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University of Montana
LADY GRIZ BASKETBALL



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**1986-87
Media Guide**

Quick Facts

| | |
|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Location | Missoula, Montana |
| Chartered | February 17, 1893 |
| Enrollment | 9,300 |
| Nickname | Lady Griz |
| Colors | Copper, Silver & Gold |
| Home Court | Dahlberg Arena (9,000) |
| Conference | Mountain West |
| Athletic Director..... | Harley Lewis |
| Associate Athletic Director | Dr. Barbara Hollmann |
| Women's Basketball Sports Information Director | Jeff Anderson |
| 406-243-6899 (work) 406-728-0589 (home) | |
| Athletic Trainer..... | Mary McElwain |
| Head Coach..... | Robin Selvig |
| Coach's Record at Montana | 178-58 (8 yrs.) |
| Coach's Collegiate Record | 178-58 (8 yrs.) |
| Assistant Coach | Annette Whitaker |
| Student Assistant Coach | Sharla Muralt |
| Basketball Office Phone | 406-243-5334 |
| 1985-86 Overall Record | 27-4 |
| 1985-86 Conference Record | 13-1 |
| National Finish | Second Round NCAA |
| 1985-86 Offensive Average..... | 66.8 |
| 1985-86 Defensive Average | 53.8 |
| Returning Letterwinners | 10 |
| Returning Starters..... | 3 |
| Mailing Address: | |

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Head Coach Robin Selvig



For the sixth time in eight seasons, Robin Selvig guided the Lady Griz to a 20-win season in route to capturing the Mountain West Athletic Conference title. In his tenure at the University of Montana, Selvig has coached 85 percent of the all-time Lady Griz victories.

Success at Montana came quickly for Selvig as he led his team to 13 wins in his first season at the helm (a new school record). In his third season, the lady Griz won 22 games and the string of 20-plus wins each year has now reached six in a row.

Since taking over as the head coach of the Lady Griz, Selvig has compiled a record of 178-58 (75.4 winning percentage) in his eight seasons.

Selvig has won two straight WBCA (Women's Basketball Coaches Association) District VII Coach of the Year awards. He has also been selected as Conference Coach of the Year four of the last five seasons.

Selvig has been noted as a defensive oriented coach in the past, but his squad averaged 66.8 point per game in offense. This balanced approach has made him one of the more successful coaches in the country.

As a player, Selvig demonstrated the same defensive skills that would later characterize his teams. As a senior guard at the University of Montana in 1974, he was selected as the team's Outstanding Defensive Player. The same year, he was a second-team All-Big Sky choice and was the winner of the school's top athletic award, the Grizzly Cup.

Selvig Received his bachelor's degree in health and physical education from UM in 1974.

Prior to coming back to the University of Montana, he was head girl's basketball coach at Plentywood High School from 1975 to 1978.

Robin and his wife Jane have two sons: Jeff 6 and Dan 3.

Selvig's Records

| | | | |
|--------------|-------|--------------|--------|
| 1978-79..... | 13-13 | 1982-83..... | 26-4 |
| 1979-80..... | 19-10 | 1983-84..... | 27-4 |
| 1980-81..... | 22-8 | 1984-85..... | 22-10 |
| 1981-82..... | 22-5 | 1985-86..... | 27-4 |
| Totals..... | | | 178-58 |

Assistant Coach Annette Whitaker

Annette Whitaker begins her sixth season as the assistant coach of the Lady Griz basketball program. She was the Montana junior varsity coach for each of her first two seasons with the program and now assists head coach Robin Selvig in all coaching duties. Those duties include game strategy, recruiting, conditioning, scouting, etc.

As a collegian, she was a two-year starter at point guard for the Lady Griz and is among the top 20 all-time career scorers with 322 points.

Prior to her career at the University of Montana, Whitaker was a basketball standout at Cashmere, WA, and Wenatchee Valley College.

She is a 1982 graduate of the University of Montana and holds a bachelor's degree in health and physical education.



Graduate Assistant Sharla Muralt



Former University of Montana standout Sharla Muralt enters her first season as a graduate assistant to Robin Selvig and Annette Whitaker.

During her career, Muralt was a three-year starter at center and her 1157 career points ranks fourth on the all-time Lady Griz list. In addition, her total of 729 rebounds is third in the school's history.

The 23-year-old native of Missoula is a graduate of Sentinel High School. She is currently working on a degree in business management.

The Outlook

After a 27-4 season, a Mountain West Conference Championship, and a second round appearance in the NCAA Tournament, just what does Head Coach Robin Selvig and the Lady Griz basketball team do for an encore? Well if you talk to Selvig, the answer is quite simple — “take each game of the next season one at a time.”

To look at the Lady Griz, there is plenty of reason for optimism. Three starters return among 10 letterwinners and there is plenty of depth. But Selvig realizes that a bright outlook does not guarantee a successful season. “During the course of a season, so many things can happen that you don’t plan on,” he said.

Whether or not some of those “things” happen or not, there are many coaches who would like to enter the season with the potential the Lady Griz have.

Montana suffered two significant losses in center Sharla Muralt and guard Cheryl Brandell. Both averaged 10 points per game and finished in the top three on the team in scoring and rebounding. Fortunately, there is a host of young talented players to fill the vacated jobs.

There are four candidates for the center spot and Selvig will be taking a long look at each of them. Sophomore Lisa McLeod (6-1 $\frac{1}{2}$) saw the most playing time last season. As a freshman, she set a school record by rejecting 47 opposing shots. Senior Laurie Strube (6-2 $\frac{1}{2}$) has been a dependable backup throughout her career.

Two other promising candidates for the center position are sophomore Linda Mendel (6-1) and redshirt freshman Kris Haasl (6-3). Mendel is a scoring threat while Haasl excels defensively.

At forward, the Lady Griz have two of the better ones in the Mountain West in juniors Marti Leibenguth (6-2) and Dawn Silliker (6-0). Leibenguth led the team in scoring with 11.8 points per game while Silliker chipped in 8.8. Support comes in the form of sophomore Jean McNulty (6-0) and talented freshman Marti Kinzler (5-11 $\frac{1}{2}$). McLeod could also see action here as well.

The Lady Griz will be directed by three-year starter Margaret Williams at point guard. The speedy Williams has led the Lady Griz to 54 victories in her 62 career starts.

Bidding to play opposite of Williams is senior Natalie Chamberlain (5-9), and juniors Kris Moede (5-9 $\frac{1}{2}$) and Karyn Ridgeway (6-0). Chamberlain was a starter two years ago and saw plenty of action last season. Sharpshooter Moede appeared in 30 games in '85 while converted forward Ridgeway has shown promise.

Last year’s team (No. 1 in the nation in scoring defense) held the opposition to an average of 53.8 points per contest. The 1986 version of the Lady Griz will be no different. “You won’t always have a good offensive night,” said Selvig. “But good defense can always keep you in the game.”

While the trademark of the Lady Griz had been defense, it is not the only dimension. “We are proud of our reputation, but defense is no more important than offense,” said Selvig. Last season the Lady Griz averaged 66.8 points per game.

Defensive prowess and offensive firepower could prove to be the combination that keeps Montana at the top of the Mountain West Conference.

