

Bloomsburg State College



Sophomore Deb Thom

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL 1980-81

Basketball Outlook

Coach Sue Hibbs has some big gaps to fill, due to the graduation of four players, if the Huskies are going to improve upon their 7-10 record of a year ago.

Gone from last year's squad are P. C. Lyons, Sally Houser, Gail Hopkins, and Loretta Sutcliffe, a group that led in eight of nine statistical categories in the 1979-80 season. This foursome also accounted for over half of the points scored by BSC and one-third of the team's rebounds.

Leading the veterans returning to this year's squad are co-captains Mindy Lerit and Trina Knittel.

Lerit, one of only two seniors on the team, was the second leading scorer last season with an average of 10.9 points per game while scoring 186 points in the 17 games at a guard position. Knittel, a junior, led the team in free throw percentage a year ago hitting on 72% of her charity tosses. The forward-center averaged 4.6 points in all 17 games in 1979-80,

The second leading rebounder on last year's team, Hilarie Runyon, also returns. As a freshman forward, she collected 124 rebounds for an average of 7.3 a game.

The addition of Kathy Palubinsky, a transfer from Elizabethtown, is expected to give the Huskies a lot of help on the front line.

Five sophomores who are expected to see a lot of action this season include Julie Loucks, Diane Alfonsi, Sue Hicks, Cheryl Sedlak, and Debbie Thom.

Loucks and Alfonsi led in eight out of nine statistical categories for last season's BSC junior varsity team. Alfonsi was the squad's leading scorer with a 12.1 average and led the Huskies in rebounding, getting a commendable 15.4 per game. Loucks was third in both scoring and rebounding with averages of 9.3 and 5.3 respectively. The duo also combined for 49 steals last season.

Hicks averaged 3.4 points a game in 14 varsity games for the Huskies while Sedlak scored an average of 5.3 in 15 contests. She was second in steals with 36 and also second in the assist column with 42 in the 79-80 season. Thom was the second leading rebounder on last year's junior varsity team with an average of 9.8 per game.

Hibbs will also be looking forward to the play of four freshmen recruits. Kathy Kashner, Sue Knapp, Mary Hassenplug, and Jane Ludrof are expected to apply pressure to the veterans for the five starting spots.

Hibbs will be assisted by Lisa Hand, a 1979 graduate of Lock Haven State College, who is also BSC's assistant field hockey coach and head coach of the lacrosse team.

Head Coach



MS. SUE HIBBS is in her fifth season at the helm of the Huskies. Her first year was as an interim coach in 1975-76 when Joanne McComb, now Associate Athletic Director, was on leave of absence. Bloomsburg's record that year was 11-2 and a fourth place in the EAIW Invitational.

The following year she was an assistant coach under McComb and then became head coach at the start of the 1977-78 season. In that year the Huskies posted a 9-6 mark, followed by a 7-9 record two years

ago and 7-10 last season. Hibbs' overall record, including post-season action, is 35 wins against 29 losses.

Prior to coming to BSC, she had a 40-16 high school coaching record at Berlin, NH where her teams participated in the state tourney three of the four years.

Ms. Hibbs has had a number of years of teaching, playing and coaching a variety of sports. In the spring of 1977, she served as the college's first women's softball coach. Off-season she is a field hockey official with the Columbia-Montour Chapter of PIAA.

A native of Kentucky, Hibbs earned her B.S. degree at Western Kentucky and her M.S. degree from East Stroudsburg.



Diana Alfonsi
Sophomore



Susan Hicks
Sophomore



Katrina Knittle
Junior



Mindy Lerit
Senior



Julie Loucks
Sophomore

Varsity Roster

Name	Pos.	Class	Age	Ht.	High School	Hometown
Alfonsi, Diane	F	Soph.	18	5-8	Pottsville	Pottsville
Hicks, Susan	G	Soph.	19	5-5	Dunmore	Lake Ariel
*Knittel, Katrina	F	Junior	21	5-10	Plymouth-Whitemarsh	Plymouth Meeting
*Lerit, Mindy	G	Senior	21	5-6	Pennsbury	Morrisville
Loucks, Julie	F	Soph.	19	5-9	York Suburban	York
McDonald, Maureen	G/F	Soph.	19	5-9	Notre Dame	Aston
Palubinsky, Kathleen	F	Senior	21	5-8	Shenandoah Valley	Shenandoah
Runyon, Hilarie	C	Soph.	18	5-8	Bernards	Bedminster, NJ
Sedlak, Cheryl	G	Soph.	19	5-7	Bishop O'Reilly	West Wyoming
Thom, Deborah	C	Soph.	19	5-11	Archbishop Ryan	Philadelphia

