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St. Cloud State University

# HUSKY ATHLETICS

Athletic Media Relations - Women's Basketball

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## 2008-09 SCHEDULE

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Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Nov. 15	UW-Oshkosh	W, 94-39
Nov. 21-22	Minnesota State Pepsi Tip-Off	
	vs. Henderson State	W, 78-54
	vs. Dakota State	W, 103-62
Nov. 28-29	UNO Thanksgiving Classic	
	vs. Northwest Missouri State	W, 73-55
Nebraska-Omaha		W, 67-54
Dec. 5	at Winona State*	W, 73-70
Dec. 6	at Upper Iowa*	W, 78-67
Dec. 12	MSU Moorhead*	6:00pm
Dec. 13	Minnesota, Crookston*	6:00pm
Dec. 22	Dakota State	7:30pm
Dec. 30	Minot State	4:00pm
Jan. 3	Concordia*	2:00pm
Jan. 9	at Minnesota Duluth*	6:00pm
Jan. 10	at Bemidji State*	6:00pm
Jan. 16	Southwest Minnesota*	6:00pm
Jan. 17	Minnesota State* (Alumni Day)	6:00pm
Jan. 23	U-Mary*	6:00pm
Jan. 24	Northern State*	6:00pm
Jan. 30	at Wayne State (NE)*	6:00pm
Jan. 31	at Augustana*	6:00pm
Feb. 6	Minnesota Duluth*	6:00pm
Feb. 7	Bemidji State*	6:00pm
Feb. 13	at Southwest Minnesota*	6:00pm
Feb. 14	at Minnesota State*	6:00pm
Feb. 21	at Minnesota, Crookston*	2:00pm
Feb. 25	at Concordia*	6:00pm
Feb. 28	Winona State* (Senior Night)	6:00pm
March 4	NSIC Tournament - First Round	7:00pm
March 7**	NSIC Tournament Semifinals	2:00/4:00pm
March 8**	NSIC Tournament Championship	2:00pm

\*Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference Game  
\*\*To be played at site of top remaining seed

## ST. CLOUD STATE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NORTHERN SUN INTERCOLLEGIATE CONFERENCE OPENER



**Dec. 12 vs. MSU Moorhead, 6:00 p.m.**  
**Dec. 13 vs. Minnesota, Crookston, 6:00 p.m.**

Radio-1450 AM KNSI  
Web Audio Broadcast - [www.1450knsi.com](http://www.1450knsi.com)

Live Stats- <http://www.stcloudstate.edu/athletics/media/livestats.asp>

Live Video -<http://www.stcloudstate.edu/athletics/media/video.asp>

**NSIC Home Opener:** After going 2-0 on the road last weekend in the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference (NSIC) opener the St. Cloud State women's basketball team will play its first league home games on Friday and Saturday, Dec. 12-13. On Friday, the Huskies will take on 22nd-ranked (as of 12/2/08) Minnesota State University Moorhead. On Saturday, SCSU will host Minnesota, Crookston. Both games tip-off at 6:00 p.m. in Halenbeck Hall (6,927).

**For the Record:** St. Cloud State is 7-0 overall and 2-0 in the NSIC. MSU Moorhead is 8-0 overall and 2-0 in the NSIC, while Minnesota, Crookston brings a 5-2 overall, 2-0 league record into the weekend.

**Series Records:** The St. Cloud State and MSU Moorhead women's basketball programs have a long rivalry that began in 1972. St. Cloud State leads the all-time series with the Dragons 25-15. Last season the two teams met in a non-conference game with the Drag-

ons posting a 93-87 win. The Huskies are 4-1 against the Dragons since the 2004-05 season, and one of those wins was in the 2005 NCAA Division II North Central Region Tournament. St. Cloud State is 11-1 all-time against Minnesota, Crookston. The only loss came in the season opener of the 2004-05 season, 78-68.

**SCSU Team Captains:** Senior guards Anna Cashman (Faribault) and Katie Tacheny (Woodbury), along with junior guard Megan Foley (St. Cloud) captain the 2008-09 Huskies.

**End of a Road Stretch:** The Huskies finished off a six-game road stretch last weekend with a 6-0 record. After opening the season at home, SCSU has played six straight games on the road. Starting this weekend, St. Cloud State will play five games at home before hitting the road Jan. 9-10.

## SCSU Quick Facts

Founded: 1869  
Enrollment: 16,882  
Team Colors: Cardinal and Black  
Team Nickname: Huskies  
Home Arena: Halenbeck Hall (6,927)  
National Affiliation: NCAA Division II  
Conference Affiliation: Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conf.  
President: Dr. Earl H. Potter III  
Athletics Director: Dr. Morris Kurtz  
2007-08 Record: 11-17  
2007-08 NCC Record: 3-9/T-5th  
**Husky Basketball History**  
First year of basketball: 1968; All-time record: 551-448  
Best season record: 31-4 (1982-83)  
NCAA postseason play: Huskies have advanced to the NCAA DII tournament 10 times. They have reached the "Elite Eight" 6 times. SCSU advanced to the national semifinals in 2006, losing to American International, 58-70.

