**Carleton College athletics**

carleton women’s basketball notes - jan. 13, 2004

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### Carleton kicks off key stretch, hosts U of St. Thomas

Carleton, winners of 11 consecutive games, begins a stretch of three games against teams that qualified for the 2003 MIAC Playoffs by hosting the University of St. Thomas on Wednesday night at West Gym.

The Tommies own one of the nation’s most successful programs, having qualified for the NCAA Tournament 16 times since 1984, including a national championship in 1991 and a total of four Final Four appearances, most recently in 2000. Their 10 MIAC titles is the most of any conference school. The Tommies were 15-12 a year ago and finished fourth, only the second time they haven’t finished in the top three in the MIAC’s 22-year history.

Carleton is ranked eighth in the latest ESPN/USA Today/WBCA coaches poll and 15th by d3hoops.com. UST isn’t ranked.

### Broadcast information

Wednesday’s game will be broadcast by KRDS 95.5 FM, which covers the Northfield area and the south metro of Minneapolis/St. Paul. Jeff Johnson will be on the call. The broadcast kicks off three consecutive Carleton women’s basketball games on the station, as KYMN 1080 AM will carry Saturday’s contest against St. Benedict and Monday’s tilt with Gustavus.

### Vig MIAC Player of the Week

Megan Vig was named the MIAC’s player of the week after averaging 19.3 points and 7.0 rebounds a game last week. The sophomore led the Knights to three victories last week to run the team’s winning streak to 12-2 against the top four finishers in the final MIAC standings and 10-2 against the eventual MIAC Playoff qualifier.

Wednesday’s home contest starts a stretch in which the Knights play 10 home games in their final 14 contests. Over the last four seasons, the Knights are 37-4 at home.

Senior forward **Linnea Engel** broke Carleton’s all-time steal record, previously held by Anna Bandick (1986-90), in matching her career high with seven steals in the 71-59 victory over Concordia-Moorhead on January 3. Engel is averaging 3.8 steals per game this season after edging past 71 thefts last year. Engel has notched more than 50 steals in each of her first three seasons at Carleton and she'll be the first Carleton player to amass over 100 year to lead the MIAC, and if she continues on that pace, she’ll be the first Carleton player to amass 100 steals in a single season, which would smash Carleton’s current single season steal record of 77, set by Katherine Frewing in 1991-92. Engel is one of only three Carleton players (Bandick and Frewing being the other two) to tally 70 or more steals in a single season, as Engel posted 71 thefts last year. Engel has notched more than 50 steals in each of her first three seasons at Carleton and

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**2003-04 carleton knights**

(11-0, 8-0 MIAC)

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### Individual Player Notes

- **Linnea Engel** scored 20 points on 9-for-14 shooting in Saturday’s win over Hamline, the second time she’s been named the conference’s player of the week.
- **Krisstie Champagne** has scored in double figures in nine of Carleton’s 11 games.
- **Cassie Hammond** tallied 11 points and eight rebounds against Hamline, the second time she’s scored in double figures.

### Team Notes

- Carleton leads the MIAC in scoring defense (51.8 ppg allowed)
- The Knights are holding opponents to 38.5 percent field-goal shooting, best in the MIAC.
- Carleton has forced more turnovers than it has committed in 10 of 11 games.
- The Knights have tallied eight games of 70 percent or better free-throw shooting.

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**Probable Carleton Starting Line-up**

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<td>9.8 ppg, 5.5 rpg, 1.6 apg, 1.2 spg</td>
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**Key reserves**

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2003-04 carleton college knights

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has 42 steals in Carleton’s first 11 games, leaving her only eight away from 50 for the year. No player has accomplished that feat all four years at Carleton.

**Last time out – Carleton 73, Hamline 61**

Megan Vig scored 20 points and Katie Freeman added a career-high 16 and Carleton opened the second half with a 14-3 run, erasing a one-point halftime deficit in beating host Hamline, 73-61. It marked the Knights’ 11th consecutive victory, the second-longest such streak in school history.

