2010 BLUE RAIDER VOLLEYBALL

2009 Sun Belt Tournament Champions
2009 NCAA Tournament Participant

2010 Blue Raiders Schedule
(0-0, 0-0 Sun Belt)

State Farm Illini Classic		
Aug. 27	vs. South Carolina	W, 3-0
Aug. 28	vs. Brigham Young	W, 3-1
Aug. 28	@ No. 6 Illinois	L, 1-3
Blue Raider Bash		
Sept. 3	**Duke**	**7 PM**
Sept. 4	**Southern Miss**	**11 AM**
Sept. 4	**Auburn**	**7 PM**
Sept. 5	**Miami**	**1 PM**
Sept. 7	@ Kansas	6:30 PM
Middle Tennessee Invitational		
Sept. 10	**Arkansas**	**7 PM**
Sept. 11	**UAB**	**10:30 AM**
Sept. 11	**Albany**	**5 PM**
Sept. 17	@ Denver *	8 PM
Sept. 18	vs. Long Beach State	2 PM
Sept.18	vs. VCU	6 PM
Sept. 24	@ UALR *	7 PM
Sept. 26	@ Arkansas State *	1 PM
Oct. 1	**FIU ***	**7 PM**
Oct. 2	**Florida Atlantic ***	**7 PM**
Oct. 6	**Western Kentucky ***	**7 PM**
Oct. 8	@ Troy *	7 PM
Oct. 10	@ South Alabama *	Noon
Oct. 15	@ FIU *	5:30 PM
Oct. 16	@ Florida Atlantic *	6 PM
Oct.22	**UL-Monroe ***	**7 PM**
Oct. 23	**UL-Lafayette ***	**7 PM**
Oct. 26	@ Georgia Tech	5:30 PM
Oct. 29	@ North Texas *	7 PM
Nov. 5	**South Alabama ***	**7 PM**
Nov. 6	**Troy ***	**7 PM**
Nov. 12	@ Western Kentucky *	7 PM
Sun Belt Conference Tournament		
Nov. 18-20	**TBA**	
Nov. 27	**St. Louis**	**TBA**

* denotes conference matches
All match times Central

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Blue Raider Bash

Duke	Southern Miss	Auburn	Miami (Fla.)
Sept. 3	Sept. 4	Sept. 4	Sept. 5
7 PM	11 AM	7 PM	1 PM

September 2, 2010

Blue Raiders set for home opener

After winning two of three in the opening tournament, the Middle Tennessee women's volleyball team will open their home slate with the Blue Raider Bash this weekend. MT is 4-0 in home openers since 2006, and 10-3 in Blue Raider Bash matches over that time span.

Opening on the road

This weekend marks the fist time since 2007 that the Blue Raiders have opened up the season on the road, where they swept Montana State, Creighton and Stephen F. Austin at the Blue Jay Invitational in Omaha, Neb. In the previous two seasons, Middle Tennessee opened with home tournaments and a pristine 6-0 record.

Scouting the Blue Raiders

Middle Tennessee enters their home slate after earning victories over SEC foe South Carolina and former NCAA Sweet 16 opponent BYU at the State Farm Illini Classic. The Blue Raiders would take the first set from Illinois before ultimately falling 3-1 to the sixth-ranked Illini.

2009 All-Sun Belt First Teamer Izabela Kozon led the way for the Blue Raiders with 40 kills in three matches to go along with 19 digs to earn a spot on the All-Tournament team. The senior led

MT in kills in all three matches, and has now led the team in that statistic for five consecutive matches dating back to last season.

Lindsay Cheatham also earned All-Tournament honors after notching 19 kills and 10 total blocks. The junior was especially important in keying important Blue Raider runs against BYU and Illinois.

Scouting the Blue Devils

Friday will mark only the second time that the Blue Devils have matched up with the Blue Raiders. MT battled to a five-set victory on a netral floor in 2008. Duke (2-1) will be entering the match having won their previous two matches at Colorado and against Campbell after falling at 17th-ranked Colorado State last weekend. The Blue Devils finished the 2009 campaign 27-6, losing in the first round of the NCAA Tournament to Tennessee, 3-1.

This year, Duke is led by Becci Burling with 45 kills at a .388 clip. The senior from Monument, Colo., also leads the team in service aces with five. Kellie Catanach has been responsible for running the offense, dishing out 118 assists while playing in all but one set. Defensively, Ali McCurdy leads the team in digs with 41, averaging 3.42 per set.

ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Yr.	Hometown (Last School)
1	Lindsay Cheatham	MB/Opp	Jr.	Deerfield Beach, Fla. (Cardinal Gibbons H.S.)
2	Kendall Howard	DS/L	Fr.	Franktown, Colo. (Ponderosa H.S.)
3	Ashley Adams	OH	So.	San Luis Obispo, Calif. (San Luis Obispo H.S.)
4	Brandi Waller	MB	So.	New Albany, Ind. (New Albany H.S.)
5	Alyssa Wistrick	MB/OH	Sr.	Longview, Wash. (College of Southern Idaho)
6	Stacy Oladinni	MB/OPP	r-Jr.	La Vergne, Tenn. (La Vergne H.S.)
7	Courtney Wilson	S	r-So.	Auburndale, Fla. (Kathleen H.S.)
8	Brynne Henderson	DS/L	Jr.	Cincinnati, Ohio (Ursaline Academy)
9	Izabela Kozon	OH	Sr.	Warsaw, Poland (XXIV LO im Cypriana Kamila Norwida)
11	Maria Szivos	OPP/OH	Jr.	Jaszbereny, Hungary (University of New Orleans)
15	Morgan Peterson	S	r-Fr.	Seymour, Tenn. (Seymour H.S.)
20	Sasha McGlothin	MB	r-Sr.	Abilene, Texas (Abilene H.S.)
22	Halie Vannoy	DS	So.	Morristown, Tenn. (East H.S.)
25	Riana Cain	DS/L	Fr.	Murfreesboro, Tenn. (Riverdale H.S.)
29	Angela Peyton	S	Fr.	Houston, Texas (St. Agnes Academy)

