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GEORGE FOX UNIVERSITY

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

2001-02 Media Guide



*George Fox
University*



Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr./El.	Hometown/Previous School
5	Nicole Prazeau	Wing	5-10	Sr./Sr.	Portland, Ore. (Central Catholic HS)
10	Melissa Alexander	Point guard	5-3	Fr./Fr.	Portland, Ore. (Wilson HS)
11	Jill Barram	Point guard	5-6	Sr./Sr.	Salem, Ore. (Salem Academy)
14	Shai Workman	Wing	5-8	Jr./Jr.	Moscow, Idaho (California Lutheran Univ.)
20	Becky Thompson	Point guard	5-8	Sr./Sr.	Colton, Ore. (Colton HS)
22	Mandy Dunham	Wing	5-10	Fr./Fr.	Richland, Wash. (Liberty Christian HS)
23	Liz Clark	Wing	5-9	Fr./Fr.	Elbe, Wash. (Eatonville HS)
24	Jessica Baynes	Post	5-11	So./Fr.	Joseph, Ore. (Pepperdine Univ.)
25	Amy Fitch	Wing	5-8	Jr./So.	Ritzville, Wash. (Spokane Falls CC)
30	Kellie Thomas	Wing	5-10	Fr./Fr.	Medford, Ore. (South Medford HS)
33	Heather Doud	Post	5-11	Sr./Sr.	Corvallis, Ore. (Biola Univ.)
34	Christine McCandless	Post	5-11	So./Fr.	Medford, Ore. (Cascade Christian HS)
40	Sarah Myhre	Post	6-0	Fr./Fr.	Corvallis, Ore. (Crescent Valley HS)
42	Darby Cave	Post	6-0	So./So.	Portland, Ore. (Central Catholic HS)
50	Emily Ruggles	Post	5-11	Jr./Jr.	Eugene, Ore. (South Eugene HS)

Head Coach: Scott Rueck (sixth year) **Assistant Coaches:** Mike Warmanen (fifth year), Kerry Rueck (fourth year)

George Fox University Women's Basketball Quick Facts

University Information

Location: Newberg, Oregon (18,064)
Mailing Address: 414 N. Meridian St., Newberg, OR 97132
Founded: 1891
Denominational Affiliation: Evangelical Friends (Quaker)
Enrollment: 2,710
President: Dr. David Brandt
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Athletics Information

Nickname: Bruins
Colors: Navy Blue and Old Gold
Affiliation: NCAA Division III (3rd year)
Region: West
Conference: Northwest Conference (7th)
Director of Athletics: Craig Taylor
Office Phone: 503-554-2911
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Athletic Training Educations Director: Dale Isaak
Office Phone: 503-554-2916
Head Athletic Trainer: Karen Hostetter
Office Phone: 503-554-3922
Athletics FAX: 503-554-3864

Coaching Staff

Head Coach: Scott Rueck (6th year)
Alma Mater: Oregon State, '91
GFU Record: 95-33 (.742), 5 years
Overall Record: 95-33 (.742), 5 years
Office Phone: 503-554-2920
Assistant Coach: Mike Warmanen (5th year)
Alma Mater: Walla Walla, '91
Assistant Coach: Kerry Rueck (4th year)
Alma Mater: George Fox, '95

Team Information

Home Court (capacity): Wheeler Sports Center/Miller Gym (2,750)
2000-01 Overall Record: 23-3 (#11 national ranking)
2000-01 NWC Record: 15-1, first
2000-01 Post Season: 0-1 (NCAA second round)
Letterwinners Back/Lost: 8/3
Starters Back/Lost: 3/2

On the cover: senior wing Nicole Prazeau (left), senior point guard Becky Thompson

Outlook

Bruins Look to Contend for NW Conference Crown Again

A 23-3 record, Northwest Conference regular season and tournament titles, a No. 11 final national ranking with two weeks spent as the No. 1 team in the country, and the second round of the NCAA National Championships — the 2000-01 season was certainly an all-time high for the George Fox University women's basketball team.

Now, as the 2001-02 season approaches, there are two main questions hovering over the team:

One, can the Bruins continue an incredible string of improving their record every year under coach Scott Rueck, now starting his sixth season with the program? Two, how will the Bruins replace starting center Katie Lacey, a Kodak All-American and two-time Northwest Conference Player of the Year?

To the first question, Rueck only laughs. "Sooner or later, that streak is going to end — I could handle one more year, though; wouldn't that be sweet?" he asks with a smile.

As to the second question, Rueck knows that replacing Lacey's 15.5 points, 8.7 rebounds, .562 shooting percentage, .803 free throw mark, clutch play, and leadership is virtually impossible.

"Katie just might have been the best player this program has ever seen, and no one single player will be able to replace her," Rueck admits. "We'll need to be a more balanced team this year. The past couple years, everyone knew we were going to go to Katie, especially in the last five minutes. We may not focus so much on one person, but several. That would make us a tougher team to defend. This year we're capable of having five scorers on the floor for 40 minutes, and therefore make up for last



year's graduation by committee. I'm looking forward to watching our team step up to that challenge."

The Bruins also lost starting wing Tabitha Greller (5.7 ppg, 4.1 rpg), Lacey's sister-in-law who ended her career as the all-time leader in three-point field goals made (150). But with three starters back, two of them All-Conference Second Team selections, a strong veteran bench, and several talented newcomers, Rueck expects his team to be right back in the thick of the conference race.

Point Guards

Becky Thompson (5-8, Sr., Colton, Ore.) returns at the point, bringing steadiness and leadership to the Bruin offense. A Second Team All-NWC pick, she averaged 8.3 points, 4.3 rebounds, 3.7 assists, and 2.2 steals a game, and led the conference with a 2:1 assists-to-turnovers ratio. "Becky is in the best shape of her life and is set for a huge year," predicts Rueck. "She knows we'll need more offense from her now and is looking for her shot more often. We'll

go as far as she can take us."

Jill Barram (5-6, Sr., Salem, Ore.), the Bruins' backup at the point, averaged 6.3 points and 2.6 assists, and would probably start on almost any other team in the conference. "Jill is an explosive scorer, the best on the team at creating her own shot, and is very valuable when we get into the open court," says Rueck. She is also a prime candidate for the open spot at the wing, but her contributions may have to wait, because during an early practice she suffered a knee injury that has sidelined her indefinitely.

Melissa Alexander (5-3, Fr., Portland, Ore.), a good ball handler and solid defensive player, led her Wilson High team to an 18-0 record in the Portland Interscholastic League as a junior. She will also see time at the point as she learns from two of the best in preparation for the future.

Wings

Nicole Prazneau (5-10, Sr., Portland, Ore.) is the other returning Second Team All-NWC player, and will be

Outlook

counted upon for plenty of offense as the team's top perimeter scorer. She posted numbers of 11.7 points, 4.5 rebounds, and 2.0 assists a game last year. "Nicole became a go-to scorer last season by hitting some huge shots for us late in games. She gained confidence and consistency and appears ready to take her game to the next level," Rueck notes. "She, too, will need to take on a little more of the scoring load."

If Barram does not start at the opposite wing, **Amy Fitch** (5-8, So., Ritzville, Wash.) is the heir apparent to Greller, after contributing 2.9 points, 2.5 rebounds, and 18 minutes a game in a reserve role. "Amy is an unbelievable athlete who can hit the three, or drive and pull up for the jumper," says Rueck. "We expect her to become a consistent scoring threat and be a big spark for us, either as a starter or off the bench."

Shai Workman (5-8, Jr., Moscow, Idaho) brings a three-point threat and good passing ability to her role as a backup wing. She averaged 1.4 points in 10 games last season after transferring from California Lutheran.

A trio of newcomers who could make significant contributions this year are **Liz Clark** (5-9, Fr., Elbe, Wash.), **Mandy Dunham** (5-10, Fr., Richland, Wash.), and **Kellie Thomas** (5-10, Fr., Medford, Ore.).

Clark was named Female Athlete of the Year by the *Tacoma News Tribune* after earning all-state honors in volleyball, softball, and basketball for

Eatonville High, where her jersey was retired. "Liz is an energy player, a physical player with a scorer's mentality and already one of our best rebounders. She will see significant playing time at numerous positions; we've used her everywhere from the one to the five," marvels Rueck.

Dunham became the 15th player in Washington history to score 2,000 points in a career at Liberty Christian High School, and was a First-Team all-state selection. Rueck adds, "She just might be our best at moving without the ball and finding ways to create a shot."

Thomas, the all-time scoring leader at South Medford High, is called "the most fundamentally-sound wing I've coached" by Rueck. "She handles the ball like a point guard, equally well with either hand, and has a beautiful shot with three-point range."

Rueck says that all three incoming wings have the ability to be impact players this year as they adjust to the speed and physical style of the Northwest Conference.

Posts

Heather Doud (5-11, Sr., Corvallis, Ore.) was the Bruins' third-leading scorer (10.2 ppg) and second-leading rebounder (6.1 rpg) after transferring from Biola University, where she had been an all-conference pick her first two college seasons. "Heather was playing in the shadows of Katie and our guards last

year, but I don't think anyone would have argued had she shown up somewhere on one of the All-Conference teams after a very good year," says Rueck. "We'll be looking for her to bump both of those numbers up a little as we replace Katie."

Moving into the center spot is **Darby Cave** (6-0, So., Portland, Ore.), who averaged 4.2 points and 2.6 rebounds a game while subbing for Lacey. "Darby got to compete against an All-American every practice last season, so she was taught a new lesson daily and was an outstanding student," Rueck point out. "As the season wore on, she had learned to hold her own, and by the end of the year, she was a handful for Katie. Darby also gained a lot of experience with the summer league team our players have, and developed a lot of confidence and strength. She has an outstanding work ethic, is eager to learn, and will be tough to defend one-on-one."

Emily Ruggles (5-11, Jr., Eugene, Ore.), whose improvement over the summer has Rueck enthusiastic, will see "solid minutes, a tribute to how hard she has worked. She can play from the three to the five, and has outstanding jumping and shot-blocking ability that could make an impact for us." She averaged 2.0 points and 2.5 rebounds in eight games.

Christine McCandless (5-11, Fr., Medford, Ore.) benefited from redshirting last year and should be ready to contribute this season at both post positions. "Christine has worked extremely hard in the past year, and has been successful in developing physical strength, while adding skills that will allow her to play both the four and the five," says Rueck.

Sarah Myhre (6-0, Fr., Corvallis, Ore.) and **Jessica Baynes** (5-11, Fr., Joseph, Ore.) are the Bruins' newest inside players.

2001-02 Players Returning/Leaving

Key Returnees

Nicole Prazeau (S)	5-10, W, Sr., Portland, Ore.
Becky Thompson (S)	5-8, PG, Sr., Colton, Ore.
Heather Doud (S)	5-10, P, Sr., Corvallis, Ore.
Jill Barram	5-6, PG, Sr., Salem, Ore.
Amy Fitch	5-8, W, So., Ritzville, Wash.
Darby Cave	6-0, P, So., Portland, Ore.

Key Losses

Katie Lacey (S)	6-0, P, Sr., Orange City, Iowa
Tabitha Greller (S)	5-11, W/P, Sr., Eagle, Idaho

Stats

11.7 p, 4.5 r, 2.0 a, 1.2 st, 33 3's
8.3 p, 4.3 r, 3.7 a, 2.1 st
10.2 p, 6.1 r, 1.6 a, 26 3's
6.3 p, 2.1 r, 2.6 a
2.9 p, 2.5 r, 1.4 a
4.2 p, 2.6 r

Honors

All-NWC 2nd Team
All-NWC 2nd Team

Stats

15.5 p, 8.7 r, .562 fg%, .803 ft%
5.7 p, 4.1 r, 2.6 a, 35 3's

Honors

NWC Player of the Year,
Kodak All-America Team

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Players

10 Melissa Alexander

Point Guard • 5-3 • Freshman
Portland, Oregon • Wilson HS '01



2001-02: Heir apparent to the point guard position ... Will back up Bruins' two points while preparing for the future ... Good ball handler ... Solid defensive player ... Brings a winner's spirit and drive from one of state's top high school programs.

HS: Earned four letters for coaches Rick Earl and Ray Taylor at Wilson

High ... **2000-01:** Second Team All-Portland Interscholastic League ... Averaged 10.7 points, 2.3 rebounds, 3.0 steals, and 3.1 assists a game while hitting 48 percent on field goals, 42 percent on threes, and 63 percent on free throws ... Led team in scoring ... Team captain and MVP ... **1999-2000:** Second Team All-PIL ... Team went 18-0 in league and placed ninth in state tournament ... **1998-99:** Second Team All-PIL ... Also earned four letters in volleyball and track ... Four-year member of school's honor roll ... Four-time Scholar-Athlete ... Named a Scholar-Athlete by Multnomah Athletic Club.

