
University of Montana—Missoula. Athletics Department
When the Grizzlies play...People Watch!
### 1987-88 GRIZZLY SCHEDULE

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The University of Montana was recently awarded its 23rd Rhodes Scholar. This ranks UM 19th in the nation of all American colleges and universities. UM ranks sixth among schools west of the Mississippi. Rhodes Scholarships provide two to four years at Oxford University in England. Students are chosen on the basis of scholarships, community and political involvement, athletic ability and personal character.

The Yellow Bay Biological Station, located about 70 miles northeast of Missoula at Flathead Lake, is the nation's oldest inland station. Among some 70 inland units in the United States, the UM ranks fifth for its program facilities and student population.

KUFM, a noncommercial public radio station operated by the Telecommunications Center, is the only National Public Radio station in Montana.

University of Montana education majors compete very successfully for jobs with 93 percent of those with bachelor's degrees and 100 percent of those with graduate degrees finding appropriate positions.

The Department of Social Work is fully accredited by the Council on Social Work Education and is the only Montana school that assures its graduates of a year of advanced standing in graduate schools of social work. The School of Journalism has had 19 of its students selected as Sears Congressional interns — more than any other journalism school in the country. During the four-month internship, students work for a United States Congressman or Senator and also attend classes.

The Department of Art enjoys a national reputation for excellence in ceramics.

The Department of Drama/Dance has a professional theater group — the Montana Repertory Theater — based on campus. The Montana Repertory Theater, which tours throughout the Northwest, is the only professional Actors Equity company between Minneapolis and Seattle.

A University of Montana student has been chosen to receive a Truman Scholarship for six of the last eight years. The national scholarship is given annually to students committed to a government career who have superior academic ability and leadership potential.

The Department of Anthropology has the largest collection of artifacts and records of pre-history in the region.

The School of Business is the only accredited master's program in Business in the state.

Nearly 47 percent of the business school's accounting graduates pass the Certified Public Accountant Exam on their first try. This is more than three times the national first-time success rate of 14 percent.

The Department of Geology has an outstanding national reputation. In cooperation with Purdue University, a field station has been set up in southwestern Montana. The department also provides hands-on experience for students in the minerals, rocks and paleontology laboratories at the University's Seismic Station and in the Earthquake Research Laboratory.

The Department of Geography has one of the region's best cartography laboratories where students learn to make maps and interpret aerial photography.

The Department of Health and Physical Education is one of a handful in the country that trains students to be athletic trainers. And it is the only program in the state to offer a master of science in physical education.

The Native American Studies program at the University of Montana is regarded by Indian educators as one of the four most outstanding in the nation.

Newly remodeled training facilities in the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders are some of the finest in the region. People from all over the state come to the center for speech, language and hearing therapy.

The Grizzlies have had five Academic All-Americans in recent history in basketball and several All-Big Sky Conference picks. Most recently Scott Zanon was named a second team All-American (this includes all Division 1 schools). Larry Krystkowiak was named to GTE's first team All-American squad his junior and senior seasons.

Montana has had numerous All-Americans in other sports, including football, wrestling and several all-league academic choices in all of UM's sports programs.
Grizzlies Excel in Classroom, Too

Not only has the University of Montana not had a losing season in the past nine seasons, but it has also been a very successful time for the Grizzlies in the classroom.

Of the 37 student-athletes in UM's program during the past nine years 28, or 76 percent, have graduated. Seven others will graduate. This figure includes three transfers, all of whom graduated.

That leaves four athletes who have not earned degrees, and one of those is Larry Krystkowiak, who said he will return to UM after he competes in Europe and get his degree in Business.

Montana has had five Academic All-Americans in the previously mentioned time span. They include (from recent to past) Scott Zanon, Krystkowiak, Marc Glass, Craig Zanon and Tim McCauley.

"We talk about our successes in the classroom all the time," said Morrill. "There is a reason that college athletes are called student athletes — students first, athletes second. We are proud of our graduation rate."

"We have a study hall at Montana and all of the first year players are required to go," he continued. "We check on classes a minimum of every two weeks. We have an Academic All-American potentially again in Scott Zanon and several young kids who came to us with 3.5 and 3.6 GPAs out of high school and close to 1,200 on the boards. We hope to keep that area of our program going."

Scott Zanon was a second team pick in 1987 and a third team All-American pick in 1986 and had a 3.21 GPA in Business and was an all-league academic choice the past four years. He is from Kalispell, Montana.

Krystkowiak was a first team Academic All-American in 1986 and 1985 and was a three-time All-Region and All-Big Sky academic selection. He maintained a 3.61 GPA. He is a local product from Missoula's Big Sky High School.

Glass was an honorable mention Academic All-American selection in 1984 and 1983, and a three-time Big Sky choice with a 3.20 GPA in Computer Science. The 6-3 guard from Battle Ground, Washington, was the 75th player picked in the NBA draft in 1984, chosen by the Los Angeles Clippers in the fourth round.

Craig Zanon was the Grizzlies' first Academic All-American first teamer in 1981. The former All-Big Sky guard (6-6) was also an academic choice in 1980 and had a 3.62 GPA in Accounting. Both Craig Zanon and Krystkowiak earned prestigious NCAA postgraduate scholarships after their senior seasons.

From Sun Prairie, Wisconsin, Tim McCauley was a 3.3 student in Business Administration. The 6-1½ guard was an honorable mention All-American in academics in 1980 and an all-leaguer in 1979 and 1980.
1987-88 Montana Basketball Yearbook

This brochure was prepared for the convenience of sports writers and sports broadcasters during the 1987-88 basketball season by UM Sports Information Director Dave Guffey.

Permission is granted to quote in whole, or in part, any material in this brochure.

All requests for press passes should be made by letter or telephone at least one week in advance.

Complete statistics are provided at each Grizzly home game.

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ON THE COVER: When the Grizzlies Play . . . People Watch! From left, Mike Ahlers, Wayne Tinkle, head coach Stew Morrill and Tony Reed. (Photo by Mark Bryant) BACK COVER: Dahlberg Arena. INSIDE FRONT COVER: The University of Montana campus. INSIDE BACK COVER: Montana’s beauty. (All other photos by Howard Skaggs)

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Um Quick Facts

Location: Missoula, Montana 59812
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Enrollment: 8,500
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Assistant Coaches: Bob Niehl, Blaine Taylor,
Leroy Washington, Don Holst
Arena: Dahlberg (9,057)
Press Box Phone: (406) 243-4281
Nickname: Grizzlies
Colors: Copper, Silver and Gold
Conference: Big Sky
Commissioner: Ron Stephenson (208) 345-5393
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The University of Montana in Missoula is located in a mountain forest setting in beautiful Western Montana. It is halfway between Glacier and Yellowstone national parks. Four wilderness areas are located near Missoula. The natural surroundings offer excellent opportunities for hunting, fishing, backpacking, river floating, camping and other outdoor recreational pursuits. Two excellent winter ski areas are located within minutes of the University. Several other ski areas are only a couple of hours away by car. UM owns and operates its own golf course adjacent to campus.

The University of Montana is one of the West's pioneers in education and was chartered February 17, 1893. The school opened in September 1895, with 50 students enrolling the first day. Located on 201 acres at the base of Mount Sentinel, UM has grown from 50 students and seven faculty members to a present enrollment of 8,500 and approximately 450 full-time faculty positions.

Through its history, the University of Montana has sustained a high standard of academic excellence in teaching, research and service. UM offers associate of arts degrees in two areas and bachelor's degrees in 58 fields. It offers master's degrees in 54 programs and doctoral degrees in 13.

The College of Arts and Sciences, which is the core of the University, includes a full range of programs and courses in the life sciences, physical sciences, social sciences and humanities. The College also offers curricula in interdisciplinary fields ranging from ethnic studies to interdepartmental studies.

Seven professional schools complete the academic program — Business Administration, Fine Arts, Journalism, Education, Forestry, Law, and Pharmacy and Allied Health Sciences.

The aim of the University is to provide its students with relaxing and meaningful learning experience with the best facilities possible. The administration, faculty and staff strive for this goal.
Steve is in his seventh season as the Grizzly equipment manager. He is a native of Hamilton, Montana. He graduated from the University of Montana in 1972 with a B.S. degree in Health and Physical Education, with emphasis in Athletic Training and Physical Therapy. He received his master's degree in 1974 at Indiana State in HPE. He served three years in the Navy from 1962-65 and was a Spanish linguist. Steve and his wife, Larae, have a son Tyler, 5, and daughter, Meghan, 2.

Dave is in his 10th season as sports information director. His responsibilities include publications, press releases and promotions, statistics and research. He has won numerous district awards for his football and basketball media guides and game programs. He served as media coordinator for the Montana Special Olympics in 1980 and 1981. He is a member of the College Sports Information Directors of America (Co-SIDA). He is a 1975 graduate of Fresno State and received a B.A. in Journalism. Dave and his wife, Mea Andrews, have a 5-year-old son, Patrick, and a two-year-old son, Matthew.

Dennis T. Murphy is currently in his sixth year as head athletic trainer at UM. Murphy graduated from Montana in 1975 with a B.S. degree in Health and Physical Education with a specialization in Athletic Training and Adaptive Physical Education. In June of 1975 he was certified by the National Athletic Trainers Association. In August of 1978 he was named assistant athletic trainer and lecturer at the Department of Athletics at the University of Arizona. In September of 1980 he accepted the position of Visiting Assistant Professor at UM. Murphy, who has been a certified trainer for 11 years, has taught numerous training-related classes, has been a guest speaker at several sports' clinics and written articles for training publications. He is single.

Suelynn is in her eighth year as a University of Montana secretary. She graduated from Oregon State University with a B.S. degree in Secretarial Science. She has been a Certified Professional Secretary since 1972. She worked for the School of Oceanography at OSU as a research assistant for eight years and as a biological technician for the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute in Panama for two-and-a-half years before moving to Montana. Her husband, DeWayne, is a graphic artist at UM. The Williamses have three children.

Mary is in her fourth year as the associate trainer at UM. She graduated from the University of Montana in 1977 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Health & Physical Education. She earned her M.S. degree in Health & Physical Education from Michigan State in 1979. Prior to coming to UM, McElwain served as an assistant athletic trainer at Oklahoma State for four years. She was certified by the National Athletic Trainers Association (NATA) in March of 1977. She has been an instructor at numerous training workshops and has been active in an athletic trainer's capacity for almost 10 years. McElwain has been a member of the NATA since 1972. She is single.

Rick begins his second year at UM and is involved in several aspects of Grizzly athletics. He helps with game management, oversees concessions and also assists with budgeting. He is a 1984 graduate of UM with a degree in Business Administration. He has assisted in UM Field House operations since 1982, while attending college. He also has work experience as an audio/video technician. He graduated from Sentinel High School in 1979 and lettered in wrestling and was active in student government. Originally from Bozeman, he attended high school and elementary school in Livingston. His wife's name is Donna.
President James V. Koch

James V. Koch (pronounced Cook) was named the 15th president of the University of Montana June 30, 1986.

Prior to coming to UM he was the Provost/Vice President of Academic Affairs at Ball State University, in Muncie, Indiana, since 1980. He has continued to teach and to publish scholarly articles, and has said he would like to teach occasionally as president.

Koch, 44, graduated from Illinois State University with a B.A. in Economics in 1964. He earned his Ph.D. in Economics at Northwestern in 1968.

He was departmental chair in Economics at his alma mater from 1972-78, and the Illinois University Teacher of the Year in 1977-78. He left there to become the Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences at Rhode Island in Providence from 1978-80.

He has written numerous articles, four books and served as a visiting professor at several schools.

He and his wife, Donna, have two children.

Athletic Director Harley Lewis

Harley W. Lewis is in his 11th year as athletic director at the University of Montana.

He is involved in numerous organizations at the state and national level. He was the State Director for the Montana Special Olympics in 1980 and 1981. He served as National Director for the USABA Blind Olympics in 1983, when the national championships were hosted by UM.

He was also chairman of a local school board, on the State Board of Directors for the Special Olympics, and on the Board of Directors for the YMCA. He is on several Big Sky Conference committees and on the NCAA's Track & Field Rules Committee.

He served as track and cross country coach until 1976 and his teams won nine league titles. Lewis was named the Big Sky's track and cross country Coach of the Year 10 times during his tenure. He coached several All-Americans while a coach and continues to work with the Montana Olympic Committee, of which he is on the State Board of Directors.

Lewis is a 1964 graduate of UM with an M.S. in Health, Physical Education and Recreation. He became track and cross country coach at Montana in 1966. Prior to that he coached for two seasons at the University of Portland. He is a 1959 graduate of Butte High School.

Lewis and his wife, Marilou, have two children.

Associate Athletic Director Kathy Noble

Kathy Noble was named Associate Athletic Director at the University of Montana, August 20, 1987. She replaced Barbara Hollmann, who was named Dean of Students at UM in June after serving as associate athletic director for the past seven years.

Most recently Noble was the Assistant Director of the Department of Parks, Recreation and Public Facilities in Miami, Florida. She had been there for about two years.

She has 14 years of experience in college administration. She was the Associate Athletic Director at the University of Miami from 1983-86. Prior to that she was an Academic Counselor in athletics at Boise State (1982-83) and the Residents Hall Director at Washington State (1976-82).

