Tournament All-Tournament Team after totaling 26 points in two games.
- Led the Bulldogs with 3.1 assists per contest and ranked third on the team in scoring with 7.0 points per game.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts	13, at Evansville, 12/3/08	17, at Miami (Ohio), 12/7/05
FG	4 (2x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	6 (4x), last vs. IPFW, 12/20/07
FGA	9, at Ohio State, 11/14/08	14 (2x), last vs. IPFW, 12/20/07
3FG	4 (2x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	4 (3x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08
3FGA	7, at Evansville, 12/3/08	8, vs. Valparaiso, 3/8/08
FT	5, at Ohio State, 11/14/08	6 (3x), last vs. Evansville, 12/6/07
FTA	7, at Ohio State, 11/14/08	10, at Loyola, 1/10/08
O Reb	3, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	3 (6x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08
D Reb	3, vs. Dayton, 11/21/08	7 (3x), last vs. IPFW, 12/20/07
Reb	5, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	10, vs. Indiana State, 12/1/07
Ast	5, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	7, vs. Tennessee State, 12/16/07
Blk	1 (2x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	2, at Miami (Ohio), 12/7/05
Stl	1 (2x), last vs. Dayton, 11/21/08	4, vs. Ohio, 11/10/07
Min	29, at Ohio State, 11/14/08	36 (3x), last vs. Valparaiso, 3/8/08



Amie KABARA • 11

- Junior • 5-10
- Center
- Waynesfield, Ohio
- Waynesfield-Goshen High School

- Will sit out the 2008-09 season due to injury.
- Saw action in five games last year.
- Pulled in her first collegiate rebound against Oakland City (12/3).
- Saw her first collegiate playing time against Indiana State (12/1).



**Susan
LESTER • 30**

- Junior • 6-2
- Forward/Center
- Anderson, Ind.
- Pendleton High School

- Tallied a team-high 10 points at Indiana (12/9).
- Pulled in seven rebounds against Coastal Carolina (12/6).
- Posted eight points and seven rebounds at Evansville (12/3).
- Led the team with 13 points, including a 5-for-7 mark from the free throw line, and added nine rebounds against William & Mary (11/29/08).
- Scored seven points vs. Nebraska (11/28).
- Pulled in four rebounds against Dayton (11/21).
- Tallied her 19th career double-double and the first of the season with 14 points and 11 rebounds at IPFW (11/18).
- Totaled eight points at Ohio State (11/14).
- Named to the 2008 Preseason All-Horizon League Second Team.
- Led the team and was second in the league with 7.3 rebounds per game in 2007-08.
- Team leader with 48 three-pointers made last season.
- Ranked second on the squad with 12.7 points per game.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts 14, at IPFW, 11/18/08	. . . . . 29, at Cleveland State, 3/1/08
FG 5, at IPFW, 11/18/08	. . . . . 10, at Cleveland State, 3/1/08
FGA 15, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 20, at Ohio, 11/26/06
3FG 2 (2x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 5, at Cleveland State, 3/1/08
3-FGA 7, at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 9 (2x), last at Detroit, 1/24/08
FT 5 (2x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 11, vs. Evansville, 12/6/07
FTA 7, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 13, vs. Evansville, 12/6/07
O Reb 7, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . Same
D Reb 6 (2x), last at Evansville, 12/3/08	. . . . . 10, vs. UIC, 3/9/07
Reb 11, at IPFW, 11/18/08	. . . . . 14 (2x), last vs. UIC, 3/9/07
Ast 2, at IPFW, 11/18/08	. . . . . 5, vs. Milwaukee, 1/27/07
Blk 0	. . . . . 3, vs. IPFW, 12/20/07
Stl 2, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . 4 (3x), last at Cleveland State, 3/12/08
Min 23, at Ohio State, 11/14/08	. . . . . 37, at Cleveland State, 3/1/08



**Kaley
MAY • 33**

- Freshman • 5-11
- Guard/Forward
- Avon, Ind.
- Avon High School

- Appeared in her first collegiate game against Coastal Carolina (12/6), finishing with three points and a rebound.
- McDonald's All-America nominee as a senior in 2008.
- *Hoosier Basketball Magazine* First Team All-State.
- 2008 Indiana All-Star.
- Finished as Avon High School's career record holder in points, rebounds, blocks, three-point percentage and games played.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts 3, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
FG 1, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
FGA 1, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
3FG 0	. . . . . Same
3-FGA 0	. . . . . Same
FT 1, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
FTA 2, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
O Reb 0	. . . . . Same
D Reb 1, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
Reb 1, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
Ast 0	. . . . . Same
Blk 0	. . . . . Same
Stl 0	. . . . . Same
Min 6, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same



Tara MILLER • 15

- Senior • 5-10
- Guard/Forward
- Ramsey, Ind.
- North Harrison High School
- Indiana University

