



# UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

## 2003 WOMEN'S LACROSSE PRE-SEASON INFORMATION

### 2003 DELAWARE LACROSSE QUICK FACTS

#### UNIVERSITY FACTS

Location .....Newark, 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: .....Fifth year (affiliate member in 1993-95)

#### ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

President ..... Dr. David P. Roselle  
 NCAA Faculty Rep .....Dr. John L. Burmeister  
 Athletic Director ..... Edgar N. Johnson  
 Athletic Office Phone .....302-831-4006  
 Sr. Assoc. Athletic Director ..... Mary Ann Hitchens  
 Associate AD/Programs & Facilities ..... Kate Pohlig  
 Associate AD/Business Affairs .....Scott Eatough  
 Assistant AD/Compliance .....Sue Groff  
 Marketing Director .....Curt Krouse  
 Operations Associate .....Jerry Oravitz  
 Events Supervisor .....Shane Brey  
 Athletics Development .....Kathleen Houghton  
 Sports Medicine Physician .....Dr. Vincent Disabella  
 Head Trainer ..... Keith Handling  
 Associate Head Trainer .....Joan Couch  
 Assistant Trainer .....Mike Higgins  
 Assistant Trainer .....John Smith  
 Strength & Conditioning Coach .....Russell Barbarino

#### SPORTS INFORMATION

Sports Information Director: .....Scott Selheimer  
 Assistant Sports Information Director: .....Mike Hirschman  
 Sports Information Interns: .....Pete DiVito (WLAX contact), Mark Kimmel  
 Sports Information Phone .....302-831-2186  
 DiVito's Home Phone .....302-286-1243  
 DiVito's Cell Phone .....732-763-0974  
 Blue Hen 24-Hour Hotline .....302-831-8139  
 Sports Information Fax .....302-831-8653  
 UD Athletics Web Site .....www.udel.edu/sportsinfo/womens\_lacrosse  
 Sports Information email: .....pdivito@udel.edu  
 Radio Station: .....WVUD 91.3 FM  
 .....(will broadcast selected games during season)



SENIOR CAPTAIN NIKKI KUCHARSKI

#### WOMEN'S LACROSSE INFORMATION

Head Coach .....Denise Wescott  
 Alma Mater .....(Maryland '80)  
 Record at Delaware .....91-67 (9 seasons)  
 Record Overall .....113-99 (13 seasons)  
 Lacrosse Office Phone .....(302) 831-4057  
 Assistant Coach .....Kristen Sander (George Mason '00), 3rd season  
 Graduate Assistant .....Aimee Vaughan (James Madison '98), 1st year  
 Volunteer Assistant .....Catherine Mellon (St. Bonaventure '02)

2002 Record .....4-12 (3-5), 8th place  
 2003 Captains .....Morgan Clute, Nikki Kucharski, Kateri Linville  
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost .....11/5  
 Starters Returning/Lost .....7/5  
 Home Field .....Rullo Stadium  
 Capacity, Surface: .....2,000, ActionTurf, Lights  
 Rullo Press Box Phone .....(302) 831-3526

**DELAWARE WOMEN'S LACROSSE HISTORY**

All-Time Record .....248-171-1 (25 seasons since 1978)  
 Conference Titles .....7 (1983, 1984, 1986, 1987, 1997, 1998, 1999)  
 NCAA Tournament Appearances: .....3  
 .....1983 (NCAACHampions)  
 .....1984 (3rd Place)  
 .....2000 (1st Round)

**2003 PLAYERS TO WATCH**

Nikki Kucharski (Sr., M) .....Leading Returning Scorer (21g, 3a = 24 pts)  
 .....Started all 16 games in 2002  
 .....2nd on team with 30 ground balls  
 Michelle Campolettano (Jr., A) .....T-3rd on team in goals (21) in 2002  
 .....Started 12 of 16 games  
 Shannon Kron (Jr., A) .....Started 15 of 16 games in 2002  
 .....Established career-highs in goals (9) and assists (6)

**KEY LOSSES (Career Honors)**

Corinne Shuck (Midfield) .....Led Blue Hens in scoring in 2002 (44 pts)  
 .....2nd team all-CAAin 2002  
 .....2nd team all-America East in 2001  
 Ashley Moderacki (Attack) .....2nd on Blue Hens in scoring in 2002 (26 pts)  
 .....2nd team all-CAAin 2002  
 .....First team IWLCAAII-Mid Atlantic Region in 2001  
 .....Second team all-America East in 2001  
 Laurie Tortorelli (Goalkeeper) .....2nd in career saves at Delaware (754)  
 .....First team IWLCAAII-Mid Atlantic Region in 2001  
 .....America East Tournament team in 2001  
 Jo Isreal (Defense) .....Started all 16 games on defense last season  
 .....2nd on Blue Hens with 15 caused turnovers in 2002



**JUNIOR SHANNON KRON**



**JUNIOR MICHELLE CAMPOLETTANO**

**2003 DELAWARE WOMEN'S LACROSSE SCHEDULE**

**March**

5 at Pennsylvania .....7 p.m.  
 8 **Temple (WVUD2)** .....1 p.m.  
 11 at Rutgers .....3:30 p.m.  
 14 **Loyola (WVUD2)** .....7 p.m.  
 16 **\*Towson (WVUD2)** .....1 p.m.  
 19 **Cornell (WVUD)** .....3:30 p.m.  
 25 **\*Drexel (WVUD2)** .....7 p.m.  
 29 at Hofstra\* .....12 noon

**April**

1 **Princeton (WVUD)** .....7 p.m.  
 3 at Regis University.....4 p.m. CST  
 5 at Denver.....1 p.m. CST  
 11 at \*William & Mary.....4 p.m.  
 13 at \*Old Dominion.....12 noon  
 18 **\*James Madison (WVUD2)**.....7 p.m.  
 20 **\*George Mason** .....1 p.m.  
 26-27 Colonial Athletic Association  
 Tournament (top four teams at high seed) .....tba

**May**

3 at Penn State .....12 noon  
 8 NCAA 1st Round.....tba  
 11 NCAA2nd Round .....tba  
 16-18 NCAAFinals at Syracuse .....tba

\*=Colonial Athletic Association Games