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THIS WEEK'S GAMES:



Dec. 1 (Wed.), 7:00 p.m.

St. Cloud State (3-1)

versus

Univ. of Minnesota Crookston (2-2)

**Dec. 3-4, at Chuck Stephens
Memorial Classic, Hosted by
CSU-Pueblo**

Dec. 3 - SCSU vs. New Mexico
Highlands, 5 p.m.

Dec. 4 - SCSU vs. CSU-Pueblo, 9 p.m.

Classic games played at Massari Arena
on the Colorado State University-
Pueblo campus.

2004-05 SCSU Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Nov 12	@Minnesota (Exhibition)	L, 81-58
Nov 15	@Minnesota-Crookston	W, 73-64
Nov 20	Southwest MN St. Univ	W, 57-55
Nov 26	vs. St. Michael's, VT #	W, 87-62
Nov 27	vs. Michigan Tech #	L, 64-58
Dec 1	Minnesota-Crookston	7:00 pm
Dec 3	vs. New Mexico Highlands	% 5:00 pm
Dec 4	@CSU Pueblo	9:00 pm
Dec 8	@Bemidji State Univ.	7:30 pm
Dec 11	@St. John's	7:30 pm
Dec 14	@Upper Iowa	7:00 pm
Dec 20	Concordia - St. Paul	7:30 pm
Dec 30	Northern Michigan	7:00 pm
Jan 2	@Wayne State	8:00 pm
Jan 4	Trinity College (ND)	7:30 pm
Jan 8	Minnesota Duluth*	8:00 pm
Jan 14	@MSU, Mankato*	8:00 pm
Jan 15	@Augustana College*	8:00 pm
Jan 22	@North Dakota*	8:00 pm
Jan 27	Nebraska-Omaha*	8:00 pm
Jan 29	@Minnesota Duluth*	8:00 pm
Feb 3	North Dakota*	8:00 pm
Feb 5	MSU, Mankato*	8:00 pm
Feb 11	@Nebraska-Omaha*	8:00 pm
Feb 12	@South Dakota*	8:00 pm
Feb 17	Augustana College*	8:00 pm
Feb 22	Upper Iowa	7:00 pm
Feb 26	South Dakota*	8:00 pm
Mar 1, 4-5	Wells Fargo Finals	TBA

*North Central Conference Game

#UMD American Family Insurance Classic

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2004-5 ST. CLOUD STATE UNIVERSITY MEN'S BASKETBALL TEAM NEWS



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The Week Ahead: St. Cloud State (3-1) will play three games this week beginning with a home tip-off against the University of Minnesota-Crookston (2-2) on Wednesday, December 1 at Halenbeck Hall (6,927). Game time is 7:00 p.m. On Friday and Saturday, December 3 and 4, the Huskies will compete at the 2004 Chuck Stephens Memorial Classic, hosted by Colorado State University-Pueblo. SCSU will play New Mexico Highlands at 5:00 p.m. central time on Friday and CSU-Pueblo (4-2) at 9:00 p.m. central time Saturday.

Series Record: St. Cloud State leads the all-time series with Minnesota-Crookston 10-0. This is the second game this season between the Huskies and Golden Eagles as they opened the season in Crookston with SCSU posting a 73-64 win. The games against New Mexico Highlands and CSU-Pueblo will mark the first contests against these programs for the Huskies.

On the Radio: All three SCSU men's basketball games this week will be broadcast live on WJON AM 1240 Radio with Sports Director Jay Caldwell calling all of the action. The games can also be heard via the web at www.wjon.com or they can be accessed from the St. Cloud State athletics web site at www.stcloudstate.edu/athletics by clicking on the Listen to Husky Sports! icon. The pre-game show begins ten minutes prior to tip-off.

SCSU Probable Starters:

G - #12 - Nate Miller, 5-9, 160, Sr., Little Falls, MN	15.5 ppg, 4.5 rpg, 12 ast
G - #24 - Adam Sullivan, 6-5, 200, So., Green Bay, WI	15.0 ppg, 4.0 rpg
F - #34 - Matt Hanson, 6-7, 210, So., Plymouth, MN	7.8 ppg, 5.0 rpg
F - #40 - Steve Trull, 6-7, 225, Sr., Crystal Lake, IL	9.5 ppg, 6.8 rpg
C - #22 - Matt Siegle, 6-8, 201, Jr., Long Prairie, MN	19.5 ppg, 5.5 rpg

Team Captains: Senior guard Nate Miller (Little Falls) and senior forward Steve Trull (Crystal Lake, IL) will serve as the Husky captains in 2004-05.