- Has started in all eight games this season.
- Posted five rebounds and a team-high three assists at Indiana (12/9).
- Totaled a season-high six points and a team-high four assists against William & Mary (11/29).
- Scored two points and added three boards vs. Nebraska (11/28).
- Finished with five points and two rebounds against Dayton (11/21).
- Totaled four points, five rebounds and three assists at IPFW (11/18).
- Ranked second in the NCAA Division-I in assists-to-turnover's ratio (2.84) in 2007-08.
- Led the team with 88 assists last season.
- Finished fifth on the team with 4.9 points per game.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts 6, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 17 (2x), vs. Cleveland State, 3/3/07
FG 2 (2x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 6, at Youngstown State, 12/30/06
FGA 7, vs. Dayton, 11/21/08	. . . . . 11, vs. UIC, 1/11/07
3FG 2, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 4, at Louisville, 12/18/06
3FGA 5, at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 8 (2x), last vs. Monmouth, 11/23/07
FT 2 (4x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 7, at Valparaiso, 1/5/08
FTA 4, at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 8, vs. Youngstown State, 3/1/07
O Reb 1 (5x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . 3, vs. Milwaukee, 1/27/07
D Reb 5, at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 6 (4x), last vs. Valparaiso, 3/8/08
Reb 5 (2x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 7 (2x), last vs. Youngstown State, 3/1/07
Ast 4, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	. . . . . 8 (2x), last at UIC, 1/12/08
Blk 0	. . . . . 2, vs. Ohio, 11/10/07
Stl 2 (2x), last at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 5, vs. Loyola, 1/13/07
Min 27, at Indiana, 12/9/08	. . . . . 35 (2x), last at Valparaiso, 1/5/08



Jenny OSTROM • 42

- Redshirt Freshman • 6-0
- Forward/Center
- St. Anthony, Minn.
- St. Anthony Village High School

- Appeared in her first collegiate game against Coastal Carolina (12/6), finishing with four rebounds and two points.
- Sat out last season as a redshirt.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts 2, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
FG 0	. . . . . Same
FGA 0	. . . . . Same
3FG 0	. . . . . Same
3-FGA 0	. . . . . Same
FT 2, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
FTA 2, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
O Reb 1, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
D Reb 3, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
Reb 4, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same
Ast 0	. . . . . Same
Blk 0	. . . . . Same
Stl 0	. . . . . Same
Min 7, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	. . . . . Same



Alyssa PITTMAN • 22

- Junior • 5-8
- Guard
- Elkhart, Ind.
- Elkhart Memorial High School
- Eastern Michigan University

- Will sit out the 2008-09 campaign to meet NCAA residency requirements.
- Transferred from Eastern Michigan following the 2007-08 season.
- Her 152 three-pointers made in her two seasons at EMU would rank as the fourth-highest career total in Butler history.



Melanie THORNTON • 24

- Junior • 6-1
- Forward
- Carmel, Ind.
- Carmel High School

- The team-leader in rebounds in six of eight games this season.
- Named to the Holiday Inn & Suites Express Midtown Thanksgiving Tournament all-tournament team after averaging 8.5 points and 10.0 rebounds in two games.
- Finished with eight points and three rebounds at Indiana (12/9).
- Tallied 13 points and eight rebounds against Coastal Carolina (12/6).
- Notched her third career double-double with a team-high 17 points and 12 rebounds at Evansville (12/3).
- Led the team with 10 boards against William & Mary (11/29).
- Notched her second-career double-double with 11 points and 10 rebounds against Nebraska (11/28).
- Scored a team-high 18 points and eight rebounds against Dayton (11/21).
- Tallied her first career double-double with 12 points and a career-best 13 rebounds at IPFW (11/18).
- Posted a career-high 18 points on 8-for-16 shooting at Ohio State (11/14) and added a career-best seven steals, all in the first half.
- Also added a team-high eight rebounds.
- Played in 24 games in 2007-08.
- Her .510 field goal percentage was the second-best rate on the squad.

Season Highs

Career Highs

Pts	18 (2x), last vs. Dayton, 11/21/08	Same
FG	8, at Ohio State, 11/14/08	Same
FGA	16, at Ohio State, 11/14/08	Same
3FG	1, vs. Dayton, 11/21/08	1 (3x), last vs. Dayton, 11/21/08
3FGA	1 (3x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	1 (6x), last vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08
FT	5 (2x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	Same
FTA	8, vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	Same
O Reb.	5 (2x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08	5 (3x), last vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08
D Reb.	9 (2x), last vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08	Same
Reb.	13, at IPFW, 11/18/08	Same
Ast	3, at IPFW, 11/18/08	Same
Blk.	2, vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08	4 (2x), last vs. Youngstown State, 3/7/07
Stl	7, at Ohio State, 11/14/08	Same
Min	33, vs. William & Mary, 11/29/08	Same

Updated Career Totals

Through games played 12/9/08

Points

Lade Akande	1,462
Susan Lester	733
Candace Jones	521
Tara Miller	331
Melanie Thornton	279
Candcyce Brown	255
Brittany Bowen	246
Azjah Bass	149
Chloe Hamilton	43
Terra Burns	35
Devin Brierly	29
Kaley May	3
Jenny Ostrom	2

Rebounds

Lade Akande	630
Susan Lester	460
Candace Jones	270
Melanie Thornton	213
Candcyce Brown	178
Tara Miller	161
Brittany Bowen	107
Azjah Bass	43
Chloe Hamilton	21
Terra Burns	20
Devin Brierly	5
Jenny Ostrom	4
Amie Kabara	1
Kaley May	1