## St. Cloud State Probable Starters

Starters		PPG	RPG	Other
G #3	Katie Tacheny, 5-8, Sr.	15.4	3.0	20 steals
G #10	Krystal Scott, 5-5, Sr.	8.0	2.6	
G #11	Talisha Barlow, 5-8, So.	16.0	4.0	21 assists
F #23	Danielle Ellison, 5-8, Sr.	6.0	2.7	
P #32	Rachel Booth, 6-2, So.	13.3	5.3	9 blocks

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SCSU Player Career Game Highs

<p><b>#2 Becca Friestleben</b>                  Pts 6 vs UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08                  Reb 1 vs UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08                  Ast 2 vs UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08                  Steals 1 vs HSU &amp; DSU, 11/21,22/08</p> <p><b>#3 Katie Tacheny</b>                  Pts 22 vs. Upper Iowa, 12/6/08                  Reb 8 (3x) last vs. UNO 2/14/08                  Ast 10 vs. Minn. State 1/11/07                  Steals 6 vs. Glenville State 12/8/07 &amp; UWO, 11/15/08</p> <p><b>#10 Krystal Scott</b>                  Pts 14, vs. N.Central U. 11/22/05 &amp; DSU, 11/22/08                  Reb 6 (2x) last vs. UND 1/10/08                  Ast 7 vs. MSU Moorhead 11/21/07                  Steals 4 (5x) last vs. Augustana 1/9/08</p> <p><b>#11 Talisha Barlow</b>                  Pts 24 vs. Lake Superior St. 12/22/07                  Reb 10 vs. UNO 2/14/08                  Ast 6 vs. Simpson 12/1/07                  Steals 7 vs UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08</p> <p><b>#13 Marlayna Graff</b>                  Pts 7 vs Dakota State &amp; Upper Iowa 12/6/08                  Reb 5 vs UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08                  Ast 1 vs UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08                  Steals 3 vs Henderson State, 11/21/08</p> <p><b>#21 Anna Cashman</b>                  Pts 23, vs. UW-Stout 11/17/07                  Reb 5 (2x) last vs. MSU, Mankato 3/5/08                  Ast 4 (2x) last vs. LSSU 12/22/07</p>	<p><b>#23 Danielle Ellison</b>                  Pts 18 vs Chico State 12/28/07                  Reb 8 vs. CSU-Pueblo, 11/18/06                  Ast 4 (3x), last vs. UWS 11/17/07                  Steals 2 vs UWO, 11/15/08 Upper Iowa, 12/6/08</p> <p><b>#32 Rachel Booth</b>                  Pts 22 vs NMU 11/23/07                  Reb 17 vs Sonoma State 12/29/07                  Ast 4 (2x) last vs LSSU 12/22/07                  Steals 4 vs NWMO 11/28/08                  Blocks 6 vs Sonoma State 12/29/07</p> <p><b>#34 Megan Foley</b>                  Pts 8 vs. LSSU 12/22/07                  Reb 7 vs No. Michigan 11/24/06 &amp; DSU 11/22/08                  Ast 6 vs Dakota State 11/22/08                  Steals 4 vs. North Central U., 12/7/06</p> <p><b>#35 Amy Frye</b>                  Pts 2 vs Dakota State 11/22/08                  Reb 2 vs Dakota State 11/22/08                  Ast 2 vs Dakota State 11/22/08                  Steals 1 vs UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08</p> <p><b>#43 Christina Steele</b>                  Pts 8 vs UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08                  Reb 2 (2x) last vs Dakota State, 11/22/08                  Ast                  Steals</p> <p><b>#45 Aaryn Booker</b>                  Pts 16 vs Dakota State 11/22/08                  Reb 7 (2x) last vs Henderson 11/21/08                  Ast 2 vs Dakota State 11/22/08                  Steals 2 vs Dakota State 11/22/08</p>
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Head Coach Lori Fish

Lori Fish is a familiar name to the St. Cloud area. Fish grew up in St. Cloud and attended St. Cloud Tech High School. Following her graduation from Tech, she went on to play basketball at South Dakota State and competed against the Huskies in the North Central Conference.



Following the completion of an outstanding collegiate playing career where she gained First Team All-Conference honors as a junior and senior, Fish entered the coaching ranks. She started as a high school coach in Foley, Minn., for two seasons before returning to South Dakota State as a graduate assistant coach. She spent one year at NCAA Division I Eastern Illinois University and returned to SDSU as an assistant. In 1999, Lori Ulferts hired Fish as an assistant to the Husky program and she served as the recruiting and strength and conditioning coordinator under Ulferts for five seasons. In 2004, Fish became a head coach at rival Minnesota State University, Mankato. She quickly distinguished herself as a rising young coach and in 2007-08, her final season with the Mavericks, led her team to a 23-9 record and the championship game of the NCAA Division II North Central Region Tournament.

In four seasons as a collegiate head coach, Fish has compiled a 62-53 overall won/loss record.

Assistant Coaches



St. Cloud State assistant coach **Carol Thelen** is in her third season with the Huskies. An SCSU alumnus and Albany, Minn., native, Thelen had been the head girls basketball coach at DeLaSalle High School in Minneapolis since 1999.



**Darby Noreen** is in her rookie season with the Huskies. An Albany, Minn., native, Noreen was a standout athlete at Albany High School and the College of St. Benedict. She has been an assistant coach at both Albany and St. Ben's.



**Katie Jensen** will serve as a student assistant coach in 2008-09. Jensen played for the Huskies from 2005 to 2007. She is a graduate of English Valleys (IA) High School.