Noble earned her B.A. degree in Social Sciences at Central Washington University in 1971.

She received a Master's Degree in Counseling at Washington State in 1979 and is currently a Ph.D. candidate in Counseling at WSU. She began her career in college administration at her alma mater, CWU, in 1971.

Manager of Athletic Services Gary Hughes

Gary had been ticket manager at UM since 1966. In 1978 he was appointed field house manager. He schedules all events in Adams Field House and at Washington-Grizzly Stadium in addition to handling ticket distribution and the field house budget.

He is a native of Ronan, Montana, and graduated in accounting from the Missoula Business College in 1962. He gained extensive experience in accounting and auditing before assuming his responsibilities at Montana.

His wife, Judy, is a day-care center owner and operator in Missoula. The Hugheses have six children.

Faculty Representative Robert Lindsay

Bob is beginning his tenure as UM’s faculty representative to the National College Athletic Association. He replaces Dr. Evan Denney, who served in that capacity for more than seven years.

Dr. Lindsay has been a faculty member at UM since 1967. He is a professor of History and served as the department chairman from 1975-78. His specialty is Early Modern European History.

Lindsay won the Distinguished Teacher Award at UM in 1985. He has taught overseas for UM in France in 1970-71 and 1981.

He previously taught at Ohio University and the University of Wisconsin. He earned his Ph.D. at the University of Oregon and the University of Minnesota, respectively. He received his B.A. at Nevada-Reno in 1953.

As the NCAA Representative, he will determine eligibility for UM athletes, make NCAA rulings at the institutional level and is UM’s representative to the NCAA. He has served on UM’s University Athletic Committee for numerous years and was once chairman of the committee as well.

Bob and his wife, Joyce, have four children.
Stew begins his second year as head coach at the University of Montana and his 10th season at UM. He was an assistant at Montana for eight seasons before becoming the 19th head coach in school history in April of 1986.

Two seasons ago he replaced Mike Montgomery, who is now the head coach at Stanford University.

Morrill, 35, started his head coaching tenure in a big way. His Grizzly team was 18-11 last season and placed third in the Big Sky Conference with an 8-6 record. He guided UM to a third place league finish despite the loss of three starters and his team had been picked to finish in the bottom section of the Big Sky.

His 18 victories were the most ever by a first-year coach at Montana. He is the third (tie) winningest first-year coach in Big Sky history.

During his stint as a head and assistant coach Montana has compiled an overall record of 172-88, for a winning percentage of .723.

A former All-Big Sky center at former league member Gonzaga, Morrill is one of the primary reasons the Grizzlies have had so much success with their big men. He worked with such former standouts as John Stroeder, Craig Larsen, Larry McBride and Larry Krystkowiak.

Prior to coming to UM he was an assistant at his alma mater, Gonzaga. He was the school's No. 1 assistant and recruiting coordinator there for two years. He was a grad assistant there for one season.

He was a first team all-leaguer in the Big Sky in 1973-74 and named team MVP as well. After graduation in 1974 he played Division I basketball professionally in Bordeaux, France, where he eventually became a player-coach.

Prior to his career at Gonzaga he played at Rick College in Idaho, where he averaged 23 points a game as a sophomore and was named a Junior College All-American. He is originally from Provo, Utah, where he was a three-sport letterman and earned nine letters at Provo High School.

"We would like to push the ball up the court more and utilize the three-point shot, if it's to our advantage," Morrill said. "We've always played high-percentage basketball, and last year we definitely thought using the three-point shot was to our advantage.

"If we feel like we need to control tempo with some teams then we'll do that," Morrill continued. "It's back to what is your best opportunity to win ball games."

"I feel like our defense needs to improve," he said. "I was not satisfied with our defense last year, although we did finish second in the conference in field goal percentage defense (45.9 percent), which indicates we weren't too bad. Our goal is to lead the league in that category and have a tough, hard-nosed, traditional Montana defense that has been played around here for years. We really want to upgrade that area. I think defense keeps you in ball games."

"Offensively, we have some very good finesse players, the question will be can we athletically stay with people and keep people off the boards," Morrill said. "If I had to look at two areas we need to improve on other than defense, I'd say transition and rebounding."

Montana has led the Big Sky in defense 13 of the last 16 seasons. Last year the team set a school record in field goal percentage — 51.5 percent.

"I think this club will shoot the ball well. I think they'll make their free throws, they've got good touch and they are good, solid fundamental players in terms of shooting and passing the basketball," Morrill said.

Stew and his wife, Vicki, have four children, Jesse, 9, Allan, 7, Nichole, 4, and Tiffany, one-and-a-half.
Bob is in his eighth season at UM as an assistant, and is involved in recruiting, scheduling and coaching.

He is also UM's weight-training coach for basketball and has been the supervisor of the annual Grizzly Cage Camps.

Before coming to Montana he served as a part-time coach for George Raveling at Washington State University in Pullman. At WSU he was head coach of the JVs, and assisted in varsity scouting and recruiting in 1978-79-80. He has also had a lot of experience in WSU's basketball camps.

Bob also served as graduate assistant at WSU for a season. From 1975-77 he was the head basketball and girl's and boy's track coach at Sprague High School in Sprague, Washington.

He was a standout athlete at WSU, where he was a three-year letterman in basketball and team captain his senior season. He was a seven-foot high jumper for the Cougars, and qualified for the NCAA's all four of his collegiate seasons. He is a 1970 graduate of Bethel High School in Spanaway, Washington, where he was also a basketball and track star.

Niehl, 36, is a 1975 graduate of WSU, receiving a B.S. in physical education.

Bob and his wife Tricia have a son, Michael Edward, 2, and are expecting their second child in May.

Bob Niehl

No stranger to Grizzly basketball, Blaine was a four-year letterman at Montana from 1977-81. He coached the junior varsity at UM from 1981-83 and had a 30-17 record.

Taylor, 29, assists in scouting, recruiting, varsity coaching and the Grizzly Cage Camps. He is in his second season as an assistant at UM.

Most recently he was head coach at Loyola High School in Missoula. In 1984 his team was 20-4 and in 1985 he was 21-5. Both of those seasons Loyola won district tournament championships.

Taylor was a Big Sky Conference honorable mention selection at UM as a junior and senior and named to the postseason all-tournament team as a senior.

He is one of the top career scorers at Montana with 753 points, and is fifth in career assists with 300.

He is the career free throw percentage record holder at UM at 81.9 percent.

A Missoula product, Taylor was a three-time all-state player at Hellgate High School and the "AA" state MVP as a senior.

He earned his B.A. in Secondary Education in 1982 at UM. He received a master's in Athletic Administration in 1984 at Montana.

Blaine and his wife, Annie, have two daughters, Amber, 7, and Ashley, eight months.

Blaine Taylor
Assistant Coaches

Don joined the Grizzly coaching staff in the fall of 1987 with 10 years of experience as a very successful high school coach in Montana. He is enrolled in UM's master's program in Athletic Administration.

His prep coaching stints were at Ennis High School (1976-78), Harlowtown High School (1978-81) and Florence High School (1981-87).


He is a graduate of Plentywood High School (1969) and earned his B.A. degree in History and English at Northern Montana College in 1975. He was an all-state player as a prep and also played collegiately at Northern.

Don and his wife, Siena, have an eight-year-old daughter, Lindsey.

Don Holst
Graduate Assistant Coach

A four-year letterman for the Grizzlies from 1981-85, Washington played in 98 games in his career at the University of Montana. He is the No. 6 career assists man at Montana with 139.

Washington, 24, assists in coaching, recruiting and scouting at UM. This is his second season as a Grizzly coach.

He led the Grizzlies in assists (122) and steals (55) in 1985 as UM went 22-8 and played UCLA in the first round of the National Invitational Tournament. After the season he was given the John Eaheart Memorial Award, presented annually to the outstanding Defensive Player at UM.

Two seasons ago he was a parttime assistant coach at Long Beach State for his former high school coach, Ron Palmer.

As a prep at Long Beach Poly High he was the point guard who led a team that was 26-2 and he was an All-City selection.

He will earn his B.A. degree at Montana in Secondary Education this year.

He is single.

Leroy Washington
Student Assistant Coach

Matt Gibbs
Loren Tinseth
Thayne Myers

Grizzly Managers
The accent was on youth and replacing three graduated starters this season when University of Montana men's basketball coach Stew Morrill began preseason practice Oct. 15.

Montana surprised many last year, going 18-11 overall and 8-6 in the Big Sky Conference, good for a third place finish. Morrill's 18 wins was the best-ever by a first-year Grizzly mentor and the third winningest (tie) in Big Sky annals.

Juniors Wayne Tinkle (6-9) at forward and Tony Reed (6-3) at guard return, however all-conference point guard Scott Zanon, honorable mention all-league center Steve Vanek and starting off-guard Todd Powell have graduated.

Tinkle, also an honorable mention all-leaguer, started all 29 games for Montana. However, Reed started only in the last eight. Senior Mike Ahlers, a 6-4 forward, started in 18 games and ended the season on a high note, grabbing a career-high 11 rebounds in UM's finale.

Ahlers is the only senior on the Grizzlies' roster, which includes five freshmen, four sophomores and five juniors.

"The thing that jumps out at me is the fact that Tony Reed and Wayne Tinkle need to be main cogs in the machine, because they are the two kids who are returning who have lots of game experience," Morrill said.

"Those two played big roles last year in our team's ability to win 18 games," Morrill continued. "And then there's just lots of question marks. When you lose three senior starters and figure that Zanon and Vanek played 36 minutes (out of 40) a game, then you can see there are some big holes to fill."

Tinkle was the No. 1 rebounder with 8.9 a game, and led the team in rebounding in 20 of 28 games. He was the second leading scorer with 14.8 points a game, shooting a lofty 57.9 percent from the field. Reed was the fifth leading scorer with 7.7 a game.

But, Zanon (17.1 ppg), Vanek (13.0 ppg) and Powell (10.6 ppg) were the numbers one, three and four scorers—accounting for an average of 41 points a game. UM averaged 76.7 points a game.

Montana's returning lettermen include forwards Tinkle, Ahlers, K.C. McGowan (6-5), John Reckard (6-6) and Mark Schultz (6-7); along with guards Reed, and Nate DuChesne (6-3) and center Mike Boken (6-10).

Redshirts include guards Jeff Pelton (6-5) and Eric Jordan (6-1), forward Tom Lytle (6-7) and center Kevin Harris (6-9).

Junior college transfer Kevin Hood, a 6-6, 220-pound center from Imperial Valley J.C will vie for playing time, along with guard Roger Fasting (6-4) from Dawson County High in Glendive, Keith Crawford, a 6-3 guard from Long Beach Poly High, will have to sit out the season because of Proposition 48.

Ahlers averaged 4.5 ppg, McGowan 3.8 ppg and Reckard 3.4 ppg. McGowan started in three games and Reckard in one.

"Mike Ahlers finished the season on a high note and that's encouraging," Morrill said. "I'd say he's probably one of our top two defenders. And John Reckard should be improved after a year of experience, and the same goes for K.C. He should be ready to go.

"I just don't know what Kevin will do for us," Morrill said. "But we feel like he's an inside guy, and losing Vanek and our young kids are so inexperienced, that we thought he would give us an older player who can step into Steve's shoes and maybe provide some immediate help while those young kids develop."

Morrill said the "third guard" position is, "up in the air with Jordan and Pelton coming off redshirt years and both freshman. Roger Fasting we are real high on, but once again he is only a freshman."

The nonleague schedule features opponents at home like Cal-Fullerton, Texas Tech, Santa Clara and Rice.

On the road in the preseason UM is at Eastern Montana, UC San Diego and St. Mary's of California.

The Champion Holiday Classic VIII has Georgia Southern vs. Louisiana Tech and Florida A&M vs. host Montana.

In the Big Sky Morrill said, "everyone I've talked to said they think the league is going to be a lot stronger than last year."

"You look at Montana State and Boise State on paper as being as good as last year, and they finished one-two," Morrill said. "They will probably be the two preseason picks. Everybody's talking about Idaho with some outstanding athletes. Reno really concerns me. They've got all three perimeter people back. Weber State's got a great freshman forward coming in, and then you look at NAU who has their 6-9 center coming back."

"Idaho State finished so strong," he continued. "You just go right down the line and you can see the league is definitely improved."

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*Denotes letters won  
#Team captain

**HEAD COACH:** Stew Morrill, Gonzaga 1974  
**ASSISTANTS:** Bob Niehl, Blaine Taylor  
**GRADUATE ASSISTANT:** Don Holst  
**STUDENT ASSISTANT:** Leroy Washington  
**ATHLETIC TRAINER:** Dennis Murphy  
**SID:** Dave Guffey
Mike started in 18 games last season at the "small forward" position, and seven Big Sky Conference games as well. He redshirted two seasons ago after transferring from Washington State.

A hard-working player, "King" was the recipient of the Naseby Rhinehart Award last year, given annually to the "Most Inspirational Player."

Ahlers ended last season on a positive note, grabbing a team-high 11 rebounds against Idaho in the first round of the Big Sky-Coors Light Playoffs in Flagstaff, Arizona. The 11 rebounds was also his career high.

He was the sixth leading scorer for the Grizzlies last season with 4.5 points a game and scored a career-high 12 points in a home win over Cal-Irvine.