Personal: Born April 10, 1983, in Portland, Ore. ... Daughter of Bill and Linda Alexander ... Brother Billy threw javelin at Lewis & Clark, and sister Kathy threw javelin at George Fox ... Pre dentistry major ... Future plans: To be a dentist, a wife, a mother, and work in ministry ... Favorite book: The Bible ... Favorite movie: *Hook* ... Favorite food: Potatoes (mashed) ... Favorite athlete: Michael Jordan ... Greatest sports thrill: Lettering in three sports all four years in high school and being voted Most Athletic Girl in the PIL ... Enjoys playing touch football with friends and older brother, hiking, and camping.

11 Jill Barram

Point Guard • 5-6 • Senior
Salem, Oregon • Salem Academy '98



2001-02: Super sub at the point who is also a strong candidate for a starting spot at wing ... Quickest player on team ... Solid ball handler ... Sees floor well ... Good passer and penetrator ... Suffered a knee injury in early practice session and may not be available until second semester.

2000-01: Appeared in all 26 contests as team's top sub ... Tied for second on the team in assists (68) and was third in free throws made (41) ... Ranked ninth in the NWC in assists (2.62 apg) ... Scored in double figures

six times, with career highs for points (16), field goal pct. (.778, 7-9), and tying personal high in field goals (7) at Pacific ... Led team in scoring three times with 16 at Pacific, 15 vs. Dordt in Taco John's/Subway Classic in Orange City, Iowa, and 15 vs. Puget Sound ... Set career highs in free throws (7), ft attempts (8), rebounds (6), assists (8) and minutes (31) vs. Puget Sound ... Made 11 straight free throws to start the season ... Would have ranked sixth in the conference in free-throw pct., but fell just short of enough to qualify ... Had a career-high four steals vs. Pacific.

1999-2000: Appeared in all 28 contests with one start vs. Concordia-Portland ... Reached double figures in scoring twice, with 12 at Lewis & Clark and 11 vs. Pacific Lutheran ... Tied for lead in scoring with 12 at Lewis & Clark, with highs of six assists and five rebounds ... Also had five rebounds at Whitman ... Had 3-3 games in three-pointers vs. Pacific Lutheran and California Lutheran in the NCAA Tournament.

1998-99: Subbed in 17 games at point ... Had highs of seven points and five rebounds vs. Kalamazoo ... Passed out three assists at Concordia.

HS: Coached by Valyn Anderson at Salem Academy ... Four-year varsity player ... **1997-98:** First Team All-Tri-River



Senior point guard Jill Barram

Players

League ... Team finished fourth at state tournament ... Team captain ... Averaged 14.0 ppg ... 1996-97: Second Team All-League ... Team captain ... Averaged 12.0 ppg ... 1995-96: Honorable Mention All-League ... Team co-captain ... Team finished third in the state ... 1994-95: Team won league title and finished second in state ... Selected First Team All-League and Third Team All-State in softball ... Three-year recipient of Scholar Athlete Award.

Personal: Born June 4, 1980, in Salem, Ore. ... Daughter of Dan and Vicki Barram ... Liberal arts major ... Niece of former NBA player and coach Kurt Rambis ... Favorite book: *Curious George* ... Favorite movie: *Gidget Goes Hawaiian* ... Favorite food: Sugar ... Favorite athlete: Larry Bird ... Enjoys shopping and spending time with friends.

Career Statistics

Year	G-S	FG-A	Pct	3Pt-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Reb	Rpg	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Blk	St	Pts	Ppg
98-99	17-0	6-19	.316	0-0	.000	11-15	.733	11	0.6	10-0	11	16	1	6	23	1.4
99-00	28-1	65-150	.433	17-35	.486	9-19	.474	54	1.9	48-0	51	81	2	18	156	5.6
00-01	26-0	56-165	.339	12-53	.226	41-53	.774	55	2.1	51-0	68	70	2	25	165	6.3
3 yrs	71-1	127-334	.380	29-88	.330	61-87	.701	120	1.7	109-0	130	167	5	49	344	4.9

24 Jessica Baynes

Post • 5-11 • Freshman

Joseph, Oregon • Joseph HS '00

Pepperdine University



2001-02: Transfer student from Pepperdine ... Academic sophomore with four years of eligibility ... Talented inside player with good potential ... Quick and strong ... Will get a late start due a foot injury she suffered shortly after arriving this fall.

PU: Was invited to walk on at Div. I Pepperdine, but chose to sit out.

HS: Earned three letters for coach Karen Patton at Joseph High ... 1999-2000: Named team's Most Inspirational Player for second straight year ... Team co-captain ... 1998-99: Most Inspirational Player ... Team was named the No. 1 Academic All-State team for all levels ... 1997-98: Most Improved Player for second time ... 1996-97: Most Improved Player ... School salutatorian with 3.98 GPA ... Four-year member of National Honor Society ... Four-time Scholar-Athlete.

Personal: Born Nov. 30, 1981, in Bismarck, N.D. ... Daughter

of Lewis and Carol Baynes ... Brother Jimmie is a baseball player at George Fox ... Athletic training major ... Future plans: To become an athletic trainer for high school sports teams ... Favorite book: *The Brethren* ... Favorite movies: *Braveheart*, and *The Man from Snowy River* ... Favorite food: Steak ... Favorite athlete: Jimmie Baynes ... Greatest sports thrill: Playing defense and watching a good team work together and rock the house! ... Enjoys horses, outdoor activities, swimming, music, and movies.

42 Darby Cave

Post • 6-0 • Sophomore

Portland, Oregon • Central Catholic HS '00



2001-02: Has big shoes to fill as she moves into starting role at center vacated by graduated NWC Player of the Year and Kodak All-American Katie Lacey ... Very coachable player who is eager to learn and improve ... Great work ethic ... Developed confidence and strength over the summer playing with Bruins' summer league team ...

Excellent player in one-on-one situations.

2000-01: Appeared in all 26 games while giving starting center Katie Lacey a breather on occasion ... Averaged 4.2 points and 2.6 rebounds a game ... Scored career-high 10 points vs. Dordt in Taco John's/Subway Classic in Orange City, Iowa ... Had perfect shooting night (3-3 fg, 2-2 ft) at Linfield ... Led team with career-high 10 rebounds vs. St. Mary's in Desert Shootout in Las Vegas, Nev. ... Set career highs in free throws (4) and ft attempts (5) and grabbed eight rebounds vs. Whitman.

HS: Earned four letters under coach Sandy Dickerson at Central Catholic High ... Was a teammate of Bruins' Nicole Prazneau as a freshman and sophomore ... 1999-2000: First Team All-Mt. Hood Conference ... 1998-99: Second Team All-Conference ... 1997-98: Honorable Mention All-Conference ... Also lettered in softball and cross country ... Named to "Who's Who Among American High School Students."

Personal: Born Oct. 11, 1981, in Portland, Ore. ... Daughter of Jim and Laurie Cave ... Father played basketball and baseball at Oregon State ... Brother Kevin Cave plays baseball at Gonzaga ... Major undecided ... Future plans: Write in some way! ... Favorite book: *The Divine Secrets of the YaYa Sisterhood* ... Favorite movie: *Swingers* ... Favorite food: Pasta

salad... Favorite athlete: Michael Doleac ... Greatest sports thrill: The Barlow game in the first half of my senior year of high school ... Enjoys talking, eating, sleeping, and lip synching N'Sync songs while looking in a mirror.

Career Statistics

Year	G-S	FG-A	Pct	3Pt-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Reb	Rpg	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Blk	St	Pts	Ppg
00-01	26-0	48-105	.457	0-1	.000	14-23	.609	68	2.7	36-0	4	20	8	7	110	4.2

23 Liz Clark

Wing • 5-9 • Freshman

Elbe, Washington • Eatonville HS '01



2001-02: Will see significant playing time as a top sub at wing ... High-energy player ... Has a "scorer's mentality" ... An aggressive rebounder who likes the physical side of the game ... Versatile athlete who can play several positions on the court.

HS: Earned four letters for coach Dave Andersen at nearby Eatonville

High ... All-time Eatonville scoring leader ... School retired her jersey upon graduation ... 2000-01: Named Female Athlete of the Year by *Tacoma News Tribune* after earning all-state honors in three sports ... State winner of Wendy's High School Heisman Award ... Inter High Scholar-Athlete of the Year ... Earned All-West Central District, All-Area, and All-State 2A honors ... Selected to play in state All-Star game ... MVP of the Nisqually League ... Team captain and MVP ... Team won league title and finished 6th in state ... 1999-2000: Second Team All-Area and All-State ... First Team All-District ... League and team MVP ... Team won league title ... 1998-99: First Team All-League ... Team MVP Team was district champion ... 1997-98: Second Team All-League ... Team MVP and Most Inspirational ... Also earned four letters each in volleyball and softball ... Scholar-Athlete, member of honor roll, and class president for four years ... One-year president of Honor Society.

Personal: Born April 24, 1983, in Salt Lake City, Utah ... Daughter of Jim and Julie Clark ... Fitness management major ... Future plans: To travel around and then become a coach ... Favorite book: *The Testament* ... Favorite movie: *Love and Basketball* ... Favorite food: Microwave popcorn ... Favorite athlete: Isaiah Thomas or Michael Jordan ... Greatest sports thrill: Having my jersey put in a glass case ... Enjoys dancing movies, eating, sleeping, and talking.

33 Heather Doud

Post • 5-11 • Senior

Corvallis, Oregon • Santiam Christian HS '98

Biola University



2001-02: All-Conference candidate who will be counted on for plenty of points and rebounds ... Top returning player in minutes (783, 30.1 mpg) and rebounds (158, 6.1 rpg) ... Can score in the low post or hit the three ... Quality defender and rebounder.

2000-01: Started all 26 games after transferring from Biola ... Ranked

eighth in the NWC in three-point pct. (.347), 10th in three-point field goals per game (1.00), 13th in rebounding (6.1), 15th in blocks (0.50) and 16th in scoring (10.2) ... Led the team in minutes (783, 30.1 mpg), second in rebounds (158, 6.1 rpg) and three-pt field goal pct. (.347), and third in field goals (99), fg attempts (241), three-point field goals (26), three-point attempts (75), and scoring (264 pts, 10.2 ppg) ... Scored 1,000th career point while hitting 6-9 from the floor vs. PLU in NWC Tournament title game ... Named NWC Player of the Week (Dec. 18-24) while averaging 16 ppg and 7 rpg in two games and leading team to championship of the Desert Shootout in Las Vegas ... Scored Bruin career-high 26 vs. St. Mary's in Desert Shootout (career high is 31 vs. Vanguard while at Biola) ... Led the team in scoring four times and in rebounds five times ... Had 16 games in double-figure scoring and four in rebounds ... Grabbed GFU career high 13 rebounds vs. Willamette ... Had three double-doubles in points and rebounds (11-11 at Cascade, 12-11 at Evergreen State, 10-11 vs. Warner Pacific) ... Set GFU career highs in free throws (5) and ft% (1.000, 5-5) at Pacific ... Blocked career-high three shots vs. Puget Sound ... Had a career-high five assists vs. PLU ... Played 40 minutes in a game 3 times.

Biola University: Earned two letters under coach Amber Andreassen at Biola ... 1999-2000: First Team All-Golden State Athletic Conference ... Averaged 12.4 ppg and 5.8 rpg as a starter while shooting .502 from the field and .622 from the line ... Reached double figures in scoring 20 times, with 20 or more six times ... Had high of 31 at Vanguard ... Led the Lady Eagles in scoring eight times and in rebounds 18 times ... Had high of 12 rebounds vs. California Baptist ... 1998-99: First Team All-Conference as a freshman ... Made dean's list both years.

HS: Earned four letters under Debbie Holte at Santiam Christian High ... Scored 1,194 points in her career ... 1997-98: Averaged 17.1 ppg, 8.6 rpg, shooting .455 from the field and .739 from the line ... Had 105 steals, 72 assists, and 40 blocks ... First Team All-State 2A ... Oregon All-Star ... Second

Players

Team All-Region ... 1996-97: All-West Valley League First Team ... Second Team All-State 2A ... Team won state championship ... 1995-96: Team won league title and placed second in state ... Earned four letters in volleyball, winning 2A Player of the Year awards in junior and senior seasons ... Led team to a state title in '97 ... Class valedictorian ... West Valley League Scholar-Athlete ... Member of National Honor Society ... Received U.S. Army Reserve National Scholar-Athlete Award.

Personal: Born Oct. 19, 1979, in Corvallis, Ore. ... Daughter of Phil and Sharon Doud ... Health and Christian ministries interdisciplinary major ... Future plans: To possibly get my master's in teaching ... Favorite book: Anything by Bodie Thoenes ... Favorite movie: *Bandits* ... Favorite food: Ice cream ... Greatest sports thrill: Winning the state championship in volleyball my senior year ... Enjoys playing the piano, reading, hanging out with family and friend, and dogs.