University of Montana Women's Basketball

1986-87 Numerical Roster

| Lt. | Dk. | Name | Pos. | Ht. | Yr. | Exp. | Hometown/High School |
|-----|-----|--------------------------------|------|------|-----|------|-------------------------------------|
| 10 | 11 | Shelli Sniffin | G | 5-6 | Fr. | HS | Lander, Wyo. /Lander HS |
| 12 | 13 | Margaret Williams | G | 5-8 | Sr. | 3V | Olympia, Wash./Olympia HS |
| 14 | 15 | Marti Leibenguth | F | 6-2 | Jr. | 2V | Missoula, Mont./Big Sky HS |
| 20 | 21 | Karyn Ridgeway | G | 6-0 | Jr. | 1V | Missoula, Mont./Hellgate HS |
| 22 | 23 | Natalie (Streeter) Chamberlain | G | 5-9 | Sr. | 3V | Great Falls, Mont./Great Falls HS |
| 24 | 25 | Jean McNulty | F | 6-0 | So. | 1V | Whitehall, Mont./Whitehall HS |
| 30 | 31 | Lisa McLeod | F/C | 6-1½ | So. | 1V | Great Falls, Mont./C. M. Russell HS |
| 33 | 34 | Marti Kinzler | G/F | 5-11 | Fr. | HS | Fairview, Mont./Fairview HS |
| 34 | 35 | Linda Mendel | C | 6-1½ | So. | 1V | Malta, Mont./Malta HS |
| 40 | 41 | Kris Moede | G | 5-9½ | Jr. | 2V | Missoula, Mont./Big Sky HS |
| 42 | 43 | Dawn Silliker | F | 6-0 | Jr. | 2V | Whitefish, Mont./Whitefish HS |
| 50 | 51 | Laurie Strube | C | 6-2½ | Sr. | 3V | Minot, N.D./Magic City Campus |
| 52 | 53 | Kris Haasl | C | 6-3 | Fr. | RS | Florence, Mont./Florence |

V—Varsity Letters Won; HS—High School; RS—Redshirt

Head Coach: Robin Selvig (178-58, 8 seasons)

Assistant Coach: Annette Whitaker

Graduate Assistant: Sharla Muralt

Pronunciation Guide

HaaslHOZZ-UII
 LeibenguthLIE-Bin-Gooth
 McLeodMcCloud
 MendelMEN-dul

MoedeMOW-Dee
 MuraltMer-ALT
 StrubeSTROO-Bee



Standing L-R: Trainer Mary McElwain, Head Coach Robin Selvig, Linda Mendel, Lisa McLeod, Marti Leibenguth, Kris Haasl, Laurie Strube, Karyn Ridgeway, Jean McNulty, Graduate Assistant Sharla Muralt, Assistant Coach Annette Whitaker. Kneeling L-R: Dawn Silliker, Kris Moede, Natalie (Streeter) Chamberlain, Margaret Williams, Shelli Sniffin, Marti Kinzler.



Natalie (Streeter) Chamberlain 22/23

Guard . . . 5-9 . . . Senior . . . Great Falls, MT

Natalie is one of the key returnees for the Lady Grizzlies this coming season after seeing considerable action as a reserve in 1985-86.

As a junior she adopted the role of the team's "sixth-man" and responded by averaging 6.2 points and 1.7 rebounds per game. In addition, she led the team in free throw percentage (.756) for the second straight season.

Natalie became a starter in 1984-85 as a sophomore and averaged 7.2 points and 2.7 rebounds per game despite nagging injuries.

A native of Great Falls, MT, Natalie came to the University of Montana after a tremendous career at Great Falls High School where she averaged 18.5 points and 8.4 rebounds for the season.

SELVIG SAYS: "Natalie is a very intelligent player and a hard worker on offense. She's coming off a tremendous conference season in '85 and should continue playing well this season."

She is the daughter of Charles and Peggy Streeter of Great Falls. Natalie is majoring in business finance. Birthdate: 10/18/64.

STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|-------|--------------|-------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| 1983-84 | 27- 0 | 42-118-.356 | 27- 36-.750 | 111 | 4.1 | 64 | 2.4 |
| 1984-85 | 27-18 | 78-170-.459 | 38- 47-.808 | 194 | 7.2 | 73 | 2.7 |
| 1985-86 | 30- 3 | 78-166-.470 | 31- 41-.756 | 187 | 6.2 | 51 | 1.7 |
| CAREER | 84-21 | 198-454-.436 | 96-124-.774 | 492 | 5.9 | 188 | 2.2 |



Laurie Strube 50/51

Center . . . 6-2½ . . . Senior . . . Minot, ND

Laurie is one of the leading candidates for the center slot vacated by Sharla Muralt. So far she has demonstrated the scoring ability and the athletic talent to take over the position.

In a reserve role last season, Laurie averaged 1.4 points and 0.9 rebounds per game. In her career at Montana she has played in 61 games.

Laurie was an All-Conference selection at Magic City Campus High School in Minot, ND and averaged 14 points and 9 rebounds per contest. In addition, she connected on 68.5 percent of her field goals.

SELVIG SAYS: "Laurie has been a hard worker for the past four years. She is a very good scorer and her defense has been

getting better. Being a senior this year, we will be looking to her a lot for leadership."

Laurie is majoring in elementary education. Her parents are Darryl and Barbara Strube of Minot. Birthdate: 1/2/65.

STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|------|-------------|------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| 1983-84 | 18-0 | 12- 37-.324 | 14-34-.412 | 38 | 2.1 | 27 | 1.5 |
| 1984-85 | 23-0 | 31- 62-.500 | 14-22-.636 | 76 | 3.3 | 32 | 1.4 |
| 1985-86 | 20-0 | 12- 26-.462 | 3- 8-.375 | 27 | 1.4 | 18 | 0.9 |
| CAREER | 61-0 | 55-125-.440 | 31-64-.484 | 141 | 2.3 | 77 | 1.3 |

Margaret Williams 12/13

Guard . . . 5-8 . . . Senior . . . Olympia, WA

Margaret will return for her third season as a starter for Coach Selvig at the point guard position. In the two seasons that she has been the point guard, the Lady Griz have compiled an overall record of 54-8 (.871 winning percentage).

Margaret's quickness makes her a threat both offensively and defensively. This was evident in that she averaged 7.0 ppg and was second on the squad with 45 steals in 1985-86.

In her first year as a starter (1983-84), Margaret averaged 5.5 points and had 59 steals.

Going into the 1985-86 campaign, Margaret ranks third in career assists with 302.

SELVIG SAYS: "Margaret had an outstanding season last year coming off of an injury. The pride and intensity that she has on defense makes everyone on the court a better player."

A political science major, Margaret is the daughter of Bill and Ruth Williams of Spokane, WA. Birthdate: 5/15/64.

STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|-------|---------------|-------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| 1982-83 | 30- 0 | 52-131- .397 | 20-30- .667 | 124 | 4.1 | 35 | 1.2 |
| 1983-84 | 30-30 | 71-179- .397 | 24-30- .800 | 166 | 5.5 | 67 | 2.2 |
| 1985-86 | 31-31 | 99-207- .478 | 18-28- .643 | 216 | 7.0 | 86 | 2.8 |
| CAREER | 91-61 | 222-517- .429 | 62-88- .705 | 506 | 5.6 | 188 | 2.1 |



Marti Leibenguth 14/15

Guard/Forward . . . 6-2 . . . Junior . . . Missoula, MT

Throughout her career as a Grizzly, Marti's trademark has been versatility, and she should continue that trend during the 1986-87 season.

Alternating between guard and forward last season, Marti led the team with an 11.8 scoring mark, a .572 shooting percentage and 178 rebounds.

As a freshman, she averaged 4.4 points and 3.5 rebounds per contest and had season highs of 13 points and 7 rebounds.

Marti not only displays her athletic talents on the basketball court, but on the track as well. She has competed with the UM track team and set the school record in the javelin with a throw of 160 feet 1 inch.

She was a first-team all-conference and second-team all-state performer for Big Sky High School in Missoula. As a senior she averaged 12.1 points, 5.6 rebounds, 6.3 assists and 6 steals per game.

SELVIG SAYS: "Marti enjoyed a great sophomore season. She is a complete player who can perform at almost any position. With her athletic ability, she could be a real good one."

Marti is a general studies major. She is the daughter of Martin and Virginia Leibenguth of Missoula. Birthdate: 10-13-66.

STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|-------|---------------|--------------|-----|------|------|-----|
| 1984-85 | 32- 1 | 54-137- .397 | 32- 53- .604 | 140 | 4.4 | 112 | 3.5 |
| 1985-86 | 31-31 | 154-269- .572 | 59- 85- .694 | 367 | 11.8 | 178 | 5.7 |
| CAREER | 63-32 | 208-406- .512 | 91-138- .659 | 507 | 8.0 | 290 | 4.6 |





Kris Moede 40/41

Guard . . . 5-9½ . . . Junior . . . Missoula, MT

Kris is one of the best pure shooters on the Lady Griz and will be in contention for a starting job this coming season.