"We expect a good year from Mike," said head coach Stew Morrill. "We expect him to give us a lot of leadership. He plays the game very hard. That's one of his best assets, that he plays so hard and gets after it.

"He has the potential to be a dominating defender and takes a great deal of pride in his defense," Morrill said. "He had an excellent junior college coach (Ron Billings), who taught him a great deal of defensive skills, and we hope he has improved on them since he has been at the University.

"He started for us early in the season and then had a very good game against Idaho in the tournament and at Montana State the week before," Morrill continued. "He feels like he's ready for an outstanding senior year, and Mike is a capable shooter. What we want to get first from Mike is defensive play and rebounding, and his scoring will be a bonus."

As a sophomore at Tacoma City College he was all-league and team captain. His JC team was ranked fifth in the state that season.

At Lakes High School in Tacoma he was a three-year letterman in basketball, and was team captain for all three of those seasons. He was All-CIF as a junior and senior, and all-league and league MVP his final two years of high school. His prep coach was Russ Aldridge.

His major is Business Management.

Mike's hobbies are listening to music, dancing and playing chess.

His parents are Dr. Robert C. and Dagmar Ahlers of Nurnberg, Germany.


Pronounced: AH-Lers.
Tony started the final eight games of the season and is a crucial player for any success Montana will have this season, inheriting the point guard duties vacated by a graduated Scott Zanon.

Reed led the Grizzlies in scoring in two games and was the No. 5 scorer. He played in all 29 games and averaged 7.7 points a game (8.8 ppg in league). He had a season and career-high 19 points against Simon Fraser in UM's opener last season.

He is a very active player near the basket and led UM in conference free throw shooting at .833 (45 of 54), making many charity shots late in games in crucial situations. He was number three in assists with 65.

As a second-year freshman two seasons ago he played in all 31 games, averaging 4.7 ppg. That year he made 62 free throws, second most on the team.

"Tony is a key player for us this year," Morrill said, "and I think he's ready to assume that role. It's his fourth year at the University and he knows that it's his turn to run the ball club and do some good things for us."

"He is very capable skill-wise to do that for us," Morrill continued. "Tony's strengths, without question, are his penetrating ability, his ability to take the ball to the basket in the open court. He's worked real hard on his perimeter shooting which sets up the other two areas I just mentioned.

"He's also worked hard on gaining more strength, and had an excellent off-season in the weight room," Morrill said. "I'm just real excited about Tony's junior year. I expect great things from him. He's got a chance to be an excellent defender, and we need him to shut down opposing guards offensively, and he knows that's a role that is also expected."

At East Anchorage High School his teams won state championships his junior and senior seasons and he was the state MVP both those seasons for coach Chuck White. As a senior he averaged 27 points and seven rebounds a game for his 28-2 team.

His senior year he was named to four All-American teams and his high school won all five tournaments it played in.

Tony is a Business major.
His hobbies are reading and being a guest disc jockey. His parents are Lee and Laura Reed of Anchorage.

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An honorable mention All-Big Sky choice as a sophomore, Wayne was third in the conference in rebounding with 8.9 a game. He led Montana in rebounding in 20 of 29 games.

He was also among the Big Sky leaders in field goal percentage at .579 (4th), scoring at 14.8 (10th) and started in all 29 games last season. "Tinks" was the second leading scorer at UM last year and scored a game and career-high 24 points against Cal-Irvine. He also had a career-high 16 rebounds in that game. He led the Griz in scoring in six contests.

His 428 points last season rank him 20th (tie with Ed Argenbright, 1955-56) in single season scoring.

"I think Wayne had an outstanding sophomore year," Morrill said; "as good of a year as anyone, including the coaching staff could have expected of him. He's another kid who has had a good off-season and spent a lot of time in the weight room and came back (to school) in very good shape.

"Wayne has great hands which enables him to be an excellent rebounder," Morrill said. "He has great anticipation and feel for the game. He knows how the game of basketball is supposed to be played.

"When Wayne does the solid things that he is capable of doing it just improves his game," Morrill said. "By that I mean powering to the basket and making good, solid, fundamental passes. He's a great passer for a big man. He needs to improve defensively and we need to give him a few more minutes rest instead of playing him so many minutes (36.9 a game in league)."

He led his Ferris High School team to its first-ever conference title as a senior. That year he averaged 23 points and nine rebounds a game and had a league-high 36 points and 20 rebounds in one game. His coach was Wayne Gilman.

As a prep he was a Street & Smith's All-American and league MVP. He was team captain as a senior. He also lettered in baseball.

Wayne is an Education major.

His hobbies are fishing, hiking, water skiing and softball.

His parents are Wayne and Elizabeth Tinkle of Plymouth, Wisconsin. He is one of 11 children.

Mike Boken
6-10, 218, 1V, Center
Sophomore from Los Angeles, California

Mike started one game as a “true” freshman at the University of Montana and played in 11 games. He scored a career-high 11 points in UM’s opener with Simon Fraser. He averaged 2.2 points and 1.8 rebounds a game.

“Boke” will be vying for a starting berth at center this season at UM, and is another pivotal player regarding Grizzly success in 1987-88. He will battle freshman Kevin Harris and junior college transfer Kevin Hood for the starting job.

“Our center position is an area without any experience returning,” Morrill said. “We lost Steve Vanek and Steve played about 39 minutes a game. So Mike, Kevin Harris and Kevin Hood are all key performers for us.

“Mike is up to 218 pounds after finishing the year last year at 205 pounds,” Morrill said. “He shows signs of really being able to help us and has to be able to help us. He has good basketball sense and is aggressive and plays hard. He also has good hands. He needs to improve his rebounding and defensive play and he knows that.”

He was a McDonald’s All-American honorable mention pick as a senior at Loyola High School. He was a four-year letterman in high school. That year he was also all-league and team captain for coach Bill Thomason.

As a senior he averaged 21 points and 14 rebounds a game and shot 58 percent from the field. He was an honor’s student with a 3.60 high school GPA. He also lettered in volleyball twice.

Mike is a Business major.
His hobbies are sailing, fishing and playing beach volleyball.
His parents are Bob and Rose Ann Boken of Los Angeles.
Pronounced: BOE-Kin.

Keith Crawford
6-3, 185, HS, Guard
Freshman from Long Beach, California

Raw athletic talent with basketball skills is the best way to describe Keith, who has to sit out this season because of the NCAA’s Proposition 48.

He was an All-City, all-conference player for Long Beach Poly High as a senior. Keith averaged 13.5 points a game, shooting 50 percent from the field. He also averaged 5.5 rebounds a game.

The Chris Kinder-coached Poly team won the league championship Crawford’s junior year. He was a three-year letterman in basketball.

“Keith has the athletic ability that we targeted last year in our recruiting, to be a big need in our program; to upgrade quickness and athletic ability, and he definitely has that,” Morrill said. “Combine that with good court sense and savvy and Keith’s future is extremely bright at Montana.”

“He’s looking at this year very positively, in terms of getting his academics squared away, being away from home and being at the University of Montana,” Morrill said.

His major is Radio/Television.
Keith’s hobbies are listening to music and playing basketball.
His mother is Florence Griffin of Long Beach.
Nate DuChesne

6-3, 172, IV, Guard
Junior from Snohomish, Washington

Nate played in 19 games last season and started in three of them on UM's guard-loaded team. This season will be a different story, however, as he battles for the starting berth at the "big guard" position.

He averaged 1.9 points a game and scored a career-high eight points at Idaho.

"We need a lot of players to come through for us and Nate is one of those players," Morrill said. "Nate, as you might recall, was right there with the rest of the guards going into our first few ball games. In fact we started him early after he had a great preseason. With all of the depth we had at guard, Nate didn't get all of the opportunities I would have liked him to get.

"I think he's going to surprise some people in our conference," Morrill continued. "He is a very smart player, and potentially our best three-point shooting threat. He's another player who has good court savvy, knows what you want to get done out there, and has improved his defense, which I think is a big factor for him. I expect that he can contribute greatly this year."

As a freshman at Edmonds Community College DuChesne was co-MVP of his league for his 21-6 team, coached by Keith Kingsburg. He averaged 18.5 points and 7.5 assists a game.

At Snohomish High School he was all-state in basketball as a senior. He was a three-sport letterman and was team captain of those teams as a senior, and all three won league titles. His basketball team was fifth in the state his senior year with a 20-5 record.

He is a Business Administration major.

His hobbies are scuba diving, golfing and fishing.

Nate's parents are Conrad and Carolyn DuChesne of Snohomish.


Pronounced: DOO-Shane.

Roger Fasting

6-4, 185, HS, Guard
Freshman from Glendive, Montana

Roger was one of the best prep players in the state of Montana in recent years. He was three times all-state at Dawson County High School and his Don Boss-coached teams won two state championships.

He was also the Gatorade Montana Player of the Year and a Converse All-American.

As a senior he averaged 21 points, nine rebounds a game, shooting 52 percent from the field and 78 percent from the line.

"Along with Keith Crawford we're awfully excited about our two freshman guards," Morrill said. "Roger gives us the big guard that our fans are so used to, like a Craig Zanon and a Doug Selvig. He gives us that look for the future.

"He has three-point range, and again very good athletic ability, which we targeted in our recruiting efforts last year," Morrill said. "He jumps well, runs well, and has good quickness for his size. He has excellent work ethics and I'm real excited about his future."

He will major in Business.

His hobbies are all outdoor activities and listening to music.

Roger's parents are Paul and Sandy Fasting of Glendive.

Birthdate: June 1, 1968.
Potentially a star of the future, Kevin has outstanding athletic ability for a big man, but needs game time and work on his pivot play. He redshirted last season.

"Kevin has raw abilities, that when they surface, and I think they will, he is going to be a big factor in our program," Morrill said. "He jumps well, has extremely long arms, has a good touch and is a real good player at the block.

"When I say raw, I mean he has not had a lot of coaching from the inside position, playing that center position and he is learning quickly," Morrill said. "He is a big, strong kid, who given the proper work ethic in trying to improve, could be a real good one."

At Sumner Senior High School he was named a McDonald's All-American as a senior. He was also a Street & Smith honorable mention All-American, first team all-state, a member of the B.C.I. team in Washington and all-league.

He averaged 14 points and 14 rebounds a game as a senior and was team co-captain. As a junior he led his league in field goal percentage at 76.5 percent. He earned four letters in basketball and two in football and track. His prep basketball coach was Darwin Monasmith.

He is a Business major.
Kevin's hobbies are fishing, hiking, hunting and 4-wheel vehicle driving.
His mother is Beledia Harris of Sumner.
Birthdate: September 17, 1968.
Eric Jordan
6-1, 177, HS + RS
Freshman Guard from Inglewood, California

Eric redshirted last season and is continuing to make the transition as a high school forward to a collegiate guard.

"Eric is extremely quick and fast, those are two different terms, but he can get from end-to-end as good as anyone we’ve got," Morrill said. "He has the potential to be a dominating defensive player.

"He is one of those kids, who when he came here we told him what he needed to do, and he has worked very hard on all those things, and has adapted very well to the point guard position," Morrill said. "I think when he figures out what his role is and what we expect of him, he’ll get the job done. I have a lot of faith in Eric Jordan."

As a senior at Inglewood High School “E.J.” was co-MVP of the Ocean League, second team All-C.I.F., McDonald’s All-American honorable mention, team captain and All-South Bay.

He was also all-league as a junior for coach Arthur Bias and his teams won league crowns his junior and senior seasons. He was an honors student as a prep.

He is a Business Administration major.

His hobby is listening to music.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jordan of Inglewood.


Tom Lytle
6-7, 221, SQ + RS
Sophomore Forward from Salt Lake City, Utah

Tom had the unfortunate luck to be felled with a severe knee injury, after redshirting the previous season and adding needed strength and weight. This season is a wait-and-see proposition for Tom and the coaching staff on whether he has recovered.

"With Tom’s knee it’s just really hard to tell how quickly he’ll be able to come back and what he will be able to do," Morrill said. "I’ll say this, Tom was in a real battle for playing time and really contributing and coming on when the knee injury hit. It was an unfortunate thing for Tom’s career, but he has done everything you can expect as far as rehabilitation."

He was a two-time All-State basketball player at Judge Memorial High School. He was also a Converse All-American as a senior. In the state tournament he averaged 21.7 points and 9.2 rebounds a game. His 26-2 team that year was coached by James Yerkovich.

He earned two letters in track and football and four in basketball. His football and basketball team won league titles. He was also an All-Region basketball player as a senior. He was a member of the National Honor Society.

Tom is majoring in Greek and Latin.

His hobbies are skiing and ballet.

His parents are Bill and Francine Lytle of Ellicott City, Maryland.

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K.C. McGowan  
6-5, 194, 2V + RS  
Junior Forward from  
Missoula, Montana

K.C. has excellent shooting skills, is a very hard-working player and could start this season. Last year he played in 20 games and started in three, averaging 3.8 points and 1.5 rebounds a game. He shot 53 percent (33 of 62) from the field. He scored a career-high 14 points at Montana State last season.

"K.C. has worked as hard, if not harder, than any kid in our program to be able to contribute at Montana," Morrill said. "He's done everything we've asked of him in the weight room during the off-season.

"With his shooting ability we really feel he can help us there," Morrill said. "He just shows every sign to be able to contribute, and that's what he wants to do and expects to do. He's just a hard-nosed, tough Montana kid, like the ones we have had in the past. I expect him to see a lot of playing time for us."

