

# ST. OLAF COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL

GAMEDAY PROGRAM - IIAC-MIAC BORDER BATTLE

OCT. 2-3, 2009 | SKOGLUND CENTER



## Oles host IIAC-MIAC Border Battle

Welcome to Skoglund Center for the 2009 IIAC- MIAC Volleyball Border Battle. Loras College (Dubuque, Iowa) and St. Olaf are playing host to the event, which features the top eight finishers from each league in 2008. St. Thomas, Gustavus, Saint Benedict and Concordia Moorhead will travel to Loras as the top four MIAC teams from last fall and will play the top four from the IIAC. The Oles are hosting teams five through eight from the MIAC (St. Olaf, Carleton, Saint Mary's, and Augsburg) and the same from the IIAC. Each team plays two games on Friday and two on Saturday. Minnesota schools hold a 101-43 (.701) edge over the IIAC since the event started in 2004.

## St. Olaf Notes

-Kim Smisek's 20 kills help St. Olaf outlast Gustavus Adolphus College in a five-set (25-17, 26-28, 21-25, 25-21, 15-7) win on Wednesday night at Skoglund Center. The Oles had three others with at least 12 kills in the win. Katie Wolfram and Paige Olson had 13 each while Melissa Burch added 12. Smisek hit .326 on the night, making only six errors in 43 attempts. She also added 16 digs.

- St. Olaf (15-2, 3-1 MIAC) has now won seven in a row.

- The Oles are off to their best start since 2001.

- St. Olaf is in the midst of an eight-game home span. After this weekend's four games with IIAC foes, the Oles will host three straight MIAC opponents at Skoglund Center - Bethel University (Oct. 7), Augsburg College (Oct. 10) and Hamline Univ. (Oct. 14).

- Smisek continues to lead the league in kills (4.58/set) by a substantial margin (0.64 kills/set). She was seventh in the country in the last national statistical reporting day (Sept. 20). She has 1,119 career kills into the weekend and needs 68 to move past Emily Sather for sixth all-time.

- Setter Kelly Prunty moved into the top spot in the league in set assists after she posted 58 in the Oles' five-set win over Gustavus on Wednesday. Prunty is 102 assists shy of 3,000 for her career.



## Schedule-----

### Friday, Oct. 2 @ St. Olaf College - Skoglund Center

<u>Court 1</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Court 2</u>	<u>Time</u>
St. Olaf vs. Dubuque	2 p.m.	Carleton vs. Buena Vista	2 p.m.
St. Olaf vs. Luther	4 p.m.	Saint Mary's vs. Cornell	4 p.m.
Carleton vs. Dubuque	6 p.m.	Augsburg vs. Buena Vista	6 p.m.
Augsburg vs. Cornell	8 p.m.	Saint Mary's vs. Luther	8 p.m.

### Saturday, Oct. 3 @ St. Olaf College - Skoglund Center

<u>Court 1</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Court 2</u>	<u>Time</u>
St. Olaf vs. Cornell	9:30 a.m.	Carleton vs. Luther	9:30 a.m.
Carleton vs. Cornell	11:30 a.m.	Augsburg vs. Luther	11:30 a.m.
St. Olaf vs. Buena Vista	1:30 p.m.	Saint Mary's vs. Dubuque	1:30 p.m.
Saint Mary's vs. Buena Vista	3:30 p.m.	Augsburg vs. Dubuque	3:30 p.m.

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# MIAC

### Augsburg College (10-7, 3-1 MIAC)

#	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School
1				
1	Dani Tanaka *	SR DS	5-3	Bloomington, Minn./Jefferson HS
3	Katie Christensen	JR OH	5-11	North Mankato, Minn./Mankato West
4	Tia Schuster	SO MH	5-8	Minot, N.D./Our Redeemer's HS
5	Korri Yule	SO MH	5-10	Medford, Minn.
7	Erin Jugasek	JR RSH	6-1	Big Lake, Minn.
8	Lauren Butler	FY OH	5-10	Burnsville, Minn.
9	Nikolene Miller	FY MH	6-0	Tomahawk, Wis.
10	Amanda Unze	FY RSH	5-11	Chanhausen, Minn./Chaska HS
11	Shanna Reed *	SR S	5-8	Eagan, Minn./Holy Angels HS
12	Denielle Johnson	JR S	5-7	Blaine, Minn./Spring Lake Park HS
13	Barbara Simmons	SR MH	5-8	Minneapolis, Minn./South HS
15	Jessica Hillk	JR DS	5-5	Waconia, Minn./Mayer Lutheran HS
16	Jamila Lee	FY MH	5-7	Richfield, Minn.
17	Amy Jo Opsal	SO DS	5-6	Mankato, Minn./St. Clair HS
18	Caitlin Batzlaff	SO OH	5-9	Plymouth, Minn./Wayzata HS
19	Michelle Barum	SO RSH	6-1	Prior Lake, Minn.