As a sophomore last season, she appeared in 30 games and averaged 5.0 points per game and had a season high of 15. With the improvements that she has made defensively, she will see even more playing time in 1986-87.

At the end of her freshman season, Kris was the winner of the first Grace Geil Most Improved Player Award. During that season she averaged 4 points and 1.3 rebounds per contest while hitting on 50.6 percent of her shots.

A product of Missoula's Big Sky High School, Kris was a two-time all-state and four-time all-conference selection. As

a senior she averaged 18.2 points and 10 rebounds per game.

SELVIG SAYS: "Kris is working hard to improve her defensive skills and her perimeter shooting will always be a plus for us."

Kris is majoring in health and physical education. Her parents are Tom and Arlene Moede of Missoula. Birthdate: 9/8/66.

STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|------|--------------|------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| 1984-85 | 24-0 | 40-79 .506 | 17-27 .630 | 97 | 4.0 | 32 | 1.3 |
| 1985-86 | 30-0 | 61-132 .462 | 29-45 .644 | 151 | 5.0 | 72 | 2.4 |
| CAREER | 54-0 | 101-211 .479 | 46-72 .639 | 248 | 4.6 | 104 | 1.9 |



Karyn Ridgeway 20/21

Guard . . . 6-0 . . . Junior . . . Missoula, MT

Karyn gained valuable experience in her first year with the Lady Griz that should help her make a greater contribution this season.

She came to UM as a walk-on last year and saw action in 23 games. In limited time, she averaged 1.3 points per game and had a high game of 10.

Coming out of Hellgate High School in Missoula, Karyn was recruited by a number of schools. However, she decided not to pursue athletics. After spending two years in the music programs at Northern Colorado, she decided to return to Missoula and join the Lady Griz.

In high school, Karyn was an all-state and all-conference performer at Hellgate. She was also named as the team's MVP in her junior and senior years.

SELVIG SAYS: "Karyn is an outstanding athlete. The fact that she plays both point guard and small forward say something about the talent that she has. This year she will strictly be a perimeter player."

A biology major, Karyn is the daughter of Clark and Donna Ridgeway of Missoula. Birthdate: 11/20/64.

STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|------|------------|------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| 1985-86 | 23-0 | 12-33 .364 | 7-12 .583 | 31 | 1.3 | 14 | 0.6 |

Dawn Silliker 42/43

Forward . . . 6-0 . . . Junior . . . Whitefish, MT

One of three returning starters, Dawn enters the 1986-87 season as the team's leading active scorer (555 points) and rebounder (329).

Last season she averaged 8.8 points and 5.3 rebounds per game and had a season high 20 points against Idaho State. As a sophomore, she started all 31 games, was MVP of the Lady Griz Insurance Classic and earned all-tournament honors in the Santa Clara Holiday Classic.

As a senior at Whitefish High School, Dawn averaged 21 points and 14 rebounds per game. She was a three-time all-conference and all-state selection and received Converse High School All-America recognition as a senior. She set 12 school records and is the only female athlete in Whitefish High history to have her uniform retired.

SELVIG SAYS: "Dawn is an excellent outside shooter and has the athletic ability to become a good defensive player. Each year she's worked to become a more complete player."

Dawn is an elementary education major. Her parents are Jack and Shirley Silliker of Whitefish. Birthdate: 7/19/66.



STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|-------|--------------|--------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| 1984-85 | 31-31 | 108-265-.407 | 67- 95-.705 | 283 | 9.1 | 166 | 5.4 |
| 1985-86 | 31-29 | 112-257-.436 | 48- 69-.696 | 272 | 8.8 | 163 | 5.3 |
| CAREER | 62-60 | 220-522-.421 | 115-164-.701 | 555 | 9.0 | 329 | 5.3 |

Lisa McLeod 30/31

Center/Forward . . . 6-1½ . . . Sophomore . . . Great Falls, MT

After a fine freshman season, even better things can be expected from Lisa during the 1986-87 year. Her versatility will make her a contender to start at either center or forward.

During the 1985-86 season, Lisa set the school record for blocked shots in a season (47) and averaged 6.0 points and 4.9 rebounds per contest as a reserve. In addition, she also shot 71.2 percent from the free throw line, which was second on the team.

A product of C. M. Russell High School in Great Falls, Lisa averaged 20.5 points and 13 rebounds per game as a senior. She was a first-team all-state selection as a junior and senior and received Converse All-America recognition. Lisa was also a member of the West squad in the state all-star basketball series.

SELVIG SAYS: "Lisa had a tremendous freshman season for us last year. She has great defensive instincts and has the ability to be one of the dominant centers in the conference."

The daughter of Robert and Irene McLeod of Cody, WY, Lisa is a general studies major. Birthdate: 2/28/67.



STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|------|-------------|------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| 1985-86 | 31-3 | 70-162-.432 | 47-66-.712 | 187 | 6.0 | 151 | 4.9 |



Jean McNulty 24/25

Forward . . . 6-0 . . . Sophomore . . . Whitehall, MT

Jean saw limited action as a freshman in the Montana program but looks to see considerably more playing time this coming season.

During the 1985-86 year, Jean appeared in 20 games and averaged 1.5 points and 1.8 rebounds per game. Her high game for the season was 9 points.

At Whitehall High School, Jean was three-time all-state performer and netted 25.5 points and pulled down 14 rebounds per game as a senior. Her career total of 1.762 points is the second highest in Montana High School history.

Jean was a Converse High School All-America selection as a senior and received honorable mention from USA Today

as a junior and senior. Injuries forced her to miss playing in the state all-star basketball series.

A versatile athlete, Jean was a three-time all-state performer in track. She was the national AAU heptathlete champion in 1983.

SELVIG SAYS: "Jean is a very aggressive player who is learning to use both her right and left hands to score. Her jumping ability is one of the reasons that we will play her inside this season."

She is a physical therapy and athletic training major. Her parents are Bill and Peggy McNulty of Whitehall. Birthdate: 1/27/67.

STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|------|------------|------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| 1982-83 | 20-0 | 9-30-.300 | 11-16-.688 | 29 | 1.5 | 35 | 1.8 |



Linda Mendel 34/35

Center . . . 6-1½ . . . Sophomore . . . Malta, MT

Linda is one of the many young and talented front line players of the Lady Griz have this season. She will be competing for the center position with McLeod, Haasl and Strube.

Last season she appeared in 20 games and averaged 0.9 points and 1.1 rebounds per game.

Linda was a two-time first team all-state player at Malta High School where she averaged 16.2 points and 14 rebounds per contest. She also led her team to a 24-3 record in 1984. After her senior season at Malta, Linda played for the East team in the state high school all-star series.

Like many of the other UM players, Linda is a versatile athlete. As a high school senior, she was the state 100-meter

hurdles champion.

SELVIG SAYS: "Linda has improved immensely from last year. She is a good scorer with either the right or left hand. Her biggest asset is her athletic ability."

The daughter of Eugene and Elaine Mendel of Malta, Linda is a general studies major. Birthdate: 8/26/67.

STATISTICALLY:

| Year | G-S | FG-FGA-PCT | FT-FTA-PCT | Pts | Avg | Rebs | Avg |
|---------|------|------------|------------|-----|-----|------|-----|
| 1985-86 | 20-0 | 6-18-.333 | 5-12-.417 | 17 | 0.9 | 22 | 1.1 |

Kris Haasl 52/53

Center . . . 6-3 . . . Freshman . . . Florence, MT

After redshirting during the 1985-86 season, Kris is ready to be a contender for the starting center position this year.

She came to the Lady Griz as a walk-on in 1985-86 after an outstanding career at Florence (MT) High School.

At Florence, Kris was a three-time all-conference selection and was named to the all-state team twice. In addition, she was named team MVP and was an alternate to the West squad in the state high school basketball series.

Kris won four high school letters in basketball and two in track.

SELVIG SAYS: "Kris has very good athletic ability which is remarkable for a girl her height. Her strength right now is in her defensive ability and rebounding."

She is the daughter of Ken and Jan Weber of Florence. Kris is a nursing major. Birthdate: 8/15/67.