He was a two-time All-State player at Big Sky High School for coach Bill Langlas. As a senior he averaged 21.0 points and 8.5 rebounds per game. He was twice named to the state's all-tournament team.

His senior year K.C. was the MVP of the Montana-Wyoming All-Star series, Divisional Tournament MVP and an Academic All-American.

McGowan was also a track standout as a prep and an honorable mention All-American in that sport with a best of 6-10.

He is majoring in Business Management.

K.C.'s hobbies are water skiing and golf.

His parents are Patrick and Suzanne McGowan of Missoula.

Birthdate: November 22, 1965.

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Jeff Pelton  
6-5, 196, HS + RS  
Freshman Guard from  
Palos Verdes, California

A redshirt last season, Jeff was a high school center and has been trying to make the adjustment to "big guard."

"We wanted to give Jeff a chance to try to develop at the off-guard, that's the reason he was redshirted," Morrill said. "He is a good shooter and a hard-nosed kid, the question is if he can make that transition and if he has the athletic ability and quickness to play at that position. I know Jeff is doing everything possible to make that happen and it's a wait-and-see proposition."

As a senior at Palos Verdes High School he was a McDonald's All-American honorable mention selection. He was also All-Bay League, All-South Bay by the Daily Breeze, and team captain for coach John Mihaljevich. He was a three-year letterman in basketball.

His senior season he averaged 14 points, 7.8 rebounds and 4.1 assists per contest.

He plans to pursue a career in Veterinary Medicine.

His hobbies are hunting, fishing and skin diving.

Jeff's parents are Robert and Nancy Pelton of Palos Verdes.

Birthdate: March 29, 1968.

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32 John Reckard 6-6, 208, 1V
Sophomore Forward from Keenesburg, Colorado

John is a “true” freshman and played in 27 of 29 games last year at UM and started in one game. He was the eighth leading scorer for the Grizzlies with a 3.4 a game, and scored a career-high 10 points in a home win over Northern Arizona.

He shot very well from the floor as a frosh, making 39 of 69 shots for 56.5 percent and blocked seven shots.

“John played more minutes (10.4 a game) than any of the freshmen,” Morrill said. “He’s an excellent shooter, has long arms and jumps well. His biggest need is to adjust to game situations and adapt to what needs to be done in a given situation. He needs playing time to help him make that adjustment.”

“He got a bunch of playing time last year and I expect him to do the same this year,” Morrill said. “John plays very hard and we expect good things from him in the future. He averaged 24 points and 12 rebounds a game for coach Gary Stone at Weld Central High School. His team was fifth in the state his senior year.

John was an all-conference basketball player four times as a prep and three times an all-state selection. He lettered in football three times and was all-state as a senior. He also lettered in track and baseball.

He is majoring in Business.

His hobbies are fishing, hunting and golf.

John’s parents are Dale and Maxine Reckard of Keenesburg.


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40 Mark Schultz 6-7, 239, 1V
Sophomore Forward from Spokane, Washington

Mark is another “true” freshman who saw a lot of action last season, playing in 24 games and all 14 Big Sky contests. He shot 52.4 percent (11 of 21) from the field and scored a career-high six points at Boise State. He had a career-high eight rebounds against Simon Fraser and led UM in that game.

“We talk a lot to Mark about not letting pure athletic ability be his strong suit, but what he needs to do is be extremely solid fundamentally, not make mistakes, and be one of those guys who can go into a game and get certain things done.

“He’s got good hands and has bulked up to about 240 pounds of good, productive weight,” Morrill said. “He is a classic Big Sky banger, who moves people around and rebounds the ball. He’s got a good nose for the ball. He can also score with either hand and I think he will help us this year.”

He averaged 12 points, eight rebounds and one block a game for coach Skip Molitor at Gonzaga Prep High School. He was all-conference and all-state as a senior and team captain as well. He played in the All-State game in Washington and was an honorable mention All-American as a senior. He lettered three times in basketball.

Mark is a Business major.

His hobbies are hunting and fishing.

His parents are Ken and Liz Schultz of Spokane.


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6-3, So., Guard
Snohomish, Wash.

Tony Reed**
20 Tony Reed**
6-2, Jr., Guard
Anchorage, Alaska

Roger Fasting
22 Roger Fasting
6-4, Fr., Guard
Glendive, Mont.

Mike Ahlers*
24 Mike Ahlers*
6-4, Sr., Forward
Tacoma, Wash.

Jeff Pelton
30 Jeff Pelton
6-5, Fr., Guard
Palos Verdes, Calif.

John Reckard*
32 John Reckard*
6-6, So., Forward
Keenesburg, Colo.

Tom Lytle
33 Tom Lytle
6-7, So., Forward
Salt Lake City, Utah

K.C. McGowan**
34 K.C. McGowan**
6-5, Jr., Forward
Missoula, Mont.

Mark Schultz*
40 Mark Schultz*
6-7, So., Forward
Spokane, Wash.

Wayne Tinkle**
44 Wayne Tinkle**
6-9, Jr., Forward
Spokane, Wash.

Mike Boken*
50 Mike Boken*
6-10, So., Center
Los Angeles, Calif.

Kevin Hood
52 Kevin Hood
6-6, Jr., Center
Canton, Ohio

Kevin Harris
54 Kevin Harris
6-9, Fr., Center
Sumner, Wash.

QUICK FACTS ABOUT MONTANA
President:
Dr. James V. Koch
Athletic Director:
Harley Lewis
1986-87 Record: 18-11
1986-87 Conf. Rec.: 8-6/3rd
Starters Back: 2
Lettermen Back: 8
Squad Breakdown:
1 Senior, 5 juniors,
4 sophomores, 5 freshmen.
DAHLBERG ARENA could be known as the Grizzly Den. The University of Montana has a home record of 201-26 since the 1971-72 basketball season. That’s a winning percentage of .885. Montana has averaged more than 8,000 fans per Big Sky Conference games six of the last seven seasons. The Grizzlies play on a portable wood floor and the arena has a new scoreboard and seats.

... and the "6th Man"
November 27th in Missoula

Location: Missoula, MT
Nickname: Yellowjackets
Enrollment: 4,000
Colors: Black & Gold
Conference: Great Northwest Athletic Conference
Athletic Director: Woody Hahn
SID: News Media Services
SID Phone: 406-657-2208
Head Coach: Len Wilkins
Alma Mater: Cal Poly, SLO, 1956
Career Record: 2-0, 1st yr.
Assist. Coach: Ernie Wheeler
1986-87 Record: 17-13
League Rec./Finish: 9-9/T, 4th
Ret. Starters: 2
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 7/5
Home Court/Phone: Titan Gym (4,000)/DNA
Series Record: 2-1, Montana
Key Player(s): Jerome Johnson, G, 6-5, Sr., 14ppg, 4.1rpg; Robert Utterback, F, 6-7, Sr., 7.6ppg.

November 30th in Billings

Location: Billings, MT
Nickname: Titans
Enrollment: 7,500
Colors: Blue & White
Conference: Womens College National Athletic Conference
Athletic Director: Dr. Warren Bowls
SID: Mike Wyatt
SID Phone: 406-297-4103
Head Coach: Mark Steger
Alma Mater: Montana St., 1983
Career Record: 246-243, 24 yrs.
Assist. Coaches: Rob Klemm, Robert Howell
1986-87 Record: 17-13
League Rec./Finish: 9-9/T, 4th
Ret. Starters: 3
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 8/4
Home Court/Phone: Titan Gym (4,000)/DNA
Series Record: 2-1, Montana
Key Player(s): Richard Morton, G, 6-4, Sr., 18.4pgg, 3.0rpg. Henry Turner, F, 6-7, Sr., 15.2pgg, 6.0rpg.

December 2nd in Missoula

Location: Fullerton, CA
Nickname: Titans
Enrollment: 23,500
Colors: Blue & White
Conference: Pacific Coast Athletic Conference
Athletic Director: Ed Carroll
SID: Met Franks
SID Phone: 714-733-3970
Head Coach: George McQuarn
Alma Mater: Long Beach St., 1966
Career Record: 110-100, 7 yrs.
Assist. Coaches: John Neeld, Donny Daniels
1986-87 Record: 13-13
League Rec./Finish: 9-9/T, 4th
Ret. Starters: 3
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 8/4
Home Court/Phone: Titan Gym (4,000)/DNA
Series Record: 2-1, Montana
Key Player(s): Richard Morton, G, 6-4, Sr., 18.4pgg, 3.0rpg. Henry Turner, F, 6-7, Sr., 15.2pgg, 6.0rpg.

December 4th in San Diego

Location: San Diego, CA
Nickname: Toreros
Enrollment: 3,400
Colors: Blue, Navy & White
Conference: West Coast Athletic Conference
Athletic Director: Rev. Patrick Cahill, C.S.V.
SID: Ted Gosen
SID Phone: 619-260-4803
Head Coach: Hank Egan
Alma Mater: Navy, 1960
Career Record: 207-211, 16 yrs.
Assist. Coaches: Mike Legara, Charles Kenasich, Gus Magee
1986-87 Record: 24-6
League Rec/Finish: 13-1/1st
Ret. Starters: 1
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 6/7
Home Court/Phone: USD Sports Center/619-278-0648
Series Record: 1-0, Montana
Key Player(s): Danny Means, G, 6-1, Jr., 8pppg, 2.4rpg. Marty Munn, G-F, 6-6, Sr., 3.4ppg, 2.2rpg.
1987-88 Schedule

Texas Tech

Location: Lubbock, TX  
Nickname: Red Raiders  
Enrollment: 24,000  
Colors: Scarlet & Black  
Conference: Southwest  
Athletic Director: T. Jones  
SID: Joe Hordony  
SID Phone: 806-742-2770  
Head Coach: Gerald Myers  
Alma Mater: Texas Tech, 1959  
Career Record: 823-225, 19% yrs.  
Assis. Coaches: Rob Evans, Jim Wall  
1986-87 Record: 15-14  
League Rec/Finish: 9-7, T/3rd  
Ret. Starters: 2  
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 9/4  
Home Court/Phone: Lubbock  
Muni. Coliseum/DNA  
Series Record: 1-0, Texas Tech  
Key Player(s): Sean Gay, G, 6-3, Jr., 15.0ppg, 4.9rpg; Greg Crowe, F, 6-6, Sr., 6.9ppg, 4.4r.  

Florida A&M

Location: Tallahassee, FL  
Nickname: Rattlers  
Enrollment: 5,500  
Colors: Orange & Green  
Conference: Mid-Eastern Athletic  
Athletic Director: Nelson Townsend  
SID: Alvin Hollins  
SID Phone: 904-599-3206  
Head Coach: Willie Booker  
Alma Mater: Savannah State, 1968  
Career Record: 303-96, 13 yrs.  
Assis. Coaches: Michael Holmes, Tony Cook  
1986-87 Record: 12-16  
League Rec./Finish: DNA  
Ret. Starters: 3  
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 9/4  
Home Court: Gaither Assembly Center (3,500)  
Series Record: First meeting  
Key Player(s): Aldrin Ware, G, 6-2, Sr., 16.3ppg, 4.3rpg; Kelvin Lewis, F-C, 6-8, Jr., 11.5ppg, 6.5r.; Reggie Henry, F, 6-6, Jr., 17.1ppg, 5.9r.; Todd Johnson, F, 6-10, Sr., 17.1ppg, 5.9r.  

Georgia Southern

Location: Statesboro, GA  
Nickname: Eagles  
Enrollment: 7,500  
Colors: Blue & White  
Conference: Trans America  
Athletic Director: Dr. David Wagner  
SID: Mark McChellin  
SID Phone: 912-681-5239  
Head Coach: Frank Kerns  
Alma Mater: Alabama, 1960  
Career Record: 244-144, 14 yrs.  
Assis. Coaches: Mike Bacus, Bobbie Lane  
1986-87 Record: 20-11  
League Rec./Finish: 12-6-4th  
Ret. Starters: 3  
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 7/5  
Home Court: Faison Fieldhouse (5,500)/DNA  
Series Record: First meeting  
Key Player(s): Anthony Forrest, G, 5-3, Sr., 9.5ppg, 5.6rpg; Jeff Sanders, F-C, 6-8, Sr., 11.5ppg, 6.5r.; Michael Stokes, G, 6-0, Sr., 10.3ppg, 2.5r.  

