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UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA



1985-86 LADY GRIZ BASKETBALL

Official Program

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The Coaching Staff

Head Coach Robin Selvig



Robin Selvig took over a struggling University of Montana women's basketball program and immediately turned it around. He is the only basketball coach in the school's history to win 100 games in his first five seasons. His five-year record was 102-40.

Selvig's career record is 151-54 (7 seasons) and that gives him a 73.7 winning percentage which is the best of any UM basketball coach ever.

Selvig has won two straight WBCA (Women's Basketball Coaches' Association)

District VII Coach of the Year awards. He was also selected as Conference Coach of the Year for three consecutive seasons (1982-84).

The emphasis is on defense on Selvig's teams. The Lady Griz led the nation's Division I teams in scoring defense during the 1981-82 and 1983-84 seasons. UM was also nationally-ranked in defense in 1982-83 and 1984-85.

Defense was also important to Selvig when he played guard for UM in the early 1970's. His senior year (1974), he was selected as the team's outstanding defensive player. He was also a second-team All-Big Sky Conference choice and won the University's top athletic award, the Grizzly Cup.

He received his bachelor's degree in health and physical education from UM in 1974.

Before taking over the Lady Griz basketball program, Selvig was the head girls' basketball coach at Plentywood High from 1975 to 1978.

Robin and his wife Jane have two sons: Jeff, 5, and Dan, 2.

Selvig's Records

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Assistant Coach Annette Whitaker



Whitaker is in her fifth season as an assistant coach with the Lady Griz basketball program. She served as junior varsity coach her first two seasons. She assists Selvig with all coaching duties—game strategy, scouting, recruiting, etc.

Prior to joining the coaching ranks, Whitaker was a two-year starter at the point guard position for UM.

Annette was also a basketball standout at Cashmere High and Wenatchee Valley College.

She received her bachelor's degree in health and physical education from UM in 1982.

Student Assistant Coach Anita Novak Selvig



After finishing up an outstanding Lady Griz career last spring, Anita Novak Selvig is in her first season as a student assistant coach.

She is UM's third-leading career scorer (1,158) and second-leading career rebounder (791).

Anita is finishing her bachelor's degree in health and physical education.

Her husband, Doug, is a former Grizzly basketball standout and a graduate assistant coach with UM men's basketball team.

The Record Book

TEAM RECORDS

Season:

Most Wins—27, 1983-84
 Scoring Average—70.8, 1984-85
 Field Goals—870, 1984-85
 Field Goal Attempts—1957, 1984-85
 Field Goal Percentage—.445, 1984-85
 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—493, 1983-84
 Steals—337, 1980-81
 Blocked Shots—142, 1983-84
 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—146, Cheri Bratt, 1982-83
 Most Steals—94, Cheri Bratt, 1980-81
 Most Blocked Shots—41, Doris Deden Hasquet, 1982-83

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

4,030 vs. Oregon State, Mar. 18, 1984

1985-86 Lady Griz Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Exp.	Hometown/High School or JC
10	Anji Price	G	5-7	Fr.	HS	Missoula, Mont./Sentinel HS
12	Margaret Williams	G	5-8	Jr.	2V/RS	Olympia, Wash./Olympia HS
14	Marti Leibenguth	G-F	6-1	So.	1V	Missoula, Mont./Big Sky HS
20	Karyn Ridgeway	F	6-0	So.	HS	Missoula, Mont./Hellgate HS
22	Natalie Streeter	G	5-9	Jr.	2V	Great Falls, Mont./Great Falls HS
24	Jean McNulty	F	6-0	Fr.	HS	Whitehall, Mont./Whitehall HS
30	Lisa McLeod	F	6-1	Fr.	HS	Great Falls, Mont./C.M. Russell HS
32	Cheryl Brandell	G-F	5-11	So.	1V	Olympia, Wash./Olympia HS
34	Linda Mendel	C	6-1	Fr.	HS	Malta, Mont./Malta HS
40	Kris Moede	G	5-9½	So.	1V	Missoula, Mont./Big Sky HS
42	Dawn Silliker	F	6-0	So.	1V	Whitefish, Mont./Whitefish HS
44	Sharla Muralt	C	6-1	Sr.	3V	Missoula, Mont./Sentinel HS
50	Laurie Strube	C	6-2½	Jr.	2V	Minot, N.D./Magic City Campus
52	Kris Haasl	C	6-2½	Fr.	HS	Florence, Mont./Florence HS