Career Statistics (98-00 at Biola)

Year	G-S	FG-A	Pct	3Pt-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Reb	Rpg	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Blk	St	Pts	Ppg
98-99	33-33	154-285	.540	11-29	.379	49-81	.605	226	6.8	61-0	62	98	14	63	368	11.2
99-00	30-30	153-305	.502	10-49	.204	56-90	.622	173	5.8	57-0	59	92	5	44	372	12.4
Biola	63-63	307-590	.520	21-78	.269	105-171	.614	399	6.3	118-0	121	190	19	107	740	11.8
00-01	26-26	99-241	.411	26-75	.347	40-54	.741	158	6.1	48-0	41	45	13	28	264	10.2
3 yrs	89-89	406-831	.489	47-153	.307	145-225	.644	557	6.3	166-0	162	235	32	135	1,004	11.3

22 Mandy Dunham

Wing • 5-10 • Freshman

Richland, Washington • Liberty Christian HS '01

2001-02: Appears ready to step in immediately to provide instant offense from the outside ... Excels at moving without the ball to get open ... Finds ways to create her own shot.



HS: Earned four letters for coach Steve Dunham, her father, at Liberty Christian High ... Became 15th player in Washington history to score over 2,000 career points ... 2000-01: First Team All-State Class B ... First Team All-Blue Mountain League for third year in a row ... League MVP for second straight year ... 1999-2000: First

Team All-League for second year in a row ... League MVP ... 1998-99: First Team All-League ... Also played soccer ... Class valedictorian.

Personal: Born Jan. 1, 1983, in Oswego, New York ... Daughter of Steve and Nancy Dunham ... Biology major ... Future plans: To go into optometry ... Favorite book: *The Green Mile* ... Favorite movie: *The Cutting Edge* ... Favorite food: Fruit snacks ... Favorite athlete: Kate Starbird.

25 Amy Fitch

Wing • 5-8 • Sophomore

Ritzville, Washington • Ritzville HS '00



2001-02: Academic junior with three years of eligibility left ... Talented outside shooter who will provide a spark either as a starter at wing or as a top sub ... All-around athlete who has three-point range and can take the ball to the hoop ... Will be counted on to become a consistent scoring threat.

2000-01: Played in all 26 games off the bench ... Had one game of double-figure scoring (10 vs. Cascade) ... Grabbed seven rebounds in very first game at Cascade ... Scored eight points and pulled down six rebounds vs. St. Mary's in Desert Shootout.

JC: Attended Spokane Falls Community College, but did not play ball due to injury.

HS: Earned four letters under coach Howard Manke at Ritzville High ... 1998-99: Averaged 12 points, 5 rebounds,

four assists and three steals a game ... First Team All-Bi-County League ... Team captain and MVP ... Team finished fourth in state Class B tournament ... 1997-98: Helped team to state B championship for second straight year ... 1996-97: Played for state B champions ... Also won four letters in both volleyball and track ... State high jump champion in '96 ... Member of National Honor Society.

Personal: Born July 8,

1981, in Spokane, Wash. ... Daughter of Scott and Theresa Fitch ... Elementary education major ... Favorite movie: *Pay It Forward* ... Favorite food: Chicken enchilada casserole ... Favorite athlete: Michael Jordan ... Greatest sports thrill: State Class B girls track champions in '96.

Career Statistics

Year	G-S	FG-A	Pct	3Pt-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Reb	Rpg	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Blk	St	Pts	Ppg
00-01	26-0	30-91	.330	10-26	.385	6-9	.667	66	2.5	39-0	36	28	5	9	76	2.9



Sophomore wing Amy Fitch

34 Christine McCandless

Post • 5-11 • Freshman

Medford, Oregon • Cascade Christian HS '00



2001-02: Academic sophomore with four years of eligibility ... Greatly improved both strength and skills with hard off-season work ... Will provide depth at either post position this year.

2000-01: Redshirted as a freshman.

HS: Earned four letters under coach Loren King at Cascade Christian High in Jacksonville, Ore. ... 1999-2000:

First Team All-Southern Cascade Conference and CO-MVP of the league ... Third Team All-State Class 2A ... Led team to state playoffs ... 1998-99: Second Team All-Conference ... Led team to state playoffs ... 1997-98: Honorable Mention All-Conference ... 1996-97: Played for state playoff team ... Also earned four letters in volleyball ... Posted 3.8 GPA.

Personal: Born Dec. 18, 1981, in Fullerton, Calif. ... Daughter of Bill and Anne McCandless ... Fitness management major, biology minor ... Future plans: To enjoy my college experience, graduate, attend physical therapy school, and possibly coach ... Favorite book: The Bible ... Favorite food: Ice cream ... Greatest sports thrill: Beating the defending champions my senior year at state ... Enjoys spending time with the team, other friends, and being active.

40 Sarah Myhre

Post • 6-0 • Freshman

Corvallis, Oregon • Crescent Valley HS '01



2001-02: Expected to be a solid backup inside this season ... Can play either center or strong forward ... Very quick for a post ... Ability to shoot the jump hook with either hand will make her hard to defend.

HS: Earned four letters for coach Craig Ellingson at Crescent Valley High ... 2000-01: First Team All-

Valley League ... 1999-2000: Second Team All-League ... Made All-Tournament at Gillette Energy Classic ... Team won Valley League championship all four years ... Team placed sixth in state 4A tournament her freshman year, fourth in junior year, and fifth in senior year ... Also won three letters in volleyball

... Member of National Honor Society ... Placed in top 5 percent of graduating class.

Personal: Born June 22, 1983, in Silverton, Ore. ...

Daughter of Jim and Laura Myhre ... Father played basketball and mother played volleyball at Northwest College ...

Undeclared major ... Future plans: To be a professional mini-van-driving soccer mom ... Favorite book: *The Hawk and the Jewel* ... Favorite movie: *Life is Beautiful* ... Favorite food:

Chicken fajitas ... Favorite athlete: Tiger Woods ... Greatest sports thrill: Beating cross-town rivals after our first loss to them in eight years ... Enjoys hiking, camping, dancing around the house, and reading.

5 Nicole Prazeau

Wing • 5-10 • Senior

Portland, Oregon • Central Catholic HS '98



2001-02: All-Conference candidate ... Top returning player in scoring (304 pts, 11.7 ppg), field goals and attempts (118-279), fg pct (.423), three-point field goals and attempts (33-88), and three-point fg pct. (.375) ... Ranks seventh in career free throw pct. (.729) ... Clutch player who hits the pressure shot when needed ...

Excellent one-on-one skills ... Great penetrator and slasher to the basket ... Strong defender who can dominate opposing guards ... Appears ready to combine athletic ability and basketball skills to take her game to higher levels.

2000-01: Started all 26 games at wing ... Named Second Team All-Northwest Conference for second year in a row ... Ranked sixth in the NWC in threes per game (1.27), seventh in three-pt fg% (.375), 12th in scoring (11.7), 14th in blocks (0.58), and 15th in field goal pct. (.423) ... Named to D3hoops.com Team of the Week (Dec. 4-10) ... Led the Bruins in field goal attempts (279), and three-point fg pct. (.375) ... Was second in field goals (118), fg pct. (.423), three-pointers made and attempted (33-88), points and scoring (304, 11.7 ppg), and third in minutes (744, 28.6 mpg), rebounds (116, 4.5 rpg), blocked shots (15), and steals (30) ... Led the team in scoring four times ... Scored in double figures 14 times, with 20+ three times ... Set career high with 27 points vs. Cascade, including personal best of five threes ... Matched that performance with 27 points while grabbing seven rebounds at Puget Sound ... Scored 20 points vs. St. Mary's (Md.) in Desert Shootout in Las Vegas ... Scored nine points in three-minute span to put Bruins ahead for good in second half vs.

Players



Senior wing Nicole Prazneau

DePauw in Desert Shootout title game ... Sank three-pointer with a minute left to break 58-58 tie and put Bruins ahead for good in 68-64 win vs. Warner Pacific ... Grabbed a season-high nine rebounds at Whitman, one short of career high ... Set personal mark for free throw pct. (1.000, 8-8) and tied career high in free throws (8) vs. Willamette.

1999-2000: Second Team All-Northwest Conference ... Finished 11th in the NWC in free throw pct. (.728), 19th in scoring (9.5

ppg) and rebounding (4.9 rpg) ... Appeared in all 28 games with 27 starts ... Led the team in minutes played (749, 26.8 mpg) ... Was second in field goals (95), free throws (59), free throw attempts (81), free throw pct. (.728), steals (39), and steals per game (1.39) ... Finished third in points (267) and scoring (9.5 ppg) ... Had 15 games in double digit scoring, highlighted by a 20-point performance that tied career best vs. Southern Oregon ... Led team in scoring four times with 20 at Southern Oregon, 13 at Cal State-Monterey Bay, 15 vs. Western Baptist, and 11 at Whitworth ... Led team in rebounding once with career-high 10 vs. Willamette ... Tied for leading rebounder with eight at Southern Oregon ... Also had 10 boards at Whitman ... Tied career high with five steals vs. Northwest..

1998-99: Started all 24 games as a true freshman ... Was second on the team in three-point field goal attempts (92), third in scoring (10.8), field goals (91), field goal attempts (253), three-pointers (25), free throw attempts (74), and blocked shots (7) ... Scored in double figures 14 times, with high of 20 at Seattle ... Had five straight double-figure scoring games in middle of conference play ... Had high of eight rebounds vs. Lewis & Clark ... Made career-high five steals at Seattle.

HS: Coached by Glen Lee at Central Catholic High ... Was a teammate of new Bruin Darby Cave ... Holds school career scoring record with 667 points ... Earned three letters ...

1997-98: Second Team All-Mt. Hood League ... Team MVP ... Averaged 14.8 ppg, 5.5 rpg, 1.3 apg, and 1.7 spg ... 996-97: First Team All-League ... Team MVP ... Also lettered in softball.

Personal: Born April 11, 1980, in Portland, Ore. ... Daughter of Robert and Sandra Prazneau ... Interdisciplinary major (business, psychology, sociology) ... Favorite book: *I Know This Much Is True* ... Favorite movie: *Love and Basketball* ... Favorite food: Burritos and anything Mexican ... Favorite athlete: Joey Harrington ... Greatest sports thrill: Going to the "Sweet 16" in the 1999-2000 season ... Enjoys shopping, the sun, "hangin' out with my cooks," and "buzzin' around Troutdale" eating Mexican food.

Career Statistics

Year	G-S	FG-A	Pct	3Pt-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Reb	Rpg	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Blk	St	Pts	Ppg
98-99	24-24	91-253	.360	25-92	.272	51-74	.689	72	3.0	60-0	31	69	7	33	258	10.8
99-00	28-27	95-267	.356	18-61	.295	59-81	.728	137	4.9	47-0	59	39	7	39	267	9.5
00-01	26-26	118-279	.423	33-88	.375	35-44	.795	116	4.5	53-0	51	53	15	30	304	11.7
3 yrs	78-77	304-799	.381	76-241	.315	145-199	.729	325	4.2	160-0	138	157	29	102	829	10.6

50 Emily Ruggles

Post • 5-11 • Junior

Eugene, Oregon • South Eugene HS '99



2001-02: Hard work during the off-season will earn her solid minutes this year ... Has expanded skills to enable her to play anywhere from small forward to center ... Outstanding jumping and shot-blocking ability ... Has a good knowledge of the game.

2000-01: Made eight appearances off the bench ... Scored career-high

seven points on two-three shooting with four rebounds vs. Pacific ... Grabbed career-high six rebounds vs. Whitman.

1999-2000: Played in four games in a limited role ...

Grabbed three rebounds with an assist and a steal at California State-Monterey Bay ... Had first blocked shot at Whitman.

HS: Coached by Jim Denker at South Eugene High ... Two-year letterwinner ... 1998-99: Averaged two ppg, two rpg, and one apg for league and state 4A championship team ... 1997-98: Played for team that finished first in league and fourth in state ... Graduated with honors ... Named to "Who's Who Among American High School Students" as a senior ... Member of National Honor Society in junior and senior years.

Personal: Born November 25, 1980, in Sacramento, Calif. ... Daughter of Allen and Kathy Ruggles ... Spanish major ...

Favorite book: *Their Eyes Were Watching God*, by Zora Neale Hurston ... Favorite movie: *Roman Holiday* ... Favorite food: Italian ... Favorite athlete: Joey Harrington ... Enjoys eating, napping, playing guitar, tennis, and golf.

Career Statistics

Year	G-S	FG-A	Pct	3Pt-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Reb	Rpg	PF-FD	Ast	TO	Blk	St	Pts	Ppg
99-00	4-0	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	5	1.3	0-0	1	1	1	1	0	0.0
00-01	8-0	4-17	.235	3-9	.333	5-7	.714	20	2.5	8-0	1	3	0	2	16	2.0
2 yrs	12-0	4-18	.235	3-9	.333	5-7	.714	25	2.1	8-0	2	4	1	3	16	1.3

30 Kellie Thomas

Wing • 5-10 • Freshman

Medford, Oregon • South Medford HS '01



2001-02: Called "the most fundamentally-sound wing I've coached" by Coach Rueck ... Exceptional ball-handler with either hand ... Has a textbook jumper with three-point range ... Loaded with potential.