Head Coach: Matt Peck (Seventh season)
Associate Head Coach: Jeff Motluck (Seventh season)
Assistant Coach: Amy Hendrichovsky (Fifth season)
Volunteer Assistant Coach: Paul McCormack (First Season)
Student Assistant: Janay Yancey Yancey (First Season)

Middle Tennessee

GENERAL INFORMATION
Location ..... Murfreesboro, Tenn.
Enrollment 25,188
Nickname ..... Blue Raiders
Colors ..... Royal Blue and White
Conference ..... Sun Belt
TEAM INFORMATION
2009 Record 25-10
2009 Conf. Record/Finish ..... 15-2/2nd - East
Head Coach ..... Matt Peck
Alma Mater, Year ..... Michigan, 1980
Record at School (Years) ..... 116-47* (Six years)
Career Record (Years) ..... 657-243* (26 years)
Assistant Coaches ..... Jeff Motluck, Amy Hendrichovsky
**actual records of 159-47 at MT and 702-243 include wins vacated to NCAA sanctions*

Duke

GENERAL INFORMATION
Location ..... Durham, N.C.
Enrollment 6,247
Nickname ..... Blue Devils
Colors ..... Royal Blue and White
Conference ..... Atlantic Coast
TEAM INFORMATION
2009 Record 27-6
2009 Conf. Record/Finish 17-3/2nd
Head Coach ..... Jolene Nagel
Alma Mater, Year ..... Edinboro, 1983
Record at School (Years) ..... 241-105 (12 years)
Career Record (Years) ..... 444-245 (23 years)
Assistant Coaches ..... John Wasielewski, Cristina Pintille

Southern Miss

GENERAL INFORMATION
Location ..... Hattiesburg, Miss.
Enrollment 16,000
Nickname ..... Golden Eagles
Colors ..... Gold and Black
Conference ..... Conference USA
TEAM INFORMATION
2009 Record 27-5
2009 Conf. Record/Finish 14-2/1st
Head Coach ..... Abby Sutherland
Alma Mater, Year ..... St. Norbert, 2004
Record at School (Years) ..... First year
Career Record (Years) ..... First year
Assistant Coaches ..... Amanda Berkley, Lindsay Allman

Auburn

GENERAL INFORMATION
Location ..... Auburn, Ala.
Enrollment 24,602
Nickname ..... Tigers
Colors ..... Burnt Orange and Navy
Conference ..... Southeastern
TEAM INFORMATION
2009 Record 16-15
2009 Conf. Record/Finish ..... 8-12/2nd - West
Head Coach ..... Wade Benson
Alma Mater, Year ..... Eastern Washington, 2006
Record at School (Years) ..... 22-40, Two years)
Career Record (Years) ..... 176-95 (Nine years)
Assistant Coaches ..... Joszef Forman, Edgard de Gama e Silva

Miami (Fla.)

GENERAL INFORMATION
Location ..... Coral Gables, Fla.
Enrollment 15,449
Nickname ..... Hurricanes
Colors ..... Orange, Green and White
Conference ..... Atlantic Coast
TEAM INFORMATION
2009 Record 18-13
2009 Conf. Record/Finish 11-9/5th
Head Coach ..... Nicole Lantagne Welch
Alma Mater, Year ..... Maryland, 1994
Record at School (Years) ..... 169-100 (Nine years)
Career Record (Years) ..... 169-100 (Nine years)
Assistant Coaches ..... Felix Hou, Laura Kuhn

Scouting the Golden Eagles

Saturday will mark the first time that Middle Tennessee has played Southern Miss since dropping a five-set thriller in the 1994 season opener, and just the second time overall. The Golden Eagles are 3-0 after posting three-set wins over South Alabama, Nicholls State and Kennesaw State at the Southern Miss Invitational. USM is trying to repeat a season in 2009 that saw them win the Conference USA regular season title and finish with an overall record of 27-5.

Individually, Ashley Mell has tallied 38 kills and 27 digs through three matches. Halie Ecker is second on the team with 26 kills. Kelsea Seymour has been responsible for the offense with 98 assists, but has also chipped in 24 digs. Lisa Knecht leads the team defensively with 43 digs.

Scouting the Tigers

Auburn enters the weekend at 4-0 after winning over Troy, UT-Martin and Georgia Southern in the War Eagle Invitational and sweeping Mercer on Wednesday evening. This will be the third match-up for the Tigers against the Blue Raiders, but the first away from home. MT fell in the first encounter in 1994, but won the second in 2002. Auburn finished 16-15 in 2009.

Sarah Bullock leads the team in kills with 39 kills at a remarkable. 421 clip, but Kelly Fidero is right on her heels wit 35 kills of her own. Christina Solverson boasts of a team-high 97 assists, and Liz Crouch leads the team in digs with 31.