Head Coach: Jessica Rinehart Assistant Coaches: Mariah Ohlsen, Erica Moore, Jen Bowman

### Carleton College (9-4, 2-2 MIAC)

#	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School
1				
1	Erin Anderson	So. S/DS	5-7	Bloomington, Minn./Kennedy
2	Laura Barsness	Sr. L/DS	5-6	Prior Lake, Minn./Lakeville North
3	Hannah Folz	Fy. S	5-7	Evanston, Ill./Evanston Township
4	Morgan Jones	Fy. S	5-6	Menlo Park, Calif./Castilleja School
5	Sam Baker	Jr. OH/RS	5-9	Cranford, N.J./Oak Knoll School
6	Ailsa McCulloch	So. OH	5-10	Woodside, Calif./Crystal Springs Uplands
7	Maddy Lenhard	Jr. DS	5-8	Eden Prairie, Minn./Eden Prairie
8	Beth Jarrett	Jr. S	5-8	Mounds View, Minn./Irondale
9	Elissa Walter	Fy. OH	5-9	Aspen, Colo./Aspen
10	Kyla Walter	Jr. OH	5-10	Aspen, Colo./Aspen
11	Kelly Lovett	Jr. OH/MH	6-0	Portland, Ore./Lincoln
12	Annie Eckhoff	Sr. MH	6-1	Northfield, Minn./Northfield
13	Jessa Youso	Fy. MH	5-11	Virginia, Minn./Virginia
14	Sarah Nielsen	Fy. RS/MH	6-2	Altoona, Wis./Altoona
15	Sarah Halls	Sr. RS/MH	6-1	Edina, Minn.

Head Coach: Heidi Luehmann Jaynes Assistant Coaches: Amy Erickson, Shelley Caron

### Saint Mary's University (12-5, 2-2 MIAC)

#	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/High School
1					
1	Erika Hurley	L	5-6	So.	Chatfield, Minn. / Chosen Valley-Chatfield
2	Courtney Runge	OH	5-7	Sr.	St. James, Minn. / St. James
3	Brittany Chervinka	S	5-7	Sr.	Faribault, Minn. / Faribault
4	Sara Harstad	OH	5-10	Jr.	Chatfield, Minn. / Chosen Valley-Chatfield
5	Jessica Larson	MH	5-8	Sr.	Pine Island, Minn. / Pine Island
6	Pam Stanton	OH	5-8	Sr.	Mundelein, Ill. / Carmel
7	Cathy Rennie	S	5-6	Fr.	Pine Island, Minn. /
8	Amy Kujak	MH	6-0	So.	River Falls, Wis. / River Falls
10	Jessica Mate	OH	6-0	Jr.	St. Charles, Ill. / St. Charles East
11	Megan Leisen	S	5-6	Fr.	Kellogg, Minn. / Wabasha-Kellogg
13	Sabrina Bushlack	OH	5-10	Jr.	Mapleton, Minn. / United South Central
15	Sarah Gardner	RS	5-10	Jr.	Rochester, Minn. / Rochester Mayo
16	Emily Welhaven	OH	5-8	Jr.	Rochester, Minn. / Rochester Lourdes
17	Carissa Hahn	RS	5-9	Fr.	Hutchinson, Minn. / Hutchinson
18	Lindsey Legatt	L	5-4	Jr.	Sartell, Minn. / Sartell
19	Tara Rasmussen	L	5-5	Jr.	Kasson, Minn. / Kasson-Mantorville
23	Rachel Monterastelli	S	5-4	Jr.	Wonder Lake, Ill. / Carmel Catholic