Assists

Candace Jones	191
Tara Miller	179
Candcyce Brown	165
Lade Akande	92
Susan Lester	76
Azjah Bass	48
Brittany Bowen	45
Melanie Thornton	29
Terra Burns	20
Devin Brierly	16
Chloe Hamilton	5

Blocks

Lade Akande	117
Melanie Thornton	39
Susan Lester	19
Candace Jones	11
Tara Miller	7
Candcyce Brown	6
Brittany Bowen	3
Azjah Bass	2
Terra Burns	1
Chloe Hamilton	1

Steals

Lade Akande	111
Candcyce Brown	89
Tara Miller	82
Susan Lester	81
Candace Jones	58
Melanie Thornton	45
Azjah Bass	30
Brittany Bowen	25
Terra Burns	16
Chloe Hamilton	4
Devin Brierly	1

Games Played

Lade Akande	96
Candcyce Brown	96
Candace Jones	95
Susan Lester	68
Melanie Thornton	63
Tara Miller	59
Brittany Bowen	38
Azjah Bass	35
Chloe Hamilton	28
Terra Burns	24
Devin Brierly	8
Amie Kabara	5
Kaley May	1
Jenny Ostrom	1

Games Started

Lade Akande	87
Tara Miller	48
Susan Lester	47
Candace Jones	33
Brittany Bowen	32
Candcyce Brown	22
Azjah Bass	11
Devin Brierly	5
Melanie Thornton	5
Terra Burns	3
Chloe Hamilton	1

Minutes

Lade Akande	2,592
Candace Jones	1,881
Candcyce Brown	1,829
Susan Lester	1,570
Tara Miller	1,535
Brittany Bowen	745
Melanie Thornton	711
Azjah Bass	590
Terra Burns	225
Chloe Hamilton	177
Devin Brierly	134
Amie Kabara	7
Jenny Ostrom	7
Kaley May	6

Double-figure scoring games

Lade Akande	78
Susan Lester	36
Candace Jones	19
Brittany Bowen	10
Melanie Thornton	9
Tara Miller	8
Azjah Bass	5
Candcyce Brown	3
Devin Brierly	2
Chloe Hamilton	1

Double-figure rebounding games

Susan Lester	21
Lade Akande	17
Melanie Thornton	4
Candace Jones	1

Double-doubles

Susan Lester	19
Lade Akande	16
Melanie Thornton	3
Candace Jones	1

2008-09 BUTLER GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Pts.	FGM-A	%	3FG-A	%	FTM-A	%	Reb.	O/D	Fouls	Ast.	TO	Blk.	Stl.
N 14	at Ohio State	56	22-70	.314	3-23	.130	9-12	.750	31	17/14	20	7	11	0	9
N 18	at IPFW	72	27-63	.429	5-15	.333	13-20	.650	46	16/30	15	20	9	2	6
N 21	DAYTON	49	18-62	.290	4-21	.190	9-14	.643	32	11/21	18	14	12	0	9
N 28	vs. Nebraska	54	20-56	.357	2-19	.105	12-17	.706	35	5/30	20	10	14	2	9
N 29	vs. William & Mary	50	19-61	.311	5-17	.294	7-14	.500	40	18/22	10	14	17	0	13
D 3	at Evansville	70	23-59	.390	10-21	.476	14-21	.667	43	9/34	22	17	12	5	7
D 6	COASTAL CAROLINA	78	25-62	.403	7-21	.333	21-33	.626	55	22/33	24	16	17	3	7
D 9	at Indiana	41	17-57	.298	2-21	.095	5-11	.455	32	13/19	8	10	20	4	10
D 13	at Miami (Ohio)														
D 22	INDIANA STATE														
D 29	CHRISTIAN BROTHERS														
J 3	CLEVELAND STATE														
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F 21	at Valparaiso														
F 26	MILWAUKEE														
F 28	GREEN BAY														
M 5	at Youngstown State														
M 7	at Cleveland State														

2008-09 OPPONENT GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS

Date	Opponent	Pts.	FGM-A	%	3FG-A	%	FTM-A	%	Reb.	O/D	Fouls	Ast.	TO	Blk.	Stl.
N 14	at Ohio State	75	26-58	.448	3-7	.429	20-26	.769	55	21/34	15	14	20	6	5
N 18	at IPFW	56	23-58	.397	3-14	.214	7-11	.636	31	8/23	15	7	12	5	2
N 21	DAYTON	69	23-47	.489	8-11	.727	15-20	.750	40	5/35	15	12	18	3	4
N 28	vs. Nebraska	67	26-65	.400	0-9	.000	15-26	.577	53	17/36	15	13	15	2	7
N 29	vs. William & Mary	53	22-52	.423	6-17	.353	3-6	.500	38	10/28	13	13	23	9	6
D 3	at Evansville	52	16-66	.242	6-20	.300	14-22	.636	49	21/28	23	12	14	2	4
D 6	COASTAL CAROLINA	48	15-49	.306	2-8	.250	16-29	.552	30	9/21	24	4	16	4	8
D 9	at Indiana	63	26-55	.473	5-10	.500	6-6	1.000	40	10/30	12	12	22	4	6
D 13	at Miami (Ohio)														
D 22	INDIANA STATE														
D 29	CHRISTIAN BROTHERS														
J 3	CLEVELAND STATE														
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BUTLER TEAM HIGHS/LOWS**HIGHS**