2007-08 North Central Conference Final Standings

Team	NCC	All
South Dakota	12-0	33-2
North Dakota	10-2	27-4
Augustana	7-5	22-9
Minnesota State	6-6	23-9
St. Cloud State	3-9	11-17
Nebraska-Omaha	3-9	17-12
Minnesota Duluth	1-11	4-23

## 2008-09 St. Cloud State Women's Basketball Roster

No	Name	Pos	Ht	Yr	Hometown (Previous School)	Pronunciation
2	Becca Friestleben	G	5-10	FY	Victoria (Holy Family Catholic H.S.)	Frees lay ben
3	Katie Tacheny*	G	5-8	Sr.	Woodbury (Minnesota Duluth)	Tash knee
4	Jordi Gerking	G	5-10	So.	Spirit Lake, IA (Spirit Lake H.S.)	Gerrr king
5	Kaylan King	G	5-7	Jr.	Reno, NV (College of Southern Idaho)	
10	Krystal Scott	G	5-6	Sr.	Rosemount (Rosemount H.S.)	
11	Talisha Barlow	G	5-8	So.	Little Canada (Roseville H.S.)	
13	Marlayna Graff	P	6-1	So.	Harris (Anoka Ramsey C.C. - North Branch H.S.)	
21	Anna Cashman*	G	5-8	Sr.	Faribault (Faribault H.S.)	
23	Danielle Ellison	F	5-8	Sr.	St. Paul (Central H.S.)	
32	Rachel Booth	P	6-2	So.	Minneapolis (DeLaSalle H.S.)	
33	Lauren Carew	P	6-2	FY	Fargo, ND (Shanley H.S.)	
34	Megan Foley*	G	5-10	Jr.	St. Cloud (Tech H.S.)	
35	Amy Frye	F	6-0	FY	Hudson, WI (Hudson H.S.)	
43	Christina Steele	P	6-1	FY	Apple Valley (Apple Valley H.S.)	
45	Aaryn Booker	F	5-10	FY	Minneapolis (DeLaSalle H.S.)	

\*Team Captain

Head Coach: Lori Fish (South Dakota State), 1st season

Assistant Coach: Carol Thelen (SCSU), 3rd season

Assistant Coach: Darby Noreen (St. Ben's), 1st season

Student Assistant Coach: Katie Jensen, 1st season

## Game Notes

**About St. Cloud State:** St. Cloud State is off to a 2-0 start in its new league and 7-0 overall. The last time SCSU started 7-0 was in 2005-06 when the Huskies went 17-0 before losing to #1 ranked North Dakota in a highly touted game between two undefeated teams. The Huskies have three players that average double figures in scoring, led by sophomore guard Talisha Barlow with 16.0 points per game. The Huskies are averaging 80.9 points per game and allowing 57.3 points. St. Cloud State is shooting nearly 50 percent from the field at a 49.8 percent clip.

**One of Three Undefeated Teams:** St. Cloud State is one of three undefeated teams remaining in the NSIC. That will change on Friday as the Huskies will play 8-0 MSU Moorhead. Minnesota State University, Mankato is the other undefeated team with a 7-0 record. The Mavericks will play at the University of Mary and Northern State this weekend.

**In the NSIC:** The Huskies are 2-0 along with four other teams and one team with a 1-0 record after the first weekend of NSIC play. Several Huskies are among the league leaders in individual stats categories this week. Sophomore guard

Talisha Barlow (Little Canada) leads the NSIC in three-point field goal percentage at 1.000 (3 of 3). Senior guard Katie Tacheny (Woodbury) ranks fifth in league scoring with an 18.5 points per game average and sophomore post Rachel Booth (Minneapolis) is eighth at 16.0 points per game. Tacheny is second in assist/turnover ration. Senior guard Anna Cashman (Faribault) is among the free throw percentage leaders with a perfect 4 of 4. As a team the Huskies lead the league in field goal shooting percentage with a mark of .473. St. Cloud State is third in scoring offense (75.5 ppg) and three-point field goal percentage (.429).

**NSIC Preseason Poll:** The 2008-09 NSIC Women's Basketball Coaches Preseason Poll was released on Oct. 22 and the Huskies were picked to finish eighth in the league. Conference newcomer Minnesota State University, Mankato was tabbed the preseason favorite followed by another newcomer Augustana College. Concordia-St. Paul, the defending NSIC champion was picked third.

## Player Notes

**#3 Katie Tacheny Notes:** Guard and senior captain Katie Tacheny (Woodbury) scored a career high 22 points at Upper Iowa last Friday and averaged 18.5 points in the Huskies two wins....she made ten free throws at Upper Iowa, marking the fourth time in her career that she has made ten or more free throws in a game...has started 52 straight games for the Huskies...is averaging 15.4 points per game and leads the team with 20 steals.



**#10 Krystal Scott Notes:** Senior guard Krystal Scott (Rosemount) scored 13 points against Upper Iowa last Saturday, her third double figure scoring game of the season...Scott has played in a team high 92 games...has started 16 straight games including the final nine of the 2007-08 season...equaled her career high with 14 points against Dakota State on Nov. 22...made of seven of eight field goal attempts in the game...averages 8.0 ppg.



**#11 Talisha Barlow Notes:** Sophomore guard Talisha Barlow (Little Canada) has scored in double figures six times this season including 16 points at Winona and 13 points at Upper Iowa...has played in every game, 35 straight, of her collegiate career and made 30 starts...had a career high seven steals in the season opener against UW-Oshkosh on Nov. 15...scored career high 24 points against Lake Superior State on 12/22/07, making ten of 13 field goal attempts...tallied her first collegiate double-double vs UNO with 21 points/ten rebounds on 2/14/08...averaging a team leading 16.0 points per game.



**#21 Anna Cashman Notes:** Senior guard and captain Anna Cashman (Faribault) is 4 of 4 from the free throw line in NSIC games this season...scored a season high 17 points in win over Nebraska-Omaha...led the 2007-08 team with 46 three-point field goals...scored a career high 23 points vs. UW-Stout on 11/17/07, hitting eight of 12 field goals...twice during the 2007-08 season she made five three-point baskets in a game...averaging 7.5 points per game.



**#23 Danielle Ellison Notes:** Senior forward Danielle Ellison (St. Paul) started the 34th game of her career last Saturday...has played in 63 career games as a Husky...scored a season high 11 points against Henderson State on Nov. 21...scored her career high 18 points against Chico State on 12/28/07...averaging 6.0 ppg.