Scouting the Hurricanes

Miami (3-1) will be entering the weekend after a drama-filled tournament at the Nike Invitational in Norman, Okla. last weekend. The Hurricans won the first two matches over UT-Arlington and Wichita State in five-set fashion before falling in four to host Oklahoma. Miami improved with a sweep of Sun Belt foe Florida Atlantic in Coral Gables on Tuesday. Overall, the Hurricanes are 2-0 against the Blue Raiders with wins in 2001 and 2009. Last season, they finished the year 18-13 and lost to SBC regular season champion FIU in the first round of the NCAA Tournament.

This season, Lane Carico has been the main source of offense for the Hurricanes with 56 kills, but is also a factor defensively with 54 digs. Christine Williamson and Ariell Cooke are also offensive contributors with 45 and 41 kills, respectively. Katie Gallagher leads the team in assists with 113, and Ryan Shaffer has been the star defensively with 67 digs.

SUN BELT STANDINGS

EAST

1. Florida Atlantic	3-1 (0-0 SBC)
2. Middle Tennessee	**2-1 (0-0 SBC)**
3. Western Kentucky	2-2 (0-0 SBC)
4. FIU	1-2 (0-0 SBC)
5. Troy	1-3 (0-0 SBC)
6. South Alabama	0-3 (0-0 SBC)

WEST

1. North Texas	3-0 (0-0 SBC)
2. Louisiana-Lafayette	3-1 (0-0 SBC)
3. Arkansas State	2-1 (0-0 SBC)
4. Denver	1-2 (0-0 SBC)
5. ULM	0-3 (0-0 SBC)
6. UALR	0-4 (0-0 SBC)

2010 PRESEASON ALL-SUN BELT

Natalia Valentin, FIU
Izabela Kozon, Middle Tennessee
Cayla Fielder, Arkansas State
Jovana Bjelica, FIU
Stacy Oladinni, Middle Tennessee
Maria Szivos, Middle Tennessee
Tiffany Elmore, Western Kentucky
Kacie Wikierak, Denver

Sun Belt Player of the Year
Natlia Valentin

Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Year
Kacie Wikierak

2010 Season Statistics

Overall Record: 2-1 • Sun Belt: 0-0 • Home: 0-0 • Away: 0-1 • Neutral: 2-0

		Attack						Set		Serve				Dig			Blocking						
	Player	S	K	K/S	E	TA	Pct.	A	A/S	SA	SE	SA/S	RE	DIG	D/S	BS	BA	Tot.	B/S	BE	BHE	Pts.
8	Henderson, Brynne	11	1	0.09	0	2	.500	6	0.55	0	4	0.00	4	34	3.09	0	0	0	0.00	0		0
22	Vannoy, Halie	11	1	0.09	0	2	.500	0	0.00	0	1	0.00	2	18	1.64	0	0	0	0.00	0		0
4	Waller, Brandi	3	5	1.67	1	9	.444	0	0.00	1	3	0.33	0	0	0.00	0	1	1	0.33	0		0
6	Oladinni, Stacy	11	18	1.64	6	42	.286	1	0.09	4	5	0.36	0	4	0.36	1	12	13	1.18	1		0
11	Szivos, Maria	9	19	2.11	9	37	.270	6	0.67	6	4	0.67	0	6	0.67	0	5	5	0.56	0		1
1	Cheatham, Lindsay	11	19	1.73	8	44	.250	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	2	0.18	2	8	10	0.91	0		0
15	Peterson, Morgan	11	9	0.82	3	27	.222	102	9.27	0	2	0.00	0	24	2.18	0	4	4	0.36	0		3
9	Kozon, Izabela	11	40	3.64	15	114	.219	2	0.18	2	4	0.18	3	19	1.73	0	4	4	0.36	0		0
5	Wistrick, Alyssa	11	22	2.00	14	78	.103	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	3	0.27	1	4	5	0.45	0		0
29	Peyton, Angela	6	0	0.00	0	1	.000	5	0.83	0	1	0.00	0	2	0.33	0	0	0	0.00	0		0
2	Howard, Kendall	11	0	0.00	0	0	.000	2	0.18	1	6	0.09	2	19	1.73	0	0	0	0.00	0		0
	TEAM												1									
	MIDDLE TENNESSEE....	11	134	12.18	56	356	.219	124	11.27	14	30	1.27	12	131	11.91	4	38	23.0	2.09	1		4
	Opponents.....	11	137	12.45	55	353	.232	127	11.55	12	36	1.09	14	132	12.00	4	17	12.5	1.14	3		1

Team Statistics

	MT	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	134	137
Errors	56	55
Total Attacks	356	353
Attack Pct	.219	.232
Kills/Set	9.6	9.8
SET		
Assists	124	127
Assists/Set	8.9	9.1
SERVE		
Aces	14	12
Errors	30	36
Aces/Set	1.0	0.9
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	12	14
Errors/Set	0.9	1.0
DEFENSE		
Digs	131	132
Digs/Set	9.4	9.4
BLOCKING		
Block Solo	4	4
Block Assist	38	17
Total Blocks	23.0	12.5
Blocks Per Game	1.6	0.9
Block Errors	1	3
BALL HANDLING ERRORS	4	1
ATTENDANCE		
Total	0	1418
Dates/Avg Per Date	0/0	1/1418
Neutral site #/Avg	2/140	-
Current win streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-

Results

Date	Opponent	W/L	Score	Score-By-Game	Attendance
August 27	South Carolina +	W	3-0	25-23, 25-12, 25-23	175
August 28	BYU +	W	3-1	20-25, 25-22, 25-14, 26-24	104
August 28	at Illinois +	L	1-3	25-23, 18-25, 16-25, 12-25	1,418

+ - State Farm Illini Classic (Champaign, Ill.)
$ - Blue Raider Bash (Murfreesboro, Tenn.)
% - Middle Tennessee Invitational (Murfreesboro, Tenn.)
! - Denver, Colo
* - Sun Belt Match
# - Sun Belt Championship (Murfreesboro, Tenn.)

