

SCHEDULE (12-15, 9-11)

MOVEMBED

NOVE	<u>EMBER</u>		
10	vs. Wheeling Jesuit	L	79-90
11	vs. Bowie State	W	74-67
13	CALDWELL	W	62-53
20	at Chestnut Hill	L	66-71
25	at Jefferson	L	56-70
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1	*MERCYHURST	W	65-64
3	*SLIPPERY ROCK	L	68-75
8	*at Edinboro	L(OT)	89-93
15	at Adelphi	W	81-74
18	*at Seton Hill	W	73-58
19	*at #13 Cal (Pa.)	L	57-84
30	*at Mansfield	W	68-44
JANU	<u>JARY</u>		
2	at Le Moyne	L	57-78
5	*at Shippensburg	W	68-64
9	*LOCK HAVEN	W	81-60
16	*IUP	L	62-84
19	*at Bloomsburg	POSTP	ONED
21	*at Bloomsburg	L	49-54
23	*WEST CHESTER	L	75-84
26	*at Kutztown	L	68-81
30	*MILLERSVILLE	L	67-80
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6	*SHIPPENSBURG	L	63-88
9	*MANSFIELD	W	73-46
13	*at Lock Haven	L	55-58
20	*BLOOMSBURG	W	72-48
23	*at West Chester	W	68-53
27	*KUTZTOWN	L	54-62
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2	*at Millersville	W	87-66
4-10	PSAC Tournament	TBA	

^{*} PSAC contest

Team Information

Head Coach: Diane Decker (4th season) **Record at ESU:** 74-63 (2007-08, 2015-pres.)

Overall Record: same

Assistant Coach: Marla Simmons Grad. Asst.: Nina Mazzarelli 2017-18 Record: 16-11 (14-8 PSAC)

Postseason: PSAC Quarterfinals
Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 11/1
Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1

All-Time Record (entering 18-19): 860-723-9 (.543)

PSAC Championships: 1995 NCAA Appearances: 1994, 1995

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2018-19 ESU Women's Basketball ESU (12-15, 9-11) vs. Lock Haven (14-13, 9-11) March 4, 2019 | 6:00 p.m.

SERIES HIST	ORY	Last 4 Me	etings				
ESU leads	39-19	2-13-19	L	55	58	Α	
Streak	LU, W 1	1-9-19	W	81	60	Н	
Last 5 Years	ESU 9-2	2-8-18	W	76	68	Н	
		1-6-18	W	91	60	Α	

TODAY'S MATCHUP

The ESU women's basketball team secured the No. 5 seed in the PSAC Playoffs following a win on Saturday at Millersville. The Warriors, who qualified for their seventh-straight conference tournament, will face Lock Haven in postseason action for the first time since 1986.

LAST TIME OUT

The Warriors narrowly missed matching their season-high in points (89) in a huge 87-66 victory inside Pucillo Gym. The win vaulted ESU to the No. 5 spot, ahead of Millersville through tie-breakers.

Sr. **Noelle Powell** fueled the Warrior offense, pouring in a season-high 20 points on 6-of-11 shooting from the field. Powell connected five-times from 3-point range as ESU drained 10 3's as a team. So. **Marlene Bassett** returned to her early-season form for ESU as she tallied 17 points to go along with a game-high eight rebounds.

Jr. **Tiffany Lapotsky** (14 pts), Jr. **Dominique Rayam** (13 pts), and So. **Abby Schoffstall** (12 pts) added double-digit point performances for the Warriors.

WARRIORS NOTES

Lapotsky saw her streak of scoring double-digits come to an end at 18 games last Wednesday. Her streak fell one-game short of matching DeAnna Rayam (2009-10) for the second-longest in a single season since 2002-03. She has tallied 461 points this season, which ranks 12th in school-history and 903 points for her career, which is currently 20th all-time.

Hertz ranks eighth in Div. II in assist/turnover ratio (2.7) and is 13th in assists (159). She also ranks 14th in assists per game (5.9). Hertz has also broken into the top-50 nationally in steals (37th) and steals per game (42nd).

ESU ranks 17th nationally in steals (303) and 16th in steals per game (11.2). The Warriors also rank 32nd in assists per game (15.8) and 47th in total assists (426).

LOOKING AHEAD

A win for the Warriors would send them into a quarterfinal matchup on Wednesday night against top-seeded Kutztown. The other first round matchup in the East is between No. 6 Millersville and No. 3 West Chester. The winner will advance to face Bloomsburg in a tough road matchup on Wednesday.