2003-04 Record: The Huskies posted a 17-11 overall record and finished tied for fifth in the North Central Conference with a 7-7 record. SCSU won nine of their first ten games in 2003-04 but lost five of their last seven to end the season.

Next Up: The Huskies will remain on the road for three more games, with contests scheduled for December 8 at Bemidji State (7:30 pm), December 11 at St. John's University (7:30 pm), and December 14 at Upper Iowa University (7:00 pm).

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Head Coach: Kevin Schlagel (St. Cloud State, 1976) is in his eighth season as the head coach of the Huskies. He has a current won/loss record of 141-63 overall in his seven plus seasons with the Huskies. He has also compiled a 75-45 record in NCC games, two Wells Fargo Finals Championships in 2001 and 2003, and a regular season NCC title in 2003. Schlagel was voted the 2003 NCC Coach of the Year. Three times he has led the Huskies to the NCAA tournament and is 2-3 in tournament games coached. Prior to becoming the head coach, Schlagel was the top SCSU assistant coach for 17 seasons.



Assistant Coaching Staff: Matt Reimer (Central College) is in his eighth season as the top assistant to Coach Schlagel. Reimer also served for two seasons as a graduate assistant coach under Butch Raymond in 1995-96 and 1996-97, bringing his overall experience with the Huskies to nine seasons. Prior to SCSU, Reimer served as an assistant basketball coach at New London-Spicer High School for four seasons. Cory Schlagel (St. Thomas Univ.) begins his first season as a graduate assistant coach with the Huskies. Prior to joining the SCSU staff, Schlagel was an assistant baseball and girls basketball coach, and math teacher at Rush City High School.

The Huskies Last Week: St. Cloud State posted a 1-1 record at the American Family Insurance Classic (AFIC) hosted by the University of Minnesota Duluth on Nov. 26 and 27. SCSU opened play with an 87-62 win over St. Michael's College on Friday and lost to #6 ranked Michigan Tech University 64-58 on Saturday.

SCSU junior center Matt Siegle (Long Prairie) scored a career high 40 points in the win over St. Michael's. The 40 points and 18 made field goals set a new AFIC record. St. Cloud State led the game from start to finish and shot 61 percent from the field as a team. Senior guard Nate Miller (Little Falls) added 21 points and made three three-point baskets.

Against Michigan Tech, the Huskies fought back from a 14-point second half deficit to get the game to one point 45-46 at the nine minute mark on a three-point basket by sophomore guard Adam Sullivan (Green Bay). MTU increased the lead to eight on a seven point run and held off SCSU late in the game. Miller led the Huskies with 20 points, followed by Sullivan with 15, and Siegle with ten points and seven rebounds. Senior forward Steve Trull (Crystal Lake, IL) had a game high ten rebounds.

2004-05 St. Cloud State Men's Basketball Team

Table with columns: No., Name, Pos., Ht., Wt., Yr., Hometown (High School). Lists team members including Brian Schellinger, Nate Miller, David Dreas, Eric Greene, Matt Siegle, Adam Sullivan, Pat Weihert, Matt Hanson, Steve Trull, Zac Campbell, Brad Evans, Eric Bergstrom, Joe Evert, and Scott Peters.

Head Coach: Kevin Schlagel (8th season)
Assistant Coach: Matt Reimer (8th season)
Graduate Assistant Coach: Cory Schlagel (1st season)
Athletic Trainer: Ted Benson

SCSU Player Career Highs:

Table listing career high statistics for players: #10 Brian Schellinger, #12 Nate Miller, #14 David Dreas, #20 Eric Greene, #22 Matt Siegle, #24 Adam Sullivan, #32 Pat Weihert, #34 Matt Hanson, #40 Steve Trull, #42 Zac Campbell, #44 Brad Evans, #50 Eric Bergstrom, #52 Joe Evert, #54 Scott Peters.



2004-05 NCC Standings

Team	NCC	Overall
Minnesota State	0-0	5-0
South Dakota	0-0	3-0
Nebraska-Omaha	0-0	5-1
St. Cloud State	0-0	3-1
North Dakota	0-0	6-2
Augustana	0-0	4-2
Minnesota Duluth	0-0	2-3

Huskies Picked Third in NCC Men's Basketball Media Poll

Sioux Falls, SD - Minnesota State is the favored team to win the North Central Conference men's basketball championship in a preseason poll of the media.

The Mavericks posted a 2003-04 record of 18-10 overall and 7-7 in the NCC and advanced to the Wells Fargo Finals.

Nebraska-Omaha, second in the media voting totals, won the North Central Conference regular season and the Wells Fargo Finals. UNO advanced to the NCAA North Central Region tournament before falling to league foe South Dakota.