Points: 78, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 FG Made: 27, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 FG Att.: 70, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 FG Pct.: 429 (27-63), at IPFW (11/18/08)
 3-pt. FG Made: 10, at Evansville (12/3/08)
 3-pt. FG Att.: 23, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 3-pt. FG Pct.: 476 (10-21), at Evansville (12/3/08)
 FT Made: 21, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 FT Att.: 33, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 FT Pct.: 750 (9-12), at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 Rebounds: 55, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 Off. Rebounds: 22, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 Def. Rebounds: 34, at Evansville (12/3/08)
 Assists: 20, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 Steals: 13, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 Blocked Shots: 5, at Evansville (12/3/08)
 Turnovers: 20, at Indiana (12/9/08)
 Fouls: 24, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)

LOWS

Points: 41, at Indiana (12/9/08)
 FG Made: 17, at Indiana (12/9/08)
 FG Att.: 56, vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 FG Pct.: 290 (18-62), vs. Dayton (11/21/08)
 3-pt. FG Made: 2 (2x), last at Indiana (12/9/08)
 3-pt. FG Att.: 15, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 3-pt. FG Pct.: 095 (2-21), at Indiana (12/9/08)
 FT Made: 5, at Indiana (12/9/08)
 FT Att.: 11, at Indiana (12/9/08)
 FT Pct.: 455 (5-11), at Indiana (12/9/08)
 Rebounds: 31, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 Off. Rebounds: 5, vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 Def. Rebounds: 14, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 Assists: 7, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 Steals: 6, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 Blocked Shots: 0 (3x), last vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 Turnovers: 9, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 Fouls: 8, at Indiana (12/9/08)

BUTLER INDIVIDUAL HIGHS**HIGHS**

Points: 21, Lade Akande, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 FG Made: 9, Lade Akande, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 FG Att.: 17, Lade Akande, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 3-pt. FG Made: 4, Candace Jones (2x), last vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 3-pt. FG Att.: 4, Devin Brierly, at Evansville (12/3/08)
 7, Susan Lester, at Indiana (12/9/08)
 7, Candace Jones, at Evansville (12/3/08)
 FT Made: 5 (5x), last Tara Miller, at Evansville (12/3/08)
 FT Att.: 7, Susan Lester, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 7, Melanie Thornton, vs. Dayton (11/21/08)
 7, Candace Jones, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 Rebounds: 13, Melanie Thornton, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 Assists: 5, Candace Jones, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 5, Candyce Brown, at Evansville (12/3/08)
 5, Devin Brierly, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 Steals: 7, Melanie Thornton, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 Blocked Shots: 3, Lade Akande, at Indiana (12/9/08)

OPPONENT TEAM HIGHS/LOWS**HIGHS**

Points: 75, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 FG Made: 26 (3x), last at Indiana (12/9/08)
 FG Att.: 66, at Evansville (12/3/08)
 FG Pct.: 489 (23-47), vs. Dayton (11/21/08)
 3-pt. FG Made: 8, vs. Dayton (11/21/08)
 3-pt. FG Att.: 20, at Evansville (12/3/08)
 3-pt. FG Pct.: 727 (8-11), vs. Dayton (11/21/08)
 FT Made: 20, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 FT Att.: 29, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 FT Pct.: 1.000 (6-6), at Indiana (12/9/08)
 Rebounds: 55, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 Off. Rebounds: 21 (2x), at Evansville (12/3/08)
 Def. Rebounds: 36, vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 Assists: 14, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 Steals: 8, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 Blocked Shots: 9, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 Turnovers: 23, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 Fouls: 24, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)

LOWS

Points: 48, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 FG Made: 15, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 FG Att.: 47, vs. Dayton (11/21/08)
 FG Pct.: 242 (16-66), at Evansville (12/3/08)
 3-pt. FG Made: 0, vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 3-pt. FG Att.: 7, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 3-pt. FG Pct.: 000 (0-9), vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 FT Made: 3, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 FT Att.: 6 (2x), last at Indiana (12/9/08)
 FT Pct.: 500 (3-6), vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 Rebounds: 30, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 Off. Rebounds: 5, vs. Dayton (11/21/08)
 Def. Rebounds: 21, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 Assists: 4, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 Steals: 2, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 Blocked Shots: 2 (2x), last at Evansville (12/3/08)
 Turnovers: 12, at IPFW (11/18/08)
 Fouls: 12, at Indiana (12/9/08)

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL HIGHS**HIGHS**

Points: 22, Cory Montgomery, vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 FG Made: 10, Cory Montgomery, vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 FG Att.: 20, Cory Montgomery, vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 3-pt. FG Made: 3, Kim Roberson, at Indiana (12/9/08)
 3, Courtney Portell, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 3, De'Sarae Chambers, vs. Dayton (11/21/08)
 3-pt. FG Att.: 7, Courtney Portell, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 FT Made: 11, Dominique Kelley, vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 FT Att.: 12, Dominique Kelley, vs. Nebraska (11/28/08)
 Rebounds: 19, Jantel Lavender, at Ohio State (11/14/08)
 Assists: 7, Katy Oblinger, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 Steals: 5, Amanda Stull, vs. Coastal Carolina (12/6/08)
 Blocked Shots: 4, Tiffany Benson, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)
 4, Lauren Aadland, vs. William & Mary (11/29/08)