HS: Earned four letters for coach Andrea Jaime at South Medford High ... Set school records for points, assists,

and games played, and second all-time in steals and rebounds ... 2000-01: First Team All-Southern Oregon Conference for third straight year ... Team MVP ... Team had second-highest GPA (3.85) in the state ... 1999-2000: First Team All-Conference for second straight year ... Averaged 14.5 points and five rebounds a game while hitting 40 percent on field goals, 37 percent on threes, and 77 percent on free throws ... Team's Best Defensive Player ... 1998-99: First Team All-Conference ... Team's Best Offensive and Best Defensive Player ... Also lettered in volleyball, track, and golf ... Named a Scholar-Athlete in three sports for four years ... Received U.S. Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete of the Year Award as a senior.

Personal: Born Oct. 8, 1982, in Medford, Ore. ... Daughter of Daren and Barbara Thomas ... Education major ... Future plans: To get a good education in a field I love, get married, and raise a family ... Favorite book: *The Bible* ... Favorite movies: *While You Were Sleeping*, and *Knight's Tale* ... Favorite food: Carrots, apples, and pizza ... Favorite athlete: Eric Fiegi ... Greatest sports thrills: Making a game-winning three-point shot to get us into the playoffs and ultimately to state as a senior, and breaking the South Medford scoring record ... Enjoys volleyball, hanging out with friends, and movies.

20 Becky Thompson

Point Guard • 5-8 • Senior

Colton, Oregon • Colton HS '98



2001-02: All-Conference candidate who has started at point since her first game ... Top returning player in free throws and attempts (68-91), assists (96, 3.7 apg), blocked shots (16, 0.62 bspg), and steals (56, 2.15 spg) ... Ranks fourth all-time in assists (274) and free throw pct. (.747), seventh in steals (158) ... Best overall athlete on team ... Excellent defender ... Good rebounding point guard ... Provides steadiness and leadership ... Will be looking for her shot more often ... Team co-captain ... "We'll go as far as she can take us," says Rueck.

2000-01: Second Team All-Northwest Conference selection ... Ranked first in the NWC in assists/turnovers ratio (2.00:1), fourth in assists (3.69), fifth in steals (2.15), eighth in free-throw pct. (.747), 13th in blocked shots (0.62), and 25th in scoring (8.3) ... Scored in double figures six times, with high of 15 vs. Willamette and Whitworth ... Led the team in scoring for the only time all season with 15 vs. Whitworth ... Led the team twice in rebounds with career-high 10 vs. Lewis & Clark and seven vs. Cascade ... Just missed a triple-double vs. Lewis & Clark with 10 rebounds, career-high 12 assists (1 short of team record), and nine points ... Broke the record for steals in a game with nine vs. Whitworth ... Set personal record for field goal pct. (.833, 5-6) at Linfield ... Sank 7-7 free throws vs. Lewis & Clark, setting new personal free throw mark (1.000), and 6-6 vs. Puget Sound ... Hit 5-6 free throws in last three minutes to help hold off Whitworth on the road.

1999-2000: Honorable Mention All-Northwest Conference ... Led the NWC in assists/turnovers ratio (100 assists/76 turnovers, 1.32), finishing third in assists (3.57 apg) and 13th in steals (1.86 spg) ... Appeared in all 28 games with 27 starts ... Team leader in three-point field goal pct. (.400, but did not have enough made to qualify for conference leaders), assists (100, 3.57 apg), and steals (52, 1.86 spg) ... Scored in double digits three times with 16 points vs. Concordia-Portland, 11 at Willamette, and 15 vs. Linfield in first round of the NCAA Tournament ... Led team in rebounds twice with seven at Puget Sound and career-high eight at Pacific Lutheran ... Led or tied for team lead in assists 16 times, with high of seven vs. Linfield in homecoming game ... Led or tied for team lead in steals eight times, with high of five in season opener vs. California State-Hayward.

Players

1998-99: Earned starting point guard slot as a true freshman ... Led the team in assists (78), steals (50), and free throw percentage (.825) ... second in three-point percentage (.321) and minutes played per game (28.9), third in free throws (52) ... Scored in double figures five times, with career high of 19, including 10 of 11 free throws, vs. Puget Sound ... Passed out a high of eight assists vs. Kalamazoo ... Grabbed high of seven rebounds in back-to-back games at Linfield and vs. Puget Sound.

HS: Coached by father, Vic Thompson, Oregon 2A Coach of the Year, at Colton High ... Earned four letters ... 1997-98: First Team Oregon 2A All-State Team ... First Team Oregon 2A State All-Tournament Team ... Tri-River League Player of the Year ... Averaged 15.1 ppg, 6.6 apg, 6.5 spg, and only 1.6 turnovers per game ... Scored 20 points in championship game as team won state title ... 1996-97: First Team Oregon 2A All-State Team ... Second Team Oregon 2A state All-Tournament Team ... Tri-River League Player of the Year ... Team finished fifth in state tournament ... Was a First Team All-State softball player.

Personal: Born Sept. 23, 1980, in Oregon City, Ore. ... Daughter of Victor and Linda Thompson ... Business management major ... Favorite book: *Gloomy Gus* ... Favorite movie: *Tommy Boy* ... Favorite food: Pasta and chicken ... Favorite athletes: Aaron Milner and Sean Linder ... Enjoys playing the banjo, "searching for Bigfoot," "skippin' around campus," and "outdoor fun in da hot, hot sun."

Career Statistics

Year	G-S	FG-A	Pct	3Pt-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Reb	Rpg	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Blk	St	Pts	Ppg
98-99	23-23	49-101	.485	17-53	.321	52-63	.825	67	2.9	58-0	78	47	6	50	167	7.3
99-00	28-27	53-117	.453	24-60	.400	40-62	.645	98	3.5	64-2	100	76	9	52	170	6.1
00-01	26-26	66-128	.516	16-47	.340	68-91	.747	113	4.3	67-2	96	48	16	56	216	8.3
3 yrs	77-76	168-346	.486	57-160	.356	160-216	.741	278	3.6	189-4	274	171	31	158	553	7.2



Senior point guard Becky Thompson

14 Shai Workman

Wing • 5-8 • Junior

Moscow, Idaho • Moscow HS '98

California Lutheran University



2001-02: Academic senior with two years of eligibility left ... Will provide depth at wing ... A three-point threat with good passing ability.

2000-01: Transferred from California Lutheran after sitting out the year before ... Scored first Bruin points with 2-2 free throws vs. Cascade ... Made first Bruin three-pointer vs.

Whitman ... Had Bruin career high of four points vs. St. Mary's in Desert Shootout ... Set personal high of five assists vs. Dordt in Taco John's/ Subway Classic.

CLU: Sat out as a sophomore ... Earned a letter as a freshman under coach Tim Lakose in 98-99 ... Appeared in 13 games off the bench and scored six points.

HS: Earned two letters under coach Robin Barnes at Moscow High ... 1997-98: Team captain ... Won Most Inspirational award ... Captured district championship in 1600 meters as a junior ... Also played volleyball.

Personal: Born March 19, 1980, in Sandpoint, Idaho ... Daughter of Mark and Mary Ann Workman ... Older brother Brandon was a cross country and track All-American at George Fox ... International business major ... Future plans: To teach high school ... Favorite book: *The Godfather* ... Favorite movie: *A River Runs Through It* ... Favorite food: Sour Patch Kids ... Favorite athlete: Michael Jordan ... Greatest sports thrill: Winning districts in the 1600 ... Hobbies and interests: Fly fishing, running, watching Friends, listening to Dave Matthews.

Career Statistics (98-00 at California Lutheran)

Year	G-S	FG-A	Pct	3Pt-A	Pct	FT-A	Pct	Reb	Rpg	PF-FO	Ast	TO	Blk	St	Pts	Ppg
98-99	13-0	3-10	.300	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	5	0.4	5-0	4	3	0	2	6	0.5
99-00	— did not play —															
CLU	13-0	3-10	.300	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	5	0.4	5-0	4	3	0	2	6	0.5
00-01	10-0	5-15	.333	1-7	.143	3-4	.750	7	0.7	6-0	7	12	0	7	14	1.4
2 yrs	23-0	8-25	.320	1-10	.100	3-4	.750	12	0.5	11-0	11	15	0	9	20	0.9

About GFU

Wheeler Sports Center: A Natural Place for Sports

Entered by crossing a wooded canyon on a 200-foot bridge, the Coleman H. Wheeler Center for Sports and Physical Education, home of the George Fox Bruins' volleyball and men's and women's basketball teams, is a natural place to play sports of all sorts.

The sports center was designed by noted architect Pietro Belluschi to sit unpretentiously alongside tree-shaded Hess Creek canyon. Built using gifts from prominent lumbermen, the building features a two-level oak parquet lobby and a large window area overlooking the adjacent natural terrain.

Completed in June 1977, the \$2.7 million, 55,000-square-foot complex is the University's largest building. It contains the James and Lila Miller Gymnasium, the Bruins' home court, with a seating capacity of 2,750.

The Wheeler Center features a 116 x 174-foot gymnasium with three full-length basketball courts, three volleyball courts, and 10 badminton courts. The ceilings are 32 feet above the hardwood maple floor.

The building may be entered on two levels. The east-side ground level is accessible from the parking lot by crossing the footbridge. The on-campus community enters on the west-side second floor.

Contained on the upper level are a staff room, multipurpose room, classrooms, and athletic administration and faculty



offices. A 1,500-square-foot weight room was remodeled in the summer of 1993. The lower level contains a concession area, dressing rooms, team rooms, laundry, equipment-issuing room, and storage space. An east wing of the building houses two racquetball courts.

The building is named for longtime Oregon lumberman Coleman H. Wheeler, former chairman of the board of Willamette Industries. The gymnasium is named for former George Fox board member James Miller and his wife, Lila. James Miller is also the former president of Cascadia Lumber Co.

Background on the Bruin Nickname

George Fox University's Bruin nickname comes from a real bear captured in 1887, two years after Pacific Academy (the University's predecessor) was established. The young cub was found in the Coast Range foothills west of Carlton after its mother was shot. It was brought to Newberg and raised for a while as a pet.

After the bear grew to adulthood, it was given to Professor Roy Hartley, who kept it in a pit in Hess Creek canyon, south of campus. When the bruin escaped one too many times, it was turned into steak for the dining table, and the bearskin was preserved on a frame and displayed in an early campus museum. By the 1930s, the hide had deteriorated, and eventually it was taken to a furnace room to be destroyed. The framework proved to be a problem in dismantling, however, and the pelt was left standing in a corner.



Some students "rescued" the old bearskin and later began skirmishes over its ownership, a tradition that continues today. Though the original hide has long since been destroyed, "Bruin Junior" has reappeared in various forms over the years and is fought over periodically in class competitions. According to the rules, which have been passed down for decades, the class that is able to drag the Bruin replica off campus is declared the rightful owner until the next time it is displayed or "flashed" on campus.

Today's version of Bruin Junior — a leather teddy bear designed to withstand the rigors of competition over ownership — has traveled to Europe and Australia, and stories abound of creative flashings and the spirited "brawls" that ensued. Only time will tell when the next flashing will occur and this longstanding tradition will resume.

Coaches

Scott Rueck

Head Coach

In just five years, Scott Rueck has established himself as one of the brightest new lights on the horizon of college coaching — at any level. In that time, he has guided the George Fox University women's basketball team to a 95-33 record for a winning percentage of .742, four postseason playoff appearances, and national recognition in the top 20 of the NCAA Division III.

The Bruins' record has improved in each of Rueck's five seasons at the helm, culminating in last year's record-setting year. In 2000-01, the Bruins went 23-3, tying the previous year's record for wins in a season, and establishing an all-time high in winning percentage (.885). The team had a winning streak of nine and 11 games, the latter tying another record. After climbing to 20-1, the Bruins were voted the No. 1 team in all of Division III, a spot they held for two weeks before ending the regular season at No. 4. A 15-1 record in Northwest Conference play gave the Bruins the league title and an automatic berth in the NCAA National Tournament, where the season came to an end with a loss to St. Thomas (Minn.) in the second round after receiving a first-round bye.

For those accomplishments, Rueck, whose team had been picked to win the conference, was named Co-Coach of the Year. He had won conference coaching honors outright the year before for leading the Bruins to a 23-5 record, an NWC co-championship (the team's first-ever), two NCAA playoff wins, and a No. 19 national ranking.

Rueck, 32, has 12 years of coaching experience. While still a student at Oregon State University, he began his coaching career as an assistant boys' basketball coach at Santiam Christian High School in Corvallis, working there from 1989-93. From 1993-95, he served as a women's basketball assistant under George Fox head coach Sherri Murrell, during which the Bruins went 37-23 and made two NAIA postseason appearances. In 1995-96, he coached the Bruin women's tennis team.

When Murrell left after the 1995-96 season, Rueck was named interim head coach for a year, then was made permanent head coach after a national search that yielded four finalists. The Bruins have posted winning records in each of his four years as head coach, with the record improving each succeeding year. His players have earned four NAIA All-American and 10 All-Northwest Conference awards.