*Co-Captains

Name	Pos.	Class	Age	Ht.	High School	Hometown
Delnis, Yvonne	F	Fresh.	18	5-7	Bloomsburg	Bloomsburg
Frederick, Rhonda	F	Soph.	19	5-7½	Fleetwood	Fleetwood
Grube, Rosemary	G	Soph.	19	5-9	Pen Argyl	Pen Argyle
Hassenplug, Mary	G	Fresh.	18	5-3	Morris Knoll	Denville, NJ
Kashner, Kathy	G/F	Fresh.	19	5-6	Shamokin	Shamokin
Knapp, Susan	C	Fresh.	17	5-11	Pequannock Twp.	Pompton Plains, NJ
Ludrof, Jane	F	Fresh.	18	5-9	Central Catholic	Allentown
Palmer, Toni	C/F	Junior	20	5-8	William Penn	Philadelphia
Tafelski, Teresa	F	Junior	20	5-9	Lancaster Catholic	Lancaster
Tumolo, Brenda	G	Fresh.	18	5-6	Selingsgrove	Selingsgrove



Maureen McDonald
Sophomore



Kathleen Palubinsky
Senior



Hilarie Runyon
Sophomore



Cheryl Sedlak
Sophomore



Deborah Thom
Sophomore



Sophomore Maureen McDonald



Junior Teresa Tafelski

Team Records

- MOST POINTS (one away game):** 96-vs. College Misericordia, 2/8/75.
MOST POINTS (one home game): 98-vs. Marywood, 1976-77.
MOST AVERAGE (points/game, 1 yr.): 74.00 per game, 1975-76.
MOST REBOUNDS (1 yr.): 763, 1975-76, 58.7 rpg.
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (1 yr.): 62%, 1973-74.
FREE THROW PERCENTAGE (1 game): 92%-vs. Luzerne C.C.C. (12-13), 2/23/77.
AVERAGE WINNING MARGIN (1 yr.): 29 pts. per game, 1974-75.
MOST CONSECUTIVE VICTORIES: 1973-74, 1974-75, Joanne McComb, 15.

Individual Statistics

SEASONS RECORDS

- MOST POINTS:** 222, Julie Ludrof (1975-76).
HIGHEST PER GAME AVERAGE: 17.0, Julie Ludrof (1975-76).
HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PERCENTAGE: 52%, Ellen French (1975-76).
HIGHEST FREE THROW PERCENTAGE: 100%, Jayne Yurasits (1977-78).
MOST REBOUNDS: 190, P.C. Lyons (1979-80).
HIGHEST REBOUND AVERAGE: 13.38, Julie Ludrof (1975-76). 13.37, Ellen French (1973-74).
MOST ASSISTS: 52, Anne D'Ignazio (1975-76).
MOST POINTS BY FRESHMAN ON VARSITY: 119, Hilarie Runyon (1979-80).

SINGLE GAME RECORDS

- MOST POINTS:** 29, Mary Balaban, 2/20/78 vs. Bucknell.
MOST FIELD GOALS: 13, Ellen French, 1/30/75 vs. Kutztown.
MOST FREE THROWS: 10, Hilarie Runyon, 2/18/80 vs. Scranton.
MOST REBOUNDS: 26, Patty Lyons, 2/10/79 vs. Keystone.
MOST ASSISTS: 10, Mary Balaban, 2/7/76 vs. Kutztown.

CAREER RECORDS

- MOST POINTS:** 583, Julie Ludrof, Class of '78.
AVERAGE POINTS PER GAME: 13.8, Ellen French, Class of '77.
MOST REBOUNDS: 622, P. C. Lyons, Class of '80.
AVERAGE REBOUNDS PER GAME: 11.0, Ellen French.
MOST ASSISTS: 143, P.C. Lyons.

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1980-81 Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Nov. 15	Alumni	Home	1:00 p.m.
Dec. 5-6	Salisbury State College	Away	3:00/7:00 p.m.
Dec. 8	Marywood	Home	6:00 p.m.
Dec. 10	Mansfield State College	Home	6:00 p.m.
Jan. 13	Lehigh	Away	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 16	Ithaca College	Away	7:00 p.m.
Jan. 19	Kutztown State College	Home	6:00 p.m.
Jan. 24	East Stroudsburg State College	Home	1:00 p.m.
Jan. 26	Luzerne	Home	6:00 p.m.
Jan. 29	Lock Haven State College	Away	6:00 p.m.
Jan. 31	LaSalle	Away	2:00 p.m.
Feb. 2	Scranton	Home	6:00 p.m.
Feb. 5	Shippensburg State College	Away	6:00 p.m.
Feb. 7	Millersville State College	Away	1:30 p.m.
Feb. 9	Wilkes	Away	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 17	Bucknell	Away	6:30 p.m.
Feb. 20-21	Pennsylvania Conference Championships		
Feb. 24	Kings	Home	7:00 p.m.

1979-80 Results

BSC	Opponent	Score
62	Marywood College	60
58	Trenton State	41
58	Ithaca College	64
46	Villanova	78
83	King's College	86
38	Kutztown	46
57	Lehigh	63
70	East Stroudsburg	81
76	Luzerne C.C.C.	58
56	Lock Haven	57
70	LaSalle	97
77	Wilkes	63
60	Shippensburg	58
58	Millersville	55
75	Bucknell	61
68	U. of Scranton	79
70	Indiana U. of PA	80

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College Facts

LOCATION: Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania 17815

YEAR FOUNDED: 1839

ENROLLMENT: 5400 Undergraduates

COLORS: Maroon and Gold

NICKNAME: Huskies

PRESIDENT: Dr. James H. McCormick

ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: H. Cecil Turberville (Phone: 389-3225)

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