All-Sun Belt Performers

izabela KOZON

Senior | Outside Hitter | Warsaw, Poland

- 2010 Preseason All-Sun Belt
- 2009 All-Sun Belt First Team
- 2009 Preseason All-Sun Belt Team
- 2008 All-Sun Belt Second Team
- 2007 NCAA Tournament All-Penn State Region Team
- 1,223 career kills (5th in school history) and 868 digs

Date - Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	Pct	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BH	Points
Aug. 27 - vs. South Carolina	3	10	5	35	.143	1	1	0	0	7	0	1	0	0	10.5
Aug. 28 - vs. Brigham Young	4	16	4	41	.293	0	1	1	2	8	0	3	0	0	18.5
Aug. 28 - at Illinois	4	14	6	38	.211	1	0	3	1	4	0	1	0	0	14.5
TOTAL	11	40	15	114	.219	2	2	4	3	19	0	5	0	0	43.5

Year	SP	MP	K	K/S	E	TA	Pct	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	Points
2007	128	38	349	2.73	151	871	.227	36	0.28	36	0.28	57	303	2.37	45	7	72	79	0.62	9	2	428.0
2008	134	35	451	3.37	191	1130	.230	24	0.18	33	0.25	37	277	2.07	45	4	70	74	0.55	5	1	523.0
2009	123	35	423	3.44	185	1083	.220	54	0.44	38	0.31	73	288	2.34	41	9	33	42	0.34	3	1	486.5
2010	11	3	40	3.64	15	114	.211	2	0.18	2	0.18	4	19	1.73	3	0	5	5	0.54	0	0	43.5
TOTAL	396	111	1263	3.19	532	3198	.229	116	0.29	109	0.28	171	887	2.24	134	20	180	200	0.51	17	4	1481.0

stacy OLADINNI

Redshirt-Junior | Opposite | La Vergne, Tenn.

- 2010 Preseason All-Sun Belt
- 2009 All-American Honorable Mention
- 2009 All-Sun Belt Second Team
- Hit .410 in 2009 conference matches to lead Sun Belt
- .396 attack percentage in 2009, third-best in school history
- 535 career kills and 217 career total blocks

Date - Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	Pct	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BH	Points
Aug. 27 - vs. South Carolina	3	8	5	20	.150	1	2	1	0	1	0	4	0	0	10.0
Aug. 28 - vs. Brigham Young	4	4	1	9	.333	0	1	2	0	1	1	4	0	0	8.0
Aug. 28 - at Illinois	4	6	0	13	.462	0	1	2	0	2	0	4	1	0	9.0
TOTAL	11	18	6	42	.286	1	4	5	0	4	1	12	1	0	27.0

Year	SP	MP	K	K/S	E	TA	Pct	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	Points
2008	132	35	209	1.58	88	460	.263	31	0.23	3	0.02	6	34	0.26	1	7	105	112	0.85	16	8	271.5
2009	123	35	326	2.65	78	627	.396	47	0.38	1	0.01	15	53	0.43	2	15	90	105	0.85	11	11	387.0
2010	11	3	18	1.64	6	42	.286	1	0.09	4	0.36	5	4	0.36	0	1	12	13	1.18	1	0	27.0
TOTAL	266	73	553	2.01	172	1129	.337	79	0.30	8	0.03	26	91	0.34	3	23	207	230	0.86	28	19	685.5

All-Sun Belt Performers

maria SZIVOS

Junior | Opposite/Outside Hitter | Jazsbereny, Hungary

- 2010 Preseason All-Sun Belt
- 2009 All-Sun Belt Second Team
- 690 kills, 393 digs and 87 service aces in two seasons for UNO
- Led Sun Belt with 54 service aces in 2008

Date - Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	Pct	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BH	Points
Aug. 27 - vs. South Carolina	3	7	0	9	.778	3	2	2	0	3	0	1	0	0	9.5
Aug. 28 - vs. Brigham Young	3	10	7	22	.136	3	4	1	0	2	0	3	0	0	15.5
Aug. 28 - at Illinois	2	2	2	6	.000	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	2.5
TOTAL	8	19	9	37	.270	6	6	4	0	6	0	5	0	0	27.5

Szivos' Career Numbers

Year	SP	MP	K	K/S	E	TA	Pct	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	Points
(AT UNO)																						
2008	114	32	289	2.56	104	622	.297	60	0.53	52	0.46	49	167	1.48	22	4	48	52	0.46	2	3	313.0
2009	120	31	401	3.34	153	977	.254	34	0.28	35	0.29	51	226	1.88	24	1	73	74	0.62	0	1	438.5
TOTAL	234	63	690	2.95	257	1599	.271	94	0.40	87	0.37	100	393	1.68	46	5	121	126	0.54	2	4	751.5
(AT MT)																						
2010	8	3	19	2.38	9	37	.270	6	0.75	6	0.75	4	6	0.75	0	0	5	5	0.63	0	0	27.5
TOTAL	8	3	19	2.38	9	37	.270	6	0.75	6	0.75	4	6	0.75	0	0	5	5	0.63	0	0	27.5

Kozon eyes history

Izabela Kozon is hoping to build on a career year in 2009. The Polish native led the team in kills for the second consecutive season with 423, earning First Team All-Sun Belt honors in the process. The senior currently sits fourth in school history in kills with 1,263 and sixth in kills per set with 3.19. She also ranks in the top ten in both service aces per set (0.28) and digs per set (2.24).