In addition to his coaching duties, Rueck also teaches courses in the Department of Health and Human Performance. He is in his eighth year as director of Victory Hoop Camp for Portland youth.

A graduate of Glencoe High School in Hillsboro, Ore., Rueck comes from a basketball family. His sister, 1995 George Fox graduate Heidi Rueck, set the school's career, season, and single-game assist records as an NAIA All-American point guard. His father, Marv Rueck, was a longtime member of the basketball coaching staffs at Hillsboro Union and Glencoe high schools, including a season as head coach when Glencoe opened in 1980.

Rueck earned his bachelor's degree in exercise and sports science in 1991, and a master of arts degree in physical education teaching in 1992, both from Oregon State. He and his wife, the former Kerry Aillaud, who played basketball for George Fox from 1993-95, reside in Newberg.

Scott Rueck's Record (1996-2001)

Year	School	Overall	Pct.	Conf.	Pct.
1996-97	George Fox	15-10	.600	11-5	.688
1997-98	George Fox	16-9	.640	13-5	.722
1998-99	George Fox	18-6	.750	14-4	.778
1999-00	George Fox	23-5	.821	14-2	.825
2000-01	George Fox	23-3	.885	15-1	.937
5 years		95-33	.742	67-17	.798

Honors

1999-00 Northwest Conference Coach of the Year

2000-01 Northwest Conference Co-Coach of the Year

Scott Rueck vs. All Opponents

Team	Overall	Home	Road	Neutral
Azusa Pacific	0-1	-	0-1	-
California Lutheran	1-0	1-0	-	-
Cal State-Hayward	1-0	1-0	-	-
Cal State-Monterey Bay	1-0	-	1-0	-
Cascade	2-0	1-0	1-0	-
Concordia-Portland	4-0	2-0	2-0	-
DePauw	1-0	-	-	1-0
Dordt	1-0	-	-	1-0
Evergreen State	1-0	-	1-0	-
Hamline	1-0	1-0	-	-
Holy Names	0-1	-	0-1	-
Kalamazoo	1-0	-	-	1-0
Lewis & Clark	10-0	5-0	5-0	-
Linfield	8-3	5-1	3-2	-
Menlo	1-0	1-0	-	-
Montana Tech	1-0	1-0	-	-
Northwest	0-1	0-1	-	-
Northwest Nazarene	0-1	0-1	-	-
Northwestern IA	0-1	-	0-1	-
Pacific	10-0	5-0	5-0	-
Pacific Lutheran	6-6	4-2	2-4	-
Puget Sound	7-4	5-0	2-4	-
Rio Grande	0-1	-	-	0-1
St. Mary's MD	1-0	-	-	1-0
St. Scholastica	0-1	-	-	0-1
St. Thomas MN	0-2	0-1	-	0-1
Savannah Art & Design	1-0	-	-	1-0
Seattle	4-1	3-0	1-1	-
Southern Oregon	1-0	-	1-0	-
Vanguard (So. Cal. C.)	1-0	-	1-0	-
Warner Pacific	1-0	1-0	-	-
Western Baptist	4-3	2-2	1-1	1-0
Western Oregon	0-2	0-1	0-1	-
Whitman	10-0	5-0	5-0	-
Whitworth	7-3	5-0	2-3	-
Willamette	8-2	5-0	3-2	-
Totals	95-33	53-9	36-21	6-3

Kerry Rueck Assistant Coach

Kerry Rueck, who married head coach Scott Rueck in 1996, is in her fourth season as an assistant coach for the George Fox women's basketball team.



Rueck first came to George Fox as a transfer student from Skagit Valley Community College, and played as Kerry

Aillaud on the nationally ranked 1993-94 and 1994-95 teams. Arguably the best outside shooter in team history, she holds school records for three-point accuracy in a season (.414) and a career (.388), and held the record for most three-pointers in a career (119) until it was broken this past season by Tabitha Greller. She held team records for three-pointers made in a game (5) and in a season (61) until they were broken in 1998-99 by Christy Brock.

Rueck earned her bachelor of arts degree in elementary education in 1995 from George Fox, and now teaches fifth grade in the Newberg School District. The Ruecks reside in Newberg.

Mike Warmanen Assistant Coach

Mike Warmanen is now in his fifth year assisting the women's basketball team at George Fox.

Warmanen brings to the program head coaching experience at both the high school and college levels. A native



of Forest Grove, Ore., he was an All-Northwest League point guard for Portland Adventist before graduat-

ing in 1989. He went on to play two seasons at Walla Walla College in Walla Walla, Wash. He coached the boys' team at Portland Adventist Academy for three seasons (1991-1994), and was head men's coach at Walla Walla College for a year (1994-95).

In addition to coaching, Warmanen is an account executive for ABCO Marketing in Milwaukie, Ore. He lives in Wilsonville, Ore.



Support Staff

Craig Taylor

Athletics Director



Craig Taylor is in his 14th year as George Fox University athletics director, but he has been associated with the Bruins for 28 years as player, coach, and professor. Taylor, 50, first came to George Fox in 1971 as a junior forward for the men's basketball team. In 1972-73, he helped the Bruins to their first-ever NAIA District 2 title.

Taylor graduated from George Fox in 1974, receiving honors as the Outstanding Man in Teacher Education and Outstanding Physical Education Major. He received a master of science degree in education from Linfield College in 1975. While enrolled in graduate courses, he was a George Fox residence hall director.

From 1976-79, Taylor was the Bruins baseball coach while serving as assistant basketball coach. He worked at a sporting goods retailing firm from 1979-81, but returned to George Fox as coach of the women's basketball team from 1981-93, producing a 162-155 record. He also coached the softball team from 1981-88 and again in 1990, compiling a 77-99-1 record. In 1985 he was named NAIA District 2 Softball Coach of the Year.

At George Fox, Taylor is responsible for athletics department functions, including eligibility and compliance with George Fox, Northwest Conference, and NCAA regulations; budgeting; and department and sports center management. In 1992, he was named NAIA District 2 Administrator of the Year.

Taylor and his wife, Kathy, live in McMinnville and have three children: Leah, 27; Bree, 22, a 2001 George Fox graduate who played volleyball for the Bruins; and Casey, 12.

Pat Bailey

Associate Athletics Director



Pat Bailey begins his seventh year as George Fox's baseball coach and fourth year as associate athletics director, with primary responsibilities for all athletics fund raising. Under his leadership, plans are well under way for a major renovation of the Curtis and Margaret Morse Athletic Fields, which will result in improvements,

grandstands, and lights for the Bruins soccer, softball, and baseball venues.

Bailey is also director of the Bruin Club, George Fox's athlet-

ic booster organization. He chairs the Sports Hall of Fame Selection Committee, and assists in game management for fall and winter sports. His baseball teams have compiled a 164-82 record and have won or tied for three Northwest Conference titles, with Bailey earning NWC Coach of the Year honors in 1997, 1999, and 2000.

Bailey lives in Newberg with his wife, Susan, son Alex, 18, and daughter Ann, 15.

Patty Findley

Athletics Department Secretary



Patty Findley has worked at George Fox for the past 17 years, the last four as the athletics department secretary. She is responsible for office management, coordination of class schedules for professors in the Department of Health and Human Performance, and supervision of the athletics department Work-Study students. A staunch

supporter of all George Fox teams, she is official scorer for women's basketball games and helps out wherever she can, even taking a turn working in the concession stand if the need arises.

Findley is a graduate of Newberg High School. After her children had the "audacity to grow up," she worked for the school district for four years before coming to George Fox in 1984 to work in the departments of teacher education/communications. She continues to serve the University community as a member of the Safety Committee, the Staff Development Committee, and the Serve Day Committee. She and her husband of 41 years, Jack, are active in the Newberg Friends Church, and have four children and eight grandchildren.

Her favorite verse (and e-mail signature!), which is her prayer for every student at George Fox, is Luke 1:80, "And the child grew and became strong in spirit."

Dale Isaak

Athletic Training Education Program Director



Dale Isaak, a member of the George Fox staff since 1995, has been named director of the athletic training education program, supervising all student athletic training activities and studies at the University, after six years as the head athletic trainer.

Isaak came to George Fox as the head athletic trainer and assistant pro-

fessor in the Department of Health and Human Performance following a stint as the head athletic trainer for Hopkins High School in Minnetonka, Minn., and athletic trainer for the Institute for Athletic Medicine in Minneapolis.

A 1990 graduate of Willamette University, Isaak also holds a master of science degree in physical education/athletic training from Indiana State University, and a master of education in physical education from the University of Minnesota. He and his wife, Marin, live in Wilsonville.

Karen Hostetter

Head Athletic Trainer



Karen Hostetter steps in as the head athletic trainer at George Fox after one year as the assistant athletic trainer, and also serves as an assistant professor in the Department of Health and Human Performance. She joined the staff in mid-August 2000 after three years as an athletic trainer at Kennedy High School in Anaheim, Calif.

A native of Gig Harbor, Wash., Hostetter earned her bachelor's degree in physical education at Seattle Pacific University in 1988, then spent five years with a physical therapy clinic in Southern California that contracted with area high schools. She received athletic training certification in 1993, and completed a master's in kinesiology at California State University-Fullerton in 1997. She is single, resides in Newberg, and enjoys hiking, biking, and camping.

Byron Shenk

Assistant Athletic Trainer



Byron Shenk serves as an assistant athletic trainer, but that is just one of the many duties he has handled since coming to George Fox in 1990. He is chairperson of the Department of Health and Human Performance, in which he also teaches as a professor. He earned a national meritorious service award from the National Christian

College Athletic Association for previous service and leadership. He has coached the school's 11-year-old varsity women's soccer team from its infancy, and in 1998 was named Northwest Conference Women's Soccer Coach of the Year.

Shenk holds an undergraduate degree from Goshen College, a master's from the University of Oregon, and a doctorate in

education from the University of Virginia. He and his wife, Ina, live in McMinnville, where he is active in the Mennonite church.

Blair Cash

Sports Information Director



Blair Cash, now in his third year as sports information director at George Fox University, is responsible for publicity for the Bruins' 13 varsity sports. He also serves on the Sports Hall of Fame Selection Committee and the Dance Team Advisory Board.

Cash has run sports information offices at Belhaven (1972-77), Montevallo (1977-82), and South Alabama (1982-83). He entered full-time Christian ministry in 1983, but kept his hand in athletics as sports information volunteer at Texas-Pan American (1989-94). He returned to sports information full time in 1998 with a short stint as an assistant SID at Southwest Texas State, and six months as SID at Samford in the spring of 1999.

Cash has been information director for the NAIA's District 27, the Southern States Conference, and the Mississippi Soccer Association, and a part-time sportswriter for daily papers in Jackson and Natchez, Miss. He was a baseball official scorer for the Jackson Generals for five seasons and the Birmingham Barons for one, scored the 1999 Southeastern Conference Tournament, and now does the Portland Beavers' Pacific Coast League games.

Cash, 48, earned a Christian education degree at Belhaven in 1976, and master's degrees in divinity and Christian education at Reformed Theological Seminary in 1987. An ordained minister in the Presbyterian Church USA, he has pastored churches in Edinburg, Texas, and Natchez, Miss., and is a pulpit supply for Cascades Presbytery. He and his wife, Debbie, live in Newberg with their two children, Milton, 10, and Megan, 7.

Mike Wirta

Head Statistician



Better known as "Biggs" by his friends, Mike Wirta is in his 31st year as George Fox's basketball statistical guru. The school's most loyal fan, he begins this season with a string of keeping statistics at 446 straight George Fox men's basketball contests and 372 in a row at home. The last home game he missed was in 1972.

Support Staff

Altogether, he has seen 876 George Fox men's basketball games.

Wirta, 52, devotes many volunteer hours to compiling statistics and records for the players and teams recorded in the Bruin media guides. His vast knowledge of George Fox sports history is invaluable in his position as official historian for the school's Sports Hall of Fame Selection Committee. He also calls statistics for the women's basketball team, and handles scorebook duties for the Bruins during baseball season.

A 1974 graduate of George Fox and longtime member of the University's Plant Services staff, Wirta has the upkeep of the Wheeler Sports Center as his major responsibility. In 1988, the University's Alumni Association named him its Volunteer of the Year, just the second person to receive the designation at that time. In 1994, he received an NAIA District 2 Meritorious Service Award.

"Biggs" was inducted into the George Fox Sports Hall of Fame in 1988.



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A Record-Setting Season

A Northwest Conference title, the NCAA Div. III playoffs, and two weeks at No. 1 highlight an outstanding season for the Bruins

A record-setting year for the George Fox women's basketball team ended with a home loss to St. Thomas (Minn.) in the second round of the NCAA Division III National Championships, but that disappointment could not diminish the amazing accomplishments of the 2000-01 Bruins.