The Knights shot 50 percent from the field in the second half, outscoring the hosts 45-32 over the final 20 minutes. Cassie Hammond came off the bench to score 12 points and eight rebounds and Kristi Colbenson and Linnea Engel chipped in with 10 points each. Hamline was led by Carolyn Korchik’s 16 points.

**St. Thomas Series**

This marks the 47th meeting between the two schools. St. Thomas, which won 37 of the 38 games, including 25 in a row between 1989 and 2001, has dominated this series, as they lead it 39-7. Carleton has held the upper hand in the series recently, however, as it has won six of the last seven contests with the Tommies, including four consecutive victories.

**About St. Thomas**

Head Coach Tricia Dornisch leads a team that is full of returning starters and talented transfers. Though they are returning all five starters from last year’s team that finished fourth in the MIAC, the Tommies only start three returnees, with the other two starters being transfers.

The on-court leader for St. Thomas is junior guard Katie Wiberg, a transfer from Division-I University of Missouri-Kansas City. She is averaging 13.1 points per game, 3.3 rebounds per game, and 3.3 assists per game. The other transfer now starting for the Tommies is guard Nikki Zappa. She’s a first-year player that started out the season playing for Division II Winona State University, transferred to St. Thomas for the winter semester. In her four games for the Tommies so far, she is averaging 11.5 points and 6.0 rebounds per game. The Tommies top returning player is Kristi Huegel, an All-MIAC junior forward. She averages 10.9 points and 4.2 rebounds per game, ranking her 12th in the latter category in the MIAC.

With the victory the Knights clinched at least a share of the school’s first MIAC regular season title, winning their 23rd consecutive game. Emily Buehler paced St. Thomas with 16 points; Molly Miller added 12 and Erica Opdahl added 11. Linnea Engel added 14 points, six rebounds and four steals for the Knights.

**Upcoming Games**

Jan. 14
Bethel at St. Catherine, 7:30 p.m.
Augsburg at St. Mary’s, 7:30 p.m.
Hamline at Concordia, 7:30 p.m.
St. Thomas at Carleton, 7:30 p.m.
Macalester at St. Olaf, 7:30 p.m.
Gustavus at St. Benedict, 7:30 p.m.

Jan. 17
Concordia at Augsburg, 1 p.m.
Carleton at St. Benedict, 1 p.m.
Macalester at Hamline, 1 p.m.
St. Olaf at St. Thomas, 1 p.m.
St. Catherine at St. Mary’s, 1 p.m.
Bethel at Gustavus, 1 p.m.

Jan. 19
St. Mary’s at Concordia, 5:30 p.m.
Augsburg at St. Catherine, 7:30 p.m.
Gustavus at Carleton, 7:30 p.m.
Hamline at St. Olaf, 7:30 p.m.
St. Thomas at Bethel, 7:30 p.m.
**Carleton Basketball History**

- **First Year of Basketball**: 1973-74
- **All-Time Record**: 260-360
- **Years in NCAA Tournament**: 3
- **Last Appearance**: 2003
- **Last Postseason Result**: St. Norbert 60, Carleton 47

**Carleton Basketball Facts**

- **Head Coach**: Tammy Metcalf-Filzen
- **Record at Carleton years**: 1973-74
- **Record Overall years**: 3 (1973-74)
- **Basketball Office Phone**: (507)646-4058
- **Assistant Coaches**: Andy Jaynes (Kansas ‘95), Dan Roiger (Wisconsin-Madison ‘87), Caria Jones (Carleton ‘03), Heidi Luehmann Jaynes (Oklahoma ‘96)

**Last Time in Northfield - Carleton 69, St. Thomas 67**

Linnea Engel scored 15 points, grabbed five rebounds and added five steals and Cara Jones ’03 made three free throws in the final 33 seconds as Carleton held on to beat the St. Thomas, 69-67, on Jan. 15, 2003, in St. Paul. Angie Grabowski ’03 added 14 points. Kristi Huegel paced the Toms with 17 points and six rebounds.

**Kittens streaking to start season**

The Kittens’ victory over Hamline stretched their winning streak to 11 games, the second-longest in school history. Last year’s squad won a school-record 23 consecutive games to start the season en route to a 25-3 mark. The 2000-01 squad won 10 consecutive games.