2008-09 BUTLER GAME-BY-GAME RESULTS

Date	Opponent	W/L	BU	Opp.	High Points	High Rebounds	High Assists
N 14	at Ohio State	L	56	75	Thornton (18)	Thornton (8)	Bass (2)
N 18	at IPFW	W	72	56	Akande (18)	Thornton (13)	Brierly (5)
N 21	DAYTON	L	49	69	Thornton (18)	Thornton (8)	Brown (3)
N 28	vs. Nebraska	L	54	67	Akande (12)	Thornton (10)	Akande, Bass (2)
N 29	vs. William & Mary	L	50	53	Lester (13)	Thornton (10)	Brierly, Miller (4)
D 3	at Evansville	W	70	52	Thornton (17)	Thornton (12)	Brown (5)
D 6	COASTAL CAROLINA	W	78	48	Akande (21)	Akande (10)	Jones (5)
D 9	at Indiana	L	41	63	Akande, Lester (10)	Akande (6)	Miller (3)
D 13	at Miami (Ohio)						
D 22	INDIANA STATE						
D 29	CHRISTIAN BROTHERS						
J 3	CLEVELAND STATE						
J 5	YOUNGSTOWN STATE						
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F 26	MILWAUKEE						
F 28	GREEN BAY						
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THE LAST TIME ...

Team

Scored 100 points

Butler: (116), vs. Detroit, 1/30/99

Opponent: (101), Detroit, 1/30/99

30-point win

Butler: (78-48), vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08

Opponent: (81-38), vs. Purdue, 12/10/06

55% field goals

Butler: (.620, 31-50), vs. Wright State, 2/20/99

Opponent: (.574, 31-54), at Green Bay, 3/11/07

50% 3-point field goals (min. 10 attempts)

Butler: (.556, 15-27), at Milwaukee, 2/22/07

Opponent: (.500, 5-10), at Indiana, 12/9/08

90% free throws (min. 15 attempts)

Butler: (.955, 21-22), vs. UMBC, 12/22/05

Opponent: (.947, 18-19), Green Bay, 2/25/06

12 three-point field goals

Butler: (13), at Green Bay, 3/11/07

Opponent: (15), at Green Bay, 3/11/07

Overtime Game

Butler Win: (88-83), vs. UIC, 3/9/07

Opponent Win: (60-59), Wright State, 12/29/04

Double Overtime Game:

Butler Win: (100-88), vs. UIC, 2/1/96

Opponent Win: (92-91), Milwaukee, 2/6/97

Individual

Scored 40 points

Butler: Never

Opponent: (49), Tiffany Webb, Wright State, 1/16/03

Scored 30 points

Butler: (37), Sarah Bolten, vs. Bowling Green, 12/4/01

Opponent: (31), Ashley Johnson, IPFW, 1/20/07

Two Players with 20 points

Butler: Jackie Closser (25), Lade Akande (20) and Susan Lester (20), vs. UIC, 3/9/07

Opponent: Cory Montgomery (22) and Dominique Kelley (21), vs. Nebraska, 11/28/08

15 Rebounds

Butler: (16), Cortney Urquhart, vs. Cleveland State, 2/24/05

Opponent: (19), Jantel Lavender, at Ohio State, 11/14/08

10 Assists

Butler: (11), Jackie Closser, vs. Bradley, 11/17/06

Opponent: (10), Rhea Mays, Wright State, 1/28/06

Six three-point field goals

Butler: (7), Jackie Closser, at Green Bay, 3/11/07

Opponent: (6), Courtney Felke, at Evansville (12/6/06)

Double-Double

Butler: Lade Akande (21 points, 10 rebounds), vs. Coastal Carolina, 12/6/08

Opponent: Whitney Thomas (13 points, 12 rebounds), at Indiana, 12/9/08

GAME-BY-GAME INDIVIDUAL POINTS-REBOUNDS-ASSISTS

Opponent	Akande	Bass	Bowen	Brierly	Brown	Burns	Hamilton	Jones	Kabara	Lester	May	Miller	Ostrom	Thornton
at Ohio State	8-4-0	4-2-2	1-3-0	3-0-0	3-1-1	0-2-1	0-2-0	11-3-0	DNP	8-2-1	DNP	0-0-1	DNP	18-8-1
at IPFW	18-8-0	0-0-0	8-2-1	10-0-5	3-1-1	1-3-3	0-1-1	2-0-1	DNP	14-11-2	DNP	4-5-3	DNP	12-13-3
DAYTON	16-7-2	0-0-0	0-0-0	0-2-2	2-1-3	3-1-2	0-0-0	3-3-1	DNP	2-4-1	DNP	5-2-1	DNP	18-8-2
vs. Nebraska	12-6-2	2-2-2	7-1-1	0-0-1	2-1-0	7-1-1	4-2-0	0-1-0	DNP	7-2-1	DNP	2-3-1	DNP	11-10-1
vs. William & Mary	7-5-1	0-0-0	12-3-1	3-1-4	0-2-0	2-3-3	1-1-0	0-0-0	DNP	13-9-0	DNP	6-1-4	DNP	6-10-1
at Evansville	10-11-2	DNP	2-2-1	13-1-0	0-1-5	2-0-1	DNP	13-3-2	DNP	8-7-0	DNP	5-1-2	DNP	17-12-4
COASTAL CAROLINA	21-10-0	DNP	5-4-2	0-1-2	3-4-3	4-1-3	10-3-0	12-5-5	DNP	3-7-1	3-1-0	2-3-0	2-4-0	13-8-0
at Indiana	10-6-1	DNP	4-0-1	0-0-2	0-2-0	5-2-1	0-0-0	2-2-1	DNP	10-0-0	DNP	2-5-3	DNP	8-3-1
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STARTING LINEUPS