Louisiana Tech

Location: Ruston, LA  
Nickname: Bulldogs  
Enrollment: 10,500  
Colors: Red & Blue  
Conference: Southland  
Athletic Director: Paul Miller  
SID: Keith Prince  
SID Phone: 318-257-3144  
Head Coach: Tommy Joe Eagles  
Alma Mater: Louisiana Tech, 1971  
Career Record: 42-22, 2 yrs.  
Assis. Coaches: Greg Haddox, Jerry Loyd  
1986-87 Record: 22-8  
League Rec/Finish: 9-1/1st  
Ret. Starters: 3  
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 7/2  
Home Court/Phone: Thomas Assembly Center (8,000)/DNA  
Series Record: First meeting  
Key Player(s): Randy White, C, 6-3, Jr., 12.6ppg, 6.5rpg; Kelvin Lewis, G, 6-2, Sr., 7.9ppg, 3.4rpg; Byron Newton, G, 6-4, Jr., 7.5ppg, 2.7rpg.
December 16th in Moraga

Location: Moraga, CA
Nickname: Galloping Gaels
Enrollment: 2,200
Colors: Blue, Red & White
Conference: West Coast Athletic
Athletic Director: Dr. Donald J. McMillin
SID: Rick Sutton
SID Phone: 413-376-4411
Head Coach: Lynn Nance
Alma Mater: Washington, 1965
Career Record: 173-103, 10 yrs.
Assis. Coaches: Darryl Winston, Russ Critchfield, Steve Coccamiglio
1986-87 Schedule
17-13
League Rec./Finish: 7-7/3rd
Ret. Starters: 4
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 9/1
Home Court/Phone: McKeon Pavilion/415-376-4411
Series Record: 2-0, UM
Key Player(s): Robert Haugen, F, 6-7, Jr., 12.1ppg, 5.6rpg; David Carter, G, 5-10, Jr., 9.1ppg, 4.0ppg; Dan Curry, C, 6-9, Jr., 9.0ppg, 6.5rpg; Ezra "Sly" Hunter, F/G, 6-3, Sr., 6.7ppg, 2.9rpg.

December 19th in Missoula

Location: Santa Clara, CA
Nickname: Broncos
Enrollment: 3,600
Colors: Red & White
Conference: West Coast Athletic
Athletic Director: Tom O'Connor
SID: Mike McNulty
SID Phone: 408-554-4659
Head Coach: Carroll Williams
Alma Mater: San Jose State, 1956
Career Record: 265-205, 17 yrs.
Assis. Coaches: Dick Davey, Larry Hauser, Steve Seandel, Brian Katz
1986-87 Record: 18-14
League Rec./Finish: 6-6/8, 4th
Ret. Starters: 3
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 9/5
Home Court/Phone: Tojo Pavilion/DNA
Series Record: 1-1
Key Player(s): Jens Gordon, 6-9, Jr., 11.0ppg, 7.3ppg; Chris Lane, 6-3, Sr., 10.8ppg, 3.4rpg; Dan Weiss, 6-9, Sr., C, 10.0ppg, 3.9rpg.

December 29th in Missoula

Location: Houston, TX
Nickname: Owls
Enrollment: 2,600
Colors: Blue & Gray
Conference: Southwest
Athletic Director: Jerry Berndt
SID: Bill Cousins
SID Phone: 713-527-4034
Head Coach: Scott Thompson
Alma Mater: Iowa, 1976
Career Record: First year.
Assis. Coaches: Willis Wilson, Tom Elliott, Greg Giovanine
1986-87 Record: 8-19
League Rec./Finish: 2-14/9th
Ret. Starters: 3
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 11/2
Home Court/Phone: Autry Pavilion/DNA
Series Record: 1-0, Rice
Key Player(s): Andy Gilchrist, C, 6-8, Jr., 10.4ppg, 7.0rpg; Kevin Ruffcomb, C, 6-8, Sr., 3.3ppg, 2.7rpg; Richard Holmes, F, 6-7, Jr., 3.2ppg, 2.4rpg.

January 2nd at Missoula

Location: Ellensburg, WA
Nickname: Wildcats
Enrollment: 6,000
Colors: Crimson & Black
Conference: None
Athletic Director: Dr. Gary Frederick
SID: Bob Gujjul
SID Phone: 509-963-1491
Head Coach: Dean Nicholson
Alma Mater: Central Washington, 1950
Career Record: 523-193, 23 yrs.
Assis. Coaches: Jack Miller, Jeff Owens, Blake Ressinger
1986-87 Record: 32-9
League Rec/Finish: None
Ret. Starters: 1
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 8/9
Home Court/Phone: Nicholson Pavilion/DNA
Series Record: 6-6
Key Player(s): Tim Brown, G, 6-0, Sr., 7.4ppg, 1.5rpg; Dave Biever, F, 6-7, Jr., 4.4ppg, 4.4rpg; Israel Dorsey, G, 6-4, Sr., 4.2ppg, 2.9rpg.

St. Mary's

Lynn Nance
Head Coach
David Carter
Guard

San Francisco

Carroll Williams
Head Coach
Chris Lane
Guard

Rice

Scott Thompson
Head Coach
Andy Gilchrist
Center

Central Washington

Dean Nicholson
Head Coach
Tim Brown
Guard

1987-88 Schedule
Nov. 11 Swedish National Team
Dec. 2 Cal State Chico
Dec. 7 Boise State
Dec. 10 Fresno Pacific
Dec. 12 @ Montana State
Dec. 16 Montana
Dec. 21 Humboldt State
Dec. 23 Idaho State
Dec. 29-30 @ Boise State Invitational Tournament (E. Ill., Sam Houston, St., Boise St.)
Jan. 4 Colorado
Jan. 6 Southern Oregon State
Jan. 15 @ Pepperdine*
Jan. 16 @ Loyola Marymount*
Jan. 21 Santa Clara*
Jan. 23 San Francisco*
Jan. 27 @ San Diego*
Jan. 30 San Diego*
Feb. 4 @ Portland*
Feb. 6 @ Gonzaga*
Feb. 11 Gonzaga*
Feb. 13 Portland*
Feb. 16 California
Feb. 19 @ San Francisco
Feb. 20 @ Santa Clara
Feb. 25 Loyola Marymount*
Feb. 27 Pepperdine*
Mar. 5-7 WAC Post-Season Tournament
*West Coast Athletic Conference game

1987-88 Schedule
Nov. 9 Athletes in Action
Nov. 27 @ UC Santa Barbara
Dec. 1 @ Stanford
Dec. 5 San Jose State
Dec. 12 @ Nevada Reno
Dec. 14 Fresno State
Dec. 16 Chico State
Dec. 19 @ Montana
Dec. 21 @ SMU
Dec. 27 Holy Cross
Dec. 29-30 Citation Homes/Cable Car Classic (Seton Hall, St. Joseph, Univ. of Pacific, Santa Clara)
Jan. 2 Colorado
Jan. 5 Loyola Baltimore
Jan. 15 Portland*
Jan. 16 Gonzaga*
Jan. 21 @ St. Mary's*
Jan. 23 @ San Diego*
Jan. 27 USF*
Jan. 30 @ USF*
Feb. 5 Pepperdine*
Feb. 6 Loyola Marymount*
Feb. 12 @ Loyola Marymount*
Feb. 13 @ Pepperdine*
Feb. 19 @ San Diego*
Feb. 20 @ St. Mary's*
Feb. 25 @ Gonzaga*
Feb. 27 @ Portland*
Mar. 5-7 WAC Tournament
*West Coast Athletic Conference game

1987-88 Schedule
Nov. 23 Spirit Express
Nov. 27 San Diego
Nov. 30 @ Missouri-Kansas City
Dec. 2 Mississippi State
Dec. 4-5 @ McDonald's/Zips Classic, Akron (Ohio) (Western Illinois, U.S. International, Rice, Akron)
Dec. 8 Southern
Dec. 21 @ Georgetown
Dec. 27 @ Nevada-Reno
Dec. 29 @ Montana
Jan. 2 Wisconsin-Oshkosh
Jan. 6 @ Texas Tech*
Jan. 10 @ Texas*
Jan. 13 TCU*
Jan. 16 SMU*
Jan. 20 @ Texas A&M*
Jan. 23 @ Baylor*
Jan. 27 Arkansas*
Jan. 30 @ Lamar
Feb. 3 @ Houston*
Feb. 7 Texas Tech*
Feb. 10 Texas*
Feb. 13 @ TCU*
Feb. 17 @ SMU*
Feb. 20 Texas A&M*
Feb. 24 @ Baylor*
Feb. 27 @ Arkansas*
Mar. 5 Houston*
Mar. 11-13 Southwest Conference Post-Season Classic
*Southwest Conference game

1987-88 Schedule
Nov. 14 Alumni
Nov. 30 Alaska-Juneau
Dec. 5 @ Seattle Pacific
Dec. 10 @ Eastern Washington
Dec. 12 @ Puget Sound
Dec. 15 Northwest Nazarene
Dec. 18 @ Western Baptist
Dec. 19 @ Oregon Tech or Dominican
Dec. 29 @ Chapman
Dec. 30 @ UC Davis or Puget Sound
Jan. 2 @ Montana
Jan. 4 @ Whitworth
Jan. 7 Lewis Clark State
Jan. 9 Sheldon Jackson
Jan. 13 @ Pacific Lutheran
Jan. 15 Simon Fraser
Jan. 16 Western Washington
Jan. 19 @ Lewis-Clark State
Jan. 21 @ Seattle
Jan. 23 Whitworth
Jan. 26 @ Northwest College
Jan. 29 @ Simon Fraser
Feb. 2 Pacific Lutheran
Feb. 5 @ Simon Fraser
Feb. 6 @ Western Washington
Feb. 9 Northwest College
Feb. 13 Seattle
Feb. 15 Puget Sound
Feb. 19 @ Sheldon Jackson
Feb. 20 @ Alaska-Juneau
Feb. 25 @ St. Martin's
## 1987-88 Schedule

### Weber State

- **January 7th in Missoula/February 4th in Ogden**
  - Location: Ogden, UT
  - Nickname: Wildcats
  - Enrollment: 11,000
  - Colors: Royal Purple & White
  - Conference: Big Sky
  - Athletic Director: Gary Crompton
  - SID: Brad Larsen
  - SID Phone: 801-626-6010
  - Head Coach: Larry Farmer
  - Alma Mater: UCLA, 1973
  - Career Record: 86-56, 5 yrs.
  - Assis. Coach: Craig Impelman
  - 1986-87 Record: 4.1ppg, 2.1rpg.
  - Curtis Williams, F, 6-5, So.
  - Frank Capparelli, F-C, 6-10, Sr., 7.6ppg, 3.8rpg;
  - Center/801-626-6588

### Boise State

- **January 9th in Missoula/February 6th in Boise**
  - Location: Boise, ID
  - Nickname: Broncos
  - Enrollment: 13,000
  - Colors: Orange & Blue
  - Conference: Big Sky
  - Athletic Director: Gene Bleymaier
  - SID: Max Corbett
  - SID Phone: 208-385-1515
  - Head Coach: Bobby Dye
  - Alma Mater: Idaho St., 1962
  - Career Record: 225-138, 14 yrs.
  - Assis. Coaches: Rich Rider, Rod Jensen, George Barrios
  - 1986-87 Record: 22-8
  - League Rec./Finish: 10-4/2nd
  - Ret. Starters: 3
  - Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 8/3
  - Home Court/Phone: Bsu Pavillion/208-385-1503

### Nevada-Reno

- **January 14th in Reno February 11th in Missoula**
  - Location: Reno, NV
  - Nickname: Wolf Pack
  - Enrollment: 10,200
  - Colors: Blue & Silver
  - Conference: Big Sky
  - Athletic Director: Chris Ault
  - SID: Paul Stuart
  - SID Phone: 702-784-4600
  - Head Coach: Len Stevens
  - Alma Mater: Sacramento State, 1971
  - Career Record: 102-110, 7 yrs.
  - Assis. Coaches: Jack Spencer, Kermit Young, Derek Allister
  - 1986-87 Record: 15-15
  - League Rec./Finish: 7-7/4th
  - Ret. Starters: 3
  - Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 6/3
  - Home Court/Phone: Lawlor Events Center/702-784-4397

### Northern Arizona

- **January 16th in Flagstaff/February 13th in Missoula**
  - Location: Flagstaff, AZ
  - Nickname: Lumberjacks
  - Enrollment: 13,401
  - Colors: Blue & Gold
  - Conference: Big Sky
  - Athletic Directors: Dave Brown & Tom Jurich
  - SID: Wylie Smith
  - SID Phone: 602-523-6791
  - Head Coach: Jay Arnott
  - Alma Mater: Arizona State, 1971
  - Career Record: 60-43, 4 yrs.
  - Assis. Coaches: Gary Heintz, Eric Saulny
  - 1986-87 Record: 11-17
  - League Rec./Finish: 5-9/5th
  - Ret. Starters: 2
  - Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 5/8
  - Home Court/Phone: Walkup Skydome/602-523-2520

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**Big Sky Conference game**
January 21st in Missoula/
March 5th in Cheney

Location: Cheney, WA
Nickname: Eagles
Enrollment: 8,000
Colors: Red & White
Conference: Big Sky
Athletic Director: Ron Raver
SID: Jim Price
SID Phone: 509-359-6334
Head Coach: Bob Hofman
Alma Mater: Colorado, 1974
Career Record: 69-46, 4 yrs.
Assis. Coaches: Ray La Bate, John Wade, Ralph Schuetzle
1986-87 Record: 5-23

League Rec./Finish: None
Ret. Starters: 1
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 3/7
Home Court/Phone: Reese Court/509-359-6331
Series Record: 9-0, Montana
Key Player(s): Kevin Sattler, C, 6-9, Sr., 10.6 ppg, 4.9 rpg.