A well-traveled roster

Of the 16 players on the Middle Tennessee roster, 10 are from outside the state of Tennessee. Lindsay Cheatham and Courtney Wilson are from Florida, and Sasha McGlothin and Angela Peyton are natives of Texas. Both Ashley Adams and Alyssa Wistrick make their homes on the west coast, in California and Washington, respectively. Kendall Howard comes to Murfreesboro from Colorado, Brandi Waller from Indiana, and Brynne Henderson from Ohio.

However, two athletes probably rack up more travel time than the rest of the roster combined. Iza Kozon is a native of Poland, and Maria Szivos calls Hungary her home.

Middle Tennessee tabbed as favorite

For the third time in four seasons, the Blue Raiders were picked as the favorite in the Sun Belt Eastern Division by the conference's head coaches, just edging out defending regular season champion FIU. Three Blue Raiders were named to the Preseason All-Sun Belt Team, which led all schools. Senior Izabela Kozon and junior Stacy Oladinni appeared on the list after each earned All-SBC honors at the end of last season. Junior transfer Maria Szivos made it after an All-SBC performance for New Orleans in 2009.

Middle Tennessee in its 34th season

The Blue Raiders will begin their 34th season in 2010. Since 1984, the first season that full results are available, MT holds an overall record of 334-436. However the Blue Raiders are amid their most successful run in school history, having played in the last four NCAA Tournaments. Over that timespan, Middle Tennessee boasts of a 114-29 mark and a 59-9 record in Sun Belt play.

The 2009 campaign was certainly one to remember for the Blue Raiders, running up a 25-10 record against one of the toughest schedules in school history and knocking off FIU in the Sun Belt Championship match, the only loss to a conference opponent for the Golden Panthers last season. In the NCAA Tournament, MT fell in a tough back-and-forth five set match against host Colorado State in the first round.

BLUE RAIDERS RECORD ...

Home	0-0
Neutral	2-0
Away	0-1
vs. 2009 NCAA Tournament Teams	0-1
vs. Ranked Teams	0-1
Lead After Game One	1-1
Trail After Game One	1-0
Three-Game Match	1-0
Four-Game Match	1-1
Five-Game Match	0-0
Opponents Hit At Least .250	0-1
Opponents Hit Less Than .250	2-0
Blue Raiders Hit At Least .250	1-0
Blue Raiders Hit Less Than .250	1-1
More Kills Than Opponent	2-0
Less Kills Than Opponent	0-1
Kills are Even	0-0
More Assists Than Opponent	2-0
Less Assists Than Opponent	0-1
Assists are Even	0-0
More Blocks Than Opponent	2-1
Less Blocks Than Opponent	0-0
Blocks are Even	0-0
On a Monday	0-0
On a Tuesday	0-0
On a Thursday	0-0
On a Friday	1-0
On a Saturday	1-1
On A Sunday	0-0

matt PECK

Head Coach

Michigan, 1980
Seventh Season

2003 AVCA Division II Coach of the Year
2007 Sun Belt Coach of the Year
2007 AVCA South Region Coach of the Year
Gulf South Conference Coach of the Decade

NCAA Division I Tournament Appearances: 4
Sun Belt Tournament Championships: 3
NCAA Division II Championships: 1
NCAA Division II FInal Four: 2
NCAA Division II Regional Championships: 4
NCAA Division II South Regionals: 8

Matt Peck is in his seventh season at the helm of the Blue Raider volleyball program.

Last season, Peck led the Blue Raiders to their fourth consecutive NCAA tournament appearance after winning the Sun Belt Championship tournament, earning an automatic bid. Middle Tennessee ended the season with a 25-10 record and a 15-2 mark in conference action.

Stacy Oladinni was named to the South All-Region team by the AVCA. Oladinni also earned All-Sun Belt honors along with fellow Blue Raiders Leslie Clark, Izabela Kozon and Ashley Mead. Clark and Janay Yancey were awarded with All-Sun Belt Tournament accolades, and Mead took home the event's Most Outstanding Player award.

In the 2008 campaign, Peck guided Middle Tennessee to its third consecutive NCAA tournament appearance. The Blue Raiders defeated Miami (Ohio) in the first round to advance to the second round of the tournament for the third straight year. Middle Tennessee ended the season 27-8 and 14-3 in Sun Belt Conference action.

Ashley Asberry and Leslie Clark each earned All-American honors as they guided the Blue Raiders throughout the season. It was the third straight season at least one Blue Raider received All-American honors. The pair also received First Team All-Sun Belt honors, and Asberry was named to the All-Tournament team.

In 2007, Peck led the Blue Raiders to the best finish in school history. After winning its second straight Sun Belt Conference title, Middle Tennessee defeated Louisville and then Hawaii to advance to the NCAA Tournament Regional. The Blue Raiders ended the season ninth in the NCAA Tournament. Middle Tennessee posted an impressive 35-3 overall record during the historic season.

Ashley Adams and Ashley Asberry each earned All-America honors as they helped guide the Blue Raiders throughout the season. Adams was named MVP of every tournament Middle Tennessee played in and Sun Belt Player of the Year. The pair was also named Sun Belt First Team All-Conference.