ESU Quick Hits | Last Game Starters in Bold

No.	Name (Ht., Yr.)	Pos.	PPG	RPG	APG	Notable
5	Jordan Hertz (5-9, Jr.)	G	8.1	5.6	5.9	Ranks top-14 in NCAA (Ast, APG, Ast T/0)
10	Tiffany Lapotsky (5-7, Jr.)	G	17.1	5.2	2.3	23 games of 10+ points; Career-high 30 pts (1/23)
11	Abby Schoffstall (5-5, So.)	G	5.2	2.7	2.4	Career-high 16 pts against Bloomsburg
14	Amanda Pike (5-10, So.)	G	7.3	1.3	0.5	Scored 10 pts and hit 3 3's off the bench against Ship
15	Sadie Cresswell (5-5, Jr.)	G				Injured
20	Ann McKnight (5-7, Sr.)	G	1.8	1.3	0.6	Season-high 6 pts and 4 reb at Shippensburg
21	Noelle Powell (5-7, Sr.)	G	7.6	1.6	1.3	Moved into 4th all-time with 127 made 3-pointers
22	Cassie Ksiazek (6-0, Fr.)	F/C				Has not appeared in a game this season
23	Julia Kutz (5-10, R-Fr.)	G/F	3.2	3.8	0.4	Returned 12/30 after missing 3 straight games
24	Kaitlyn Swint (5-9, So.)	F	5.6	2.9	0.4	Started last six games; 11 pts vs. Mansfield
25	Marlene Bassett (6-2, So.)	F	11.3	3.9	1.1	Returned at Lock Haven after missing two games
32	Dominique Rayam (5-8, Jr.)	G/F	4.1	4.2	1.0	Season-high 8 rebounds vs. Mansfield
33	Maggie Wigoda (5-10, Fr.)	F/C	2.7	2.6	0.5	Career-high 7 steals vs. Mansfield

ESU	VS	
12-15 (9-11 PSAC)	W-L	14-13 (9-11 PSAC)
4-6	Last 10	6-4
3-2	Last 5	3-2
W1	Current Streak	L1
68.0 (8th PSAC)	PPG	67.3 (10th PSAC)
68.5 (9)	Opp. PPG	66.9 (8)
-0.4 (8)	Margin	0.4 (7)
40.6 (12)	FG%	38.7 (16)
41.5 (12)	Opp. FG%	39.8 (6)
31.1 (6)	3PT%	29.7 (8)
32.7 (14)	Opp. 3PT%	28.6 (4)
68.2 (13)	FT%	63.5 (17)
34.5 (15)	RPG	43.9 (1)
39.0 (14)	Opp. RPG	37.8 (10)
-4.5 (16)	Reb Margin	6.1 (2)
3.2 (3)	TO Margin	-1.8 (13)
15.8 (3)	APG	11.5 (14)
3.3 (8)	Blocks/Game	2.3 (13)
11.2 (2)	Steals/Game	6.2 (16)

LOCK HAVEN LEADERS

#		Pts	Reb	Ast	Stl	Blk
21	Ahnera Parker	13.3	5.4	4	12	13
12	Rileigh Devine	12.5	2.7	28	18	1
14	Taylor Leidy	9.3	3.9	90	23	0
01	Bink Redman	8.2	8.1	73	32	7
25	Jalyn Shelton-Burleigh	7.1	4.9	16	25	7
03	Nadia Romanchock	4.5	3.1	28	15	5

PSAC LEADERS							
ESU			LOCK HAVEN				
Tiffany Lapotsky			Ahnera Parker				
Scoring	11	17.1	Scoring	17	13.4		
FG%	16	42.6	FG%	7	48.5		
FT%	15	73.1					
Steals	8	2.3	Rileigh Devine				
			3PT%	3	35.6		
Jordan Hertz			3PT Scoring	4	2.5		
Assists	2	5.9	FT%	3	84.4		
Asst/TO Ratio	2	2.7					
Steals	4	2.5	Taylor Leidy				
Minutes	6	35.1	Assists	11	3.3		
			Asst/T0	7	1.5		
Amanda Pike			Minutes	19	32.7		
3PT Scoring	11	1.9					
			Bink Redman Rebounding	7	8.1		