January 23rd in Missoula/
March 3rd in Moscow

Location: Moscow, ID
Nickname: Vandals
Enrollment: 11,500
Colors: Silver & Gold
Conference: Big Sky
Athletic Director: Bill Belka
SID: Dave Cook
SID Phone: 208-885-0200/0211
Head Coach: Tim Floyd
Alma Mater: Louisville Tech, 1977
Career Record: 16-14, 1 yr.
Assis. Coaches: Kermit Davis, Bret Iba, Randy Bennett
1986-87 Record: 16-14
League Rec./Finish: 5-9/T5th
Ret. Starters: 3
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 4/6
Home Court/Phone: Ribbie ASUI Dome/208-885-7065
Series Record: 76-49, Montana
Key Player(s): Andrew Jackson, F, 6-6, Jr., 14.1 ppg, 6.7 rpg; Kenny Luckett, G, 6-4½, Sr., 13.7 ppg, 3.8 rpg; James Etch, G/F, 6-4½, Jr., 6.6 ppg, 3.3 rpg.

January 26th in Missoula/
February 19th in Pocatello

Location: Pocatello, ID
Nickname: Bengals
Enrollment: 7,011
Colors: Orange & Black
Conference: Big Sky
Athletic Director: Tom Jewell
SID: Glenn Alford
SID Phone: 208-236-3651
Head Coach: Dr. Jim Boutin
Alma Mater: Lewis & Clark, 1964
Career Record: 367-201, 20 yrs.
Assis. Coaches: Barry Janusch, Jeff Hironaka
1986-87 Record: 15-16
League Rec./Finish: 5-9/T5th
Ret. Starters: 3
Ret. Lettermen/Lost: 8/3
Home Court/Phone: ISU, Minidome/208-236-2952
Series Record: 60-22, Montana
Key Player(s): George Davis, F, 6-6, Sr., 9.4 ppg, 3.9 rpg; Jim Rhodes, G, 6-3, Jr., 8.5 ppg, 3.0 rpg.

1987-88 Eastern Washington Schedule
Nov. 17 Iwawara
Nov. 21 @ Inland Empire Classic (Washington State, Gonzaga, Idaho)
Dec. 1 Montana Tech
Dec. 5 @ Gonzaga
Dec. 10 Central Washington
Dec. 15 Western Baptist
Dec. 19-19 @ Bayou Classic
Dec. 29-30 @ Youngstown Classic
Jan. 5 Gonzaga
Jan. 7 Nevada-Reno
Jan. 9 Northern Arizona
Jan. 15 @ Idaho State
Jan. 16 @ Weber State
Jan. 21 @ Montana
Jan. 23 @ Montana State
Jan. 28 Weber State
Feb. 6 @ Idaho
Feb. 11 Idaho State
Feb. 13 Boise State
Feb. 18 @ Northern Arizona
Feb. 20 @ Nevada Reno
Feb. 25 @ Boise State
Feb. 27 Idaho
Mar. 10 Big Sky Conference Tournament @ MSU
Big Sky Conference Game

1987-88 Idaho Schedule
Nov. 7 Victoria
Nov. 27-28 @ Rosauers/Alpo Inland Northwest Classic (Idaho, Gonzaga, Washington, St. E. Wash.)
Nov. 30 Northwest (WA)
Dec. 4 @ Sam Houston State
Dec. 5 @ Texas-Arlington
Dec. 8 Whittworth (WA)
Dec. 11-12 @ Hawaii Early Season Tournament (Idaho, Marshall, Hawaii, Hartford)
Dec. 19 Eastern State (CO)
Dec. 22 @ Gonzaga
Dec. 26 Sam Houston State
Jan. 2 Texas-Arlington
Jan. 7 Northern Arizona
Jan. 9 Nevada-Reno
Jan. 15 @ Boise State
Jan. 16 @ Idaho State
Jan. 21 @ Montana State
Jan. 23 @ Montana
Jan. 29 Montana State
Feb. 4 Montana State
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Feb. 11 @ Eastern Washington
Feb. 13 @ Idaho
Feb. 19 Montana
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Feb. 26 Weber State
Feb. 27 Northern Arizona
Mar. 3 @ Northern Arizona
Mar. 10-12 Big Sky Conference Tournament @ MSU
Big Sky Conference Game

1987-88 Montana State Schedule
Nov. 17 Sydney-West, Australia
Nov. 27-28 @ Real Dairy Classic (Boise St., ISU, NW Nazarene, C of Idaho)
Dec. 2 @ Texas Christian
Dec. 5 Air Force Academy
Dec. 11-12 Cougar Classic (BYU, ISU, Weber St., Chicago St.)
Dec. 21 Western State
Dec. 23 @ St. Mary’s (CA)
Dec. 29 Warner Pacific
Jan. 2 @ Idaho
Jan. 14 Eastern Washington
Jan. 16 Idaho
Jan. 22 Nevada-Reno
Jan. 23 Boise State
Jan. 28 @ Montana
Jan. 29 @ Montana State
Feb. 4 Montana State
Feb. 6 @ Weber State
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Feb. 19 Montana
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Feb. 26 Weber State
Feb. 27 Northern Arizona
Mar. 3 @ Northern Arizona
Mar. 10-12 Big Sky Conference Tournament @ MSU
Big Sky Conference Game

1987-88 Montana Schedule
Nov. 7 Australian National Team
Nov. 27 @ Brigham Young
Nov. 28 Augsburg College
Dec. 3 @ Louisiana Tech
Dec. 5 @ Prairie View A&M
Dec. 7 @ Northern Arizona
Dec. 10 Oregon State
Dec. 12 St. Mary’s
Dec. 19 @ Alabama
Dec. 21 @ California-Santa Barbara
Dec. 30 Western State
Jan. 2 Mississippi Valley State
Jan. 7 Boise State
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Jan. 16 @ Nevada Reno
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The Big Sky Conference was formed in February 1963, when the presidents and athletic directors of six Rocky Mountain universities met in Spokane. The original conference members were Gonzaga, Idaho, Idaho State, Montana, Montana State and Weber State. Gonzaga entered the conference as a non-football playing school.

The conference derived its name from a pair of Montanans and a Washington sports editor. A. B. Guthrie, Choteau, Mont., wrote a novel titled “The Big Sky,” and Jack Hallowell, former Montana State advertising director, promoted the Big Sky theme as a nickname for the state. Harry Missildine, former Spokesman-Review sports editor, picked up the name and in a sports column promoted the name Big Sky as the name of the conference. On Feb. 25, 1963, the conference adopted the name—Big Sky Athletic Conference.

In 1970 the conference expanded to include Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Ariz., and Boise State College, Boise, Idaho. Both entered as football playing schools.

Three-time Big Sky MVP Larry Krystkowiak.

Ron Stephenson

Nevada-Reno became a member of the Big Sky July 1, 1979. Eastern Washington became the newest member of the league, joining in 1987.

Jack Friel became the first commissioner in 1963, and the offices were established in Pullman, Wash., Friel’s home. Following Friel’s retirement in 1971, the offices were moved to Boise, Idaho, and John Roning was named commissioner. Steve Belko was named commissioner and assumed duties July 1, 1977, following Roning’s retirement.

Ron Stephenson became the fourth Big Sky commissioner in May, 1981. A native of Idaho, Stephenson was formerly the assistant athletic director at Boise State. He has 21 years of working experience in intercollegiate athletics as a student, coach and administrator.

Arnie Sgalio has served as league information director since 1979. He is a 3rd vice president of the College Sports Information Director’s of America (Co-SIDA).

Past Champs, Runnersup

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1Clinched No. 1 seed for Big Sky Coors Light Basketball Tournament.
2Won Big Sky Conference Coors Light Basketball Tournament and berth into the NCAA Basketball Tournament.
3Awarded bid into the National Invitation Tournament (NIT).
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Head Coach Jiggs Dahlberg (1941) had 222 career wins at Montana.

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TOTALS: 894 884

*Forfeited 11 wins because of ineligible player
Final 1986-87 Grizzly Basketball Statistics

29 Games: 18-11 OVERALL (16-2 home/2-8 road; 0-1 neutral)

John Stroeder and      13-0     29.2-12.1 199x521 = .390; Zanon, 81x195 = .415; Powell, 57x126 = .452; Ahlers, 8x31 = .258; Reckard 1x5, DuChesne 1x4; Reed 0x3; McGowan 1x4; Tinkle 0x3; Schultz 0x1); Opponents — 126x300 = .382.
Ken McKenzie and Eric Hays 14-0     25.5-10.3 198x521 = .390; Zanon, 81x195 = .415; Powell, 57x126 = .452; Ahlers, 8x31 = .258; Reckard 1x5, DuChesne 1x4; Reed 0x3; McGowan 1x4; Tinkle 0x3; Schultz 0x1); Opponents — 126x300 = .382.

UM TEAM REBOUNDING: 105/ Opp: 103

DEADBALL REBOUNDING: (Overall Montana 46, Opp. 45 [Big Sky Conference] Montana 20, Opp. 21

3-POINT SHOTS: Montana 194x382 = .390/Zanon, 81x195 = .415; Powell, 57x126 = .452; Ahlers, 8x31 = .258; Reckard 1x5, DuChesne 1x4; Reed 0x3; McGowan 1x4; Tinkle 0x3; Schultz 0x1). Opponents 48x157 = .369.

Grizzly All-Big Sky Selections

1987 2nd team  . . . . Scott Zanon
1986 1st team  . . . . Larry Krystkowiak (MVP)
1985 2nd team  . . . . Larry Krystkowiak (MVP)
1984 1st team  . . . . Larry Krystkowiak (MVP)
1st team  . . . . Marc Glass
1983 1st team  . . . . Derrick Pope (MVP)
1982 1st team  . . . . Derrick Pope
1981 1st team  . . . . Craig Zanon
1980 2nd team  . . . . John Stroeder
2nd team  . . . . Craig Zanon
1979 2nd team  . . . . John Stroeder and Allan Nielsen
1978 1st team  . . . . Michael Ray Richardson
2nd team  . . . . Allan Nielsen
1977 1st team  . . . . John Stroeder
1st team  . . . . Michael Ray Richardson
2nd team  . . . . Michael Ray Richardson
1976 1st team  . . . . Ken McKenzie and Eric Hays
1975 1st team  . . . . Ken McKenzie
1974 2nd team  . . . . Eric Hays and Robin Selvig
1973 1st team  . . . . Mike Murray
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Derrick Pope
1986-87 Grizzly Results

Score (Attendance)
Montana 109, Simon Fraser 54 (5,384) ....... 
Montana 86, Oregon 92 (7,452) ................ 
Montana 64, @ Washington St. 73 (2,700) ................ 
Montana 80, Fresno State 65 (5,526) ....... 
Montana 77, S. Oregon State 49 (4,895) ....... 
Montana 73, Kent State 63 (4,251) ........ 
Montana 91, Houston Baptist 83 (4,616) ....... 
Montana 65, E. Washington 43 (4,707) ........ 
Montana 101, UC Irvine 80 (5,604) ..........
Montana 76, Pacific 64 (5,319) ................ 
Montana 91, C. Washington 66 (4,951) ....... 
Montana 88, Lewis & Clark St. 73 (5,633) ....... 
Montana 70 @ Santa Clara 78 (1,121) ................ 
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Montana 73, Reno 66 (6,125) .................
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High Scorer(s)/Rebounder(s)
Reed 19 pts/Schultz 8 rebs.
Zanon 23/Tinkle 8
Zanon 21/Tinkle 7
Zanon 20/Tinkle, Vanek 8
Vanek% 22/Vanek 10
Zanon% 26/Tinkle 8
Zanon 23/Tinkle 14
Zanon, Tinkle 16/Tinkle 13
Tinkle% 24/Tinkle% 16
Zanon 16/Vanek 15
Zanon 16/Tinkle 9
Vanek 20/Tinkle 6
Zanon, Powell 18/Tinkle 9
Zanon 20/Tinkle 10
Tinkle, Powell 14/Tinkle 7
Tinkle 17/9
Zanon 23/Tinkle 8
Tinkle 20/Tinkle, Vanek 10
Powell 25/Tinkle 13
Vanek 18/Tinkle 12
Vanek 20/8
Tinkle 22/11
Zanon 22/Vanek 9
Zanon 31/Vanek 7
Reed 14/Schultz 5
Zanon 16/Tinkle 8
Zanon 20/Vanek 11
Zanon 17/Ahlers 11

%Career Hgh. ©CHAMPION HOLIDAY CLASSIC VII—Hosted by Montana. *Big Sky games. + Post season (Big Sky playoff game in Flagstaff, AZ)

1986-87 Big Sky All-League Team

Name, School
Tom Domakol, Montana State
Donn Holston#, Idaho State
Harry Willis, Weber State
Boris King, Nevada-Reno
Chris Childs, Boise State
Unanimous Selection. #1986 First Team Selection

Pos. Ht. Wt. Class Hometown
F 6-8 200 Junior Livonia, MI
F-G 6-5 200 Senior Pocatello, ID
F 6-8 215 Senior Stockton, CA
G 6-2 195 Junior Palm Springs, CA
G 6-3 185 Sophomore Bakersfield, CA

SECOND TEAM

Name, School
Arnell Jones, Boise State
Scott Zanon, Montana
Kral Ferch, Montana State
Ray Willis, Montana State
David Duane, Northern Arizona

Pos. Ht. Wt. Class Hometown
F 6-6 230 Junior Chicago, IL
G 6-0 165 Senior Kalispell, MT
F 6-4 185 Senior Livingston, MT
G 6-0 175 Junior Dallas, TX
F 6-7 215 Senior Tempe, AZ