Marti Kinzler 33/34

Guard/Forward . . . 5-11 . . . Freshman . . . Fairview, MT

Marti Kinzler will be a welcome addition to the Lady Griz this season because of her versatility. A combination guard-forward in high school, she will lend depth to an already strong Lady Griz squad.

As a senior at Fairview High School, Marti averaged 26 points and 13 rebounds per contest while leading her team to a 21-0 record. She was a three-time all-state and all-conference selection and was named as the 1984 Class B Most Valuable Player.

SELVIG SAYS: "Marti is a complete player and I am as excited about her as any player we've ever signed."

Marti is the daughter of Gordon and Luella Kinzler of Fairview. She is majoring in Health and Physical Education. Birthdate: 8/22/68



Join Mick Holein, the "Voice of the Lady Griz," for all away games on KGVO-1290 AM.



Shelli Sniffin 10/11

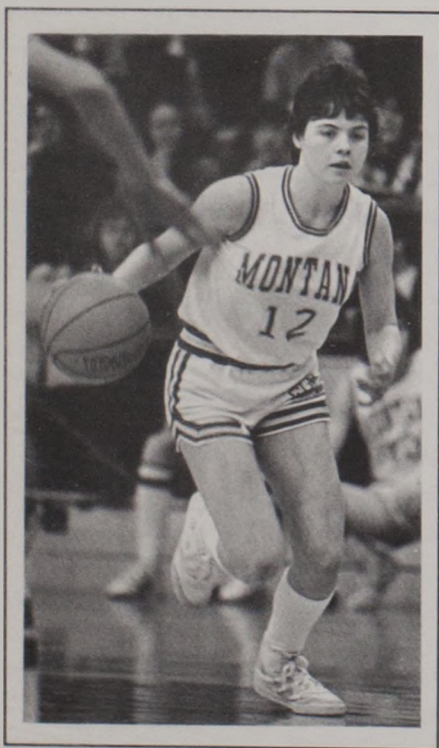
Guard . . . 5-6 . . . Freshman . . . Lander, WY

The cornerstone of any basketball team is the point guard, and Montana has signed a good one for the future in Shelli Sniffin. The speed and defensive ability that she showed will make her a natural in the UM system.

A graduate of Lander (WY) High School, Sniffin was a three-time all-conference selection and was an all-state performer as a junior. In her senior year she averaged 15 points, 5 assists and 4.5 steals per game.

SELVIG SAYS: "We wanted to get someone with lead guard skills into the program and I think Shelli has those skills."

The daughter of Bill and Nancy Sniffin of Lander, WY, Shellie is a psychology major. Birthdate: 6/29/68



Margaret Williams



Dawn Silliker

1985-86 Results

| W-L | Opponent | UM-Opp. | Attend. | UM High Scorer(s)/Rebounder(s) |
|------|-------------------------|---------|---------|-----------------------------------------|
| 1-0 | Eastern Montana | 68-53 | 752 | Leibenguth 21/Silliker 10 |
| 2-0 | Northern Montana | 79-47 | 2,458 | Brandell, McLeod 18/Brandell 8 |
| 3-0 | Washington | 63-51 | 876 | Muralt 17/Muralt 9 |
| 3-1 | Brigham Young# | 67-71 | 300 | Brandell 16/Leibenguth 8 |
| 4-1 | Seattle U.# | 75-47 | 250 | Fourth with 8/Fourth with 6 |
| 5-1 | Pepperdine\$ | 62-41 | 906 | Leibenguth, Williams 18/Muralt 8 |
| 6-1 | LaSalle\$ | 69-61 | 1,030 | Leibenguth 16/Muralt 9 |
| 7-1 | at Colorado State | 79-50 | 122 | Leibenguth, Williams, Moede 12/Muralt 6 |
| 8-1 | at Wyoming | 79-62 | 227 | Leibenguth 16/Muralt 7 |
| 9-1 | at St. Mary's (Calif.) | 61-52 | 100 | Leibenguth 15/Muralt 9 |
| 9-2 | at San Jose State | 60-67 | 75 | Leibenguth 16/Leibenguth 10 |
| 10-2 | Chapmanc | 50-40 | 200 | Brandell, Muralt 13/McLeod 9 |
| 11-2 | San Franciscoc | 74-57 | 1,500 | Brandell, McLeod 16/Leibenguth, Moede 7 |
| 12-2 | Eastern Washington* | 65-52 | 6,112 | Muralt 12/Muralt 6 |
| 13-2 | Portland State* | 61-45 | 786 | Streeter 12/Muralt 12 |
| 14-2 | at Weber State* | 87-69 | 156 | Moede 15/McLeod 8 |
| 15-2 | at Idaho State* | 60-48 | 150 | Leibenguth 18/Leibenguth, Silliker 9 |
| 16-2 | Idaho* | 70-53 | 1,332 | Brandell 15/Brandell, Silliker 9 |
| 17-2 | Boise State* | 67-50 | 794 | Muralt 18/Muralt, Leibenguth 9 |
| 18-2 | Montana State* | 69-55 | 4,250 | Leibenguth 18/Silliker 9 |
| 18-3 | at Eastern Washington* | 51-58 | 478 | McLeod 14/Leibenguth 6 |
| 19-3 | at Portland State* | 66-57 | 125 | Silliker 19/McLeod 7 |
| 20-3 | Idaho State* | 86-57 | 725 | Silliker 20/Silliker 9 |
| 21-3 | Weber State* | 83-53 | 1,595 | Leibenguth 17/Muralt, Strube 7 |
| 22-3 | at Boise State* | 49-36 | 364 | Silliker 16/McLeod 8 |
| 23-3 | at Idaho* | 72-64 | 3,200 | Brandell 14/Leibenguth 10 |
| 24-3 | at Montana State* | 72-46 | 2,354 | Muralt 13/Silliker 11 |
| 25-3 | Montana State% | 63-59 | 1,153 | Muralt 17/Brandell 9 |
| 26-3 | Eastern Washington% | 65-39 | 1,583 | Leibenguth 10/Leibenguth, Muralt 8 |
| 27-3 | Utah+ | 58-46 | 2,267 | Brandell 14/Leibenguth 9 |
| 27-4 | at U. of Southern-Cal.+ | 50-81 | 857 | Leibenguth 13/Leibenguth 5 |

#Washington State Dial Classic

\$Domino's Pizza Lady Griz Classic

cSan Francisco Sourdough Classic

*Mountain West Conference Game

%Mountain West Conference Tournament

+NCAA Tournament

Final 1985-86 University of Montana Women's Basketball Statistics

Season Record: 27-4 (15-0 home; 10-3 away; 2-1 neutral)

| Player | G-S | FG-FGA-Pct. | FT-FTA-Pct. | REB-Avg. | PF-D | A-Avg. | TO | Blk. | ST | PTS-Avg. | High |
|-------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
| Marti Leibenguth | 31-31 | 154-269-.572 | 59-85-.694 | 178-5.7 | 88-3 | 39-1.3 | 65 | 21 | 40 | 367-11.8 | 21 |
| Sharla Murali | 28-28 | 101-220-.459 | 83-131-.634 | 172-6.1 | 85-1 | 32-1.1 | 59 | 22 | 33 | 285-10.2 | 18 |
| Cheryl Brandell | 31-30 | 129-262-.492 | 42-66-.636 | 146-4.7 | 51-1 | 150-4.8 | 104 | 21 | 51 | 300-9.7 | 18 |
| Dawn Silliker | 31-29 | 112-257-.436 | 48-69-.696 | 163-5.3 | 90-1 | 54-1.7 | 67 | 11 | 21 | 272-8.8 | 20 |
| Margaret Williams | 31-31 | 99-207-.478 | 18-28-.643 | 86-2.8 | 69-3 | 136-4.4 | 97 | 6 | 45 | 216-7.0 | 18 |
| Natalie Streeter | 30-3 | 78-166-.470 | 31-41-.756 | 51-1.7 | 28-0 | 48-1.6 | 36 | 0 | 17 | 187-6.2 | 14 |
| Lisa McLeod | 31-3 | 70-162-.432 | 47-66-.712 | 151-4.9 | 66-0 | 13-0.4 | 28 | 47 | 25 | 187-6.0 | 18 |
| Kris Moede | 30-0 | 61-132-.462 | 29-45-.644 | 72-2.4 | 21-0 | 25-0.8 | 47 | 3 | 26 | 151-5.0 | 15 |
| Jean McNulty | 20-0 | 9-30-.300 | 11-16-.688 | 35-1.8 | 14-0 | 4-0.2 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 29-1.5 | 9 |
| Laurie Strube | 20-0 | 12-26-.462 | 3-8-.375 | 18-0.9 | 9-0 | 1-0.1 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 27-1.4 | 8 |
| Karyn Ridgeway | 23-0 | 12-33-.364 | 7-12-.583 | 14-0.6 | 13-0 | 12-0.5 | 14 | 4 | 5 | 31-1.3 | 10 |
| Linda Mendel | 20-0 | 6-18-.333 | 5-12-.417 | 22-1.1 | 8-0 | 2-0.1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 17-0.9 | 4 |
| Anji Price | 2-0 | 0-0-.000 | 1-2-.500 | 1-0.5 | 2-0 | 1-0.5 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1-0.5 | 1 |
| UM Team Totals | 31 | 843-1782-.473 | 384-581-.661 | *1244-40.1 | 544-9 | 517-16.7 | 545 | 142 | 268 | 2070-66.8 | 87 |
| Opponent Totals | 31 | 656-1738-.377 | 355-557-.637 | *1062-34.3 | 477-23 | 401-12.9 | 566 | 75 | 246 | 1667-53.8 | 71 |