**#32 Rachel Booth Notes:** Sophomore center Rachel Booth (Minneapolis) scored 18 and 15 points in back to back games over the weekend...also tallied three blocked shots in the series...tallied a season high 19 points in the Huskies 73-55 win over Northwest Missouri State...has played in 34 of the 34 games of her collegiate career...missed the final game of her rookie season due to an injury...starter in 32 collegiate games...has scored in double figures in 25 games during her collegiate career...recorded her first collegiate double-double in an 18 point, 17 rebound effort against Sonoma State on 12/29/07....averages 13.3 points and 5.3 rebounds per game.



## Media Outlets

## Radio

Husky basketball can be heard all season long on **1450 AM KNSI Radio**. John Hadden will call the play-by-play for all home and away women's basketball games. **KVSC 88.1 FM** also broadcasts select games during the season. Go to [www.kvsc.org](http://www.kvsc.org) for the broadcast schedule.

## Live Audio/Video

Live streaming audio of the KNSI broadcast can be heard on the web at [www.1450knsi.com](http://www.1450knsi.com) and [kvsc.org](http://www.kvsc.org), Live video streaming of the Husky home games can be found at <http://www.stcloudstate.edu/athletics/media/HuskyAthleticsVideoandAudio.asp>. All NSIC road games can be viewed at [www.northernsun.tv](http://www.northernsun.tv)

## Live Stats/Video

Live game stats and video streaming of all Husky home football games can be found at [www.StCloudState.edu/athletics/sports/football](http://www.StCloudState.edu/athletics/sports/football) and [b2livetv.com](http://b2livetv.com)

## Above the Rim Coaches Radio Show

Listen live to the Above the Rim Coaches Show featuring SCSU Women's Basketball Coach Lori Fish and Men's Coach Kevin Schlagel every Wednesday night. KNSI Sports Director Don Lyons will breakdown SCSU men's and women's basketball from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the Old Chicago Restaurant in St. Cloud. You can catch the show live in person at Old Chicago or listen in at 1450 AM KNSI Radio.

## Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference

For league scores and information go to <http://www.northernsun.org>

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Player Notes

**#34 Megan Foley:** Junior guard and team captain, Foley (St. Cloud) scored her first points of the season against Northwest Missouri State...twice has notched two blocked shots in a game this season... equaled her career high of seven rebounds, all on the defensive boards against Dakota State on Nov. 21...played in 13 games in 2007-08 and scored her career high eight points against Lake Superior State on 12/22/07.



**#2 Becca Friestleben Notes:** First year guard Becca Friestleben (Victoria) has played in six games this season... scored her season high six points in season opener against UW-Oshkosh on Nov. 15.. holds Holy Family Catholic High School all-time scoring record (boys and girls) with 2,515 career points...led State in three-point baskets made three years in a row.



**#13 Marlayna Graff Notes:** Sophomore post Marlayna Graff (Harris) is a transfer who sat out the second half of the Huskies 2007-08 season...has played in all seven games this season... equaled her season and career high seven points against Upper Iowa on Dec. 6...had a season and career high three steals against Henderson State on Nov. 21...named a NJCAA Division III Pre-season Second Team All-American in the fall of 2007 prior to her transfer to St. Cloud State.



**#35 Amy Frye Notes:** First year forward Amy Frye (Hudson, WI) has played in three games this season... had two points, two assists and two steals, all season highs against Dakota State on Nov. 22...scored 262 points, pulled down 128 rebounds, had 37 steals, and 24 blocked shots during her senior campaign at Hudson (WI) High School.



**#43 Christina Steele Notes:** First year post Christina Steele (Apple Valley) scored eight points in her collegiate debut on Nov. 15...has played in four games this season...three-time First Team All-Lake Conference in high school...holds record for most points in a season with 504...team rebounding leader for three straight years.



**#45 Aaryn Booker Notes:** First year forward Aaryn Booker (Minneapolis)...scored her collegiate high 16 points against Dakota State on Nov. 22...twice this season has seven rebounds and six rebounds in two games...top scoring rookie for the Huskies, averaging 7.0 points and 4.6 boards per game...Booker and Rachel Booth played high school ball at DeLaSalle High School....all-time scoring and rebounding leader at DeLaSalle with 1,226 career points and 787 career rebounds.



**Sidelined for the Season:** Sophomore guard Jordi Gerking (Spirit Lake, Iowa) and first-year post Lauren Carew (Fargo, ND) will take medical redshirts in 2008-09. Both suffered knee injuries during the preseason.

The NSIC



2008-09 NSIC Women's Basketball Standings

Team	NSIC	Overall
MSU Moorhead	2-0	8-0
St. Cloud State	2-0	7-0
Concordia St. Paul	2-0	7-2
Minnesota, Crookston	2-0	5-2
Wayne State	2-0	4-4
Minnesota State	1-0	7-0
Mary	1-1	5-2
Northern State	1-1	4-3
Southwest Minnesota State	0-1	6-3
Winona State	0-2	5-2
Augustana	0-2	4-3
Upper Iowa	0-2	3-4
Minnesota Duluth	0-2	2-5
Bemidji State	0-2	2-6

**Friday, Dec. 5**

Wayne State 76 at Northern State 55  
 St. Cloud State 73 at Winona State 70  
 Minnesota Duluth 64 at Minnesota, Crookston 70  
 Bemidji State 57 at Minnesota State Moorhead 77  
 Concordia St. Paul 76 at Upper Iowa 73  
 Augustana 58 at Mary 62