Opponent	W/L	Player	Player	Player	Player	Player	Butler	Opp.	+/-	Bench High (Pts.)
at Ohio State	L	Miller	Lester	Akande	Burns	Jones	29	26	+3	Thornton (18)
at IPFW	W	Miller	Lester	Akande	Burns	Jones	33	9	+24	Thornton (12)
DAYTON	L	Miller	Lester	Akande	Burns	Jones	20	18	+2	Thornton (18)
vs. Nebraska	L	Miller	Thornton	Akande	Bowen	Brierly	22	7	+15	Burns, Lester (7)
vs. William & Mary	L	Miller	Thornton	Akande	Bowen	Brierly	16	19	-3	Lester (13)
at Evansville	W	Miller	Thornton	Akande	Bowen	Brierly	23	9	+14	Brierly, Jones (13)
COASTAL CAROLINA	W	Miller	Thornton	Akande	Bowen	Brierly	37	12	+25	Jones (12)
at Indiana	L	Miller	Thornton	Akande	Bowen	Brierly	17	6	+11	Lester (10)
at Miami (Ohio)										
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Game 1

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Nov. 14, 2008
Value City Arena - Columbus, Ohio

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#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	FT-FTA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot								
30	LESTER, Susan	f	3-10	1-4	1-1	1	1	2	3	8	1	1	0	0	23		
55	AKANDE, Lade	c	4-9	0-0	0-0	3	1	4	4	8	0	2	0	0	20		
12	BURNS, Terra	g	0-5	0-2	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	1	3	0	1	20		
15	MILLER, Tara	g	0-5	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	24		
20	JONES, Candace	g	3-9	0-3	5-7	2	1	3	2	11	0	1	0	0	29		
10	BOWEN, Brittany	g	0-5	0-4	1-2	2	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	19		
21	BROWN, Candyce	g	1-1	1-1	0-0	1	0	1	1	3	1	1	0	0	12		
23	BASS, Azjah	g	2-6	0-2	0-0	1	1	2	0	4	2	1	0	0	12		
24	THORNTON, Melanie	g	8-16	0-1	2-2	5	3	8	2	18	1	1	0	7	29		
25	BRIERLY, Devin	g	1-3	1-3	0-0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	1	5		
32	HAMILTON, Chloe	g	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	7		
Team			22-70	3-23	9-12	17	14	31	20	56	7	11	0	9	200		
Totals			22-70	3-23	9-12	17	14	31	20	56	7	11	0	9	200		
FG % 1st Half: 9-33		27.3%	2nd half: 13-37		35.1%	Game: 22-70		31.4%	Deadball Rebounds								
3FG % 1st Half: 0-11		0.0%	2nd half: 3-12		25.0%	Game: 3-23		13.0%									
FT % 1st Half: 7-9		77.8%	2nd half: 2-3		66.7%	Game: 9-12		75.0%									

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#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	FT-FTA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot								
55	Allen, Star	f	3-5	0-0	4-4	5	3	8	1	10	1	2	1	0	18		
42	Lavender, Jantel	c	7-16	0-0	6-9	5	14	19	2	20	0	4	3	0	30		
12	Jackson, Allison	g	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	13		
21	Prahalis, Samantha	g	6-9	2-3	0-0	0	3	3	2	14	4	3	0	0	28		
40	Johnson, Brittany	g	2-6	0-2	1-2	1	1	2	3	5	2	1	0	0	14		
00	Treblcock, Ashlee	g	1-3	0-0	2-2	0	4	4	0	4	1	1	0	0	16		
14	Moeller, Maria	g	1-2	1-2	0-0	0	1	1	2	3	2	2	0	0	21		
20	Little, Shavelle	g	1-4	0-0	1-2	3	1	4	1	3	0	1	0	3	15		
24	Daniel, Cherise	g	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	11		
43	Schulze, Sarah	g	1-2	0-0	1-1	1	0	1	2	3	0	1	1	0	15		
51	Walker, Andrea	g	4-8	0-0	5-6	2	6	8	1	13	2	2	1	1	19		
Team			26-58	3-7	20-26	21	34	55	15	75	14	20	6	5	200		
Totals			26-58	3-7	20-26	21	34	55	15	75	14	20	6	5	200		
FG % 1st Half: 9-29		31.0%	2nd half: 17-29		58.6%	Game: 26-58		44.8%	Deadball Rebounds								
3FG % 1st Half: 3-4		75.0%	2nd half: 0-3		0.0%	Game: 3-7		42.9%									
FT % 1st Half: 8-13		61.5%	2nd half: 12-13		92.3%	Game: 20-26		76.9%									

Officials: Laur Morris, John Whitson, Carol Comanica

Technical fouls: Butler-None, Ohio State-None.