Fifteen media members responded to the 29th annual poll. Minnesota State was chosen as the champions by nine of the poll participants, finished second on three ballots, third on two ballots and sixth on one ballot. Nebraska-Omaha garnered three first-place votes while South Dakota had two first-place votes and North Dakota was picked first on one ballot.

Non-conference action opens on November 15. Conference play opens Thursday, January 6th.

2004-2005 North Central Conference Men's Basketball Preseason Media Poll

Team	Total
1. Minnesota State	93
2. Nebraska-Omaha	79
3. St. Cloud State	69
4. South Dakota	66
5. North Dakota	61
6. Minnesota Duluth	35
7. Augustana	17

2003-04 NCC Standings

Final Regular Season

Team	NCC	Overall
Nebraska-Omaha	10-4	22-8
South Dakota State	9-5	27-7
South Dakota	8-6	22-10
North Dakota State	8-6	16-13
St. Cloud State	7-7	17-11
Minnesota State	7-7	18-10
North Dakota	5-9	14-14
Augustana	2-12	6-21

Siegle, Miller Named to All-Tournament Team: Matt Siegle and Nate Miller were named to the 2004 American Family Insurance Classic All-Tournament team. Siegle set a tournament record for points with 40 and field goals made with 18. He averaged 25.0 points, six rebounds, and shot 67.6 percent from the field in the tournament. Miller averaged 20.5 points per game, made three-three point baskets in each game for a tournament total of 6-18, and shot 40.5 percent from the field.

Miller Nails 1,000: Miller became the 30th member of the SCSU 1,000 point club in the game against Michigan Tech. Miller has 1,003 career points in his career with the Huskies. Miller also ranks among the career leaders in three-point field goals made, assists, and steals. Miller has played in every game of his collegiate career, a total of 91, and has started in 43 of those games. He has made 40 straight starts. After four games, Miller is averaging 15.5 points per game and has dished out 12 assists. Miller is the North Central Conference leader in steals this week with an average of 2.0 per game.

Siegle Hits 40: Siegle scored a career high 40 points in the SCSU win over St. Michael's. His 40 points was the first for a Husky since Nate Miller scored 41 points against Central Washington University on November 22, 2003. The SCSU record for points in a single game is 56 held by Izzy Schmeising and recorded against Michigan Tech in 1966. Siegle leads the Huskies in scoring with 19.5 points per game. He is second in rebounding with 5.5 boards per outing, and is shooting 63.5 percent from the field. This week Siegle ranks fourth in the NCC in scoring.

63 Starts For Trull: Senior forward and co-captain Steve Trull has started in 63 straight games for the Huskies. He started all the games of the 2002-03 and 2003-04 seasons. He currently has a career field goal shooting percentage of 60.7 percent and if he maintains or increases that mark will become the career record holder. Through four games this season, Trull is shooting 88.2 percent (15-17) from the field. Trull had a season high ten rebounds against Michigan Tech last Saturday. Trull is averaging 9.5 points per game and a team high 6.8 rebounds per game. This week, he leads the NCC in field goal percentage.

Sullivan Pops for Career Highs: After sitting out the first three games of the season sophomore guard Adam Sullivan (Green Bay) popped for a career high game against Michigan Tech last Saturday. Sullivan recorded a career high in points with 15, rebounds with four, and assists with three.

Dreas Gives an Assist: First year guard David Dreas (Winona) handed out a career high ten assists against St. Michael's last Friday. Dreas leads the team in assists with a season total of 20. The last Husky to hand out ten assists in a game was Alex Carlson on March 2, 2004 at North Dakota State.

Husky Notes: St. Cloud State will play five of its next six games on the road. SCSU will play nine non-conference road games this season. The Huskies have had only one home game this season and are 2-1 on the road. SCSU is averaging 68.8 points per game thus far in the season and are allowing 61.2 points per game. The Huskies lead the NCC this week in scoring defense. The Huskies are shooting 47.5 percent from the field as a team and have out-rebounded their opponents 35.5 to 29.0. SCSU has outscored their opponents by 21 points in the second half this season.



About Minnesota-Crookston: The Golden Eagles are 2-2 heading into Wednesday's match-up with the Huskies. UMC opened the season with a loss to SCSU. Since then, UMC defeated Augustana College 90-88, lost to Valley City State 76-73 and beat Minot State 89-81. UMC is 1-1 on the road this season. The Golden Eagles are coached by Jeff Oseth, who is in his second season at UMC. Last year, the Golden Eagles posted a 4-23 overall record and were 2-14 in the Northern Sun Conference. UMC returns two starters and seven letterwinners from a year ago.

