

Seattle Pacific University

Women's Basketball

2007-08 Preseason Prospectus



Institution – Seattle Pacific University
Address – 3307 Third Avenue West, Seattle, WA 98119
Founded – 1891
Enrollment – 4,000
Nickname – Falcons
Colors – Maroon & White
Affiliation – NCAA Division II
Conference – Great Northwest Athletic Conference
President – Dr. Philip Eaton (Whitworth '65)
Athletic Director – Tom Box (Biola '74)
Email – twb@spu.edu
Athletic Department Office – 206-281-2085
Athletics Web Site – www.spu.edu/falconsonline
Ass't AD/Sports Information Director – Frank MacDonald
Office – 206-281-2772 *Home* – 206-938-2244
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Head Coach – Julie van Beek (Northwest Nazarene '89)
Record at SPU – 44-15 (2 yrs.)
Overall Record – 206-134 (11 years)
Office – 206-281-2851 *Email* – jvanbeek@spu.edu
Assistant – Michelle Skyles (Northwest Nazarene '89), Sasha Anderson (Washington '00)
Office – 206-281-2930 *Email* – mskyles@spu.edu
Athletic Trainer – Bob Grams
Office – 206-281-2768 *Email* – bgrams@spu.edu

2006-07 Season Record – 20-9
2006-07 Conference Record – 12-4 (1st)
2007 Honors – GNAC Champion
Previous Honors – NCAA Playoffs: 1995, 97-07; NAIA District Playoffs: 1989, 90, 91

Home Court – Brougham Pavilion (2,650)
Starters Returning/Lost – 3/2
Letterwinners Returning/Lost – 9/5

<i>Returning Starters</i>	<i>Hgt</i>	<i>Cl</i>	<i>Stats</i>	<i>Honors</i>
Beth Christensen	5-5	Sr	6.0, 4.9 ast	
Kelsey Hill	6-2	Jr	12.2, 8.5 reb	All-Region
Jackie Hollands	5-9	Sr	11.0, 2.1 stl	All-GNAC

<i>Other Key Returnees</i>	<i>Hgt</i>	<i>Cl</i>	<i>Stats</i>
Jessie Christensen	5-9	Sr	3.6, 2.8 reb
Libby Magnuson	5-10	Sr	6.1, 3.0 reb
Lexi Schaar	6-4	So	7.0, 3.0 reb
Lisa Cannon	5-11	So	0.9, 0.9 reb
Daesha Henderson	5-9	So	3.8
Megan Hoisington	6-0	So	2.2, 1.8 reb

<i>Starters Lost</i>	<i>Hgt</i>	<i>Cl</i>	<i>Stats</i>	<i>Honors</i>
Autumn Fielding	5-9	Sr	8.8, 2.1 ast	
Rachel Strand	6-2	Sr	9.3, 6.4 reb	

<i>Others Lost</i>	<i>Hgt</i>	<i>Cl</i>	<i>Stats</i>
Jessie Menkens	5-10	Sr	6.7, 2.1 reb

<i>Key Transfers</i>	<i>Cl</i>	<i>Hgt</i>	<i>Hometown (Last School)</i>
Kelsey Burns	Jr	5-11	Seattle, Wa. (Arizona)

<i>Key Freshmen</i>	<i>Pos</i>	<i>Hgt</i>	<i>Hometown (Last School)</i>
Madison Maloney	G	5-10	Issaquah, Wa. (Skyline)
Melissa Reich	C	6-1	Bothell, Wa. (Bell. Christian)

First year of women's basketball – 1975-76
All-time record – 522-310
No. of years in NCAA Tour./last – 10/2005
Last postseason opponent – Washburn
Result – Loss, 70-53, 2005 NCAA Championship Game

Primary Print Media

The Seattle Times *Web* – www.seattletimes.com
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 Seattle Post-Intelligencer *Web* – www.seattle-pi.com
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2007-08 Tentative Schedule

<i>Date</i>	<i>Opponent</i>	<i>Time</i>
Nov. 6	at Washington (exhibition)	7:00
Nov. 16-17	SODEXHO TIP-OFF CLASSIC	
Nov. 16	Central Washington v North Alabama	1:00
	SPU v Regis	5:00
Nov. 17	Central Washington v Regis	1:00
	SPU v North Alabama	5:00
Nov. 27	Puget Sound	7:00
Dec. 7-8	CCAA/GNAC Challenge	
Dec. 7	Western Wash. v Chico State	5:00
	SPU v Sonoma State	7:00
Dec. 8	Western Wash. v Sonoma State	5:00
	SPU v Chico State	7:00
Dec. 18-19	Dixie State Classic (St. George, Ut.)	
Dec. 18	SPU v Cal State San Bernardino	2:00
Dec. 19	SPU at Dixie State	12:00
Dec. 28-29	GNAC/CCAA Challenge (La Jolla, Ca.)	
Dec. 28	SPU v UC San Diego	tba
Dec. 29	SPU v Cal Poly Pomona	tba
Jan. 3	at Saint Martin's*	5:30
Jan. 5	at Western Oregon*	5:00
Jan. 10	Alaska Fairbanks*	7:00
Jan. 12	Alaska Anchorage*	7:00
Jan. 17	at Western Washington*	7:00
Jan. 19	at Central Washington*	7:00
Jan. 24	Montana State Billings*	5:30
Jan. 26	Seattle University*	1:30
Feb. 2	at Northwest Nazarene*	6:00
Feb. 7	at Alaska Anchorage*	8:00
Feb. 9	at Alaska Fairbanks*	6:00
Feb. 14	Central Washington*	7:00
Feb. 16	Western Washington*	5:00
Feb. 21	at Seattle University*	7:00
Feb. 23	at Montana State Billings*	6:00
Mar. 1	Northwest Nazarene*	5:00
Mar. 6	Western Oregon*	7:00
Mar. 8	Saint Martin's*	7:00
Mar. 14-17	NCAA West Regional	
Mar. 28-31	NCAA Elite Eight	

*Great Northwest Athletic Conference games
 All times are Pacific