



UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

2002 MEN'S LACROSSE PRE-SEASON INFORMATION

2002 DELAWARE LACROSSE QUICK FACTS

UNIVERSITY FACTS

LocationNewark, Delaware 19716
 Enrollment:16,000
 Founded:1743
 Nickname:Fightin' Blue Hens
 Colors:Royal Blue and Gold
 Affiliations:NCAADivision I
 Conference:Colonial Athletic Association
 Year Joined Conference:First year

UNIVERSITY ADMINISTRATION

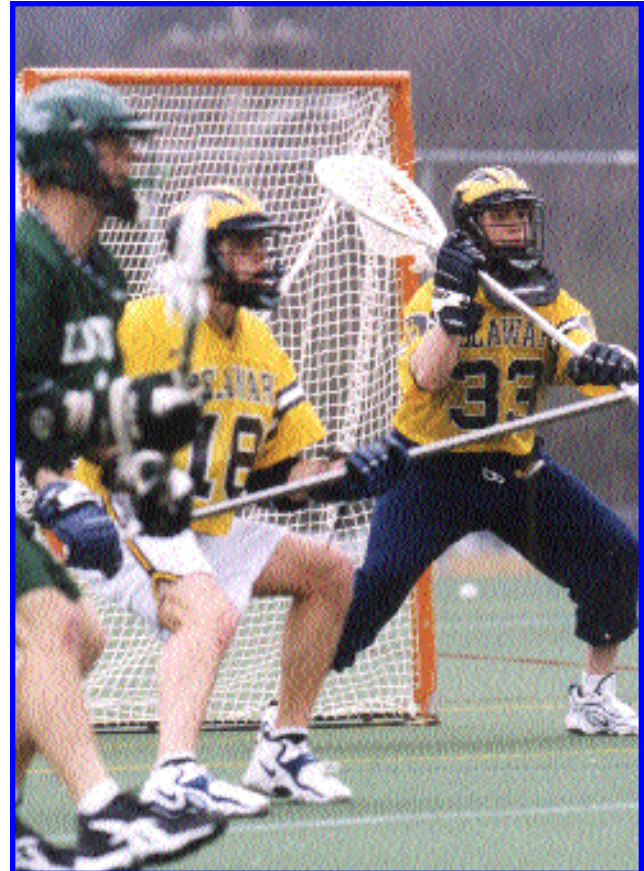
President:Dr. David P. Roselle
 Athletic Director:Edgar N. Johnson
 Sr. Assoc. Athletic Director:Mary Ann Hitchens
 Associate Athletic Director:Kate Pohlig
 Assistant Athletic Directors:Scott Eatough (Business)
Sue Groff (NCAACompliance)
 NCAAFaculty Rep.:Dr. John L. Burmeister
 Athletics Marketing Director:Curt Krouse

SPORTS INFORMATION

Sports Information Director (Men's Lax Contact):Scott Selheimer
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 Radio Station:WVUD 91.3 FM (selected games during season)

MEN'S LACROSSE INFORMATION

Head CoachBob Shillinglaw
 Alma Mater(North Carolina '74)
 Record at Delaware186-172 in 23 years
 Record Overall210-189 in 26 years
 Lacrosse Office Phone(302) 831-8661
 Assistant CoachesGreg Carroll (Loyola '97), 3rd year
Kevin Warne (Hofstra '00), 1st year
 Team TrainerMelissa Cruice
 2001 Record6-9 (3-2, America East, 3rd Place)
 Post-Seasonlost to Hofstra 11-8 in America East semifinals
 Final USILA National Rankingna
 2002 CaptainsBrad Downer, Dave Mullen
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost17 / 13
 Starters Returning/Lost3 / 7
 Home FieldRullo Stadium
 Capacity, Surface:2,000, ActionTurf, Lights
 Rullo Press Box Phone(302) 831-3526



**Dave Mullen (#33) returns as one of the top goalkeepers
in the nation**

HISTORY

All-Time Record379-325-3 (54 seasons-1948)
 Conference Titles15 (last in 1999)
 NCAA Tournament Appearances:2
(1984 Quarterfinals; 1999 Quarterfinals)

2002 PLAYERS TO WATCH

Ryan Metzbower (So., M)Sat out 2001 season with knee injury
2000 America East Rookie of the Year
30 goals, 12 assists in 2000
Dave Mullen (Sr., GK)2nd team All-America East
201 saves (.591 pct.), 139 goals (9.34 gaa - 19th in NCAA)
Brad Downer (Jr., M)11 goals, 4 assists, .424 faceoffs
Matt Lehmann (So., A)11 goals, 4 assists
Matt Alrich (Jr., A)10 goals, 2 assists
Mike Malone (Sr., D)19 groundballs



Ryan Metzbower missed all of the 2001 season with a knee injury but hopes to return to 2000 form when he was the America East Rookie of the Year

2002 UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE MEN'S LACROSSE SCHEDULE

February	
23	*Loyola1 p.m.
March	
2	at Rutgerstba
5	Mt. St. Mary's7:30 p.m.
9	at North Carolina1 p.m.
16	at Maryland1 p.m.
23	at *Towson.....tba
30	Ohio State1 p.m.
April	
3	at Penn State.....7 p.m.
6	at *Sacred Heart1 p.m.
13	* Hofstra7:30 p.m.
20	at Stonybrooktba
27	Denvertba
30	* Drexel7:30 p.m.
May	
3	at *Villanovatba
11-12	NCAA1st Round at Brown (5/11)/ Delaware (5/12)tba
18-19	NCAAQuarterfinals at Hofstra/Johns Hopkins.....tba
25-27	NCAACHampionships at Rutgers

*=Colonial Athletic Association Games

2002 TOP NEWCOMERS

Scott Boyle (Fr., M).....Lutherville, MD (St. Paul's)
Sean Dunn (Fr., M)Worthington, OH(Worthington HS/Bridgton Academy)
Andy Hipple (Fr., A).....Abington, PA (Abington HS)
Dan Hechtkopf (Fr., M).....Virginia Beach, VA (Cape Henry)
Leighton Liles (Fr., D)Nashville, TN (Montgomery Bell Academy)
Bob Meunier (Fr., M).....Arlington, VA (Bishop O'Connell)
Kevin Stodd (Fr., D).....Annapolis, MD(St. Mary's HS/Bridgton Academy)
Mike Triplehorn (Fr, M).....Bayville, NY(Locust Valley)

KEY LOSSES

Jason Lavey (Attack).....31 goals, 24 assists1st team All-America East; USILANorth-South All-Star
Jason Motta (Midfield)1st team All-America East11 goals, 9 assists, 78 GB, 98-85 Faceoffs (.535)
Bryan Barrett (Defense).....1st team All-America East2 goals, 51 GB
Keevin Galbraith (Midfield)1st team All-America EastUSILANorth-South All-Star; US Lacrosse Tryouts4 goals, 61 GB