HONORABLE MENTION

Name, School
Jeff Kelley, Boise State
Doug Usitalo, Boise State
Andrew Jackson, Idaho
Ken Luckett, Idaho
Wayne Tinkle, Montana
Steve Vanek, Montana
David Wood, Nevada-Reno

Pos. Class Hometown
F-C 6-9 195 Senior Taft, CA
G 6-1 185 Junior Seattle, WA
F 6-6 200 Sophomore Mobile, AL
G 6-5 185 Junior Portland, OR
F 6-9 225 Sophomore Spokane, WA
C 6-9 221 Senior Warren, OR
C 6-8 200 Senior Vancouver, WA

"MOST VALUABLE PLAYER" — Tom Domakol, Montana State, Junior, Forward
"TOP NEWCOMER" — Arnell Jones, Boise State, Junior, Forward
"TOP RESERVE" — Anthony Ingram, Northern Arizona, Senior, Guard
"TOP FRESHMAN" — Scott Williams, Northern Arizona, Freshman, Guard
The Grizzly Record Book
Individual Records

**— Single Game —**

**MOST POINTS**
- 40, Bob Cope vs. Gonzaga University, 1948 (Old Gym)
- 40, M. R. Richardson vs. MSU, 1976 (Fieldhouse)

**MOST FIELD GOALS MADE**
- 18, M. R. Richardson vs. MSU, 1976

**MOST FREE THROWS MADE**
- 20, Ron Moore vs. Gonzaga, 1968

**MOST POINTS**
- 709, Larry Krystkowiak, 1985-86, 32 games

**HIGHEST SCORING AVERAGE**
- 24.2, M.R. Richardson, 1977-78, 27 games

**MOST FIELD GOALS**
- 276, Bob Cope, 1949-50

**HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PCT. (min. 100 made)**
- .662, Steve Vanek, 1986-87, 137-207

**MOST CONSECUTIVE FREE THROWS**
- 35, Scott Zanon, 1984-85-86

**MOST POINTS**
- 2,017, Larry Krystkowiak, 4 seasons

**MOST FREE THROWS MADE**
- 619, Larry Krystkowiak, 1982-86, 4 seasons

**MOST ASSISTS**
- 411, Scott Zanon, 1984-87, 4 seasons

**HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PCT.**
- .627, Steve Vanek, 1984-87, 195-311

**Team Records**

**— Single Game —**

**MOST FIELD GOALS MADE**
- 51, vs. Idaho State, 1966

**MOST FREE THROWS MADE**
- 36, vs. Montana State, 1982

**HIGHEST SCORING AVERAGE**
- 83.6, 1965-66, 24 games, 2,006 points

**HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PCT.**
- .515, 1986-87, 801-1554

**MOST POINTS**
- 2,401, 1985-86 (32 games)

**HIGHEST SCORING AVERAGE**
- 83.6, 1965-66, 24 games, 2,006 points

**HIGHEST FIELD GOAL PCT.**
- .515, 1986-87, 801-1554

**MOST POINTS BY INDIVIDUAL**
- 42, Wayne Estes of Utah State, 1964

**MOST POINTS BY UM PLAYER**
- 40, M. R. Richardson, vs. MSU, 1976

**MOST POINTS BY TEAM**
- 111, by UM vs. Idaho State, 1966
- 111, by Oral Roberts, 1971

**HIGHEST FREE THROW PCT.**
- .746, 1984-85, 513-688

**MOST RE Bounds**
- 1,250, 1964-66, 26 games

**Most Consecutive Wins**
- 13, 1941-42, 1973-74

**Fieldhouse Records**

**Most Points by UM**
- 111, vs. Idaho State, 1966

**Attendance**
- Game, 9,540 vs. Montana St., 2-28-81
- and vs. BSU, 2-25-78
- Season, 7,932 average, 1977-78
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#### Men's Basketball Records

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Grizzly Basketball Awards

C. R. Dragstedt Award (Most Valuable Player)

1953—Chuck Davis
1954—Ed Anderson
1955—Ed Argenbright
1956—Ed Argenbright
1957—Zip Rhoades
1958—Russ Sheriff
1959—Dan Balko
1960—Doug Balko
1961—Bob O'Billovich
1962—Dan Sullivan
1963—Ray Lucien
1964—Tim Aldrich
1965—Ed Samelton
1966—Gary Peck
1967—Dennis Biletnikoff
1968—Dan Parsons
1969—Ron Moore
1970—Dave Gustafson
1971—Don Wetzel
1972—Ray Howard
1973—Mike Murray
1974—Ken McKenzie
1975—Ken McKenzie
1976—M. R. Richardson
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1978—M. R. Richardson
1979—Allan Nielsen
1980—John Stroeder
1981—Craig Zanon
1982—Derrick Pope
1983—Derrick Pope
1984—Larry Krystkowiak
1985—Larry Krystkowiak
1986—Larry Krystkowiak
1987—Scott Zanon

John Eaheart Memorial Award (Outstanding Defensive Player)

1961—Kay Roberts
1962—Bob O'Billovich
1963—Tim Aldrich
1964—Harold Fullerton
1965—Gary Megglin
1966—Greg Hanson
1967—Greg Hanson
1968—Rick Johnston
1969—Dave Gustafson
1970—Howard Clark
1971—Mike Vernon
1972—Earl Tye
1973—Earl Tye
1974—Robin Selvig
1975—Tom Peck
1976—Tim Stambaugh
1977—Ben DeMers
1978—Jim Molloy
1979—Rod Brandon
1980—Rod Brandon
1981—Rod Brandon
1982—Rob Hurley
1983—Doug Selvig
1984—Doug Selvig
1985—Leroy Washington
1986—John Boyd
1987—Todd Powell

Naseby Rhinehart Award
(Most Inspirational Player)

1973—Dale Parker
1974—Eric Hays
1975—Eric Hays
1976—Tim Stambaugh
1977—Michael Ray Richardson
1978—Jim Molloy
1979—John Stroeder
1980—Craig Zanon
1981—Blaine Taylor
1982—Craig Larsen
1983—Larry Krystkowiak
1984—Rob Hurley
1985—John Boyd
1986—John Bates
1987—Mike Ahlers
1970—Dave Manovich
1971—Tom Peck
1974—Rob Reesman
1975—Allan Nielsen
1976—Scott Ferda
1977—Craig Zanon
1978—Martin Green
1979—Blaine Taylor
1980—Brian Morris
1981—Doug Selvig
1982—Rob Hurley
1983—Larry Krystkowiak
1984—K.C. McGowan
1985—Jody Farmer
1986—John Malletta
1987—Roger Fasting

Jiggs Dahlberg Award
(A Montana high school graduate who excels in athletics and academics)

1970—Dave Manovich
1971—Tom Peck
1974—Rob Reesman
1975—Allan Nielsen
1976—Scott Ferda
1977—Craig Zanon
1978—Martin Green
1979—Blaine Taylor
1980—Brian Morris
1981—Doug Selvig
1982—Rob Hurley
1983—Larry Krystkowiak
1984—K.C. McGowan
1985—Jody Farmer
1986—John Malletta
1987—Roger Fasting

Allan Nielsen Award (Formerly Captain’s Award)
Best Represents Griz Basketball

1979—Craig Zanon
1980—Tim McCauley
1981—Blaine Taylor
1982—Craig Larsen
1983—Craig Larsen
1984—Marc Glass
1985—Bruce Burns
1986—Larry Krystkowiak
1987—Steve Vanek
Montana Basketball Lettermen (1903 to Present)

1903-1904
Fred Dion*........................NA
Elmer Johnson*................Missoula
Floyd Hardenburgh*.........New Chicago
Roy McPhail**....................New Chicago
Lawrence Goodbourne*......Missoula
Joseph Farrell**................Missoula
King Garlington*...........Missoula

1905-1906
Ralph Gilham**................Townsend
De Witt Smith*..............New Chicago
Edward Wenger*.............Anaconda

1906-1907
Arthur Bishop***...........Missoula
James Flaherty*.............Bozeman
Ray Hamilton**..............Missoula
Eugene McCarthy*..............Townsend
Ewing Montgomery***.....Anaconda

1907-1908
George Little*.............Missoula
Emmitt Ryan*................Valier

1908-1909
(no first time lettermen)

1909-1910
(no team)

1910-1911
(no team)

1911-1912
Daniel Connor*.............Darby
Patrick McCarthy*........Missoula
John Sheedy*..............St. Ignatius
Roy Weidman*..............Pony
Kenneth Wolfe*...........Butte
Fred Whistler*............Missoula

1912-1913
Edwin "Red" Cummins***...Helena
Sam Denhart..................Denton
Norman "Peter" Steit**......Missoula
Harry Tabor*...................St. Ignatius

1913-1914
Sam Crawford*.............Big Timber
Stuart McHaffie**........Missoula
Ernest Prescott*............Missoula
Ray Rickets*.............Paola, KS
Phil Sheridan*..............Paola, KS
Norman Steit*................Missoula

1914-1915
Earl Clark*..................Everett, WA
Max Flint*......................WA
Alfred Robison*..............WN

1915-1916
Maurice Dietrick*...........Helena
Frank Dreis*..................MN
Ernest Prescott*.............MN
Claude McQuarrie*...........Missoula

1916-1917
Frank Johnson*..............Helena

Alden Jones*................Missoula
William Larkin***........Red Lodge
Richie Newman*..............Helena
Floyd Sailor**...............Havre
Lawson Sanderson*...........Shelton, WA

1917-1918
Christian Benz*........Aberdeen, SD
George Crouch*..............Missoula
Stephen Sullivan*...........Butte

1918-1919
(no team—W.W. I)

1919-1920
Ronald Ahearn**........Anaconda
William Walterskirchen**..Missoula

1920-1921
Harry Adams*..............Aberdeen, WA
Harold Baird**..............Missoula
Harvey Elliot*..............Missoula
Lawrence Higbee*............Missoula
Oscar Levin*...............Little Falls, MN

1921-1922
Kirk Badgley**........Iola, KS
Ronald McDonnell**........Big Timber
Gilbert Porter*..............Stevensville
Alva Straw*....................Forsth
Gordon Tanner*..............Miles City

1922-1923
George Dahlberg**.........Butte
Oscar Dahlberg**...........Butte
Edward Thorson*...........Valley City, ND

1923-1924
Force Baney**...............Libby
Albert Berg**...............Helena
John Carney*..............Springdale
Edward Illman*..............Missoula
Fred Sterling*.............Missoula

1924-1925
Clarence Coyle**........Alberton
William Kelly*.............Missoula
Russell Sweet*..............Missoula

1925-1926
Sam Kain***..................Helena
Cloyce Overturf**.........Darby

1926-1927
Lester Graham**........Columbus
Horatio Kilroy**...........Butte
Steiner Larson*.............Anaconda
Jacob Miller*.................Columbus
Louis Wendi*..................Columbus

1927-1928
James L. Brown**............Mondovi, WI
Edward Chinske**........Michigan City, IN
Raymond Lewis**...........Butte
Karl Rankin**..............Hardin
Harold "Ted" Rule**...........Deer Lodge

1928-1929
John Lewis**..............Billings

1929-1930
George Carey**..............Wolf Point
Jack Doherty**..............Butte
Glen Lockwood**.............Missoula
Clifton Rohllfs**...........Salmon, SD

1930-1931
Lloyd Andrews**........Big Timber
Richard Fox**..............Billings
Everett Logan**.............St. Regis
Donald Stocking**...........Helena
Frank Thrallkill*.............Missoula

1931-1932
Alfred Dahlberg**.........Butte
William Erickson**...........Butte
David Fitzgerald**...........Livingston
Dale Hinman*...............Greybull, WY
James "Jagged" Jones*......Bemidji, MN
Chalmer Lyman*.............Helena
Henry Murray*.................Missoula
Louis Steensland*...........Big Timber

1932-1933
James G. Broan***........Butte
Albert Heller*.............Twin Bridges
William Hileman*.............Whitefish
Donald Holloway**...........Townsend
Jack McDonald**..............Livingston
Naseby Rhinehart**..........Milwaukee, WI

1933-1934
Henry Blastic**.........Chicago, IL
Charles Flanagan**.....Great Falls
Linwood Reynolds**........Butte

1934-1935
Walter Kietheley**........Miles City
Raymond Stevens**........Forsth

1935-1936
Douglas Brown*............Butte
Paul Chrumara**.............Anaconda
Marvin Glover*..............Big Lake, TX
Charles G. Miller*........Anaconda
Thomas Mitchell*...........Dayton, OH
Robert "Cat" Thompson***...Anaconda

1936-1937
Donald Holquist*............Whitefish
William Lazettich**.........Anaconda
Joseph Mariana**...........Miles City
Robert "Ty" Robinson*........KalisPELL
James Seyler**.............Twin Bridges
Larue Smith*.................Great Falls
Thomas Tobin*..............Miles City

1937-1938
Arthur Merrick**............Great Falls
Frank Nugent**.............Miles City
Bernard Ryan**.............Livingston
Gordon Shields**...........Great Falls
Donald Sundquist**.........Great Falls

1938-1939
Rae Greene**...............Chicago, IL
William Hall**............Sioux Falls, SD

Edward Hudacek**........Wheeling, NY

1939-1940
Henry Dahmer**.............Helena
Eugene Clawson..............Missoula
William De Groat**........Billings
Charles "Bill" Jones***.....Livingston