HEAD COACH: Robin Selvig

ASSISTANT COACH: Annette Whitaker

STUDENT ASSISTANT COACH: Anita Novak Selvig

Pronunciation Guide

Haasl.....HOZZ-Ull
 Leibenguth.....LIE-Bin-Gooth
 McLeod.....McCloud
 Mendel.....MEN-Dull

Moede.....MOW-Dee
 Muralt.....Mer-ALT
 Strube.....STROO-Bee



Left to Right—Front Row: Assistant Coach Annette Whitaker, Kris Moede, Natalie Streeter, Margaret Williams, Cheryl Brandell, Anji Price, Athletic Trainer Mary McElwain. Back Row: Head Coach Robin Selvig, Jean McNulty, Dawn Silliker, Sharla Muralt, Lisa McLeod, Laurie Strube, Linda Mendel, Marti Leibenguth, Karyn Ridgeway, Student Assistant Coach Anita Novak Selvig. Not Pictured: Kris Haasl.

Meet the Lady Griz



Sharla Muralt

Center—6-1
Senior—Missoula, Montana

UM's leading scorer and rebounder last season, Muralt was a first team all-conference and Kodak All-District VII selection. She averaged 13.8 points and 8.6 rebounds and was the recipient of the 1984-85 Coaches' Award.

Before taking over the starting center position last year, she spent two seasons as one of the team's top reserves. She averaged 5 points and 4.9 rebounds as a freshman and 9.6 points and 4.8 rebounds her sophomore year.

Sharla ranks sixth in both career scoring and rebounding with 872 points and 557 rebounds. She needs just 128 points to become only the fifth Lady Griz player ever to score 1,000 points.

She has career highs of 31 points and 19 rebounds.

Muralt was a two-time all-conference and all-state selection at Sentinel High. She was the MVP of the Divisional Tournament and a Converse High School All-American as a senior.



Margaret Williams

Guard—5-8
Junior—Olympia, Washington

If Coach Selvig is wearing a bigger smile than normal these days, part of the reason is that Williams is back after missing last season with internal injuries.

Easily the fastest and quickest player on the team, she was the starting point guard during the 1983-84 season. She averaged 5.5 points and 2.2 rebounds and finished second on the team with 59 steals that year.

Margaret averaged 4.1 points and 1.2 rebounds as a freshman. She has career highs of 17 points and 5 rebounds.

She is fourth in career assists with 166.

Williams was the Player of the Year in the Black Hill League as a senior at Olympia High. She was her team's MVP her junior and senior seasons.



Natalie Streeter

Guard—5-9
Junior—Great Falls, Montana

One of three returning starters, Streeter averaged 7.2 points and 2.7 rebounds despite battling injuries and illnesses much of last season.

She led the team in free throw percentage (.808) and was third in field goal percentage (.459).

Streeter averaged 4.1 points and 2.4 rebounds her freshman season. She has career highs of 16 points and 7 rebounds.

Natalie came to UM after earning Converse High School All-America honors her senior year at Great Falls High. She also won the Little Sullivan Award, which is given to the top female amateur athlete in the state, that year.



Cheryl Brandell

Guard-Forward—5-11
Sophomore—Olympia, Washington

Brandell came on strong at the end of last season and played especially well in the Women's NIT, scoring 27 points and pulling down 17 rebounds in the three-game tournament.

She finished the season averaging 5.6 points and 4 rebounds. She has career highs of 14 points and 10 rebounds.

Brandell is a versatile player who could see action at three different positions.

She was the league MVP her junior year at Olympia High, but missed her senior season because of a knee injury. She was an all-conference and all-state tournament pick as a sophomore.



Laurie Strube

Center—6-2½
Junior—Minot, North Dakota

Strube has shown steady improvement in her two seasons with the Lady Griz. She averaged 3.3 points and 1.4 rebounds last season compared to 2.1 points and 1.5 rebounds her freshman year.

She is a very good shooter, connecting on 50 percent of her field goal attempts last season.

Laurie has career highs of 11 points and 5 rebounds.

She was an all-conference selection her senior year at Magic City Campus. She set a school record, hitting 68.5 percent of her field goal attempts.



Marti Leibenguth

Guard-Forward—6-1
Sophomore—Missoula, Montana

Possibly the most versatile player on the team, Leibenguth could play either forward position as well as big guard.

She was one of the first players off the bench last season and averaged 4.4 points and 3.5 rebounds. She played especially well late in the year.

Marti has career highs of 13 points and 7 rebounds.

An outstanding all-around athlete, she placed fifth in the javelin at the conference track meet last spring. She set a school record of 160-1 in the javelin.

Leibenguth was a second-team all-state basketball player her senior year at Big Sky High. She also won all-state honors in volleyball and track and was a Tri-Sport High School All-American.