**In the polls**

Carleton moved up three places to a tie for ninth in this week’s USA Today/ESPN/WBCA top 25 coaches’ poll. The Kittens also moved up two spots in this week’s D3Hoops.com ranking from 17th to 15th.

Tammy Metcalf-Filzen

Tammy Metcalf-Filzen moves into her seventh season as head coach at Carleton. In only six seasons she has turned the program into a conference contender, leading them to three consecutive MIAC Playoff titles, 20-win seasons and NCAA Tournament bids in 2000-01, 2001-02 and 2002-03. In 2002-03 she was named the MIAC co-coach of the year and WBCA Region Coach of the Year, leading the Kittens to a school-record 25 victories. She earned the same honors in 2000-01. She previously served as head coach at St. Olaf and as an assistant at Temple and Minnesota. She is Carleton’s all-time winningest coach.

Metcalf-Filzen has presided over one of the most remarkable turnarounds in all of NCAA Division III women’s basketball. When she took over prior to the 1997-98 season, the Kittens had a program winning percentage of .323. Since Metcalf-Filzen assumed the head coaching position, the program has winning percentage of .688 and has posted its first 20-win seasons. Metcalf-Filzen has led Carleton to a 60-9 record over the last three seasons and 82-14 over the last four.

Carleton has improved its record in each of Metcalf-Filzen’s first six seasons and her .688 winning percentage is the best in school history. A 1983 St. Olaf graduate, Metcalf-Filzen earned her M.S. from the University of Minnesota in 1987. She won four varsity letters as a point guard for the Oles, twice earned All-MIAC honors, led the NCAA Division III in free-throw percentage in 1982-83, and was inducted into the St. Olaf Hall of Fame in 1999 and the Northfield Hall of Fame in 1992.

Metcalf-Filzen owns a 147-76 record in nine seasons overall and 121-50 in seven seasons at Carleton.

**Carleton Player’s Season & Career Highs (updated thru 1/10/04)**

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*Indicates school record
Listings are season-highs first, followed by career
miscellaneous 2003-04 statistics

Games as leading scorer Season/Career
Kristi Colbenson ........................................... 3/12
Linnea Engel .................................................. 3/13
Beth Freeman .................................................. 2/7
Megan Vig ..................................................... 2/15

Games as leading rebounder Season/Career
Kristi Colbenson ........................................... 3/8
Linnea Engel .................................................. 1/16
Beth Freeman .................................................. 1/15
Katie Freeman ................................................ 2/1
Carrie Hammond ......................................... 6/15
Megan Vig ..................................................... 7/15

Games as leading assists Season/Career
Kari Christianson ......................................... 2/3
Kristi Colbenson ........................................... 3/7
Linnea Engel .................................................. 1/7
Beth Freeman .................................................. 1/7
Katie Freeman ................................................ 2/8
Andrea Korb .................................................. 3/3
Kate Krueger .................................................. 3/3
Megan Vig ..................................................... 2/3

Double-Doubles (not including triple-doubles) Season/Career
Linnea Engel .................................................. 2/3
Beth Freeman .................................................. 2/3
Megan Vig ..................................................... 2/2

Double-figure scoring games Season/Career
Kari Christianson ......................................... 3/4
Kristi Colbenson ........................................... 8/12
Linnea Engel .................................................. 9/40
Beth Freeman .................................................. 5/14
Katie Freeman ................................................ 3/3
Cassie Hammond ........................................ 10/4
Megan Vig ..................................................... 10/24

20-point games Season/Career
Linnea Engel .................................................. 9/3
Megan Vig ..................................................... 3/5

10-rebound games Season/Career
Linnea Engel .................................................. 2/5
Beth Freeman .................................................. 2/2
Megan Vig ..................................................... 2/2

10-assist game Season/Career
None

AMONG THE MIAC LEADERS (as of Jan. 13)