Attendance: 2257

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Butler	25	31	56
Ohio State	29	46	75

Last FG - BUTLER 2nd-00:17, OSU 2nd-00:35.

Largest lead - BUTLER None, OSU by 23 2nd-03:48.

Score tied - 2 times.

Lead changed - 0 times.

Points	In	Off	2nd	Fast	Bench
BUTLER	18	21	8	7	29
OSU	30	7	20	6	26

Game 2

Butler 72, IPFW 56
Nov. 18, 2008
Hilliard Gates Sports Center - Fort Wayne, Ind.

Butler 72 • 1-1

#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	FT-FTA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot								
12	BURNS, Terra	*	0-3	0-2	1-2	0	3	3	1	1	1	3	3	0	1	18	
15	MILLER, Tara	*	1-5	0-1	2-2	1	4	5	0	4	3	1	0	0	24		
20	JONES, Candace	*	1-3	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	0	13		
30	LESTER, Susan	*	5-13	1-3	3-3	5	6	11	3	14	2	2	0	1	22		
55	AKANDE, Lade	*	9-12	0-0	0-2	2	6	8	3	18	0	0	1	0	26		
10	BOWEN, Brittany	*	3-7	1-2	1-2	2	0	2	2	8	1	0	0	0	25		
21	BROWN, Candyce	*	1-2	1-2	0-0	1	0	1	1	3	1	0	0	2	16		
23	BASS, Azjah	*	0-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	5		
24	THORNTON, Melanie	*	5-10	0-0	2-3	4	9	13	2	12	3	1	1	1	32		
25	BRIERLY, Devin	*	2-5	2-4	4-6	0	0	0	2	10	5	0	0	0	16		
32	HAMILTON, Chloe	*	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3		
Team			1	1	2												
Totals			27-63	5-15	13-20	16	30	46	15	72	20	9	2	6	200		
FG % 1st Half: 11-30		36.7%	2nd half: 16-33		48.5%	Game: 27-63		42.9%	Deadball Rebounds								
3FG % 1st Half: 0-6		0.0%	2nd half: 5-9		55.6%	Game: 5-15		33.3%									
FT % 1st Half: 3-4		75.0%	2nd half: 10-16		62.5%	Game: 13-20		65.0%									

IPFW 56 • 0-2

#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	FT-FTA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot								
14	REED, Courtney	*	2-5	2-4	0-1	0	2	2	3	6	1	0	0	0	38		
23	ZUPPE, Jordan	*	3-9	0-3	0-0	1	5	6	3	6	1	4	0	0	34		
31	MOEN, Tina	*	3-10	0-1	4-4	2	7	9	1	10	2	3	2	0	30		
32	JACKSON, Chelsey	*	6-11	0-1	0-0	0	3	3	2	12	1	3	0	2	22		
42	IVANOVA, Eva	*	5-13	0-1	3-5	1	0	1	2	13	2	1	1	0	31		
12	HALUSKA, Sarah	*	2-4	0-2	0-0	0	2	2	1	4	0	0	0	0	13		
20	KOVACH, Kayla	*	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	7		
22	MOORE, Nanyamka	*	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	2		
44	BOESE, Anne	*	1-5	1-2	0-0	2	1	3	0	3	0	0	1	0	23		
Team			1	1	2												
Totals			23-58	3-14	7-11	8	23	31	15	56	7	12	5	2	200		
FG % 1st Half: 9-28		32.1%	2nd half: 14-30		46.7%	Game: 27-63		39.7%	Deadball Rebounds								
3FG % 1st Half: 1-5		20.0%	2nd half: 2-9		22.2%	Game: 3-14		21.4%									
FT % 1st Half: 0-2		0.0%	2nd half: 7-9		77.8%	Game: 7-11		63.6%									

Officials: David Stewart, Ray Bomei, Cameron Inouye

Technical fouls: Butler-None, IPFW-None.

Attendance: 221

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Butler	25	47	72
IPFW	19	37	56

Last FG - BUTLER 2nd-01:07, IPFW 2nd-00:47.

Largest lead - BUTLER by 19 2nd-04:21, IPFW by 2 1st-19:46.

Score tied - 3 times.

Lead changed - 1 time.

Points	In	Off	2nd	Fast	Bench
BUTLER	30	18	13	0	33
IPFW	30	6	4	0	9

Game 3

Dayton 69, Butler 49
Nov. 21, 2008
Hinkle Fieldhouse - Indianapolis, Ind.