**Saturday, Dec. 6**

Wayne State 88 at Mary 76  
 Concordia St. Paul 66 at Winona State 64  
 Bemidji State 63 at Minnesota, Crookston 75  
 Minnesota Duluth 60 at Minnesota State Moorhead 75  
 Augustana 53 at Northern State 64  
 Minnesota State 74 at Southwest Minnesota State 63  
 St. Cloud State 78 at Upper Iowa 67

**Friday, Dec. 12**

Winona State at Bemidji State  
 Minnesota, Crookston at Concordia St. Paul  
 Southwest Minnesota State at Northern State  
 Minnesota State at Mary  
 Upper Iowa at Minnesota Duluth  
 Minnesota State Moorhead at St. Cloud State

**Saturday, Dec. 13**

Augustana at Wayne State  
 Winona State at Minnesota Duluth  
 Upper Iowa at Bemidji State  
 Minnesota State Moorhead at Concordia St. Paul  
 Minnesota State at Northern State  
 Southwest Minnesota State at Mary  
 Minnesota, Crookston at St. Cloud State

2008-09 SCSU Team and Individual Game Highs

Team	Category	Individual
103 vs. Dakota State, 11/22/08	Points	23, Talisha Barlow vs. Henderson State, 11/21/08
40 vs. UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08	Rebounds	8, Rachel Booth (3x) / Barlow (1x)
27 vs. Dakota State, 11/22/08	Assists	6, Megan Foley vs. Dakota State, 11/22/08
19 vs. UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08	Steals	7, Talisha Barlow vs. UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08
5 vs. Dakota State, 11/22/08	Blocks	2, Rachel Booth (4x) / Foley (2x)
44 vs. Dakota State, 11/22/08	Field Goals Made	10, Talisha Barlow vs. UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08
69 vs. UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08	Field Goal Attempts	15, Talisha Barlow vs. UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08
.677 (44-65) vs. Dakota State	Field Goal % (min. 5 attempts)	.875 (7-8), Krystal Scott / Aaryn Booker
7 vs. Henderson State, 11/21/08	3-Point Field Goals Made	4, Katie Tacheny vs. UW-Oshkosh, 11/15/08
16 vs. Henderson State, 11/21/08	3-Point Field Goals Attempted	6, Anna Cashman (2x) / Friestleben (1x)
.600 (6-10) vs. Winona, 12/5/08	3-Point FG % (min. 2 attempts)	1.000 (2-2), Talisha Barlow vs. Winona State, 12/5/08
23 vs. Upper Iowa, 12/6/08	Free Throws Made	10, Katie Tacheny vs. Upper Iowa, 12/6/08
31 vs. Upper Iowa, 12/6/08	Free Throw Attempts	12, Katie Tacheny vs. Upper Iowa, 12/6/08
.885 (23-26) vs. Northwest Missouri	Free Throw % (min. 3 attempts)	1.000 (8-8), Anna Cashman vs. Neb-Omaha, 11/28/08

Opponent Notes and Probable Starters

**Series Records:** The St. Cloud State and MSU Moorhead women's basketball programs have a long rivalry that began in 1972. St. Cloud State leads the all-time series with the Dragons 25-15. Last season the two teams met in a non-conference game with the Dragons posting a 93-87 win. St. Cloud State is 11-1 all-time against Minnesota, Crookston. The only loss came in the season opener of the 2004-05 season, 78-68.

**About MSU Moorhead:** The Dragons, like the Huskies are undefeated in eight outings this season. MSUM posted an 18-11 overall record in 2007-08 and tied for third in the NSIC with an 11-7 record. They are led in scoring by junior Alison Nash-Gerlach who averages 14.9 points per game. Junior Meghan Rettke is the top rebounder for the Dragons pulling in 9.9 boards per game. MSUM is averaging 69.1 points per game while holding their opponents to 59.0 points per game. The Dragons hold the rebounding edge over their opponents, 41.8 to 30.1. In addition, MSUM is hitting 40 percent of their three-point field goals. Karla Nelson is in her ninth season as the head coach. She has compiled a 140-92 career record in eight seasons.

MSU Moorhead Probable Starters:	PPG	RPG
G- 3 Krista Opheim, 5-5, Jr.	7.6	3.0
G- 12 Katie Walden, 5-9, Sr.	9.6	3.0
G- 13 Chris Falzon, 5-10, Sr.	7.1	3.0
F- 24 Alison Nash-Gerlach, 6-1, Jr.	14.9	5.9
C- 22 Meghan Rettke, 6-3, Jr.	12.4	9.9



**About Minnesota, Crookston:** Like, MSU Moorhead, the Golden Eagles are coming off a pair of wins over Bemidji State and Minnesota Duluth in the NSIC opener. The Golden Eagles are led in scoring by a couple of sophomores as Bri Zabel averages 17.3 points and Jamie Zelinsky 16.9 points per game. UMC is averaging 82.9 points per game and allowing 69.9 points and they have a slight 41.9 to 39.3 rebounding edge over their opponents. Last season UMC posted a 6-21 overall record and finished tenth in the NSIC with a 2-6 league mark. Head coach Mike Roysland is in his third season with the Golden Eagles. He has compiled a 6-48 record in his first two years at UMC.