About New Mexico Highlands: The Cowboys are a member of the Rocky Mountain Conference and coached by Ed Manzanares, who is in his fifth season at NMHU. He has compiled a four-year record of 32-74 with the Cowboys. Last season, NMHU posted a 9-18 overall record and finished fifth in the West Division of the RMAC. The Cowboys return two starters and four letterwinners from a year ago.

About Colorado State-Pueblo: The Thunderwolves enter the week with a 4-2 overall record. CSU-Pueblo started the season with a 4-0 mark, posting wins over Western New Mexico 80-67, Wisconsin-Stout 63-55, Trinity 66-64, and Western New Mexico 80-78. The Thunderwolves took a trip to Grand Forks, ND and Moorhead, Minn., and lost two games. The University of North Dakota posted a 77-57 win and MSU Moorhead came out with a 76-75 overtime victory. Mario Chavez led the Thunderwolves against UND with 14 points. Five CSU-Pueblo players scored in double figures against MSUM, led by Matt Brooks with 22 points. Brooks is the leading scorer on the team with 15.8 points per game. CSU-Pueblo averages 72.3 points per game and is giving up 71.8 points per outing. They are shooting 44.8 percent from the field. They have been out rebounded 40.0 to 32.5 this season. Head coach Joe Folda is in his 18th season with the Thunderwolves. He has a 17-year record of 301-182 at CSU and a 20-year career mark of 343-224. Last season his team posted a 19-9 overall record and finished 12-7, good for third place in the West Division of the Rocky Mountain Conference. CSU-Pueblo returns three starters and seven letterwinners from that team. Of note, former SCSU graduate assistant coach John Greene is the assistant coach at Pueblo.

The Last Time at SCSU:

- Scored 100 points: 101 vs. Macalester, 12-29-02 • W, 101-71
- Played in overtime: vs. USD, 2/13/04 • L, 91-84
- Made 40 field goals: 41 vs. Macalester, 12-29-02
- Made 14 3-point field goals: 14 vs. Dakota Wesleyan, 11-16-03
- Made 30 free throws: 30 vs. UN-Omaha, 3-8-03
- Had 50 rebounds: 51 vs. Augustana, 2-8-03
- Had 25 assists: 26 vs. Puerto Rico-Mayaguez, 11-30-02
- Had 15 steals: 17 vs. Macalester, 12-29-02
- Shot 55% from the field: 59.2% vs. North Dakota (29-49), 1-10-04
- Had a player score 40 points: Nate Miller vs. CWU, 11-22-03 • 41 points
- Had a player score 30 points: Alex Carlson vs. MSUM, 1-31-04 • 34 points
- Had a player with 12 FGs: Forrest Witt vs. SMSU, 12-11-02 • 12 field goals
- Had a player with 9 3-point field goals: 9, Joel McDonald vs. UN-O (1995)
- Had a player with 15 rebounds: Jason Kron vs. Augustana, 2-8-03 • 15
- Had a player with 10 assists: Alex Carlson at NDSU, 3/2/04 • 10
- Had a player with 5 steals: Nate Miller vs. SDSU, 2/20/04 • 5
- Had a player with 5 blocked shots: Joe Evert at Concordia-SP, 12-18-03 • 5
- Had a double-double: Alex Carlson at NDSU, 3/2/04

SCSU Game-by-Game Performances for 2004-05 (Points-Rebounds-Assists)

Team Played	Date	Score	W/L	10 Schellinger	12 Miller	14 Dreas	20 Greene	22 Siegle	24 Sullivan	32 Weihert	34 Hanson
UM-Crookston	11/15	73-64	W	DNP	7-6-4*	6-2-5*	15-2-0	21-3-3*	DNP	DNP	6-2-1*
SW Minn. State	11/20	57-55	W	DNP	14-4-2*	0-0-3*	0-0-1	7-7-1*	DNP	DNP	12-7-2*
St. Michael's	11/26	87-62	W	DNP	21-3-4*	4-5-10*	0-1-3	40-5-1*	DNP	DNP	6-10-3*
Michigan Tech	11/27	58-64	L	DNP	20-5-2*	2-0-2	0-3-0	10-7-2*	15-4-3*	2-0-0	7-1-1*