2018-19 ESU ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown/High School
5	Jordan Hertz	G	5-9	Jr.	Mechanicsburg, Pa./Mechanicsburg
10	Tiffany Lapotsky	G	5-7	Jr.	Ashland, Pa./North Schuylkill
11	Abby Schoffstall	G	5-5	So.	Pottsville, Pa./Minersville
14	Amanda Pike	G	5-10	So.	Burdett, N.Y./Watkins Glen
15	Sadie Cresswell	G	5-5	Jr.	Pottsville, Pa./Pottsville
20	Ann McKnight	G	5-7	Sr.	Springfield, Pa./Archbishop Carroll
21	Noelle Powell	G	5-7	Sr.	Glen Mills, Pa./Bayard Rustin
22	Cassie Ksiazek	F/C	6-0	Fr.	South Abington Twp., Pa./Abington Heights
23	Julia Kutz	G/F	5-10	R-Fr.	Pottsville, Pa./Blue Mountain
24	Kaitlyn Swint	F	5-9	So.	Bethlehem, Pa./Freedom
25	Marlene Bassett	F	6-2	So.	Williamsport, Pa./Montoursville
32	Dominique Rayam	G/F	5-8	Jr.	Bethlehem, Pa./Maplewood (N.J.)
33	Maggie Wigoda	F/C	5-10	Fr.	Minersville, Pa./Minersville Area

Head Coach: Diane Decker (Villanova '89, 4th season) **Asst. Coach:** Marla Simmons (Bloomsburg '15, 4th season)

Grad. Asst.: Nina Mazzarelli
Team Manager: Rachel Grace

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Tiffany Lapotsky Tiffany luh-POT-ski
Abby Schoffstall Abby SHOWF-stall
Cassie Ksiazek Cassie Ksia-ZEK
Dominique Rayam Dominique RAY-uhm
Maggie Wigoda Maggie Wi-GO-duh

SERIES HISTORY

This will be the 59th all-time meeting between ESU and Lock Haven. Both teams were victorious during the regular season on their home-court. The Warriors won each of the previous-six meetings against the Bald Eagles dating back to January 2016.

ESU swept both contests last season, including a 76-68 victory at home on Feb. 8, 2018. The Warriors also defeated the Bald Eagles 91-60 at Lock Haven on Jan. 6, 2018.

The Warriors won 12 of the first 13 meetings between the two schools with the inaugural contest being played in 1949 (ESU, W 53-28).

SCOUTING LOCK HAVEN

Lock Haven is 3-2 in its last five games, including wins against ESU, Shippensburg, and Millersville. The Bald Eagles are 6-4 in their last 10 outings and have the 10th ranked offense in the PSAC.

The Bald Eagles are looking for their first PSAC playoff victory in 28 years and return to the playoffs for the first time since 2015-16. Lock Haven made back-to-back appearances in 15-16 & 14-15

Ahnera Parker and Rileigh Devine lead the Bald Eagles offensively this season, with Parker averaging 13.3 points per outing. Bink Redman is averaging 8.2 points and 8.1 rebounds per contest.

WILD WILD EAST

Bloomsburg and Kutztown tied for the top spot in the PSAC East after finishing with identical 14-6 conference records. The Golden Bears secured the No. 1 seed in the playoffs following a tie-breaker, while the Huskies landed the No. 2 seed.

West Chester was the only team in the East that knew their position heading into the postseason as the Golden Rams secured the No. 3 seed in the final week of the regular season.

Lock Haven, ESU, and Millersville finished with 9-11 marks in conference play, with Shippensburg (8-12) getting left out of the six-team field. Lock Haven secured the No. 4 seed through tie-breakers, with Millersville dropping to the No. 6 position.

LAPOTSKY LEADS THE CHARGE

Lapotsky has crossed the double-digit mark in scoring 24 times this season through 27 contests for the Warriors. The junior from Ashland, Pa., has scored 20 or more points eight times and tallied a career-high 30 points at home on Jan. 23 against West Chester.

Lapotsky recorded 10+ points in 18-straight outings for the Warriors, which ranks third in a single-season since the 2002-03. Her streak came to an end last Wednesday against Kutztown as she finished the night with nine points. Jackie Yandrisevits recorded 27 consecutive 10+ point games during the 2008-09 season, while DeAnna Rayam posted 19 consecutive outings of 10+ points in 2009-10.

She was named the PSAC East Athlete of the Week for the first time of her career last Monday after averaging 22.5 points per game in a 2-0 week for the Warriors. She was also voted to the CoSIDA Academic All-District 2 First Team.

SUPERLATIVES CENTRAL

Of its 27 games this season, ESU has played 12 that have been decided by nine points or less, including a 65-64 win at home against Mercyhurst on Dec. 1. The Warriors are 5-7 in those contests but find themselves sporting a 7-8 mark in games that are decided by 10 points or more. ESU is also 0-8 on the season when allowing 80 or more points and allowed 80+ points five times during the month of January and beginning of February.