UMC Probable Starters:	PPG	RPG
G- 20 Diana Taddy, 5-8, So.	8.7	3.4
G- 35 Ana Garcia, 5-7, So.	4.1	2.1
F- 23 Jamie Zelinsky, 5-11, So.	16.9	4.3
F- 33 Bri Zabel, 6-0, So.	17.3	7.0
C- 21 Kim Grant, 6-2, So.	5.4	4.7



St. Cloud State Basketball  
St. Cloud State Combined Team Statistics (as of Dec 08, 2008)  
All games

<b>RECORD:</b>	<b>OVERALL</b>	<b>HOME</b>	<b>AWAY</b>	<b>NEUTRAL</b>
<b>ALL GAMES.....</b>	<b>(7-0)</b>	<b>(1-0)</b>	<b>(3-0)</b>	<b>(3-0)</b>
<b>CONFERENCE.....</b>	<b>(2-0)</b>	<b>(0-0)</b>	<b>(2-0)</b>	<b>(0-0)</b>
<b>NON-CONFERENCE.....</b>	<b>(5-0)</b>	<b>(1-0)</b>	<b>(1-0)</b>	<b>(3-0)</b>

## Player	GP-GS	Min--Avg	---TOTAL---		---3-PTS---		FT-FTA	Pct	---REBOUNDS---				PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg	
			FG-FGA	Pct	3FG-FGA	Pct			Off	Def	Tot	Avg									
11 Barlow, Talisha....	7-7	184	26.3	44-78	.564	6-9	.667	18-24	.750	8	20	28	4.0	18	0	21	18	0	15	112	16.0
03 Tacheny, Katie.....	7-7	213	30.4	32-61	.525	9-21	.429	35-40	.875	3	18	21	3.0	15	0	19	10	0	20	108	15.4
32 Booth, Rachel.....	7-7	178	25.4	37-63	.587	1-1	1.000	18-25	.720	11	26	37	5.3	20	0	4	17	9	9	93	13.3
10 Scott, Krystal.....	7-7	173	24.7	22-41	.537	0-0	.000	12-17	.706	9	9	18	2.6	23	0	15	15	0	11	56	8.0
21 Cashman, Anna.....	6-0	131	21.8	11-34	.324	9-27	.333	14-15	.933	2	12	14	2.3	13	1	6	10	1	3	45	7.5
45 Booker, Aaryn.....	7-0	118	16.9	19-33	.576	0-1	.000	11-12	.917	16	16	32	4.6	16	0	4	7	1	8	49	7.0
23 Ellison, Danielle..	7-7	177	25.3	15-44	.341	3-13	.231	9-15	.600	7	12	19	2.7	20	0	10	9	0	6	42	6.0
13 Graff, Marlayna...	7-0	95	13.6	12-20	.600	0-0	.000	6-8	.750	13	13	26	3.7	6	0	5	8	0	9	30	4.3
43 Steele, Christina..	4-0	29	7.3	5-15	.333	0-0	.000	2-5	.400	2	2	4	1.0	0	0	0	3	1	0	12	3.0
02 Friestleben, Becca.	6-0	37	6.2	5-16	.313	3-11	.273	1-1	1.000	0	1	1	0.2	2	0	3	3	0	2	14	2.3
34 Foley, Megan.....	4-0	45	11.3	1-4	.250	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	2	10	12	3.0	0	0	10	4	4	2	3	0.8
35 Frye, Amy.....	3-0	20	6.7	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1	2	3	1.0	3	0	2	3	0	1	2	0.7
TEAM.....										6	14	20	2.9	0		1					
Total.....	7	1400		204-410	.498	32-86	.372	126-162	.778	80	155	235	33.6	136	1	99	108	16	86	566	80.9
Opponents.....	7	1400		141-357	.395	28-92	.304	91-129	.705	79	144	223	31.9	136	2	77	175	14	37	401	57.3

TEAM STATISTICS	SCSU	OPP	DATE	OPPONENT	W/L	SCORE	ATTEND
SCORING.....	566	401	11/15/08	UW-OSHKOSH	W	94-39	2940
Points per game.....	80.9	57.3	^11/21/08	vs Henderson State	W	78-54	112
Scoring margin.....	+23.6	-	11/22/08	vs Dakota State	W	103-62	123
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	204-410	141-357	11/28/08	vs Northwest Mo. State	W	73-55	-
Field goal pct.....	.498	.395	^11/29/08	at Nebraska-Omaha	W	67-54	159
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	32-86	28-92	*12/05/08	at Winona State	W	73-70	402
3-point FG pct.....	.372	.304	*12/6/08	at Upper Iowa Univ.	W	78-67	300
3-pt FG made per game..	4.6	4.0					
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	126-162	91-129					
Free throw pct.....	.778	.705					
REBOUNDS.....	235	223					
Rebounds per game.....	33.6	31.9					
Rebounding margin.....	+1.7	-					
ASSISTS.....	99	77					
Assists per game.....	14.1	11.0					
TURNOVERS.....	108	175					
Turnovers per game.....	15.4	25.0					
Turnover margin.....	+9.6	-					
Assist/turnover ratio..	0.9	0.4					
STEALS.....	86	37					
Steals per game.....	12.3	5.3					
BLOCKS.....	16	14					
Blocks per game.....	2.3	2.0					
WINNING STREAK.....	7	-					
Home win streak.....	1	-					
ATTENDANCE.....	2940	1096					
Home games-Avg/Game....	1-2940	3-287					
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	3-78					

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
St. Cloud State.....	288	278	- 566
Opponents.....	185	216	- 401

St. Cloud State Basketball  
St. Cloud State Game-by-Game Points-Rebounds-Assists (as of Dec 08, 2008)  
All games