In 2006, Peck continued to build on the success of the program in 2005, leading the Blue Raiders to a NCAA Tournament berth and a first round win on the road at Louisville after winning the Sun Belt Tournament. The team fell to No. 18 Ohio State in the second round but posted a 27-8 overall record while finishing conference play in a three-way tie for first with a record of 14-3. The win in game one against OSU snapped a 30-game winning streak for the Buckeyes.

Middle Tennessee picked up its first All-American honor under Peck in sophomore Ashley Adams. Adams earned the honor after being named First Team All-Conference, Most Valuable Player of the Sun Belt Tournament, and All-South Region.

In just his second year, Peck led the Blue Raiders to their first Sun Belt Tournament Championship match appearance since joining the league. Middle Tennessee's No. 2 seed in the tournament in 2005 and 10-2 record in Sun Belt matches is the best mark in school history, and the Blue Raider's 28 wins is a tie for second-most wins in school history.

With Peck at the helm, Alicia Lemau'u earned the Sun Belt Defensive Player of the Year award, and Ashley Adams became the first Blue Raider volleyball player to be named AVCA National Player of the Week.

With 24 years of coaching experience, Peck has an overall career record of 605-225. Prior to arriving at Middle Tennessee in February 2004, Peck spent nine seasons at the University of North Alabama.

In 2003, he led the Lions to an NCAA Division II National Championship title and was named the 2003 AVCA Tachikara Division II National Coach of the Year. He is also a four-time AVCA Region Coach of the Year (1998, 2000, 2003, 2007).

Peck guided North Alabama to its eighth consecutive NCAA Tournament appearance in 2003, capped with the school's first-ever NCAA Championship with a 3-0 win over Concordia St. Paul. North Alabama finished the 2003 season with an overall record of 33-7. Overall, Peck is 19-8 all-time in NCAA Tournament play and compiled a record of 107-3 against Gulf South Conference opponents.

In his nine-year stint at North Alabama, Peck compiled a record of 312-61, which includes seven straight Gulf South Conference Championships and four appearances in the NCAA Division II Elite Eight. Peck is the only coach in GSC history to be selected coach of the year for three consecutive seasons (1996, 1997, 1998) and won the award four times overall. He also produced 20 All-Americans, and UNA set two individual and five NCAA Division II Tournament records under his guidance.

In 2002, UNA went 30-5, won the GSC volleyball title, and advanced to the NCAA Regional for the seventh time. In 2001, UNA was 32-4 and won its sixth straight GSC title before falling in the regional championship match.

It was 2000 when Peck and the Lions made their closest bid to the national title before winning it in 2003. UNA went 40-3 and reached the Division II Final Four for the first time. This included a 39-match win streak as well as GSC and NCAA Division II South Regional titles.

In 1999, the Lions went 35-7 and earned the school's second straight NCAA Division II South Central Regional championship and second consecutive appearance in the Division II Elite Eight. UNA also claimed a fourth straight GSC title.

In 1998, Peck led UNA to a 38-6 record and the Lions first-ever berth in the NCAA Division II Elite Eight. The Lions also climbed as high as seventh in the NCAA Division II national rankings.

Also in 1998, UNA hosted the NCAA Division II South Regional, and the Lions knocked off Alabama-Huntsville and Rockhurst to claim the school's first-ever regional volleyball title.

Before North Alabama, Peck coached in Michigan at Wayne State for 11 years, where his best season came in 1986, when he guided WSU to a 32-6 record and a top 15 ranking among NCAA Division II schools. The 32 victories set a school record for wins in a season.

In 1997, the Lions finished 39-5 on their way to a No. 8 national ranking, their second straight GSC championship and their second consecutive NCAA Regional appearance.

The 1996 Lions had a 44-4 record that included a Top 15 national ranking in Division II, a GSC Championship and the first NCAA Tournament bid ever received by any collegiate volleyball team from the state of Alabama. Peck joined UNA on July 17, 1995, inheriting a program that had enjoyed just three winning seasons in six years prior to his arrival. In his first season, Peck led UNA to a 21-20 record and third place finish in the GSC Tournament. The Lions recorded a 4-0 start, which was their best start in three years, and claimed the Francis Marion Invitational Championship. In 1996 UNA and Flowers Hall were selected as the site for the four-team NCAA Division II South Central Regional, where the Lions downed Texas Women's University before falling to Central Missouri State in the championship game.

In 1987, WSU advanced to the NCAA Division II National Championships with a record of 27-7 and finished the season ranked No. 10. For his efforts in 1987, Peck was named GLIAC Coach of the Year. Wayne State also produced the school's first Division II volleyball All-American in 1987.

Wayne State was ranked in the Division II Top 20 four of Peck's last five years at the school. In 1992 WSU claimed three tournament championships and had a 17-0 mark against Division II opponents outside the GLIAC.

A 1980 graduate of the University of Michigan with a B.A. in psychology, Peck received his master's degree in physical education-sports administration from Wayne State in 1992.

Peck is a native of Dearborn Heights, Mich.