The season began with a nine-game winning streak, a new record for the start of a season. Northwestern of Iowa, the No. 2-ranked NAIA team at the time, ended that streak, but the Bruins then reeled off 11 more in a row, tying a team record set the year before. At 20-1, the Bruins climbed from a preseason ranking of 15th to the top spot in the nation, becoming the only team in the last three years other than three-time defending national champion Washington (Mo.) to be ranked No. 1.

A close loss at Willamette dropped the Bruins to No. 4, but the team bounced back to win three more, clinching an outright Northwest Conference title with a 15-1 league mark and then finishing off Pacific Lutheran in the NWC Tournament title game to earn an automatic bid to the NCAAs.

The Bruins tied the team record for wins in a season (23) and set new marks for fewest losses (3), best winning percentage (.885, 23-3), best field goal percentage in a game (.619, 26-42 vs. PLU in the NWC Tournament title game, 2/24/01), and fewest turnovers in a game (6 at Whitworth, 1/6/01). Their final ranking was 11th in the nation.

Senior center Katie Lacey was named



Katie Lacey, two-time NWC Player of the Year, member of Kodak All-American First Team, rewrote the Bruin record book by her senior year.

2000-01 Review

NWC Player of the Year for the second year in a row, while junior point guard Becky Thompson and junior wing Nicole Prazeau made Second Team All-Conference. Scott Rueck was NWC Co-Coach of the Year after winning the honor outright last year.

Lacey finished her career second in all-time scoring (1,524 points), fourth in rebounds (840), and 10th in steals (130). She holds records for career field goal percentage (.543), season shooting (.582, 1997-98), season free throws (128) and attempts (161), both in 1999-2000, best field goal percentage in a game (1.000, 6-6 at Cascade, 11/21/00), and best free throw percentage with a miss (.900, 9-10 vs. Menlo, 11/27/99). A three-time First Team All-Conference selection, she has been named to the CoSIDA Academic All-District VIII Team each of the last two seasons. She was also named to the Kodak All-America First Team, the D3hoops.com All-America Second Team, and the Little All-Northwest Second Team.

Thompson set a single game record with nine steals vs. Whitworth (11/21/00), and senior wing Tabitha Greller ended her career as the Bruins' all-time leader in three-point field goals (150) and three-point attempts (446).



Top, l to r: Jill Barram, Nicole Prazeau, and Becky Thompson play tough D.
Below: senior post Heather Doud

Results and Stats

2000-01 Results

Record	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
All Games	(23-3)	(11-1)	(9-2)	(3-0)
Conference	(15-1)	(8-0)	(7-1)	(0-0)
Nonconference	(8-2)	(3-1)	(2-1)	(3-0)

Date	Time	Opponent	Score	W/L	Att.	High Scorer	High Rebounder
11/21/00	7:00 p.m.	at Cascade	60-47	W	60	(20) Katie Lacey	(11) Heather Doud
11/27/00	7:30 p.m.	at Evergreen State	54-35	W	85	(12) Heather Doud	(11) Heather Doud
12/01/00	6:00 p.m.	* Pacific Lutheran	59-58	W	750	(22) Katie Lacey	(12) Katie Lacey
12/02/00	6:00 p.m.	* Lewis & Clark	75-66	W	250	(30) Katie Lacey	(10) Becky Thompson
12/05/00	6:00 p.m.	Cascade	82-36	W	250	(27) Nicole Prazeau	(7) Becky Thompson
12/09/00	7:30 p.m.	Warner Pacific	68-64	W	250	(17) Nicole Prazeau	(11) Heather Doud
12/19/00	3:30 p.m.	# vs St. Mary's-Md.	79-43	W	75	(26) Heather Doud	(10) Darby Cave
12/20/00	5:45 p.m.	# vs DePauw	64-58	W	100	(22) Katie Lacey	(13) Katie Lacey
12/29/00	11:00 a.m.	+ vs Dordt	82-62	W	100	(15) Jill Barram (15) Katie Lacey	(6) Katie Lacey
12/30/00	4:00 p.m.	+ at Northwestern-Iowa	58-64	L	500	(16) Nicole Prazeau	(8) Heather Doud
01/05/01	6:00 p.m.	* at Whitman	60-51	W	200	(20) Katie Lacey	(10) Katie Lacey
01/06/01	6:00 p.m.	* at Whitworth	78-74	W	231	(18) Katie Lacey	(8) Katie Lacey (8) Tabitha Greller
01/12/01	6:00 p.m.	* at Linfield	65-44	W	250	(16) Katie Lacey	(13) Katie Lacey
01/16/01	6:00 p.m.	* Willamette	73-62	W	500	(26) Katie Lacey	(13) Heather Doud
01/19/01	6:00 p.m.	* Puget Sound	65-51	W	700	(15) Jill Barram	(10) Katie Lacey
01/20/01	6:00 p.m.	* at Pacific	69-48	W	152	(16) Jill Barram	(8) Katie Lacey
01/26/01	6:00 p.m.	* Whitworth	55-49	W	750	(15) Becky Thompson	(15) Katie Lacey
01/27/01	6:00 p.m.	* Whitman	74-34	W	600	(17) Katie Lacey	(11) Katie Lacey
02/02/01	6:00 p.m.	* at Lewis & Clark	59-49	W	150	(15) Katie Lacey	(8) Katie Lacey
02/03/01	6:00 p.m.	* at Pacific Lutheran	54-51	W	310	(20) Katie Lacey	(10) Katie Lacey
02/10/01	6:00 p.m.	* Linfield	78-56	W	2,000	(21) Katie Lacey	(10) Katie Lacey
02/13/01	6:00 p.m.	* at Willamette	56-59	L	500	(15) Heather Doud	(10) Katie Lacey
02/16/01	6:00 p.m.	* Pacific	69-49	W	750	(14) Heather Doud	(9) Tabitha Greller
02/17/01	6:00 p.m.	* at Puget Sound	65-58	W	278	(27) Nicole Prazeau	(9) Heather Doud
02/24/01	7:00 p.m.	& Pacific Lutheran	63-58	W	1,200	(19) Katie Lacey	(6) Katie Lacey
03/03/01	7:00 p.m.	! St. Thomas-Minn.	52-64	L	1,500	(20) Katie Lacey	(9) Katie Lacey

* Northwest Conference game

adidas D3 Desert Shootout, Las Vegas, Nev.

+ Taco John's/Subway Classic, Orange City, Iowa

& Northwest Conference Tournament finals

! NCAA Division III National Tournament, second round

Home games in bold type

Attendance Summary:	Totals	Avg. per game
Home	9,500	792
Away	2,716	247
Neutral	275	92
Total	12,491	480



Freshman post Jessica Baynes



Freshman wing Liz Clark

Results and Stats

2000-01 Statistics

PLAYER					TOTAL			3-POINTERS			REBOUNDS																	
	GP	GS	MIN	AVG	FG	FGA	PCT	FG	FGA	PCT	FT	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	AVG	PF	FO	A	TO	BLK	ST	PTS	AVG			
22 Katie Lacey	26	26	666	25.6	154	274	.562	0	1	.000	94	117	.803	75	150	225	8.7	78	2	29	70	18	34	402	15.5			
5 Nicole Prazeau	26	26	744	28.6	118	279	.423	33	88	.375	35	44	.795	33	83	116	4.5	53	0	51	53	15	30	304	11.7			
33 Heather Doud	26	26	783	30.1	99	241	.411	26	75	.347	40	54	.741	55	103	158	6.1	48	0	41	45	13	28	264	10.2			
20 Becky Thompson	26	26	771	29.7	66	128	.516	16	47	.340	68	91	.747	24	89	113	4.3	67	2	96	48	16	56	216	8.3			
11 Jill Barram	26	0	511	19.7	56	165	.339	12	53	.226	41	53	.774	12	43	55	2.1	51	0	68	70	2	25	165	6.3			
23 Tabitha Greller	26	26	744	28.6	46	153	.301	35	121	.289	22	34	.647	15	92	107	4.1	53	0	68	49	4	19	149	5.7			
42 Darby Cave	26	0	335	12.9	48	105	.457	0	1	.000	14	23	.609	26	42	68	2.6	36	0	4	20	8	7	110	4.2			
25 Amy Fitch	26	0	479	18.4	30	91	.330	10	26	.385	6	9	.667	13	53	66	2.5	39	0	36	28	5	9	76	2.9			
50 Emily Ruggles	8	0	64	8.0	4	17	.235	3	9	.333	5	7	.714	4	16	20	2.5	8	0	1	3	0	2	16	2.0			
14 Shai Workman	10	0	87	8.7	5	15	.333	1	7	.143	3	4	.750	2	5	7	0.7	6	0	7	12	0	7	14	1.4			
24 Jenny Freeman	2	0	16	8.0	0	5	.000	0	3	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0.0			
Team														39	56	95					3							
George Fox	26		5200		626	1473	.425	136	431	.316	328	436	.752	298	732	1030	39.6	440	4	402	401	81	218	1716	66.0			
Opponents	26		5200		486	1405	.346	82	328	.250	336	477	.704	272	615	887	34.1	443		282	425	48	174	1390	53.5			

SCORE BY HALVES:	1st	2nd	TOTAL
George Fox	850	866	1716
Opponents	653	737	1390

DEADBALL REBOUNDS:	OFF	DEF	TOTAL
George Fox	40	3	43
Opponents	53	2	55

Outlook

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Myhre comes from one of the top 4A programs in Oregon at Crescent Valley High, and can play either post. She was a First Team All-Valley League selection as a senior. "Sarah is very quick and can shoot the jump hook with either hand, and will be ready to contribute this year," Rueck comments.

Baynes was invited to walk on at Division I Pepperdine last year but chose not to. "Jessica is quick and strong, but she is coming off a foot injury she suffered shortly after she got to school, and will need some time to

work into our system due to her late start," Rueck points out.

Summary

"We have experienced players at every position, some of whom can play several positions, so we should be a versatile team this year," Rueck assesses the Bruins. "Our starting five are equally capable of producing points, and we have scorers coming off the bench. I really like this group's ability to defend. We have good size throughout our roster, and I think that will be a strength of

our team and give some teams trouble. Expectations of this team aren't what they were a year ago, because there are more unknowns and we graduated a couple great players. With that said, I really like this team, and I believe we are capable of being as good as last year's."

With Rueck, the 2001-02 NWC Co-Coach of the Year who has a 95-33 record and .742 winning percentage in his five years at George Fox, at the helm, it is a cinch that the Bruins, *if* they have slipped at all, have not dropped far.

Records

Career Scoring

Name	Yrs. Played	G	Total	Avg
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	1981-85 (4)	99	1629	16.5
Katie Lacey	1997-01 (4)	103	1524	14.8
Nancy Rissmiller	1994-98 (4)	105	1403	13.4
Tammy Lewis	1985-89 (4)	106	1341	12.6
Susie Davis	1983-87 (4)	96	1274	13.2
Liz Stephens	1992-96 (4)	113	1197	10.6
Tracy Nelson	1988-92 (4)	107	1001	9.3
Heidi Rueck	1991-95 (4)	103	990	9.6
Angela Pettit	1993-97 (4)	102	950	9.3
Marianne Funderhide	1984-88 (4)	101	851	8.4



Melody Groeneveld-McMaster (1981-85)

Career Rebounding

Name	Yrs. Played	G	Total	Avg
Tammy Lewis	1985-89 (4)	106	1139	10.7
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	1981-85 (4)	99	1067	10.8
Nancy Rissmiller	1994-98 (4)	105	907	8.6
Katie Lacey	1997-01 (4)	103	840	8.2
Susie Davis	1983-87 (4)	96	753	7.8
Angela Pettit	1993-97 (4)	102	613	6.0
Liz Stephens	1992-96 (4)	113	566	5.0
Tracy Nelson	1988-92 (4)	107	555	5.2
Kristy Fleming	1992-94 (2)	51	533	10.5
Heather Gurney	1987-91 (4)	104	528	5.1

Career Assists

Name	Yrs. Played	G	Total	Avg
Heidi Rueck	1991-95 (4)	103	584	5.7
Linda Funderhide	1987-91 (4)	109	538	4.9
Marianne Funderhide	1984-88 (4)	101	294	2.9
Becky Thompson	1998- (3)	77	274	3.6
Roxy Cate	1979-82 (4)	70	254	3.6
Melinda Day	1981-85 (4)	96	220	2.3

Jennifer Childress	1989-91 (2)	52	202	3.9
Heather Gurney	1987-91 (4)	104	193	1.9
Jennifer Bearse	1985-89 (4)	97	184	1.9
Tabitha Greller	1997-01 (4)	102	168	1.7

Career Steals

Name	Yrs. Played	G	Total	Avg
Linda Funderhide	1987-91 (4)	109	243	2.2
Nancy Rissmiller	1994-98 (4)	105	205	2.0
Tracy Nelson	1988-92 (4)	107	192	1.8
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	1981-85 (4)	99	186	1.9
Heidi Rueck	1991-95 (4)	103	177	1.7
Heather Gurney	1987-91 (4)	104	173	1.7
Becky Thompson	1998- (3)	77	158	2.1
Jennifer Childress	1989-91 (2)	52	153	2.9
Traci Blair	1990-94 (4)	107	133	1.2
Katie Lacey	1997-01 (4)	103	130	1.3