Dayton 69 • 2-2

#	Player	Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
		FG-FGA	FT-FTA	FT-FTA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot								
34	RATERMAN, Justine	f	8-12	2-3	0-2	2	9	11	4	18	1	3	1	0	32		
40	DAUGHERTY, Kristin	f	3-8	2-3	7-8	0	7	7	0	15	1	3	0	1	34		
02	ROSS, Kendel	g	6-8	1-1	0-0	0	5	5	2	13	2	2	2	0	33		
20	LALOR, Patrice	g	2-8	0-0	1-2	0	2	2	0	5	4	6	0	3	29		
22	NANCE, Casey	g	0-3	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	5	0	1	3	0	0	15		
10	CHAMBERS, De'Sarae	g	4-4	3-3	0-0	0	2	2	1	11	0	1	0	0	18		
23	MOSES, Kayla	g	0-2	0-1	2-2	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	11		
25	ROSCHKE, Marie	g	0-2	0-0	5-6	0	6	6	3	5	1	0	0	0	28		
Team			2	1	3												
Totals			23-47	8-11	15-20	5	35	40	15	69	12	18	3	4	200		
FG % 1st Half: 12-23		52.2%	2nd half: 11-24		45.8%	Game: 23-47		48.9%	Deadball Rebounds								
3FG % 1st Half: 5-7		71.4%</															

Butler Women's Basketball 2008-09 Overall Statistics

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	3-5	1-1	2-2	0-2
CONFERENCE	0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	3-5	1-1	2-2	0-2

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg								
24	THORNTON, Melanie	8-5	223	27.9	42-90	.467	1-4	.250	18-26	.692	22	50	72	9.0	18	0	13	18	7	24	103	12.9
55	AKANDE, Lade	8-8	210	26.3	45-93	.484	0-0	.000	12-33	.364	17	40	57	7.1	19	0	8	15	6	6	102	12.8
30	LESTER, Susan	8-3	150	18.8	20-70	.286	7-33	.212	18-20	.900	20	22	42	5.3	19	0	6	11	0	8	65	8.1
20	JONES, Candace	8-3	147	18.4	14-40	.350	9-26	.346	6-10	.600	6	11	17	2.1	7	0	10	10	2	2	43	5.4
10	BOWEN, Brittany	8-5	162	20.3	15-51	.294	5-23	.217	4-8	.500	8	7	15	1.9	9	0	7	4	0	7	39	4.9
25	BRIERLY, Devin	8-5	134	16.8	8-30	.267	8-24	.333	5-8	.625	1	4	5	0.6	17	0	16	10	0	1	29	3.6
15	MILLER, Tara	8-8	176	22.0	5-29	.172	3-18	.167	13-16	.813	5	15	20	2.5	12	0	15	9	0	6	26	3.3
12	BURNS, Terra	8-3	155	19.4	10-38	.263	2-10	.200	2-4	.500	4	9	13	1.6	16	0	15	18	1	8	24	3.0
33	MAY, Kaley	1-0	6	6.0	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	0	1	1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3.0
32	HAMILTON, Chloe	7-0	54	7.7	4-13	.308	0-3	.000	7-11	.636	1	8	9	1.3	5	0	1	5	0	1	15	2.1
42	OSTROM, Jenny	1-0	7	7.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	1	3	4	4.0	3	0	0	3	0	0	2	2.0
21	BROWN, Candyce	8-0	139	17.4	4-21	.190	3-13	.231	2-2	1.000	3	10	13	1.6	9	0	13	6	0	7	13	1.6
23	BASS, Azjah	5-0	37	7.4	3-14	.214	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	2	2	4	0.8	3	0	4	2	0	0	6	1.2
Team											21	21	42									
Total.....		8	1600		171-490	.349	38-158	.241	90-142	.634	111	203	314	39.2	137	0	108	112	16	70	470	58.8
Opponents.....		8	1600		177-450	.393	33-96	.344	96-146	.658	101	235	336	42.0	132	-	87	140	35	42	483	60.4

TEAM STATISTICS	BUTLER	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	470	483	11/14/08	at Ohio State	L 56-75	2257
Points per game	58.8	60.4	11/18/08	at IPFW	w 72-56	221
Scoring margin	-1.6	-	11/21/08	DAYTON	L 49-69	509
FIELD GOALS-ATT	171-490	177-450	11/28/08	vs Nebraska	L 54-67	0
Field goal pct	.349	.393	11/29/08	vs William and Mary	L 50-53	0
3 POINT FG-ATT	38-158	33-96	12/03/08	at Evansville	w 70-52	653
3-point FG pct	.241	.344	12/06/08	COASTAL CAROLINA	w 78-48	511
3-pt FG made per game	4.8	4.1	12/09/08	at Indiana	L 41-63	964
FREE THROWS-ATT	90-142	96-146				
Free throw pct	.634	.658				
F-Throws made per game	11.3	12.0				
REBOUNDS	314	336				
Rebounds per game	39.2	42.0				
Rebounding margin	-2.7	-				
ASSISTS	108	87				
Assists per game	13.5	10.9				
TURNOVERS	112	140				
Turnovers per game	14.0	17.5				
Turnover margin	+3.5	-				
Assist/turnover ratio	1.0	0.6				
STEALS	70	42				
Steals per game	8.8	5.3				
BLOCKS	16	35				
Blocks per game	2.0	4.4				
ATTENDANCE	1020	4095				
Home games-Avg/Game	2-510	4-1024				
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	2-0				

Score by Periods	1st	2nd	Totals
Butler	212	258	470
Opponents	228	255	483