Head coach: Mike Lester Assistant Coaches: Tessa Stranik, Ashley Gossen

### St. Olaf College (15-2, 3-1 MIAC)

#	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School
1				
1	Kelly Prunty	Jr. S	5-10	Welcome, Minn./Martin County West
3	Katie Wolfram	Fy. OH	6-1	Woodinville, Wash./Bear Creek
4	Janet Sully	Sr. DS/L	5-4	New Brighton, Minn./Irondale
5	Alise Carlson	Jr. R/MB	6-1	Alexandria, Minn./Jefferson
7	Kristin Boyum	Soph. DS/L	5-8	Wanamingo, Minn./Kenyon-Wanamingo
8	Kate McDonald	Soph. S/L	5-6	Northfield, Minn./Northfield
9	Kim Smisek	Jr. OH	6-1	Northfield, Minn./Northfield
10	Melissa Burch	Fy. R	6-0	Lawrence, Kan./Free State
11	Paige Olson*	Sr. MB	5-10	Brainerd, Minn./Brainerd
12	Frances Xin	Soph. OH	5-8	Ames, Iowa/Ames
13	Maddy Kreykes	Fy. MB	6-0	Ann Arbor, Mich./Pioneer
14	Anna Meneely	Soph. S	6-0	Jackson, Minn./Jackson Co. Central
15	Alyssa Williams *	Sr. DS	5-5	Northfield, Minn./Northfield

Head Coach: Cindy Book Assistant Coach: Audrey Ludvig

# IIAC

### Buena Vista University (1-13, 0-3 IIAC)

#	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/High School
1					
1	Hattie Hartzell	S	5-5	Fr.	Sibley, Iowa/Sibley-Chocoyedan
2	Samantha Narveson	OH/DS	5'5"	Jr.	Chatfield, Minn./Chosen-Valley
3	Tara Lehner	MB	5-9	Fr.	LeMars, Iowa/LeMars
4	Liz Auffert	MH	5'10"	Sr.	Stanton, Iowa/Stanton
5	Kirsten Brown	MH/OH	5'8"	So.	Ottumwa, Iowa/Eddyville Blakesburg
6	Arinda Abbuhl	OH	5-8	Fr.	Red Oak, Iowa/Red Oak
7	Bailey Schafbuch	OH	5-4	Fr.	Madrid, Iowa/Ballard
8	Lacie Drennan	OH	5'10"	So.	Larrabee, Iowa/Cherokee Washington
9	McKenzie Moore	OH	5'4"	Jr.	Harlan, Iowa/Harlan
10	Cara Kreman	DS	5'7"	Sr.	Tipton, Iowa/Tipton
11	Kelsie Essick	DS	5'1"	So.	Cherokee, Iowa/Cherokee
12	Kacie Woodley	MH/OH	5'9"	So.	Laurens, Iowa/Laurens-Marathon
13	Katie Vondrak	MH	6'1"	Jr.	Sioux City, Iowa/Bishop Heelan
14	Erin Rippke	MH	6'2"	So.	Ames, Iowa/Gilbert
15	Jacklyn Johnson	RS		Fr.	Litchfield, Minn./
16	Kelsey VanDeer	S	5'9"	So.	Adair, Iowa/Adair-Casey
17	Kimberly Perez	MB	5-6	Fr.	Brownsville, Texas/Homer Hanna

Head Coach: Heather Noll Graduate Assistant Coach: Kate Olson

### Cornell College (15-3, 3-1 IIAC)

#	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/High School
1					
1	Suzi Enoch	RH	6-1	Jr.	Colorado Springs, Colo./Cheyenne Mountain
2	Rachel Spriggs	DS	5-8	Sr.	Parsons, Kan./Labette County
3	Hannah Boehmer	S	5-8	Jr.	Riverside, Iowa/Mid-Prairie
4	Kirtley Hitt	OH	6-0	So.	Shorewood, Minn./Lakeside (Ga.)
6	Melissa Weaver	DS	5-7	Jr.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa/La Pryor (Texas)
7	CJ Ronhovde	DS	5-8	Sr.	Elmwood, Neb./Elmwood-Murdock
9	Kayla Gaines	DS	5-6	So.	Webb City, Mo./Webb City
10	Alissa Benjamin	OH	6-1	Jr.	Lakewood, Colo./D'Evelyn
11	Caiti Hladky	DS	5-7	So.	Fort Lupton, Colo./Valley
12	Morgan May	MH	5-10	Fr.	Dubuque, Iowa/Wahlert
13	Simone Wright	MH	5-10	Jr.	Beach Park, Ill./Waukegan
14	Kristin Paczosa	OH	5-11	Sr.	Arlington Heights, Ill./Buffalo Grove
15	Laura Dudgeon	MH	5-10	Sr.	Bettendorf, Iowa/Bettendorf
16	Kylie Westerlind	S	5-7	Fr.	Carbondale, Colo./Aspen
17	Caity Whitman	S	5-8	Fr.	Rutherford, N.J./Rutherford
18	Laura Welch	S	5-6	Sr.	Houston, Texas/Lamar
21	Kristi Higgins	S	5-7	Fr.	Minocqua, Wis./Lakeland Union
23	Brittney Bishop	OH/MH	5-10	So.	Highlandville, Mo./Spokane
24	Byre Malone	MH/RH	5-11	Fr.	Falcon, Colo./Falcon