Category Player MIAC Rank
Scoring: 16.6 ppg by Megan Vig 5th
12.8 ppg by Linnea Engel 15th
11.2 ppg by Kristi Colbenson 19th
Rebounding: 6.9 rpg by Megan Vig 7th
6.1 rpg by Kristi Colbenson 10th
FT Percentage: .792 by Megan Vig 5th
.784 by Kristi Colbenson 6th
Steals: 3.8 by Linnea Engel 1st
Blocked Shots: .91 by Megan Vig 8th
Offensive Rebounds: 2.55 by Linnea Engel 7th
2.30 by Cassie Hammond 10th
Defensive Rebounds: 4.91 by Megan Vig 6th
3.91 by Kristi Colbenson 10th

TEAM
Category Statistic MIAC Rank
Scoring Defense 70.6 ppg 3rd
Scoring Defense 57.5 ppg 1st
Scoring Margin +32.2 2nd
FT Percentage .744 3st
FG Pct. Defense .385 3st
Rebounding Off. 41.2 pgs 1st
Rebounding Def. .359 2nd
Rebounding Margin +5.3 2nd
Assists 16.38 apg 2nd
Steals 13.18 spg 2nd
Turnover Margin +6.55 1st
Assist/Turnover ratio 0.98 2nd
Offensive Rebounds 16.18 rpg 1st

Carleton’s record when...
Home .......................................................... 3-0
Away ............................................................ 7-0
Neutral ........................................................ 1-0
Carleton leads at the half ................................ 8-0
Carleton trails at the half .................................. 3-0
Tied at the half ................................................ 0-0
Overtime ....................................................... 0-0
Carleton shoots 50 percent or better from the floor ................................ 2-0
Carleton shoots 40-49.9 percent from the floor ........................................ 0-0
Carleton shoots less than 40 percent from the floor .................................. 3-0
Opponent shoots 50 percent or better from the floor ................................ 0-0
Opponent shoots 40-49.9 percent from the floor ........................................ 4-0
Opponent shoots less than 40 percent from the floor .................................. 7-0
Carleton has more rebounds .................................. 0-0
Opponent has more rebounds .................................. 0-0
Teams have same number of rebounds .................................. 0-0
Carleton commits more turnovers .................................. 0-0
Opponent commits more turnovers .................................. 0-0
Carleton scores 70 or more points .................................. 0-0
Carleton scores less than 70 points .................................. 1-0
Opponent scores 70 or more points .................................. 4-0
Opponent scores less than 70 points .................................. 4-0

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1. Rochester (7) ........................................ 11-0 108 1
2. Trinity University ................................ 11-1 84 3
3. Bowdoin ................................................. 10-0 83 4
4. Scranton .................................................. 11-0 169 7
5. Washington (1) ........................................ 11-1 163 4
6. Southern Maine ....................................... 11-1 162 6
7. UW - Stevens Point ................................... 13-1 158 2
8. Eastern Carolina ...................................... 10-1 144 8
9. Carleton .................................................. 13-0 122 1
10. Hope .................................................... 13-1 122 11
11. UW - Eau Claire ..................................... 12-2 111 10
12. Gustavus Adolphus 10-1 20 13
13. Marymount ........................................... 11-1 103 15
14. Baldwin-Wallace .................................... 12-1 94 9
15. Johns Hopkins ...................................... 9-1 78 19
16. Hardin-Simmons .................................... 11-3 76 16
17. Messiah .................................................. 6-2 69 13
18. New York University 10-1 63 17
19. St. Benedict .......................................... 7-1 54 21
20. St. John Fisher ....................................... 8-0 54 22
21. King's .................................................. 10-2 39 20
22. DeSales ............................................... 9-2 27 23
23. DePauw ............................................... 13-1 26 18
24. UW - Oshkosh ....................................... 11-2 19 NR
25. Wesleyan .............................................. 9-0 16 NR

Dropout: No. 21 DePauw, No. 23 Emmanuel

Others receiving votes: Lebonan Valley 47, Muhlenberg 40, Emmanuel 37, Millikin 35, DePauw 33, Pacific Lutheran 22, Buena Vista 10, Rowan 10, Ithaca 6, Westminster 4, McMurray 3, Otterbein 3, William 3, St. Lawrence, Montclair State 2, Franklin, Catholic I, RPI 1.

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