Deadball Rebounds: UM 54, Opponents 60. UM Team Rebounds: 135, Opponent Team Rebounds 121.

Missed Shots: UM 1136, Opponents 1284. Total Missed Shots: 2420.

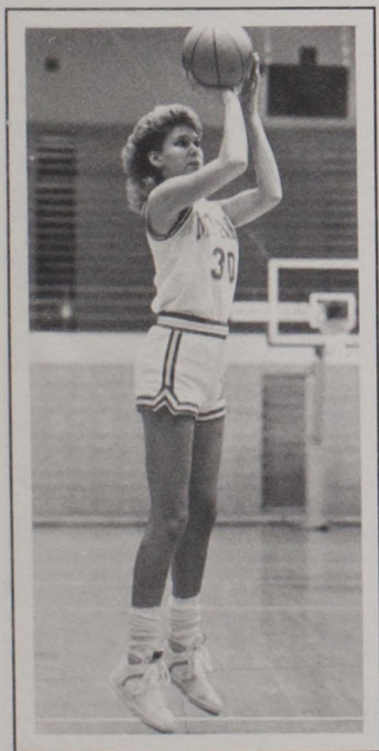
*Includes team rebounds.

Women's Basketball Series Records

| School | W | L | Series Began |
|----------------------------------|----|---|--------------|
| Alaska-Anchorage..... | 5 | 1 | 1977-78 |
| Arkansas..... | 0 | 1 | 1982-83 |
| Boise State..... | 14 | 6 | 1975-76 |
| Brigham Young..... | 1 | 2 | 1981-82 |
| Calgary..... | 1 | 0 | 1983-84 |
| California..... | 1 | 1 | 1982-83 |
| Cal State-Fullerton..... | 1 | 0 | 1982-83 |
| Carroll College..... | 10 | 1 | 1974-75 |
| Central Washington..... | 0 | 4 | 1974-75 |
| Chapman..... | 1 | 0 | 1985-86 |
| Colorado..... | 1 | 1 | 1978-79 |
| Colorado State..... | 2 | 1 | 1979-80 |
| Drake..... | 0 | 1 | 1981-82 |
| Eastern Montana..... | 5 | 3 | 1975-76 |
| Eastern Oregon..... | 0 | 1 | 1974-75 |
| Eastern Washington..... | 16 | 8 | 1974-75 |
| Flathead Valley CC..... | 5 | 7 | 1974-75 |
| Florida..... | 0 | 1 | 1984-85 |
| Gonzaga..... | 2 | 0 | 1980-81 |
| College of Great Falls..... | 7 | 0 | 1978-79 |
| Idaho..... | 7 | 5 | 1975-76 |
| Idaho State..... | 1 | 1 | 1978-79 |
| Iowa..... | 1 | 0 | 1980-81 |
| Kansas State..... | 0 | 1 | 1983-84 |
| LaSalle..... | 1 | 0 | 1985-86 |
| Lethbridge..... | 1 | 0 | 1975-76 |
| Minnesota..... | 1 | 0 | 1984-85 |
| Montana State..... | 22 | 5 | 1974-75 |
| Montana Tech..... | 7 | 0 | 1977-78 |
| Nevada-Reno..... | 2 | 0 | 1983-84 |
| North Dakota..... | 1 | 1 | 1977-78 |
| North Dakota State..... | 1 | 0 | 1977-78 |
| North Idaho..... | 1 | 0 | 1974-75 |
| Northeast Louisiana..... | 0 | 1 | 1982-83 |
| Northern Montana..... | 6 | 0 | 1975-76 |
| Oregon..... | 0 | 7 | 1977-78 |
| Oregon College of Education..... | 0 | 2 | 1977-78 |
| Oregon State..... | 1 | 7 | 1976-77 |
| Pacific..... | 1 | 1 | 1982-83 |
| Pacific Lutheran..... | 0 | 1 | 1975-76 |
| Penn State..... | 0 | 1 | 1983-84 |
| Pepperdine..... | 1 | 0 | 1985-86 |
| Portland State..... | 12 | 3 | 1975-76 |
| Puget Sound..... | 1 | 0 | 1984-85 |
| Rocky Mountain..... | 3 | 0 | 1974-75 |
| St. Mary's (Calif.)..... | 2 | 0 | 1980-81 |
| San Francisco..... | 1 | 1 | 1980-81 |
| San Jose St..... | 0 | 1 | 1985-86 |
| Santa Clara..... | 1 | 0 | 1984-85 |
| Seattle University..... | 3 | 2 | 1978-79 |
| Seattle-Pacific..... | 0 | 2 | 1975-76 |
| Southern California..... | 0 | 2 | 1983-84 |
| Stanford..... | 2 | 0 | 1980-81 |

Women's Basketball Series Records (cont.)

| School | W | L | Series Began |
|-----------------------|----|---|--------------|
| Utah..... | 3 | 0 | 1982-83 |
| Utah State..... | 3 | 2 | 1978-79 |
| Washington..... | 7 | 8 | 1974-75 |
| Washington State..... | 12 | 8 | 1974-75 |
| Wayland Baptist..... | 0 | 1 | 1981-82 |
| Weber State..... | 12 | 2 | 1977-78 |
| West Texas State..... | 0 | 1 | 1984-85 |
| West Virginia..... | 0 | 1 | 1984-85 |
| Western Montana..... | 4 | 0 | 1974-75 |
| Whitworth..... | 1 | 0 | 1975-76 |
| Wyoming..... | 2 | 0 | 1983-84 |



Lisa McLeod

Year-by-Year Results

| Season | Coach | Record |
|--------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 1974-75 | Diane Westbrook..... | 11- 8 |
| 1975-76 | Barbara Eisenbarth | 10-13 |
| 1976-77 | Eddye McClure..... | 4-14 |
| 1977-78 | Eddye McClure..... | 7-13 |
| 1978-79 | Robin Selvig..... | 13-13 |
| 1979-80 | Robin Selvig..... | 19-10 |
| 1980-81 | Robin Selvig..... | 22- 8 |
| 1981-82 | Robin Selvig..... | 22- 5 |
| 1982-83 | Robin Selvig..... | 26- 4 |
| 1983-84 | Robin Selvig..... | 27- 4 |
| 1984-85 | Robin Selvig..... | 22-10 |
| 1985-86 | Robin Selvig..... | 27-4 |
| Totals | | 210-106 |

The Record Book

TEAM RECORDS

Season:

Most Wins—27, 1983-84, 1985-86
Scoring Average—70.8, 1984-85
Field Goals—870, 1984-85
Field Goal Attempts—1957, 1984-85
Field Goal Percentage—.473, 1985-86
Free Throws—524, 1984-85
Free Throw Attempts—750, 1984-85
Free Throw Percentage—.699, 1984-85
Rebounds—1381, 1980-81
Rebounding Average—46.7, 1979-80
Assists—517, 1985-86
Steals—337, 1980-81
Blocked Shots—142, 1983-84, 1985-86
Defensive Scoring Average—53.5, 1981-82
Winning Percentage—.871, 1983-84

Single Game:

Most Points—94 vs. Idaho State Jan. 26, 1985
Fewest Points Allowed—28 vs. Carroll College, Nov. 22, 1982
Most Rebounds—66 vs. Montana State, Feb. 12, 1981 and vs. Utah State.
Jan. 4, 1982

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Career:

Most Points—1,248, Doris Deden Hasquet, 1980-84
Most Rebounds—856, Doris Deden Hasquet, 1980-84
Most Assists—488, Cheri Bratt, 1980-84
Most Steals—301, Cheri Bratt, 1980-84
Most Blocked Shots—133, Doris Deden Hasquet, 1980-84

Season:

Most Points—484, Jill Greenfield, 1980-81
Highest Scoring Average—16.1, Jill Greenfield, 1980-81
Most Field Goals—191, Jill Greenfield, 1980-81
Most Field Goal Attempts—395, Jill Greenfield, 1980-81
Highest Field Goal Percentage—.534, Doris Deden Hasquet, 1980-81
Most Free Throws—117, Sharla Muralt, 1984-85
Most Free Throw Attempts—166, Sharla Muralt, 1984-85
Highest Free Throw Percentage—.852, Janet Ruetten, 1979-80
Most Rebounds—318, Jill Greenfield, 1980-81
Highest Rebounding Average—10.6, Jill Greenfield, 1980-81
Most Assists—150, Cheryl Brandell, 1985-86
Most Steals—94, Cheri Bratt, 1980-81
Most Blocked Shots—47, Lisa McLeod., 1985-86

Single Game:

Most Points—32, Jill Greenfield vs. Boise State, Feb. 9, 1980
Most Rebounds—19. Three different players
Most Assists—10, Barb Kavanagh vs. Eastern Washington, Mar. 8, 1985

ATTENDANCE

6,112 vs. Eastern Washington, Jan. 10, 1986

Career Leaders

SCORING:

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|------------|
| 1. Doris Deden Hasquet..... | 1980-84 | 1248 |
| 2. Cheri Bratt | 1980-84 | 1196 |
| 3. Anita Novak | 1981-85 | 1158 |
| 4. Sharla Muralt..... | 1982-86 | 1157 |
| 5. Barb Kavanagh..... | 1981-85 | 1013 |
| 6. Jill Greenfield..... | 1979-81 | 933 |
| 7. Linda Deden Smith | 1976-80 | 813 |
| 8. Juli Eckmann | 1979-83 | 799 |
| 9. Sandy Selvig..... | 1978-81 | 615 |
| 10. Cheryl Sandbak | 1975-79 | 591 |
| 11. Janet Ruetten..... | 1979-81 | 571 |
| 12. DAWN SILLIKER | 1984- | 555 |
| 13. Sheila Sullivan..... | 1975-79 | 531 |
| 14. MARTI LEIBENGUTH..... | 1984- | 507 |
| 15. MARGARET WILLIAMS..... | 1982- | 506 |

REBOUNDING:

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|------------|
| 1. Doris Deden Hasquet..... | 1980-84 | 856 |
| 2. Anita Novak | 1981-85 | 791 |
| 3. Sharla Muralt..... | 1982- | 729 |
| 4. Cheri Bratt..... | 1980-84 | 657 |
| 5. Linda Deden Smith | 1976-80 | 626 |
| 6. Jill Greenfield..... | 1979-81 | 570 |
| 7. Sandy Selvig..... | 1978-81 | 515 |
| 8. Candie Stevens | 1976-80 | 474 |
| 9. Shari Thesenvitz | 1980-83 | 439 |
| 10. DAWN SILLIKER | 1984- | 329 |
| 11. Juli Eckmann..... | 1979-83 | 295 |
| 12. MARTI LEIBENGUTH..... | 1984- | 290 |
| 13. Sheila Sullivan..... | 1975-79 | 283 |
| 14. Cheryl Brandell..... | 1984-86 | 275 |
| 15. Barb Kavanagh..... | 1981-85 | 249 |

ASSISTS:

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|------------|
| 1. Cheri Bratt | 1980-84 | 488 |
| 2. Barb Kavanagh..... | 1981-85 | 378 |
| 3. MARGARET WILLIAMS..... | 1982- | 302 |
| 4. Cheryl Brandell..... | 1984-86 | 213 |
| 5. Juli Eckmann..... | 197-83 | 208 |

Bold face indicates current player.

The Opponents

California-Berkeley—Game 1 Nov. 28 in Missoula, 7:30 p.m.

Location: Berkeley, California; **Enrollment:** 29,000; **Nickname:** Golden Bears; **Colors:** Blue & Gold; **Conference:** NorPac; **Athletic Director:** Dr. Luella Lilly; **SID:** Chris Dawson; **SID Office Phone:** (415) 642-9410; **Head Coach:** Gooch Foster; **Coach's Overall Record:** 219-120, 13 seasons; **1985-86 Record:** 16-12; **Returning Letterwinners:** 5; **Returning Starters:** 3; **Top Returnees:** Jennifer Bennett (C, 6-3, Sr., 17.9, 6.9), Amanda Ray (G/F, 5-10, Jr., 6.7, 3.4), Mia Kuusisto (G, 5-10, So., 9.7, 2.2); **Top Newcomers:** Chris Holten (G, 5-9, Milbrea, CA), Mary Smetanka (F, 6-0, Billings, MT), Carolyn Jenkins (F, 5-10, Fresno, CA); **Series Record:** Tied 1-1.

Eastern Montana—Game 2 Nov. 29 in Missoula, 5:45 p.m..

Location: Billings, MT; **Enrollment:** 4,200; **Nickname:** Lady Yellowjackets; **Colors:** Black & Gold; **Conference:** Continental Divide; **Athletic Director:** Woody Hahn; **SID:** News Media Services; **SID Office Phone:** (406) 657-2268; **Head Coach:** Ted Anderson; **Coach's Overall Record:** 87-57, 5 years; **1985-86 Record:** 19-8; **Returning Letterwinners:** 7; **Returning Starters:** 2; **Top Returnees:** Kelli Kenyon (G/F, 5-9, Sr., 14.3, 5.9), Evonne Goroski (F, 5-9, Jr., 13.0, 4.9); **Top Newcomers:** Mary Anderson (F, 5-9, Couer d'Alene, ID), Berta Monroe (C/F, 6-0, Riverton, WY); **Series Record:** Montana leads 7-3.

Western Montana—Game 3 Dec. 1 in Missoula, 7:30 p.m.

Location: Dillon, MT; **Enrollment:** 799; **Nickname:** Lady Bulldogs; **Colors:** Red & White; **Conference:** Frontier; **SID:** Charles Stauffer; **SID Office Phone:** (406) 683-7201; **Head Coach:** Gary Cooper; **Coach's Overall Record:** 0-0; **1985-86 Record:** 11-13; **Returning Letterwinners:** 8; **Returning Starters:** 2; **Top Returnees:** Margaret Rose (G, 5-10, Sr., 6.0, 1.2), Tammy Sutliff (C, 6-1, So., 5.5, 7.1), Jamie Hegstad (G, 5-4, Jr., 5.0, 1.2), Lisa Casagrande (G, 5-7, So., 1.6, 0.7); **Top Newcomers:** Becky Sticky (G, 5-8, Deer Lodge, MT), Kim Breidenbach (F, 5-10, Simms, MT), Lois Nyenhaus (C, 6-1, Lewiston, ID); **Series Record:** Montana leads 4-0.

Domino's Pizza Lady Griz Classic—Game 4 & 5 Dec. 4-5 in Missoula, 6:30 p.m. & 8:30 p.m.

(St. Mary's, Calgary, Western Illinois)

Carroll College—Game 6 Dec. 8 in Missoula, 5:45 p.m.