Opponent	Date	Score	WL	02	03	10	11	13	21	23	32	34
				FRIESTLEB	TACHENY, K	SCOTT, KRY	BARLOW, TA	GRAFF, MAR	CASHMAN, A	ELLISON, D	BOOTH, RAC	FOLEY, MEG
UW-OSHKOSH	11/15/08	94-39	W	6- 1- 2	18- 2- 3	4- 2- 2	22- 8- 2	6- 5- 1	DNP	9- 3- 3	12- 7- 1	0- 2- 3
vs Henderson State	11/21/08	78-54	W	3- 0- 0	9- 3- 1	6- 2- 3	23- 4- 4	6- 4- 1	7- 1- 2	11- 3- 2	9- 2- 2	0- 2- 0
vs Dakota State	11/22/08	103-62	W	5- 0- 1	20- 3- 5	14- 0- 2	14- 3- 5	7- 2- 1	3- 2- 1	8- 0- 1	12- 3- 1	0- 7- 6
vs Northwest Mo. State	11/28/08	73-55	W	0- 0- 0	11- 5- 1	11- 5- 1	7- 5- 1	4- 4- 1	9- 3- 1	5- 1- 0	19- 6- 0	3- 1- 1
at Nebraska-Omaha	11/29/08	67-54	W	0- 0- 0	13- 1- 3	4- 2- 2	17- 3- 3	0- 4- 1	17- 2- 0	0- 6- 0	8- 8- 0	DNP
at Winona State	12/05/08	73-70	W	DNP	15- 3- 3	4- 2- 4	16- 0- 2	0- 3- 0	5- 3- 1	7- 3- 2	18- 8- 0	DNP
at Upper Iowa Univ.	12/6/08	78-67	W	0- 0- 0	22- 4- 3	13- 5- 1	13- 5- 4	7- 4- 0	4- 3- 1	2- 3- 2	15- 3- 0	DNP

Opponent	Date	Score	WL	35	43	45
				FRYE, AMY	STEELE, CH	BOOKER, AA
UW-OSHKOSH	11/15/08	94-39	W	0- 1- 0	8- 2- 0	9- 7- 1
vs Henderson State	11/21/08	78-54	W	0- 0- 0	2- 0- 0	2- 7- 0
vs Dakota State	11/22/08	103-62	W	2- 2- 2	2- 1- 0	16- 6- 2
vs Northwest Mo. State	11/28/08	73-55	W	DNP	DNP	4- 1- 1
at Nebraska-Omaha	11/29/08	67-54	W	DNP	0- 1- 0	8- 6- 0
at Winona State	12/05/08	73-70	W	DNP	DNP	8- 4- 0
at Upper Iowa Univ.	12/6/08	78-67	W	DNP	DNP	2- 1- 0



**A New League:** In 2008-09, the Huskies athletic program joins the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference (NSIC), a 14-school league representing schools from Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska and Iowa. With the expanded conference, the Huskies will play a 20-game league schedule and follow the regular season with the NSIC Tournament. It also means that SCSU will not play every team twice in 2008-09. The Huskies will play Bemidji State, Concordia-St. Paul, Minnesota, Crookston, Minnesota Duluth, Minnesota State University, Southwest Minnesota State University and Winona State University twice.

**Not a Stranger to the NSIC:** St. Cloud State is no stranger to the NSIC as the university was a charter member of the Northern Sun Conference, the predecessor to the current league. The SCSU men's athletics department was a charter member of the Northern Intercollegiate Conference (NIC) in 1932. The Northern Sun Conference (NSC) for women's sports was formally announced in 1979-80 and SCSU was a charter member of that organization. Later the two combined to become the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference for men's and women's athletics. SCSU women's teams captured four NSC basketball and tennis championships, and one volleyball championship from 1979 to 1984.

Official Basketball Box Score -- GAME TOTALS -- FINAL STATISTICS  
 St. Cloud State vs Upper Iowa Univ.  
 12/6/08 6:00 PM at Fayette, IA

VISITORS: St. Cloud State 7-0 (2-0 NSIC)

##	Player Name	REBOUNDS													
		TOT-FG	3-PT	FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S
03	Tacheny, Katie.....	* 5-8	2-3	10-12	0	4	4	4	22	3	0	0	4	31	
10	Scott, Krystal.....	* 6-9	0-0	1-3	2	3	5	4	13	1	3	0	2	31	
11	Barlow, Talisha.....	* 4-10	1-1	4-4	1	4	5	3	13	4	4	0	2	31	
23	Ellison, Danielle....	* 1-4	0-0	1-2	3	3	4	2	2	1	2	0	2	27	
32	Booth, Rachel.....	* 5-11	0-0	5-8	0	3	3	15	0	2	2	0	2	29	
02	Friestleben, Becca..	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
13	Graff, Marlayna....	3-7	0-0	1-2	2	2	4	0	7	0	1	0	2	13	
21	Cashman, Anna.....	1-7	0-6	2-2	1	2	3	1	4	1	1	0	0	26	
45	Booker, Aaryn.....	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	3	2	0	1	0	1	10	
TEAM.....				6		4		10							
Totals.....		26-58		3-11		23-31		13		25		38		22 78 11 13 2 13 200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 15-33 45.5% 2nd Half: 11-25 44.0% Game: 44.8% DEADB  
 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 0-4 0.0% 2nd Half: 3-7 42.9% Game: 27.3% REBS  
 F Throw % 1st Half: 6-8 75.0% 2nd Half: 17-23 73.9% Game: 74.2% 5,2

HOME TEAM: Upper Iowa Univ. 3-4 (0-2 NSIC)