1940-1941
Charles Burgess**.........Dillon
Earl Fairbanks*..............Dillon
Allen McKenzie**...........Phillipsburg
Gordon Nordgren**.........Missoula
Jack Swarthout**...........Prosser, WA
Joseph Taylor**..............Chicago, IL

1941-1942
John "Jack" Burgess**......Missoula
Russell Edwards*.............Missoula
Harry Hesser*..............Whitehall
Paul Nicholas*................Hayes, KS

1942-1943
Richard Bowman*...........Casper, WY
Ray Krone*.....................Hardin
Ray Rieder*.................Valier
Arnold Scott*................Plains

1943-1944
John Bellusc*...............Missoula
Richard Boese*..............Richey
John Bulin*......................Great Falls
Gasper Cornel*..............Missoula
Vernell Fisher*.............Fort Benton
Ted Greeley**.................Great Falls
William Jesse*..............Missoula
George Van Delinger*........Belgrade

1944-1945
Kenneth Drahos*.............Puyallup, WA
Max French*..................Gardiner
William Hinrichs*...........Helena
Arthur Jacobson*...........Missoula
James Lucas*.................Miles City
Donald McDonald*............Miles City
Edison McCartney*...........Butte
Robert Phillips*.............Lewistown
Sam Phillips*.................Lewistown

1945-1946
Duane Baracker*..............Poplar
John Cheek*..................Dillon
Dale Clawson*..............Missoula
John Helding**..............Missoula
Ainer Larson*..............Anaconda
Daniel Marinkovich**......Anaconda
"Timmer" Moses*..............Missoula
Don Peterson*..............Cut Bank
Ralph Peterson*..............Great Falls
Richard Pew*.................Missoula
Louis Rocheleau**...........Missoula
Don Schwend*.................Bridge
Tom Selstad*...................Great Falls

1946-1947
Ray Bauer**.................Great Falls
Richard Carstensen**......Helena
Robert Cope**..............Miles City
Charles Davis**.............Missoula
James Graham***...........Columbus
John "Gus" Nash*.............Missoula

1947-1948
Rudy Collins*..............Missoula
John Eheart**..............Missoula
Burt Thompson**.............Spokane, WA
Montana Basketball Lettermen (Cont.)

1948-1949
Mike Dudik* .......... Endicott, NY
John Helding* .... Missoula
Tom Kingsford* .......... Missoula

1949-1950
Richard Anderson** .......... Hamilton
Joe Brennan* .......... Helena
Robert Byrne* .......... Billings
Robert Hasquet* .......... Shelby
Jack Luckman* .......... Glasgow
Robert Sparks* .......... Missoula
Walter Stockhoff* .............. Jersey City, NJ

1950-1951
Richard Gulnisken* .......... Shelby
Dale Johnsen* .......... Missoula
Donald Lucas* .......... Miles City
Harold Maus* .......... Hamilton
Vernon Powell* .... Florence
Herald Sherbeck* .... Big Sandy
Paul Wold* .......... Laurel

1951-1952
Edward Anderson* .......... Missoula
Harold Bells* .......... Helena
Charles Davis* .......... Dillon
Richard A. Johnson*** .......... Helena
James McNelly* .......... Miles City
Frank Nickell* .......... Missoula
Harold Sherbeck* .... Big Sandy
Richard Trinastich* .......... Great Falls

1952-1953
Jack Coppedge* .......... Polson
Pat Curran* .......... Minneapolis, MN
Edward Fine* .......... Kalispell
George Samuelson*** .......... Glendive

1953-1954
David Adams* .......... Midwest, WY
Edward Argenbright*** .......... Cut Bank
Eddie Berquist* .......... Billings
Kenneth Byerly* .......... Lewistown
Edward Finch* .......... Kalispell
Gary Jasty* .......... Kalispell
Harold Winterholler* * Worland, WY

1954-1955
Maurice Colberg* .......... Billings
Alan Dunham* .......... Shelby
Ray Howard* .......... Helena
Jerry Johnson* .......... Lewistown
Merritt Monson* .......... Bozeman
Rudolph Rhodes* .......... Kalispell

1955-1956
Harold Erickson* * * Sioux Falls, SD
Thomas Jensen* .......... Michigan City, IN
Robert Powell* .......... Missoula
Naseby Rhinehart Jr.* .......... Missoula
Russell Sheriff* .......... Helena

1956-1957
Forrest Cox Jr.* .......... Missoula
James Powell* .......... Missoula
Clarence Walters* * .......... Newton, KS

1957-1958
Dan Balke* .......... Great Falls
Darrell Dunham* .......... Shelby
Joe Johnston* .......... Deer Lodge
Tom McEachron* * Santa Maria, CA

1958-1959
Mike Allen* .......... Cut Bank
Gael Hendrickson* * * Spokane, WA
Vince Ignatowicz* .......... Elizabeth, NJ
John Lands* * * Baton Rouge, LA
Paul E. Miller* .......... Newton, KS
Kay Roberts* * .......... Newton, KS
Duane Ruegsegger* .......... Billings
Terry Scenar* .......... East Helena
Marvin Sutton* .......... Chicago, IL

1959-1960
Blaine Hendrick*** .......... Missoula
Robert O'Billovich** .......... Butte
Ronald Quilling** .......... Sidney
Daniel Sullivan* .......... Butte

1960-1961
Richard Hale* .......... Butte
Steve Lowry* .......... Red Lodge
Ray Lucien* .......... Baton Rouge, LA
Larry Riley* .......... Roundup

1961-1962
Tim Aldrich* .......... Missoula
Harold Fullerton*** .......... Ronan
Keith Law* .......... Bourbons, IL
Harold Peterson*** .......... Kankakee, IL

1962-1963
Bruce Denison* .......... Missoula
Rocky Greenfield* .......... Missoula
David Hilger* * * Dillon
Donald Morrison* .......... Troy
William Rice* .......... Chadron, NE
Francis Ricci* .......... Livingston
Jay Summer* .......... Livingston

1963-1964
Ronald Harper* .......... Sidney
Gary Megglin* .......... Chula Vista, CA
Gary Peck* .......... Libby
Michael Persha* .......... Red Lodge
James Pramenko* .......... Missoula
John Quist*** .......... Cut Bank

1964-1965
Wade Hughes* .......... South Bend, IN
Jon King* .......... Cut Bank
Ed Sampelton* .......... South Bend, IN
Tom Schilke* .......... Racine, WI
Glenn Smith* .......... Missoula
William Sullivan* .......... Anaconda
Gene Williams* .......... Pekin, IL

1965-1966
Dennis Biletnikoff* * Chula Vista, CA
Norman Clark* .......... Milwaukee, WI
Arthur Davis* .......... Los Angeles, CA
Gregory Hanson* .......... Missoula
J. Dc' Holiday* Charlotteville, IN
Lee Levknecht* .......... Kimberly, WI
Gordie Ziliges* .......... Kimberly, WI

1966-1967
Steve Brown* .......... Corvallis
Kenneth Conrad* .......... East Peoria, IL
Donald Durgin* .......... Las Vegas, NV
Sid Hudson* .......... Ft. Pierce, FL
Rick Johnson* .......... Albuquerque, NM

1967-1968
Mark Agather* .......... Libby
Max Agather* .......... Missoula
John Cheek Jr.* .......... Anaconda
Ray Drindin** .......... Lowell, IN
David Gustafson* .......... Vaughn
Tom Jones* .......... Edina, MN
Ronald Moore* .......... Indianapolis, IN
Sidney Rhinehart* .......... Missoula
Stanley Yoder* .......... Fort Wayne, IN

1968-1969
James Clawson* .......... Missoula
Michael Heroux** .......... Menasha, WI
Harold Ross* .......... Seattle, WA
Donald Wetzel** .......... Cut Bank
George Yule* .......... Newport Beach, CA

1969-1970
Willei Bascus* .......... Brawley, CA
Howard Clark* .......... Kansas City, MO
John Harrell* .......... Hamilton, OH
Ray Howard* .......... Great Falls
Lonzo Lewis* .......... Rockford, IL

1970-1971
Larry Chapman* .......... Norfolk, NE
Kirk Johnson* .......... Helena
Michael Judd* .......... Butte
Jeff Nord* .......... Missoula
Earl Tye** .......... Central Point, OR
Michael Vernon* .......... Oakland, CA
James Walker* .......... Livingston

1971-1972
Chris Anderson* .......... Olympia, WA
Scott Hollenbeck** .......... Spokane, WA
Michael Hubbard* .......... Seattle, WA
Blake Lyman* .......... Missoula
Michael Murray* .......... Seattle, WA
Dale Parker* .......... Galetor, CO
Kevin Rocheleau* .......... Missoula
Robin Selvig* .......... Outlook
Clarence Walker* .......... Calipatria, CA
Virgil Owens* .......... Seattle, WA

1972-1973
Eric Hays* .......... Junction City, OR
Ken McKenzie* .......... Port Coquilian, BC
Mark Nord* .......... Missoula
Thomas Peck* .......... Libby
Larry Smedley* .......... Vancouver, WA

1973-1974
Tim Blaine* .......... Albany, OR
Ben DeMers* .......... Missoula
Pat Dolezal* .......... Harlem
Rick McGinnis* .......... Missoula
Tim Stambaugh* .......... Portland, OR

1974-1975
James Darby* .......... Vancouver, BC
Steve DeMers* .......... Missoula
Chris Powers* .......... Kettering, OH
Mark Reich* .......... Missoula
M. J. Richardson* .......... Denver, CO
M. R. Richardson* .......... Denver, CO
James Swain* .......... Billings

1975-1976
Craig Henkel* .......... Libby
Rick McGinnis* .......... Missoula
Jim Molloy* .......... Malta
Alan Nielsen* .......... Westby
Kirk Rocheleau* .......... Missoula
Charlie Yanikus* .......... Medical Lake, WA

1976-1977
William Hansen* .......... Morris, NY
John Stroeder** .......... P. Townsend, WA

1977-1978
Rod Brandon* * * Norwalk, CA
Tim McCasley* .......... Sun Prairie, WI
Blaine Taylor* .......... Missoula
Craig Zanon* .......... Kalispell
Rick Zanon* .......... Kalispell

1978-1979
Martin Green*** .......... Missoula

1979-1980
Jim Caler* .......... Lakewood, CO
Greg Crucher* .......... Cincinnati, OH
 Ritchie Edwards* .......... Great Falls
Dave Johnson* .......... Rowland Heights, CA
Tim Knight* .......... Riverside, CA
Craig Larsen* .......... Aurora, CO
Brian Morris* .......... Missoula
Derrick Pope* .......... Missoula

1980-1981
Ron Brumfield* .......... San Jose, CA
Marc Glass* .......... Battle Ground, WA
Rob Hurley* .......... Anaconda
DJ Johnson* .......... Los Angeles, CA
Doug Selvig* .......... Outlook

1981-1982
John Bates* * * Corvallis, OR
Larry McBride* .......... Anchorage, AK
Leroy Washington* .......... * L. Beach, CA

1982-1983
Todd Powell* .......... Corvallis, OR
Steve Vanek* .......... Warren, OR
Scott Zanon* .......... Kalispell

1983-1984
Herb Jones* .......... Spanaway, WA

1984-85
K. C. McGowan* .......... Missoula
Marc Murphy* .......... Butte
Tony Reed* .......... Anchorage, AK
Wayne Tinkle* .......... Spokane, WA

1986-87
Nate DuChesne* .......... Snohomish, WA
Mike Ahlers* .......... Tacoma, WA
John Reckard* .......... Keenesburg, CO
Mark Schultz* .......... Spokane, WA
Mike Boken* .......... Los Angeles, CA
Grizzly center Steve Vanek was an All-Conference selection in the Big Sky Conference. Steve ranked fourth in the country and first in the Big Sky in field goal percentage. He is now playing professional basketball in England.

Graduating seniors average 21 wins per season during their career.

Grizzlies finish third in Big Sky Conference during a rebuilding season. Coaches and media both pick the Grizzlies seventh in pre-season polls.

First year Head Coach Stew Morrill has best first season in Grizzly history.

New school record for field goal percentages, .515, which led the Big Sky Conference.

Won Champion Holiday Classic for the fifth time in a row.

Defeated all three PCAA schools Montana played.

Grizzlies finish second in the Big Sky Conference in defense. Montana has led the conference 13 out of the last 15 years.

Montana once again had a banner year in attendance, averaging over 7,000 per game in conference.

Montana upped their home win-loss record to 201-26—a percentage of 89% since 1971-72.

Steve Vanek third in the nation in field goal percentage at .662.

Scott Zanon leads Big Sky Conference in 3-point shooting, assist, (5.9) per game.

Montana had the two most productive 3-point shooters in the conference.

Grizzlies led the conference in free throw percentage at 73.6.

Montana wins 9 in a row in pre-season.

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Voice of the Grizzlies

“Grizzly” Bill Schwanke returns as the voice of the Grizzlies for his 15th year as the play-by-play announcer for University of Montana sports. It will be KYLT Radio’s 16th year of broadcasting Grizzly athletics and serving as UM’s official station. Schwanke is a former sports editor of The Missoulian newspaper and a former sports information director at UM. He is a 1967 graduate of UM. He has been the Montana Sportscaster of the Year six times and was the 1977 Ed Chinske Award winner, honoring Missoula’s outstanding sports professional.

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