Career Blocks

Name	Yrs. Played	G	Total	Avg
Tammy Lewis	1985-89 (4)	106	287	2.7
Shawna Chandler	1982-85 (3)	68	188	2.8
Angela Pettit	1993-97 (4)	102	85	0.8
Kristy Fleming	1992-94 (2)	51	76	1.5
Lillian Jeske	*1981-82 (3)	25	74	2.9
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	1981-85 (4)	96	72	0.8
Rachel Powell	1995-98 (4)	77	70	0.9
Liz Stephens	1992-96 (4)	113	68	0.6
Tracy Nelson	1988-92 (4)	107	66	0.7
Stacie Chandler	1985-89 (4)	99	53	0.5

*Block stats not kept prior to 1981

Career Field-Goal Accuracy

(Minimum 4.0 attempts per game)

Name	Yrs. Played	SM-SA	Avg
Katie Lacey	1997-01 (4)	579-1067	.543
Angela Pettit	1993-97 (4)	368-752	.489
Becky Thompson	1998- (3)	168-346	.486
Tammy Lewis	1985-89 (4)	598-1308	.457
Liz Stephens	1992-95 (4)	461-1011	.456
Kristy Fleming	1992-94 (2)	248-544	.456
Diane Walters	1983-86 (3)	180-395	.455
Susie Davis	1983-87 (4)	515-1143	.450
Lisa Branderhorst	1992-94 (2)	58-135	.430
Meagan Williams	1991-95 (4)	311-700	.444
Gina Bridges	1987-89 (2)	188-423	.444

Career 3-Point Accuracy

(Since 1987; Minimum 1.0 attempt per game)

Name	Yrs. Played	SM-SA	Avg
Kerry Aillaud	1993-95 (2)	119-307	.388
Christy Brock	1998-99 (1)	74-195	.379
Cindy Winters	1991-93 (2)	45-121	.372
Becky Thompson	1998- (3)	57-160	.356
Jenny Freeman	1999-01 (2)	49-141	.348
Heather Ooud	2000- (1)	26-75	.347
Traci Blair	1990-94 (4)	101-293	.345
Wendy Clark	1998-00 (2)	31-90	.344
Tabitha Greller	1997-01 (4)	150-446	.336
Heidi Rueck	1991-95 (4)	48-145	.331

Career Free-Throw Accuracy

(Minimum 2.0 attempts per game)

Name	Yrs. Played	SM-SA	Avg
Christy Brock	1998-99 (1)	77-95	.811
Becky Cate	1986-88 (2)	146-186	.789
Katie Lacey	1997-01 (4)	365-464	.787
Heidi Rueck	1991-95 (4)	280-377	.742
Becky Thompson	1998- (3)	160-216	.741
Heather Doud	2000- (1)	40-54	.741
Jennifer Childress	1989-91 (2)	93-126	.738
Nicole Prazeau	1998- (3)	145-199	.729
Ann Marie Owsley	1987-91 (4)	163-228	.715
Heather Gurney	1987-91 (4)	247-346	.714

Season Scoring

Name	Season	G	Total	Avg
Debby Wiggers	1981-82	28	465	16.6
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	1983-84	25	463	18.5
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	1982-83	23	459	19.9
Katie Lacey	1999-00	28	457	16.3
Tammy Lewis	1987-88	29	424	14.6
Christy Brock	1998-99	24	419	17.5
Nancy Rissmiller	1997-98	25	413	16.5
Angela Pettit	1996-97	25	411	16.4
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	1984-85	25	406	17.6
Becci Harper	1996-97	25	404	16.2

Season Rebounding

Name	Season	G	Total	Avg
Kristy Fleming	1993-94	28	330	11.8
Tammy Lewis	1986-87	25	317	12.7
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	1983-84	25	293	11.7
Tammy Lewis	1987-88	29	290	10.0
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	1982-83	23	280	12.2
Lillian Jeske	1981-82	28	274	9.8
Tammy Lewis	1985-86	24	260	10.8
Tammy Lewis	1988-89	27	258	9.5
Missy Eubanks	1989-90	29	251	8.7
Nancy Rissmiller	1995-96	25	249	10.0

Season Assists

Name	Season	G	Total	Avg
Heidi Rueck	1994-95	32	190	5.9
Heidi Rueck	1992-93	28	148	5.3
Heidi Rueck	1993-94	28	144	5.1
Linda Funderhide	1987-88	29	141	4.9
Linda Funderhide	1988-89	26	140	5.4
Linda Funderhide	1989-90	29	133	4.6
Cherish Carroll	1997-98	25	127	5.1
Linda Funderhide	1990-91	25	124	5.0
Roxy Cate	1981-82	27	116	4.3
LaShawna Elston	1986-87	24	111	4.4

Season Steals

Name	Season	G	Total	Avg
Missy Eubanks	1989-90	29	84	2.9
Jennifer Childress	1990-91	25	81	3.2
Jennifer Childress	1989-90	27	72	2.7

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Tracy Nelson	1989-90	29	68	2.3
Linda Funderhide	1990-91	25	67	2.7
Heather Gurney	1988-89	27	64	2.4
Nancy Rissmiller	1997-98	25	64	2.6
Linda Funderhide	1989-90	29	63	2.2
Tracy Nelson	1991-92	26	63	2.4
Heidi Rueck	1994-95	32	61	1.9
Linda Funderhide	1988-89	26	58	2.2
Meagan Williams	1994-95	32	58	1.8

Season Blocks

Name	Season	G	Total	Avg
Tammy Lewis	1986-87	25	86	3.4
Tammy Lewis	1988-89	27	85	3.1
Tammy Lewis	1987-88	29	75	2.6
Lillian Jeske	1981-82	25	74	3.0
Shawna Chandler	1984-85	23	68	3.0
Shawna Chandler	1983-84	22	60	2.7
Shawna Chandler	1982-83	23	60	2.6
Tammy Lewis	1985-86	25	41	1.6
Kristy Fleming	1992-93	23	38	1.7
Kristy Fleming	1993-94	28	38	1.4

Season Field-Goal Accuracy

(Minimum of 5.0 attempts per game)

Name	Yrs. Played	SM-SA	Avg
Katie Lacey	1997-98	135-232	.582
Katie Lacey	2000-01	154-274	.562
Katie Lacey	1999-00	154-307	.534
Diane Walters	1985-86	71-137	.518
Susie Davis	1985-86	156-302	.516
Angela Pettit	1996-97	153-299	.512
Nancy Rissmiller	1994-95	117-233	.502
Katie Lacey	1998-99	126-254	.496
Kristy Fleming	1992-93	117-236	.496
Angela Pettit	1994-95	72-146	.493



Nancy Rissmiller (1994-98)

Season 3-Point Accuracy

(Minimum of 1.5 attempt per game)

Name	Yrs. Played	SM-SA	Avg
Kerry Aillaud	1993-94	58-140	.414
Becky Thompson	1999-00	24-60	.400
Cindy Winters	1991-92	28-70	.400
Tabitha Greller	1999-00	41-106	.387
Traci Blair	1990-91	27-71	.380
Nicole Prazeau	2000-01	33-88	.375
Kerry Aillaud	1994-95	61-167	.365
Jenny Freeman	1999-00	49-138	.355
Tabitha Greller	1997-98	46-130	.354

Season Free-Throw Accuracy

(Minimum of 2.5 attempts per game)

Name	Yrs. Played	SM-SA	Avg
Becky Cate	1986-87	79-92	.858
Lisa Chunn	1986-87	68-82	.829
Becky Thompson	1998-99	52-63	.825
Christy Brock	1998-99	74-95	.811
Susie Davis	1986-87	77-95	.810
Katie Lacey	2000-01	94-117	.803
Katie Lacey	1999-00	128-161	.795
Traci Blair	1993-94	58-76	.763
Heidi Rueck	1994-95	124-158	.785
Katie Lacey	1997-98	55-71	.775

Game Scoring

Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	37	Willamette 12/04/82
Angela Pettit	35	Lewis & Clark 2/18/97
Christy Brock	35	Savannah 12/29/98
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	34	Hawaii Pacific 12/17/84
Susie Davis	34	Hawaii Pacific 12/20/84
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	33	Lewis & Clark 1/21/83
Debby Wiggers	32	Western Baptist 2/12/82
Kristy Fleming	31	Central Washington 11/19/93
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	30	Willamette 1/18/83
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	30	Warner Pacific 1/24/84
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	30	Oregon Tech 2/23/85
Tracy Nelson	30	Linfield 12/07/91
Cindy Winters	30	Pacific 2/11/92
Angela Pettit	30	Willamette 2/14/97
Nancy Rissmiller	30	Willamette 1/13/98
Katie Lacey	30	Lewis & Clark 12/02/00

Game Rebounding

Debby Wiggers	23	Linfield 12/08/81
Tammy Lewis	23	Western Oregon 2/27/88
Kristy Fleming	21	Pacific 11/24/93
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	20	Warner Pacific 1/24/84
Shawna Chandler	20	Pacific 2/04/84
Tammy Lewis	20	Pacific 2/23/89
Kristy Fleming	20	Central Wash. 11/19/93
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster	19	Lewis & Clark 1/21/83
Tracy Nelson	19	Linfield 12/07/91
Melody Groeneveld-McMaster (3x)	18	
Tammy Lewis (2x)	18	
Nancy Rissmiller	18	Pacific 2/06/96

Game Assists

Heidi Rueck	13	Linfield 12/10/91
Heidi Rueck	13	NW Nazarene 2/19/93

Becky Thompson	12	Lewis & Clark 12/02/00
Linda Funderhide	11	Western Baptist 12/06/88
Jennifer Childress	11	Willamette 12/07/90
Heidi Rueck	11	Linfield 12/05/92
Heidi Rueck	11	Eastern Oregon 2/20/93
Heidi Rueck	11	Concordia 2/3/95
Roxy Cate	10	Judson Baptist 1/12/83
Melinda Day	10	Oregon Tech 1/31/85
LaShawna Elston	10	Whitman 1/11/86
LaShawna Elston	10	Pacific 12/10/86
Cherish Carroll	10	Lewis & Clark 2/7/98
Tabitha Greller	10	Concordia 12/12/98

Game Steals

Becky Thompson	9	Whitworth 1/26/01
Linda Funderhide	8	Warner Pacific 2/05/91
Jennifer Childress	8	Concordia 2/19/91
Connie Olson	7	Pacific 2/17/81
Linda Funderhide	7	Lewis & Clark 12/03/88
Heather Gurney	7	Eastern Oregon 1/20/89
Tracy Nelson	7	Western Baptist 1/05/91
Tracy Nelson	7	Western Baptist 12/21/91
Nancy Rissmiller	7	Concordia 12/6/96
Nancy Rissmiller	7	Whitman 12/5/98

Game Blocks

Shawna Chandler	10	Western Oregon 1/11/83
Shawna Chandler	8	Concordia 1/13/84
Tammy Lewis	8	Pacific 2/23/89
Shawna Chandler	7	Western Oregon 12/12/84

Individual Single-Game Records

Most Points

40	Sue (Knaupp) Kroes
	vs. Gonzaga 1976 (pre-NAIA record)
37	Melody Groeneveld-McMaster
	vs. Willamette 12/4/82

Most Field Goals Made

14	Tammy Lewis
	(14-19) vs. Southern Oregon 2/15/86

Most Field Goals Att.

35	Debby Wiggers
	(12-35) vs. Whitman 1/22/82

Best Field-Goal Pct.

1.000 (6-6)	Katie Lacey
	at Cascade 11/21/00

Best Field-Goal Pct. (with miss)

.900 (9-10)	Katie Lacey
	vs. Menlo 11/27/99

Most 3-Point Field Goals Made

7	Christy Brock
	(7-12) vs. Whitman 1/8/99

Most 3-Point Attempts

12	Christy Brock
	3 times in 1998-99

Best 3-Point Percentage

1.000 (5-5)	Traci Blair
	vs. Lewis & Clark 11/27/90
1.000 (5-5)	Tabitha Greller
	vs. Hamline (Minn.) 11/22/97

Most Free Throws Made

15	Angela Pettit
	(15-21) vs. Lewis & Clark 2/18/97

Most Free Throws Att.

21 Angela Pettit
(15-21) vs. Lewis & Clark 2/18/97

Best Free-Throw Pct.

1.000 (11-11) Nancy Rissmiller
vs. Hamline (Minn.) 11/22/97

Best Free-Throw Pct. (with miss)

.929 (13-14) Susie Davis
vs. Western Oregon 2/26/87

Most Consecutive Free Throws

24 Becky Cate
1987-88

Most Rebounds

23 Debby Wiggers
vs. Linfield 12/8/81

23 Tammy Lewis
vs. Western Oregon 2/27/88

Most Off. Reb.