Career Highs

#1 Lindsay Cheatham | Jr.
Attacks....20, vs. New Orleans (10/26/08)
Kills....12, at UT Arlington (9/13/08)
Hitting Percentage....857, at UT-Arlington (9/13/08)
Block Assists....4, 4x, last at Illinois (8/28/10)

#2 Kendall Howard | Fr.
Digs....10, vs. BYU (8/28/10)

#3 Ashley Adams | Jr.
Kills....5, at ULM (10/24/09)
Attacks....9, at ULM (10/24/09)
Hitting Percentage....444, at ULM (10/24/09)
Block Assists....1, at ULM (10/24/09)

#4 Brandi Waller | So.
Kills....4, vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/09)
Attacks....7, vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/09))
Hitting Percentage....1.000, vs. Murray State (8/29/09)
Block Assists....4, at UT-San Antonio (9/9/09)
Digs:....3,vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/09)
Points....6.0, vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/09)

#5 Alyssa Wistrick | Sr.
Kills....11, vs. North Texas (10/16/09)
Attacks....30, at Illinois (8/28/10)
Hitting Percentage....667, twice, last vs. Denver (10/18/09)
Digs....2, at UAB (9/2/09)
Points....12, at Saint Louis (11/28/09)
Block Assists....5, at UAB (9/22/09)

#6 Stacy Oladinni | R-Jr.
Kills....15, at FIU (10/4/09)
Attacks....32, at Purdue (12/6/08)
Hitting Percentage....818, vs. Loyola-Marymount (9/6/08)
Assists....4, 3x, last vs. UALR (10/11/09)
Service Aces....2, twicetwi, last vs. South Carolina (8/27/10)
Block Assists....9, vs. Florida International (11/7/08)
Block Solos....2, four times, last vs. Northern Illinois (9/5/09)
Digs....9, at MIami (9/11/09)
Points....17, vs. FIU (11/21/09)

#7 Courtney Wilson | R-So.
Assists....9, vs. Ohio (96/09)
Digs....6, vs. Albany (9/11/09)

#8 Brynne Henderson | Jr.
Assists....5, vs. FIU (11/21/09)
Service Aces....3, vs. Troy (10/31/08)
Digs....19, at Miami (9/11/09)
Points....3.0, twice, last at Purdue (12/6/08)

#9 Izabela Kozon | Sr.
Kills....25, vs. Miami (Ohio) (12/5/08)
Attacks....62, vs. Miami (Ohio) (12/5/08)
Hitting Percentage....632, vs. Florida Atlantic (10/4/08)
Assists....6, twice, last vs FIU (11/21/09)
Service Aces....5, vs. Denver (9/28/07)
Block Assists....6, vs. South Dakota State (8/30/08)
Solo Blocks....2, vs. Arkansas State (10/9/09)
Digs....18, vs. Arkansas State (10/9/09)
Points....26.0, vs. Miami (Ohio) (12/5/08)

#11 Maria Szivos | Jr.
Kills....10, vs. BYU (8/28/10)
Attacks....22, vs. BYU (8/28/10)
Hitting Percentage....778, vs. South Carolina (8/27/10)
Assists....3, twice, last vs. BYU (8/28/10)
Service Aces....4, vs. BYU (8/28/10)
Block Assists....3, vs. BYU (8/28/10)
Digs....3, vs. South Carolina (8/27/10)
Points....15.5, vs. BYU (8/28/10)

#15 Morgan Peterson | R-Fr.
Kills....4, vs. South Carolina (8/27/10)
Attacks....11, at Illinois (8/28/10)
Hitting Percentage....500, vs. South Carolina (8/27/10)
Assists....40, vs. BYU (8/28/10)
Block Assists....2, vs. BYU (8/28/10)
Digs....11, vs. South Carolina (8/27/10)
Points....15.5, vs. BYU (8/28/10)

#20 Sasha McGlothin | R-Sr.
Kills....11, vs. South Dakota State (8/30/08)
Attacks....23, vs. Idaho (8/29/08)
Hitting Percentage....700, vs. Southeast Missouri State (8/30/08)
Block Assists....8, vs. South Alabama (11/2/07)
Block Solos....1, four times, last Idaho (8/29/08)
Digs....3, vs. Idaho (8/29/08)
Points....11.5, twice, last vs. South Dakota State (8/30/08)

#22 Halie Vannoy | So.
Assists....2, vs. Kansas (8/28/09)
Service Aces....2, 3x, last vs. Arkansas State (10/9/09)
Digs....12, at FIU (10/4/09)
Points....2, 3x, last vs. Western Kentucky (9/25/09)

#25 Riana Cain | Fr.

#29 Angela Peyton | Fr.
Assists....4, at Illinois (8/28/10)

Career Records

Kills
1. 2,028 - KeKe Deckard.....2000-04
2. 1,455 - Ashley Adams.....2005-07
3. 1,301 - Mary Rickman.....1988-91
4. ***1,263 - Izabela Kozon..... 2007-***
5. 1,256 - Katie Thiesen 1999-02
6. 1,222 - Ashley Mead 2006-09
7. 1,148 - Tara Miller.....1994-97
8. 1,114 - Lisa White.....1989-91
9. 1,105 - Ashley Asberry.....2005-08
10. 1,071 - Dara McLean.....2001-04

Kills Per Set
1. 5.13 - Yanira Santiago..... 1995
2. 4.25 - KeKe Deckard.....2000-04
3. 3.96 - Ashley Adams 2005-07
4. 3.38 - Deborah Anderson..1995-96
5. 3.37 - Carrie Kapfenberg..1997-98
6. ***3.19 - Izabela Kozon..... 2007-***
7. 3.13 - Ashley Mead.....2006-09
8. 3.04 - Mallory Rickman.....1988-91
9. 3.01 - Kelly Smith 1998-99
10. 2.84 - Katie Thiesen.....2000-02