Head Coach: Jeff Meeker Assistant Coaches: Katie Green, Marc Neeff

### University of Dubuque (8-9, 1-3 IIAC)

#	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/High School
1					
2	Kristen Mortenson	L	5-5	So.	Belvidere, Ill./Belvidere
3	Tiffany Gassman	DS	5-3	Fr.	Atchinson, Kans./Atchinson
9	English Ruffin	MH	5-11	Fr.	Milwaukee, Wis./Bay View
10	Bailey Abele	OH	5-9	So.	Mesa, Ariz./Seton Catholic
11	Whitley Phillips	OH/Opp	5-9	Jr.	Spencer, Wis./Spencer
12	Sarah Gross	S/Opp	5-8	Fr.	Peosta, Iowa/Hempstead
13/14	Susan Danielewski	MH	5-9	Fr.	Lansing, Ill./Thornton Fractional South
15	Hannah Stemo	OH	5-7	So.	Halercorners, Wis./Whitnall
16	Katelyn Herrman	MH	5-10	Sr.	Sparta, Wis./Sparta
17	Carly Green	Opp	6-1	So.	Clinton, Iowa/Clinton
18	Lilly Gors	OH	5-10	Jr.	Madison, Wis./James Madison
21	Jessica Serd	OH	5-9	Fr.	Lakenheath, U.K./Lakenheath
24	Yaharia Lugo Ruiz	S	5-7	So.	Ponce, P.R./Col. Sagrado Corazon Jesus

Head Coach: April Elsernd Assistant Coach: Dana Serafini

### Luther College (13-4, 2-1 IIAC)

#	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/High School
1					
1	Grace Hamlin	L	5-6	Sr.	Spring Valley, Minn./Kingsland
2	Lindsey Weaver	DS/S	5-5	So.	Lakeville, Minn./Lakeville North
3	Taylor Hjerleid	S	5-5	Jr.	Wapello, Iowa/Wapello
4	Molly Morrissey	S	5-6	Jr.	St. Paul, Minn./Cretin-Derham Hall
5	Tiffany Kruse	OH	5-8	Sr.	Greeley, Iowa/Edgewood-Colesburg
6	Natalie Williamson	MB	6-0	Fr.	Hayward, Wis./Hayward
7	Leah Ehret	L/DS	5-5	So.	Eagan, Minn./Eagan
8	Ellen Gallagher	MB/RS	6-0	Fr.	Minnetonka, Minn./Hopkins
9	Heather Hoffman	S	5-8	Sr.	Northfield, Minn./Northfield
10	Amanda Dielert	S	5-6	So.	Jordan, Minn./Jordan
11	Emily Cory	OH	5-9	So.	Indianola, Iowa/Indianola
12	Sophia Brown	MB/RS	5-10	Fr.	Pleasant Hill, Iowa/Southeast Polk
13	Jolene Brody	OH	5-6	Fr.	Austin, Minn./Austin
14	Blair Butler	DS/L	5-3	So.	Lakeville, Minn./Lakeville South
15	Taylor Skoglund	MB	6-0	So.	Montevideo, Minn./Montevideo
16	Erin Eggum	OH	5-8	So.	Dennison, Minn./Northfield
18	Emily Ellson	MB	5-10	Jr.	St. Charles, Minn./St. Charles
19	Brianna Pieschel	OH	5-9	Fr.	Apple Valley, Minn./East View
20	Lauren Boleen	OH/RS	5-9	Jr.	Monticello, Minn./Monticello
23	Felicia Bridgers	MB	5-9	Sr.	Oak Park, Ill./Oak Park
24	Jenna Ness	RS/OH	5-8	Jr.	Urbandale, Iowa/Urbandale

Head Coach: Jane Gibbs Assistants: Renae Hartl, Laura Hegerle