12 Melody Groenveld
vs. Warner Pacific 1/24/84

Most Def. Reb.

16 Tammy Lewis
vs. Linfield 12/9/86

Most Assists

13 Heidi Rueck
vs. Linfield 12/10/91
vs. NW Nazarene 2/19/93

Most Steals

9 Becky Thompson
vs. Whitworth 1/26/01

Most Blocked Shots

10 Shawna Chandler
vs. Western Oregon 1-11-83

Team Game Records

Most Points Scored

105 (105-39) Western Baptist 11/20/92

Most Points Allowed

105 (64-105) Western Oregon 2/26/87

Fewest Points Scored

35 (35-55) Warner Pacific 2/13/88

35 (35-61) Pacific Lutheran 2/27/99

Fewest Points Allowed

28 (104-28) Columbia Christian 1/30/93

28 (68-28) Whitman 2/19/00

Biggest Winning Margin

76 (104-28) Columbia Christian 1/30/93

Biggest Losing Margin

48 (48-96) U. of Portland 11/30/84

Most Field Goals Made

44 Columbia Christian 1/30/93

Most Field Goals Attempted

95 Concordia 12/04/81

Best Field-Goal Percentage

.619 (26-42) Pacific Lutheran 2/24/01

Worst Field-Goal Percentage

.195 (10-51) Western Oregon 2/28/95

Most 3-Point Field Goals Made

16 Lewis & Clark 2/8/00

Most 3-Point Field Goals Attempted

31 Lewis & Clark 2/8/00

Best 3-Point Field-Goal Percentage

1.000 (5/5) Lewis & Clark 11/27/90
(3/3) Pacific 11/29/89
(3/3) Willamette 1/10/91

Most Free Throws Made

32 (32/47) Central Wash. U. 11/19/93

Most Free Throws Attempted

47 (32/47) Central Wash. U. 11/19/93

Best Free-Throw Percentage

1.000 (4/4) Western Baptist 2/13/92

Best Free-Throw Percentage (with miss)

.961 (25/26) Willamette 1/23/87

Most Rebounds

72 Linfield College 2/02/82

Most Assists

27 NW Nazarene 2/08/91

27 Columbia Christian 1/30/93

Most Steals

29 Oregon Tech 12/29/89

Most Blocked Shots

12 Lewis & Clark 1/19/85

12 Eastern Oregon 2/18/89

Most Turnovers

46 U. of Portland 1/26/84

Fewest Turnovers

6 at Whitworth 1/06/01

Most Personal Fouls

33 Lewis & Clark 1/03/92

Team Season Records

Highest Field-Goal Percentage

.444 (690-1551) 1985-86

Highest 3-Point Percentage

.370 (213-576) 1999-00

Highest Free-Throw Percentage

.752 (328-436) 2000-01

Highest Assist Average

19.8 (25 games/476 assists) 1985-86

Highest Steal Average

16.2 (29 games/471 steals) 1989-90

Highest Rebound Average

56.4 (23 games/1,298 rebounds) 1982-83

Lowest Turnover Average

15.4 (26 games/401 turnovers) 2000-01

Highest Winning Percentage

.885 (23-3) 2000-01

Most Wins

23 (23-5) 1999-00

23 (23-3) 2000-01

Longest Losing Streak

9 (12/4/87 to 1/20/88) 1987-88

Longest Winning Streak

11 (1/8/00 to 2/12/00) 1999-00

11 (1/05/01 to 2/10/01) 2000-01

George Fox Season Records

(Since joining NAIA in 1981)

Year	Coach	Overall	Pct.	Conference	Playoff Finish
2000-01	Scott Rueck	23-3	.885	15-1 NWC	NCAA Second Round
1999-00	Scott Rueck	23-5	.821	14-2 NWC	NCAA "Sweet 16"
1998-99	Scott Rueck	18-6	.750	14-4 NWC	
1997-98	Scott Rueck	16-9	.640	13-5 NWC	NWC Semifinals
1996-97	Scott Rueck	15-10	.600	11-5 NWC	NWC Semifinals
1995-96	Sherri Murrell	15-10	.600	9-5 NWC	NWC Semifinals
1994-95	Sherri Murrell	20-11	.645	9-3 CCC	Cascade Championship
1993-94	Sherri Murrell	16-12	.571	8-4 CCC	Cascade Semifinals
1992-93	Craig Taylor	13-15	.464		
1991-92	Craig Taylor	13-15	.464		
1990-91	Craig Taylor	10-15	.400		NAIA District 2 First Round
1989-90	Craig Taylor	16-13	.552		NAIA District 2 First Round
1988-89	Craig Taylor	13-14	.481		NAIA District 2 First Round
1987-88	Craig Taylor	20-9 #	.690		NAIA District 2 Semifinals
1986-87	Craig Taylor	11-14	.440		NAIA District 2 First Round
1985-86	Craig Taylor	12-12	.500		NAIA District 2 First Round
1984-85	Craig Taylor	11-12	.478		
1983-84	Craig Taylor	7-18	.280		
1982-83	Craig Taylor	10-12	.455	6-4 WCIC	First Round NCCAA Regionals
1981-82	Craig Taylor	18-10	.643	8-2 WCIC *	4th in Div. III Regionals

* Women's Conference of Independent Colleges Champions # Includes four forfeit wins

CCC Cascade Collegiate Conference NWC Northwest Conference

About GFU

The University

George Fox University, an evangelical Christian liberal arts college, is expanding, both in size and reputation. One of the fastest-growing institutions of higher learning in the United States, George Fox has seen its enrollment more than quadruple in the past 14 years, increasing from 549 in 1986 to 2,669 in the fall of 2001.

Since 1986, George Fox University has been named one of "America's Best Colleges" 14 times by *U.S. News & World Report*. In 2000, George Fox ranked first in academic reputation and second overall among Western regional liberal arts colleges. The magazine also named the university one of the region's best values among schools in its category.

George Fox offers unique programs to its students. Every incoming freshman is given a computer to use and keep upon

graduation. When students reach their third year, they are eligible for the Juniors Abroad program, in which the University pays transportation costs for an overseas study tour.



The school's history began in 1885, when Willamette Valley Quaker settlers established Pacific Academy. It was during those early days that George Fox's

most prominent alumnus attended the school — Herbert Hoover, who later became the 31st president of the United States.

The college division was organized in 1891 to provide more advanced instruction, and the name was changed to Pacific College. In 1949, because of the many schools in the West with "Pacific" in their titles, another change was made, this time to George Fox College, honoring the founder of the Friends (Quaker) Church.

In 1996, with the addition of Western Evangelical Seminary, George Fox became a university, offering students a Christ-centered education and the choice of more than 30 undergraduate majors and 12 graduate degrees. On Jan. 1, 2000, the seminary was renamed George Fox Evangelical Seminary.

George Fox is located in Newberg, Ore. (pop. 17,355), 25 miles southwest of Portland, the state's largest metropolitan center of 1.7 million, and 32 miles northwest of Salem, the state capital.

Dr. David Brandt University President

David Brandt, George Fox University's 11th president, came to the university in August 1998 after three years as president of Tabor College in Hillsboro, Kan.

Brandt has experience at four other Christian colleges and describes himself as "a 'lifer' in Christian higher education."

He has been vice president and provost at Bethel College in St. Paul, Minn.; dean and vice president for academic affairs at Messiah College in Grantham, Pa.; a physics instructor and chairman of the Division of Natural Science and Mathematics at Gordon



College in Wenham, Mass.; and a physics instructor at Wheaton (Ill.) College.

Brandt did his undergraduate work in physics at Wheaton. He earned a master of science degree in physics in 1962 from the University of Oklahoma, and a doctorate in physics in 1971 from the same university.

Brandt also taught physics in 1962-63 at the University of Omaha in Nebraska; was a demonstrator in physics at Brock University in St. Catharines, Ont., Canada in 1968-69; was a part-time engineer at Raytheon Co. in Sudbury, Mass., between 1972 and 1974; and was a consulting engineer for International Telephone and Telegraph Corp. in Roanoke, Va. between 1975 and 1977. His research there on fiber optics resulted in two patent applications.



Intercollegiate Athletics at George Fox University

Intercollegiate athletics are an important part of George Fox University, home to one of the Northwest's most successful small-college sports programs. Winning programs, of course, are accompanied by a proper balance between academics and athletics. Accordingly, George Fox teams are members of the Northwest Conference and compete in Division III of the National Collegiate Athletic Association, in which need and academic ability, not athleticism, determine scholarships and financial aid.

At George Fox University, student-athletes compete for conference and national titles at a Christ-centered university where professors and coaches help them grow in mind, body, and spirit. Intercollegiate athletic competition provides for practical application of what is learned in the classroom and at practice. At George Fox, the values of athletics are integrated with the goals of Christian higher education in a process that includes

- Physical conditioning
- Managing emotions
- Courage
- Teamwork
- Cooperation
- Being gracious in winning and losing

The University fields teams in 13 varsity sports, seven for women (volleyball, soccer, cross country, basketball, softball, track and field, and tennis) and six for men (soccer, cross country, basketball, baseball, track and field, and tennis). More than 15 percent of George Fox's traditional undergraduate students participate in these sports. Their records over the years serve as shining testimonies to the administration's conviction that an institution can play for the glory of God, follow the rules and ethics of its governing organizations, and be successful on the fields and courts of competition at the same time. Consider the growing legacy:

- George Fox teams won district or conference titles in 10 sports during the past decade.
- George Fox athletes have earned almost 300 All-American and All-American Scholar-Athlete awards.
- Seven of the 10 coaches on staff have been named district or conference Coach of the Year at least once.
- George Fox coaches have held their positions for an average of more than eight years, and together have accumulated more than 1,000 collegiate wins.



For more information about intercollegiate athletics at George Fox University, one of the premier places to compete at the Division III level, contact the Department of Athletics at 503-554-2910.

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November

17 Sat.	at Warner Pacific College	Portland, Ore.	5:30 p.m.
23 Fri.	# vs. Western Baptist College	Portland, Ore.	5:30 p.m.
24 Sat.	# at Concordia University-Portland	Portland, Ore.	7:30 p.m.
30 Fri.	+ vs. Western Baptist College	Tacoma, Wash.	2:00 p.m.

December

1 Sat.	+ vs. Northwest College	Tacoma, Wash.	2:00 p.m.
3 Mon.	* Pacific University	Newberg, Ore.	7:30 p.m.
5 Wed.	* Willamette University	Newberg, Ore.	7:30 p.m.
8 Sat.	Evergreen State College	Newberg, Ore.	7:30 p.m.
17 Mon.	! vs. Marian College (Wisc.)	Hilo, Hawaii	12 noon
18 Tue.	! vs. St. Mary's College (Ind.)	Hilo, Hawaii	12 noon

January

2 Wed.	Warner Pacific College	Newberg, Ore.	7:30 p.m.
5 Sat.	* at Pacific Lutheran University (dh)	Tacoma, Wash.	6:00 p.m.
8 Tue.	* University of Puget Sound (dh)	Newberg, Ore.	6:00 p.m.
11 Fri.	* at Lewis & Clark College (dh)	Portland, Ore.	6:00 p.m.
12 Sat.	* Linfield College (dh)	Newberg, Ore.	6:00 p.m.
18 Fri.	* at Whitworth College (dh)	Spokane, Wash.	6:00 p.m.
19 Sat.	* at Whitman College (dh)	Walla Walla, Wash.	6:00 p.m.
25 Fri.	* at Linfield College (dh)	McMinnville, Ore.	6:00 p.m.
26 Sat.	* Lewis & Clark College (dh)	Newberg, Ore.	6:00 p.m.
29 Tue.	* at Pacific University (dh)	Forest Grove, Ore.	6:00 p.m.

February

1 Fri.	* Pacific Lutheran University (dh)	Newberg, Ore.	6:00 p.m.
8 Fri.	* at University of Puget Sound (dh)	Tacoma, Wash.	6:00 p.m.
9 Sat.	* at Willamette University (dh)	Salem, Ore.	6:00 p.m.
15 Fri.	* Whitman College (dh)	Newberg, Ore.	6:00 p.m.
16 Sat.	* Whitworth College (dh) — Homecoming	Newberg, Ore.	6:00 p.m.
20 Wed.	Northwest Conference Tournament First Round	on-campus sites	TBA
23 Sat.	Northwest Conference Tournament Finals	on-campus site	TBA
28 Thur.	NCAA Division III Tournament First Round	on-campus sites	TBA

March

2 Sat.	NCAA Division III Tournament Second Round	on-campus sites	TBA
8-9 Fri.-Sat.	NCAA Division III Tournament Regionals	on-campus sites	TBA
15-16 Fri.-Sat.	NCAA Division III Tournament Final Four	TBA	TBA

* Northwest Conference game # Concordia-Portland Tournament, Portland, Ore.

+ PLU Classic, Tacoma, Wash. ! AmeriSport Coconut Coast Classic, Hilo, Hawaii

(dh) doubleheader with GEU men's team • All times Pacific and subject to change

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