##	Player Name	REBOUNDS													
		TOT-FG	3-PT	FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S
14	Otting,Lana.....	* 5-6	1-2	1-4	0	0	0	4	12	3	3	0	1	27	
15	Downs,Andrea.....	* 3-10	1-2	5-7	1	3	4	4	12	5	4	0	2	32	
21	Fitz,Melissa.....	* 4-8	3-6	0-0	0	4	4	11	2	4	0	0	30		
42	Iredale,Britney.....	* 2-10	0-1	0-0	1	2	3	1	4	1	4	0	2	21	
55	Westgaard,Lyndsay...*	6-9	0-0	6-6	3	5	8	4	18	0	0	1	32		
11	Arndt,Chelsea.....	0-3	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	8		
13	Devine,Paige.....	0-3	0-0	3-4	1	2	3	4	3	2	3	0	31		
23	Lox,Lene.....	3-3	1-1	0-0	0	4	4	1	7	1	4	0	19		
TEAM.....				4		6		10							
Totals.....		23-52		6-13		15-21		10		27		37		22 67 14 22 0 6 200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 9-21 42.9% 2nd Half: 14-31 45.2% Game: 44.2% DEADB  
 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-7 57.1% 2nd Half: 2-6 33.3% Game: 46.2% REBS  
 F Throw % 1st Half: 7-9 77.8% 2nd Half: 8-12 66.7% Game: 71.4% 3,3

Officials: Randy Waagmeester, Brian Fyker, Bob Morrison  
 Technical fouls: St. Cloud State-None. Upper Iowa Univ.-None.  
 Attendance: 300  
 Score by Periods 1st 2nd Total  
 St. Cloud State..... 36 42 - 78  
 Upper Iowa Univ..... 29 38 - 67  
 Lyndsay Westgaard scores new career-high with 18 points.  
 Points in the paint-SCSU 32,UIUW 26. Points off turnovers-SCSU 24,UIUW 13.  
 2nd chance points-SCSU 8,UIUW 8. Fast break points-SCSU 6,UIUW 4.  
 Bench points-SCSU 13,UIUW 10. Score tied-5 times. Lead changed-5 times.

Official Basketball Box Score -- GAME TOTALS -- FINAL STATISTICS  
 St. Cloud State vs Winona State  
 12/05/08 6:00 p.m. at McCown Gymnasium, Winona, MN

VISITORS: St. Cloud State 1-0 NSIC, 6-0 OA

##	Player Name	REBOUNDS													
		TOT-FG	3-PT	FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S
23	Ellison, Danielle....	f 2-3	1-1	2-2	0	3	3	3	7	2	1	0	0	29	
32	Booth, Rachel.....	c 7-11	1-1	3-5	2	6	8	4	18	0	2	1	2	28	
03	Tacheny, Katie.....	g 4-10	1-2	6-7	1	2	3	1	15	3	2	0	1	34	
10	Scott, Krystal.....	g 2-6	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	3	4	4	3	0	2	31	
11	Barlow, Talisha.....	g 7-12	2-2	0-0	0	0	0	4	16	2	5	0	2	31	
13	Graff, Marlayna....	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	0	0	2	0	1	13		
21	Cashman, Anna.....	1-5	1-4	2-2	0	3	3	1	5	1	1	0	1	22	
45	Booker, Aaryn.....	3-5	0-0	2-2	0	4	4	1	8	0	0	0	1	17	
TEAM.....				1		1		1							
Totals.....		26-52		6-10		15-18		5		22		27		17 73 12 16 1 8 200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 14-29 48.3% 2nd Half: 12-23 52.2% Game: 50.0% DEADB  
 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 5-8 62.5% 2nd Half: 1-2 50.0% Game: 60.0% REBS  
 F Throw % 1st Half: 2-2 100% 2nd Half: 13-16 81.3% Game: 83.3% 1

HOME TEAM: Winona State 0-1 NSIC, 5-1 OA

##	Player Name	REBOUNDS													
		TOT-FG	3-PT	FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	OF	DE	TOT	PF	TP	A	TO	BLK	S
05	Majerowicz, Jamie...	f 1-3	0-0	0-0	2	5	7	3	2	1	4	1	0	19	
21	Gigler, Natalie....	f 7-14	0-0	3-4	2	2	4	1	17	1	3	1	1	34	
11	Steffen, Jenny.....	g 7-13	4-6	3-4	2	4	6	2	21	5	2	0	1	37	
20	Anderson, Molly.....	g 2-4	0-0	0-1	0	4	4	2	4	8	3	0	0	33	
34	Wurtz, Ana.....	g 7-11	3-6	0-0	0	4	4	2	17	3	2	0	2	37	
10	Homeywood, Kelsey...	2-5	2-5	2-2	0	3	3	4	8	3	4	0	1	25	
15	Bjorke, Bonnie.....	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	5		
44	McDonald, Michelle..	0-2	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	10	
TEAM.....				26-52		9-17		9		13		6		23 29 18 70 21 19 2 5 200	

TOTAL FG% 1st Half: 10-29 34.5% 2nd Half: 16-30 53.3% Game: 50.0% DEADB  
 3-Pt. FG% 1st Half: 4-7 57.1% 2nd Half: 5-10 50.0% Game: 52.9% REBS  
 F Throw % 1st Half: 2-4 50.0% 2nd Half: 7-9 77.8% Game: 69.2% 2

Officials: Amy Brighton, Royce Ranniger, Jay McGivens  
 Technical fouls: St. Cloud State-None. Winona State-None.  
 Attendance: 402  
 Score by Periods 1st 2nd Total  
 St. Cloud State..... 35 38 - 73  
 Winona State..... 26 44 - 70  
 Points in the paint-SCSU 28,WSU 22. Points off turnovers-SCSU 23,WSU 9.  
 2nd chance points-SCSU 2,WSU 8. Fast break points-SCSU 10,WSU 11.  
 Bench points-SCSU 13,WSU 9. Score tied-6 times. Lead changed-14 times.  
 Last FG-SCSU 2nd-01:20, WSU 2nd-00:23.  
 Largest lead-SCSU by 13 1st-09:14, WSU by 6 2nd-06:42.