.....*minimum 1,000 attempts

Attack Percentage
1. .392 - Yanira Santiago..... 1995
2. .390 - Ashley Asberry.....2005-08
3. .335 - Ashley Adams 2005-07
4. .326 - Quanshell Scott.....2004-07
5. .265 - Lindsay Pritchard....1997-00
6. .248 - Susan Bishop.....1993-96
7. .245 - Katie Thiesen.....1999-02
8. .244 - Priscilla Robinson ...1989-91
9. .242 - Kelly Smith 1998-99
10. .236 - Carrie Kapfenberg..1997-98

.....*minimum 1,000 attempts

Assists
1. 5,692 - Leslie Clark.....2006-09
2. 4,020 - Megan Sumrell.....2003-06
3. 3,295 - Nidza Castillo.....1994-96
4. 2,928 - Becky Tumblin.....1991-93
5. 2,706 - Kelly Quinn.....1999-02
6. 2,215 - Goldie Bilyeu.....2000-03
7. 2,075 - Jaemi Clayton.....1996-97
8. 1,435 - Carla Pewitt.....1988-89

Assists Per Set
1. 12.16 - Leslie Clark.....2006-09
2. 10.13 - Nidza Castillo.....1994-96
3. 9.98 - Megan Sumrell 2003-06
4. 8.39 - Becky Tumblin 1991-93
5. 8.07 - Jaemi Clayton 1996-97
6. 7.72 - Carla Pewitt.....1988-89
7. 6.85 - Kelly Quinn 1999-02
8. 6.68 - Goldie Bilyeu 2000-03
9. 5.54 - Kim Craven.....1997-98
10. 4.10 - Kelly Cannon 2001-02

Service Aces
1. 206 - Priscilla Robinson 1989-93
2. 173 - Mary Rickman.....1988-91
3. 161 - Nidza Castillo 1994-96
4. 155 - Lisa White 1989-91
5. 144 - Alicia Lemau'u 2004-07
6. 139 - Stacy Stverak.....1988-91
7. 127 - Dara McLean 2001-04
8. 121 - Sondra Ruohomaki..1990-93
8. 121 - Quanshell Scott.....2004-07
10. 115 - Leslie Clark 2006-09
10. 115 - KeKe Deckard.....2001-04

Service Aces Per Set
1. 0.55 - Priscilla Robinson ...1989-93
2. 0.50 - Nidza Castillo 1994-96
3. 0.46 - Deborah Anderson..1995-96
4. 0.40 - Mary Rickman.....1988-91
5. 0.37 - Lisa White 1989-91
6. 0.35 - Stacy Stverak.....1988-91
7. 0.32 - Dara McLean 2001-04
8. 0.31 - Sondra Ruohomaki..1990-93
9. 0.30 - Alicia Lemau'u 2004-07
10. ***0.28 - Izabela Kozon..... 2007-***

Digs
1. 2,027 - Alicia Lemau'u.....2004-07
2. 1,424 - Lisa White.....1989-91
3. 1,356 - Ashley Waugh.....2006-09
4. 1,342 - Mary Rickman.....1988-91
5. 1,289 - Erin Hillstrom.....1999-02
6. 1,255 - KeKe Deckard 2000-04
7. 1,195 - Becky Tumblin.....1991-93
8. 984 - Tara Miller.....1994-97
9. 920 - Nidza Castillo 1994-96
9. 920 - Stacy Stverak.....1988-91

Digs Per Set
1. 4.18 - Alicia Lemau'u 2004-07
2. 3.45 - Yanira Santiago..... 1995
3. 3.42 - Becky Tumblin 1991-93
4. 3.35 - Lisa White 1989-91
5. 3.14 - Mary Rickman.....1988-91
6. 2.86 - Kimberly Moeller 2002-04
7. 2.75 - Erin Hillstrom 1999-02
7. 2.75 - Ashley Waugh.....2006-09
9. 2.63 - KeKe Deckard.....2000-04
10. 2.28 - Stacy Stverak.....1988-91
10. ***2.24 - Izabela Kozon..... 2007-***

Block Solos
1. 173 - Priscilla Robinson 1989-93
2. 117 - Angie Raffie 1991-94
3. 114 - Lisa White 1989-91
4. 100 - Susan Bishop.....1993-96
5. 99 - Lindsay Pritchard 1997-00
6. 96 - Mary Rickman 1988-91
7. 90 - Karisse Baker.....2000-03
8. 71 - Stacy Stverak 1988-91
9. 57 - Tammy Eicholz 1994-95
10. 55 - KeKe Deckard 2001-04
10. 55 - Jennifer Hignite 1999-02
10. 55 - Tonya Keen 1991-93

Block Assists
1. 556 - Ashley Asberry.....2005-08
2. 432 - Quanshell Scott.....2004-07
3. 407 - Lindsay Pritchard.....1997-00
4. 317 - Karisse Baker 2000-03
5. 309 - Ashley Adams 2005-07
6. 303 - Susan Bishop.....1993-96
7. 297 - Jennifer Hignite.....2000-02
8. 278 - Leslie Clark 2006-09
9. 253 - Priscilla Robinson 1989-93
10. 240 - Katie Thiesen.....1999-02

Blocks Per Set
1. 1.43 - Ashley Asberry.....2005-08
2. 1.18 - Kelly Smith 1998-99
3. 1.14 - Lindsay Pritchard....1997-00
3. 1.14 - Priscilla Robinson ...1989-93
5. 1.09 - Janay Yancey 2008-09
6. ***1.02 - Sasha McGlothin 2006-***
7. 1.01 - Quanshell Scott.....2004-07
8. 1.00 - Susan Bishop.....1993-96
9. 0.95 - Jennifer Hignite.....1999-02
10. 0.95 - Lindsay Sisco.....2004-05