Meet the Lady Griz



Kris Moede

Guard—5-9½
Sophomore—Missoula, Montana

A good outside shooter, Moede won the first Grace Geil Most Improved Player Award last season.

She averaged 4 points and 1.3 rebounds and hit on 50.6 percent of her field goal attempts.

Moede has career highs of 12 points and 4 rebounds.

She was Big Sky High's leading scorer and rebounder all four years of her varsity career. She was a Carnation Prep All-American her senior season.



Lisa McLeod

Forward—6-1
Freshman—Great Falls, Montana

McLeod averaged 20.5 points and 13 rebounds in leading C.M. Russell High to a fifth-place finish in the state Class AA ranks last season.

She was a first team all-state selection her junior and senior years. She was an honorable mention Converse High School All-American and a member of the West squad in the state all-star basketball series

as a senior. Lisa was also a track standout and finished second in the high jump at the state track meet last spring.



Karyn Ridgeway

Forward—6-0
Sophomore—Missoula, Montana

A former all-stater from Hellgate High, Ridgeway joined the Lady Griz team after two years away from basketball.

She was recruited by several schools, including UM, but decided not to pursue athletics after she graduated from high school. She spent two years in the music program at Northern Colorado before returning to Missoula and UM.

Karyn was Hellgate's MVP and Outstanding Defensive Player her senior year. She was the team's Outstanding Offensive Player as a junior.



Jean McNulty

Forward—6-0
Freshman—Whitehall, Montana

A three-time first team all-state pick, McNulty averaged 25.5 points and 14 rebounds last season at Whitehall High.

She led her team to the state Class B title as a junior and to a fourth-place finish her senior year.

Jean is the all-time leading scorer in the state's prep girls' basketball ranks with 1,762 points.

She was a Converse High School All-American as a senior and a *USA Today* Honorable Mention All-American her junior and senior years. She was selected to play in the state all-star basketball series, but had to miss it because of an injury.



Dawn Silliker

Forward—6-0
Sophomore—Whitefish, Montana

One of the few players to start for the Lady Griz as a freshman, Silliker averaged 9.1 points and 5.4 rebounds last year.

She was the MVP of the Lady Griz Insurance Classic and won all-tournament honors at the Santa Clara Holiday Classic.

Dawn has career highs of 21 points and 12 rebounds.

She was a three-time all-state and all-conference selection at Whitefish High. She was an honorable mention Converse High School All-American her senior year.

Silliker set 12 school records and is the only female athlete in Whitefish history to have her uniform retired.



Linda Mendel

Center—6-1
Freshman—Malta, Montana

Mendel was a two-time first team all-state player at Malta, averaging 16.2 points and 14 rebounds as a senior.

She led the team to a 24-3 record and a third-place finish in the state Class B Tournament last season.

Linda played for the East squad in the state all-star basketball series last summer.

She also won the 100-meter hurdles in the 1985 state track meet.



Kris Haasl

Center—6-2½
Freshman—Florence, Montana

Haasl came to UM as a walk-on after earning all-conference and all-state honors at Florence High.

She was an all-conference selection three times and won all-state honors twice. She was the leading scorer and rebounder and team MVP last season. She was also an alternate to the West squad in the state all-star basketball series.

Kris won four letters in basketball and two in track at Florence High.



Anji Price

Guard—5-7
Freshman—Missoula, Montana

A walk-on from Missoula's Sentinel High. Price will give the Lady Griz extra speed and quickness at the point guard position.

She averaged 12.5 points, 6 rebounds and 4 assists last year, earning all-state honors. She was chosen as her team's best defensive player her sophomore and senior seasons.

Anji was also an all-conference volleyball player and a member of Sentinel's state championship team last season.

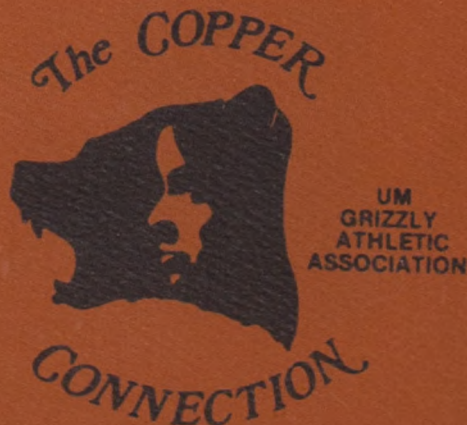
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NO.	NAME	POS.	FIELD GOALS	FREE THROWS	FOULS	TOTALS		
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