Team Played	Date	Score	W/L	40 Trull	42 Campbell	44 Evans	50 Bergstrom	52 Evert	54 Peters
UM-Crookston	11/15	73-64	W	12-7-1*	6-2-0	0-2-1	0-0-0	DNP	DNP
SW Minn. State	11/20	57-55	W	16-7-2*	0-2-0	8-4-0	0-2-0	DNP	DNP
St. Michael's	11/26	87-62	W	8-3-3*	0-4-2	5-4-1	1-0-0	2-1-0	0-0-0
Michigan Tech	11/27	58-64	L	2-10-3*	0-0-0	0-4-0	0-0-0	0-0-0	DNP

* Games started



St. Cloud State University Combined Team Statistics (as of Nov 28, 2004)
All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	(3-1)	(1-0)	(1-0)	(1-1)
CONFERENCE	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE	(3-1)	(1-0)	(1-0)	(1-1)

## Player	GP-GS	---TOTAL---		---3-PTS---		---REBOUNDS---				PF FO		A TO		Blk Stl		Pts Avg				
		Min--Avg	FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	Pct	FT-FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg								
12 Nate Miller.....	4-4	137 34.2	21-60	.350	11-29	.379	9-12	.750	1	17	18	4.5	11	0	12	6	0	8	62	15.5
14 David Dreas.....	4-2	72 18.0	3-7	.429	1-4	.250	5-6	.833	0	7	7	1.8	1	0	20	6	0	2	12	3.0
20 Eric Greene.....	4-0	70 17.5	5-16	.313	4-11	.364	1-2	.500	0	6	6	1.5	1	0	4	3	0	2	15	3.8
22 Matt Siegle.....	4-4	123 30.8	33-52	.635	1-4	.250	11-15	.733	9	13	22	5.5	9	0	7	10	2	0	78	19.5
24 Adam Sullivan.....	1-1	36 36.0	6-11	.545	3-7	.429	0-0	.000	2	2	4	4.0	2	0	3	1	1	0	15	15.0
32 Pat Weihert.....	1-0	6 6.0	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	2.0
34 Matt Hanson.....	4-4	105 26.3	13-28	.464	1-6	.167	4-8	.500	9	11	20	5.0	3	0	7	3	2	3	31	7.8
40 Steve Trull.....	4-4	129 32.2	15-17	.882	0-0	.000	8-14	.571	10	17	27	6.8	8	0	9	6	4	4	38	9.5
42 Zac Campbell.....	4-1	51 12.8	2-8	.250	0-1	.000	2-2	1.000	2	6	8	2.0	0	0	2	7	1	3	6	1.5
44 Brad Evans.....	4-0	39 9.8	4-14	.286	2-8	.250	3-3	1.000	4	10	14	3.5	7	0	2	3	0	2	13	3.3
50 Eric Bergstrom....	4-0	14 3.5	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1	1	2	0.5	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	0.3
52 Joe Evert.....	3-0	12 4.0	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	1	2	0.7	1	0	2	1	0	0	2	0.7
54 Scott Peters.....	1-0	2 2.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TEAM.....										4	8	12	3.0	0		0				
Total.....	4	796	104-219	.475	23-70	.329	44-65	.677	43	99	142	35.5	45	0	68	49	10	24	275	68.8
Opponents.....	4	798	94-219	.429	24-71	.338	33-46	.717	33	83	116	29.0	68	-	52	56	4	23	245	61.2

TEAM STATISTICS	SCSUMBB	OPP	DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
SCORING.....	275	245	11/15/04	at Minnesota-Crookston	W	73-64	-
Points per game.....	68.8	61.2	11/20/04	SOUTHWEST MINNESOTA STATE U.	W	57-55	2560
Scoring margin.....	+7.5	-	11/26/04	vs St. Michael's College	W	87-62	300
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	104-219	94-219	11/27/04	vs Michigan Tech	L	58-64	305
Field goal pct.....	.475	.429					
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	23-70	24-71					
3-point FG pct.....	.329	.338					
3-pt FG made per game..	5.8	6.0					
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	44-65	33-46					
Free throw pct.....	.677	.717					
REBOUNDS.....	142	116					
Rebounds per game.....	35.5	29.0					
Rebounding margin.....	+6.5	-					
ASSISTS.....	68	52					
Assists per game.....	17.0	13.0					
TURNOVERS.....	49	56					
Turnovers per game.....	12.3	14.0					
Turnover margin.....	+1.8	-					
Assist/turnover ratio..	1.4	0.9					
STEALS.....	24	23					
Steals per game.....	6.0	5.8					
BLOCKS.....	10	4					
Blocks per game.....	2.5	1.0					
WINNING STREAK.....	0	-					
Home win streak.....	1	-					
ATTENDANCE.....	2560	605					
Home games-Avg/Game....	1-2560	1-0					
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	2-302					

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
St. Cloud State University....	142	133	- 275
Opponents.....	133	112	- 245