The Warriors sport a 10-3 mark overall when limiting teams to 70 points or less this season.

POWELL'S POINT

Despite starting only three games this season for the Warriors, Powell has appeared in 24 of ESU's 27 contests and will look to make her 101st career appearance on Monday. She has notched double-digit point performances against Bloomsburg, Kutztown, and Millersville over the past two weeks and is averaging 7.6 points per game this season. Powell is shooting 35.2% from downtown this season (32-91).

HERTZ CONTINUES TO FILL STAT SHEET FOR ESU

Hertz leads the PSAC in assists (159) and ranks second in assists per game (5.9) through 27 games. She also ranks second in assist/turnover ratio (2.7) and ranks among the top-14 players nationally in assists per game, assists, and assist turnover ratio.

Career Points

1.	Jackie Yandrisevits (2005-09)1784
2.	Claudine Simard (1988-92)1733
3.	Stacy Perryman (1992-96)1695
4.	Tonia Lloyd (1986-90)1675
5.	Lori Pio (1992-96)1527
6.	Niki Cox (2001-05)1440
7.	Allison Howard (2013-17)1270
8.	Imani Brown (2014-18)1224
	Gaye Chapman (1990-94)1224
10.	Jessica Martin (2011-15)1213
11.	Maryellen Onofre (2003-07)1179

Career Rebounds

1.	Lori Pio (1992-96)	1023
2.	Tonia Lloyd (1986-90)	919
3.	Lori Gruver (1979-83)	888
4.	Jessica Martin (2011-15)	848
5.	Amy Miller (1984-88)	818
6.	Janice Youorski (1983-85)	742
7.	Jackie Yandrisevits (2005-09)	718
8.	Allison Howard (2013-17)	678
9.	Claudine Simard (1988-92)	675
10.	Sue Richards (1982-85)	636

Career 3-Pointers

1.	Maryellen Onofre (2003-07)	184
2.	Andrea Veres (2010-15)	156
3.	Imani Brown (2014-18)	142
4.	Noelle Powell (2015-pres.)	132
5.	Niki Cox (2001-05)	125
6.	Barb Borst (2009-13)	122
7.	Maggie McLaughlin (1990-94)	117
8.	DeAnna Rayam (2006-10)	105
9.	Tiffany Lapotsky (2016-pres.)	92
10.	Stacy Perryman (1992-96)	82

Career Assists

1.	Stacy Perryman (1992-96)607
4.	Laura Lenio (1986-90)373
5.	Jordan Hertz (2016-pres.) 367
6.	Rose Mohl (1981-85)365
7.	Jill Bittner (1994-98)337

Hertz entered the top-10 in career steals (171) and sits just two away from moving into eighth all-time in program history. She passed Kelly Sorber (2009-11, 13) and moved into 10th-place all-time in career blocks for the Warriors (62). She also passed Rose Mohl (365, 1981-85) for fifth all-time in career assists (367) and is six away from tying Laura Lenio (373, 1986-90) for fourth.

PSAC East Standings

	Conf.	Overall
Bloomsburg* (2)	14-6	19-9
Kutztown* (1)	14-6	17-11
West Chester* (3)	11-9	15-13
Lock Haven* (4)	9-11	14-13
ESU* (5)	9-11	12-15
Millersville* (6)	9-11	12-15
Shippensburg	8-12	12-16
Mansfield	1-19	3-23

* - Clinched PSAC Tournament Berth

PSAC West Standings

	Conf.	Overall
IUP* (1)	18-3	23-3
California* (2)	17-4	23-4
Edinboro* (3)	15-6	20-7
Seton Hill* (4)	12-9	18-10
Pitt-Johnstown*	(5) 9-12	13-15
Gannon* (6)	9-12	13-16
Slippery Rock	9-12	12-16
Mercyhurst	7-14	10-18
Clarion	3-18	9-19

	PSAC Leaders	
PPG	Ariel Jones (SHIP)	25.6
	Lauren Lister (MILL)	22.2
	Seairra Barrett (CAL)	21.6
RPG	Seairra Barrett (CAL)	8.9
	Lauren Pettis (SHIP)	8.4
APG	Lauren Wolosik (IUP)	6.2
	Jordan Hertz (ESU)	5.9
SPG	Seairra Barrett (CAL)	2.9
BPG	Mia Leonard (MANS)	2.8