Meet the Team

Women’s Basketball

profiles by Jeff Lund

Joan Bonvicini
Head Coach
Winningest coach in Arizona women’s basketball history at 193-131 (.596). Led team to all six post-season appearances in its history.

Aimee Gzyb
Junior
Guard, No. 13
Started 44 of 60 career games. Her 51 three-pointers tied for second in Arizona women’s basketball history at 69.

Shawntinice Polk
Sophomore
Center, No. 00
One of the highest-profile recruits ever to sign with UA. Originally signed in 2000, but didn’t qualify academically to play last year.

Danielle Adeaso
Freshman
Guard, No. 44
Adeso was voted Most Improved Player last season, and will play an important part as a reserve for the Wildcats.

Denise Dow Lanella
Junior
Guard, No. 23
Along with Folk, Jones is an All-American who figures to make an immediate impact and challenge for extensive playing time.

Julie Brase
Junior
Guard, No. 20
Throughout her career, Brase has shown valuable leadership skills. She served as the team captain last season as a junior.

Kellie Barney
Freshman
Forward/Center, No. 00
Vital to Arizona recruiting, scouting, and floor work with the players.

Katie Lindner
Sophomore
Forward, No. 21
Figured to be a part of last year’s team, but tore her ACL in the Red and Blue Game last season. A native of Australia.

Svjetlana Papcevic
Junior
Forward/Center, No. 35
One of the best all-around athletes on the team. A rebounding machine, Warren snatched 8.1 rebounds per game last season, fifth in the Pac-10.

Phakisha Peterson
Freshman
Forward/Forward, No. 33
A very explosive, positive addition to the team. Peterson will help the Wildcats sustain an uptempo game and run the floor.

Jessica Dugger
Freshman
Guard/Forward, No. 30
Walked on after transferring from Yavapai College. Averaged 14.2 points and 6.6 rebounds in her last season as a Roughrider.

Julia圓圆
Junior
Guard/Forward, No. 32
Junior transfer who will add experience.

Krista Warren
Senior
Forward/Centre, No. 35
Collected Pac-10 Freshman of the Year, UA Defensive Player of the Year and UA Freshman of the Year accolades.

Dee-Dee Wheeler
Senior
Guard/Forward, No. 33
Collected Pac-10 Freshman of the Year, UA Defensive Player of the Year and UA Freshman of the Year accolades.

2002-03 Schedule

11/25 @ PEPPERDINE 8 P.M.
11/30 GEORGIA 2 P.M.
12/07 FIESTA BOWL UC RIVERSIDE 1 P.M.
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12/15 @ OHIO STATE NOON
12/18 NEW MEXICO 7 P.M.
12/22 @ UNLV 8 P.M.
12/27 @ CALIFORNIA 8 P.M.
12/29 @ STANFORD 3 P.M.
01/02 OREGON 7 P.M.
01/04 OREGON STATE 1 P.M.
01/09 @ WASHINGTON 8 P.M.
01/11 @ WASHINGTON 8 P.M.
01/16 USC 7 P.M.
01/18 UCLA 2 P.M.
01/23 @ ARIZONA STATE 6 P.M.
01/26 @ WISCONSIN 12:30 P.M.
01/30 @ OREGON STATE 8 P.M.
02/01 @ OREGON 1 P.M.
02/06 WASHINGTON 7 P.M.
02/08 WASHINGTON STATE 2 P.M.
02/14 @ UCLA 8 P.M.
02/16 @ USC 3 P.M.
02/22 ARIZONA STATE 1 P.M.
02/27 STANFORD 7 P.M.
03/01 CALIFORNIA 1 P.M.

* All games are local time

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Senior guard Julie Brase — a returning team captain — will bring leadership and play a key role in the development of the Wildcat freshmen and newcomers.