Location: Helena, MT; **Enrollment:** 1,490; **Nickname:** Lady Saints; **Colors:** Purple & Gold; **Conference:** Frontier; **Athletic Director:** Robert Petrino; **SID:** Amy Chvilicek; **SID Office Phone:** (406) 442-3450; **Head Coach:** Tom Kelly; **Coach's Overall Record:** 176-171, 11 years; **1985-86 Record:** 20-12; **Returning Letterwinners:** 13; **Returning Starters:** 4; **Top Returnees:** Mary Burton (F, 5-8, Sr., 13.4, 4.8), Gigi Gehrke (C, 5-10, Sr., 11.8, 4.7), Liz Garrett (C, 6-1, Sr., 10.3, 6.3), DeeAnn Janiluka (F, 6-0, Sr., 8.5, 6.9), Lisa Gross (G, 5-6, Sr., 4.4, 1.0), Miriam Jenkins (G, 5-3, Jr., 4.2, 1.9); **Top Newcomers:** Karen Gross (F, 5-10, Helena, MT), Debbie Sullivan (G, 5-5, Anaconda, MT); **Series Record:** Montana leads 10-1.

The Opponents—(Cont'd)

Nebraska—Game 7

Dec. 13 in Lincoln, NE, 1:00 p.m.

Location: Lincoln, NE; **Enrollment:** 20,083; **Nickname:** Cornhuskers; **Colors:** Red & White; **Conference:** Big 8; **Athletic Director:** Bob Devaney; **SID:** Terry L. Beek; **SID Office Phone:** (402) 472-2263; **Head Coach:** Angela Beck; **Coach's Overall Record:** 0-0 at NU; **1985-86 Record:** 11-17; **Returning Letterwinners:** 10; **Returning Starters:** 2; **Top Returnees:** Shelly Block (F/G, 5-9, Sr., 2.3, 4.1), Stephanie Bolli (F, 5-10, Jr., 6.3, 3.6), Maurice Ivy (G/F, 5-9, Jr., 19.7, 8.6), Angie Miller (C, 6-0, Sr., 18.5, 6.9), Amy Stephens (G, 5-8, So., 12.6, 4.1); **Series Record:** First meeting.

Creighton—Game 8

Dec. 14 in Omaha, NE, 4:00 p.m.

Location: Omaha, NE; **Enrollment:** 5,903; **Nickname:** Lady Jays; **Colors:** Blue & White; **Conference:** Independent; **Athletic Director:** Don Leahy; **SID:** Mike Reasoner; **SID Office Phone:** (402) 280-2720; **Head Coach:** Bruce Rasmussen; **Coach's Overall Record:** 92-78, 6 years; **1985-86 Record:** 20-8; **Returning Letterwinners:** 8; **Returning Starters:** 3; **Top Returnees:** Tanya Warren (G, 5-5, Jr., 14.6, 3.0), Pam Gradoville (F, 6-0, Jr., 14.6, 8.2), Janet Ensign (C, 5-11, Sr., 7.7, 7.0); **Top Newcomers:** Chris Jaques (F, 6.0, Fr.); **Series Record:** First meeting.

UC-Irvine—Game 9

Dec. 18 in Missoula, 5:45 p.m.

Location: Irvine, CA; **Enrollment:** 14,000; **Nickname:** Anteaters; **Colors:** Blue & Gold; **Conference:** Pacific Coast Athletic; **Athletic Director:** John E. Caine; **SID:** Doug Ward; **SID Office Phone:** (714) 856-5260; **Head Coach:** Dean Andrea; **Coach's Overall Record:** 118-104, 8 years; **1985-86 Record:** 14-14; **Returning Letterwinners:** 3; **Returning Starters:** 2; **Top Returnees:** Natalie Crawford (C, 6-6, Jr., 13.6, 8.7); **Top Newcomers:** Cheryl Eiland (C, 6-3, 22.1, 12.3), Cheryl Hoffman (G, 5-7, 24.3); **Series Record:** First meeting.

Nevada-Reno—Game 10

Dec. 20 in Reno, NV, 8:30 p.m.

Location: Reno, NV; **Enrollment:** 10,000; **Nickname:** Wolf Pack; **Colors:** Blue & Silver; **Conference:** WCAC; **Athletic Director:** Chris Ault; **SID:** Danielle Preussner; **SID Office Phone:** (702) 784-4567; **Head Coach:** Anne Hope; **Coach's Overall Record:** 26-23, 2 years; **1985-86 Record:** 17-8; **Returning Letterwinners:** 6; **Returning Starters:** 3; **Top Returnees:** Gwen Muex (F/C, 6-0, Sr., 10.8, 8.4), Jackie Hassel (G, 5-7, Jr., 9.7, 1.9), Karen Friel (G, 5-8, Sr., 7.4, 3.1), Lisa Besses (G, 5-8, Sr., 9.6, 2.1); **Top Newcomers:** Dyan Miller (F, 6-0, Moorpack JC), Jenny Ross (C, 6-2, Mt. Diablo, CA), Sherry Ruter (F, 6-0, Moorpack JC); **Series Record:** Montana leads 2-0.

The Opponents—(Cont'd)

University of Washington Tournament—Games 11 & 12 Dec. 30-31 in Seattle, WA, 5:30 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.

(Washington, Oklahoma, Notre Dame)

Colorado State—Game 13 Jan. 3 in Missoula, 7:30 p.m.

Location: Fort Collins, CO; **Enrollment:** 18,000; **Nickname:** Rams; **Colors:** Green & Gold; **Conference:** High Country; **Athletic Director:** Oval Jaynes; **SID:** Jim Miller; **SID Office Phone:** (303) 491-5067; **Head Coach:** Brian Berger; **Coach's Overall Record:** 115-32, 5 years; **1985-86 Record:** 7-21; **Returning Letterwinners:** 7; **Returning Starters:** Jody Robers (F, 6-1, So., 9.3, 3.7), Annette Ruggiero (G, 5-6, So., 3.1, 1.3), Janis Charles (F, 6-0, 7.2, 4.9); **Top Newcomers:** Holli Omori (G, 5-6, Pueblo, CO), Lori Trollingier (G, 5-8, Clovis, NM); **Series Record:** Montana leads 2-1.

Eastern Washington—Games 14 & 21 Jan. 9 in Cheney, WA, 7:30 p.m.; Feb. 7 in Missoula, 7:30 p.m.

Location: Cheney, WA; **Enrollment:** 7,800; **Nickname:** Eagles; **Colors:** Red & White; **Conference:** Mountain West; **Athletic Director:** Ron Raver; **SID:** Jim Price; **SID Office Phone:** (509) 359-6334; **Head Coach:** Bill Smithpeters; **Coach's Overall Record:** 197-103, 10 years; **1985-86 Record:** 15-12; **Returning Letterwinners:** 7; **Returning Starters:** 4; **Top Returnees:** Brenda Souther (P, 6-2, Sr., 19.9, 11.1), Sonya Gaubinger (G, 5-8, Jr., 5-9, 4.4), Roj Johal (G, 5-6, Jr., 7.6, 1.5), Lisa Danner (P, 6-1, So., 11.0, 6.2); **Top Newcomers:** Angie Coleman (W, 5-11, Chelan, WA), Susan Smith (G, 5-8, Mount Vernon, IL), Bridget Vietz (W, 5-11, San Bruno, CA); **Series Record:** Montana leads 16-8.

Gonzaga—Game 15 Jan. 10 in Spokane, WA, 7:00 p.m.

Location: Spokane, WA; **Enrollment:** 3,500; **Nickname:** Bulldogs; **Colors:** Blue, White, & Red; **Conference:** Independent; **Athletic Director:** Dan Fitzgerald; **SID:** Dale Goodwin; **SID Office Phone:** (509) 328-4220; **Head Coach:** Mike Peterson; **Coach's Overall Record:** 21-10, 1 year; **1985-86 Record:** 21-10; **Returning Letterwinners:** 6; **Returning Starters:** 2; **Top Returnees:** Tammy Tibbles (G, 5-9, Jr., 16.9, 2.8), Carla Curfman (F, 5-10, So., 7.0, 4.7); **Top Newcomers:** Sue Canoy (G, 5-6, Oregon City, OR); **Series Record:** Montana leads 2-0.

Weber State College—Games 16 & 24 Jan. 16 in Missoula, 7:30 p.m.; Feb. 14 in Ogden, UT, 7:30 p.m.

Location: Ogden, UT; **Enrollment:** 10,500; **Nickname:** Wildcats; **Colors:** Purple & White; **Conference:** Mountain West; **Athletic Director:** Gary Crompton; **SID:** Nan Holyoak; **SID Office Phone:** (801)626-6010; **Head Coach:** Joan Campbell; **Coach's Overall Record:** 70-43; **1985-86 Record:** 11-15; **Returning Letterwinners:** 7; **Returning Starters:** 2; **Top Returnees:** Deryn Denham (G, 5-7, Sr., 10.3, 3.1), Cheryl Barlow (F, 5-9, Sr., 5.6, 5.9); **Top Newcomers:** Sue Walin (G, 5-8, Fountain Valley, CA), Barb Eide (F, 6-0, St. Louis Park, MN), Dawn Lawler (F/C, Fountain Valley, CA); **Series Record:** Montana leads 12-2.

The Opponents—(Cont'd)

Idaho State—Games 17 & 23

Jan. 17 in Missoula, 7:30 p.m.; Feb. 13 in Pocatello, ID, 7:30 p.m.

Location: Pocatello, ID; **Enrollment:** 9,719; **Nickname:** Bengals; **Colors:** Orange & Black; **Conference:** Mountain West; **Athletic Director:** Tom Jewell; **SID:** Dave Geringer; **SID Office Phone:** (208) 236-3152; **Head Coach:** Mark French; **Coach's Overall Record:** 91-101, 7 years; **1985-86 Record:** 5-21; **Returning Letterwinners:** 9; **Returning Starters:** 3; **Top Returnees:** Alison Verona (F, 5-11, Jr., 13.9, 6.9), Staci Broussard (G, 5-6, Jr., 6.1, 2.0), Kelly Forth-Palmer (C, 6-4, Jr., 6.5, 5.9), Nancy Imhoff (G, 5-11, So., 9.3, 3.4), Coryna Truitt (F, 6-1, So., 7.0, 3.9); **Top Newcomers:** Michelle Fuller (G, 5-7, Portland, OR), Barbara Gorman (F, 5-10, Woodburn, OR), Krista Howard (F, 5-10, Dillon, MT), Stephanie Zeman (C, 6-2, Spring Valley, IL); **Series Record:** 1-1.

Idaho—Games 18 & 26

Jan. 23 in Moscow, ID, 7:30 p.m.; Feb. 22 in Missoula, 2:00 p.m.

Location: Moscow, ID; **Enrollment:** 11,634; **Nickname:** Lady Vandals; **Colors:** Silver & Gold; **Conference:** Mountain West; **Athletic Director:** Bill Belknap; **SID:** Rance Pugmire; **SID Office Phone:** (208) 885-0200; **Head Coach:** Laurie Turner; **Coach's Overall Record:** 0-0 first year; **1985-86 Record:** 26-5; **Returning Letterwinners:** 7; **Returning Starters:** 0; **Top Returnees:** Krista Dunn (G, 5-7, Sr., 2.6, 0.6), Kim Chernecki (F, 6-0, Jr., 1.8, 1.9), Paula Getty (G, 5-9, Sr., 2.6, 0.6); **Top Newcomers:** Angela Burks (G, 5-7, Yakima, WA), Lori Elkins (F, 6-0, Portland, OR), Angie Pleasant (G, 5-6, Yakima, WA); **Series Record:** Montana leads 7-5.

Boise State—Games 19 & 25

Jan. 24 in Boise, ID, 7:30 p.m.; Feb. 19 in Missoula, 7:30 p.m.

Location: Boise, ID; **Enrollment:** 11,600; **Nickname:** Broncos; **Colors:** Blue & Orange; **Conference:** Mountain West; **Athletic Director:** Gene Bleymaier; **SID:** Lori Orr; **SID Office Phone:** (208) 385-3438; **Head Coach:** Tony Oddo; **Coach's Overall Record:** 26-27, 2 years; **1985-86 Record:** 13-13; **Returning Letterwinners:** 7; **Returning Starters:** 4; **Top Returnees:** Lisa Enger (C, 6-3, So., 3.0, 4.3), Marj Connors (G, 5-5, Sr., 8.9, 2.0), Missy Dallas (G, 5-3, Jr., 9.0, 1.5), Diane Doster (F, 5-10, Sr., 4.2, 2.3), Jan Ecklund (C, 6-2, So., 3.0, 2.5); **Top Newcomers:** Cindy Dodson (F/G, 5-10, Eugene, OR), Kelly Heagy (F, 6-0, Fairfield, MT), Robin Blankenheim (F, 6-0, Sacramento, CA); **Series Record:** Montana leads 14-6.

Montana State—Games 20 & 27

Jan. 30 in Bozeman, MT, 7:30 p.m.; Feb. 28 in Missoula, 5:45 p.m.

Location: Bozeman, MT; **Enrollment:** 10,000; **Nickname:** Lady Bobcats; **Colors:** Blue & Gold; **Conference:** Mountain West; **Athletic Director:** Dr. Ginny Hunt; **SID:** Dianne Ellis; **SID Office Phone:** (406) 994-5135; **Head Coach:** Gary Schwartz; **Coach's Overall Record:** 75-34, 4 years; **1985-86 Record:** 23-6; **Returning Letterwinners:** 2; **Returning Starters:** 3; **Top Returnees:** Kelly Angelos (G, 5-7, Sr., Milwaukie, OR), Tracy Hill (F, 5-11, Jr., Ridgeway, CO), Jennifer McGary (G, 5-8, Jr., Maryville, MO); **Top Newcomers:** Lynne Andrew (F, 6-0, Brantford, Ont.), Alaine Bauer (C, 6-3, Hysham, MT), Julie Brown (G, 5-7, Bozeman, MT); **Series Record:** Montana leads 16-8.

1986-1987 Schedule

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| Nov. 28 | Cal-Berkeley | Home | 7:30 PM |
| Nov. 29 | Eastern Montana | Home | 5:45 PM |
| Dec. 1 | Western Montana | Home | 7:30 PM |
| Dec. 4 & 5 | Domino's Pizza Classic (Western Illinois St., Mary's, Calgary) | Home | 6:30 & 8:30 PM |
| Dec. 8 | Carroll College | Home | 5:45 PM |
| Dec. 13 | Nebraska | Lincoln | 1:00 PM |
| Dec. 14 | Creighton | Omaha | 3:00 PM |
| Dec. 18 | UC-Irvine | Home | 5:45 PM |
| Dec. 20 | Nevada-Reno | Reno | 8:30 PM |
| Dec. 30-31 | Seattle Times Classic (Notre Dame, UW, Okla.) | Seattle | 5:30 & 7:30 PM |
| Jan. 3 | Colorado State | Home | 7:30 PM |
| Jan. 9 | Eastern Washington* | Cheney | 8:30 PM |
| Jan. 10 | Gonzaga | Spokane | 7:00 PM |
| Jan. 16 | Weber State* | Home | 7:30 PM |
| Jan. 16 | Idaho State* | Home | 7:30 PM |
| Jan. 23 | Idaho* | Moscow | 8:30 PM |
| Jan. 24 | Boise State* | Boise | 7:30 PM |
| Jan. 30 | Montana State* | Bozeman | 7:30 PM |
| Feb. 7 | Eastern Washington* | Home | 7:30 PM |
| Feb. 8 | Gonzaga | Home | 4:00 PM |
| Feb. 13 | Idaho State* | Pocatello | 7:30 PM |
| Feb. 14 | Weber State* | Ogden | 7:30 PM |
| Feb. 19 | Boise State* | Home | 7:30 PM |
| Feb. 22 | Idaho* | Home | 2:00 PM |
| Feb. 28 | Montana State* | Home | 5:45 PM |
| March 6-7 | Mountain West Athletic Conference Championship | Conf. Champ. | |

*Mountain West Conference Game -- All times are local



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