



**2007-08**  
**RIPON RED HAWK**  
**WOMEN'S BASKETBALL**  
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**2007-08 Ripon Schedule**

Date	Opponent	Time/Result
Nov. 16	vs. Northland	W 59-48
Nov. 17	@ Lakeland	L 51-31
Nov. 20	UW-Oshkosh	L 69-55
Nov. 24	@ Concordia (WI)	W 53-44
Nov. 27	@ Wheaton (IL)	L 63-52
Nov. 30	@ Knox*	N/A
Dec. 1	@ Illinois College*	2:00 p.m.
Dec. 5	St. Norbert*	6:00 p.m.
Dec. 28	South Padre Island Shootout vs. St. Joseph's (N.Y.)	10:00 a.m.
Dec. 29	South Padre Island Shootout vs. SUNYPostdam	10:00 a.m.
Jan. 12	@ Lawrence*	2:00 p.m.
Jan. 18	Lake Forest*	5:30 p.m.
Jan. 19	Monmouth*	1:00 p.m.
Jan. 25	@ Grinnell*	5:00 p.m.
Jan. 26	@ Lake Forest*	2:00 p.m.
Jan. 30	@ Carroll*	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 2	Beloit*	2:00 p.m.
	(Alumni Game)	
Feb. 5	@ St. Norbert*	6:00 p.m.
Feb. 8	Illinois College*	5:00 p.m.
Feb. 9	Knox*	1:00 p.m.
Feb. 13	Lawrence*	5:30 p.m.
Feb. 20	Carroll*	5:30 p.m.
	(Senior Day)	
Feb. 23	@ Beloit*	2:00 p.m.
Feb. 29	MWC Tournament	TBA

\*Denotes Midwest Conference game

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**GAME NO. 7 - AT ILLINOIS COLLEGE**

Saturday, December 1st, 2:00 p.m.  
at Jacksonville, Ill.

TV: None

Radio: None

Webcast: www.midwestconference.tv

**\*\*PROJECTED STARTERS\*\***

**RIPON RED HAWKS (2-3, 0-0 Midwest Conference)**

- G - 12 Ashley Meister, 5-6, So., Suamico, Wis./Bayport (1.6 ppg, 2.4 rpg, 0.8 apg)
- G - 21 Carissa Zuercher, 5-5, So., Delafield, Wis./Waukesha West (6.2 ppg, 2.8 rpg, 3.2 apg)
- F - 22 Amanda Lindauer, 5-8, So., Sturgeon Bay, Wis./Southern Door (2.6 ppg, 2.0 rpg, 0.4 apg)
- F - 34 Jessica DeHamer, 5-8, So., Neenah, Wis./Neenah (13.4 ppg, 7.2 rpg, 2.0 apg)
- F - 42 Jeni Yaeger, 5-10, Jr., Clintonville, Wis./Clintonville (12.8 ppg, 7.0 rpg, 0.6 apg)

**HEAD COACH:** Julie Johnson (Dakota State, 1988)  
**RC Record:** 232-170 (18th year); **CAREER RECORD:** 232-170 (18th year)  
**ASSISTANT COACHES:** Pat Gonyo and Amanda Guay

**ILLINOIS COLLEGE (2-2, 0-0 Midwest Conference)**

- G - 23 Brittany Parsons, 5-4, Jr., Frankfort, Ind./Clinton Prairie (13.0 ppg, 1.8 rpg, 4.8 apg)
- G - 22 Candace Norville, 5-7, So., Batavia, Ill./Batavia (13.8 ppg, 4.5 rpg, 2.5 apg)
- G - 11 Kristen Endress, 5-8, Sr., Tremont, Ill./Tremont (6.2 ppg, 2.5 rpg, 2.5 apg)
- F - 33 Janelle Kuhn, 5-9, Jr., Okawville, Ill./Okawville (7.2 ppg, 4.8 rpg, 1.5 apg)
- F - 42 Jolene Dodge, 5-10, Sr., Hudson, Ill./Normal West (12.0 ppg, 5.3 rpg, 0.3 apg)

**HEAD COACH:** Brenna Kelly (Culver-Stockton)  
**IC RECORD:** 243-199 (20th year); **CAREER RECORD:** 243-199 (20th year)

\*\*Records and Statistics as of 11/29/07\*\*



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<u>Red Hawk's Last 10 Years</u>		
Year	Record	MWC Finish
2006-07	9-14 (5-11)	t-7
2005-06	15-9 (12-4)	4
2004-05	20-7 (12-4)	1
2003-04	22-5 (15-1)	1
2002-03	19-5 (13-3)	3
2001-02	14-10 (10-6)	4
2000-01	14-9 (13-3)	2
1999-00	10-12 (8-8)	6
1998-99	7-15 (6-10)	8
1997-98	14-10 (9-4)	4

<u>2007-08 MWC Preseason Poll</u>	
Rank	Team (1st place votes)
1.	Carroll (8)
2.	Lake Forest (1)
3.	St. Norbert (1)
4.	Monmouth
5.	Lawrence
6.	Beloit
7.	<b>Ripon</b>
T8.	Grinnell
T8.	Illinois College
10.	Knox

**\*\*Standings as of 11/29/07\*\***

<u>2007-08 MWC Standings</u>		
	MWC	Overall
	W-L	W-L
Lake Forest	0-0	5-0
Carroll	0-0	4-0
Lawrence	0-0	2-1
Monmouth	0-0	2-1
St. Norbert	0-0	2-1
Illinois College	0-0	2-2
Beloit	0-0	1-1
<b>Ripon</b>	<b>0-0</b>	<b>2-3</b>
Grinnell	0-0	0-3
Knox	0-0	0-3

**RIPON COLLEGE ROSTER**

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown/High School
10	Tiffany Goebel	G	5-5	Sr.	Owen, Wis./Owen-Withee
12	Ashley Meister	G	5-6	So.	Suamico, Wis./Bayport
14	Christina Schneider	G	5-7	Sr.	Libertyville, Ill./Libertyville
20	Staci Dieringer	G	5-10	Fr.	Adell, Wis./Random Lake
21	Carissa Zuercher	G	5-5	So.	Delafield, Wis./Waukesha West
22	Amanda Lindauer	F	5-10	So.	Sturgeon Bay, Wis./Southern Door
24	Jana VanHandel	F	5-9	So.	Appleton, Wis./Freedom
30	Jessica Goudreau	G	5-5	So.	New London, Wis./Shiocton
32	Emily Meyer	G	5-9	Fr.	Sherwood, Wis./St. Mary's Central
34	Jessica DeHamer	G/F	5-8	So.	Neenah, Wis./Neenah
40	Tara Korotka	G/F	5-10	Fr.	Manawa, Wis./Little Wolf
42	Jeni Yaeger	F	5-10	Jr.	Clintonville, Wis./Clintonville
44	Katie Horkan	F	6-0	Fr.	New Lisbon, Wis./Mauston
50	Melissa Balen	G	5-6	So.	Bristol, Wis./Westosha Central
54	Ashley Kaminski	F/C	5-10	So.	Green Bay, Wis./Bayport
55	Alison Klekamp	F	6-0	Fr.	Madison, Wis./Madison Memorial

**Coaches Information:**

**Ripon - Julie Johnson** is the all-time winningest women's basketball coach in Ripon history, compiling an overall record of 232-170 in her 17+ seasons as head coach. Under Johnson's leadership, Ripon has qualified for the conference tournament nine of the past 13 years, including three trips to the NCAA tournament (1996, 2004, 2005). Johnson has been named MWC coach of the year three times (1995, 2004, 2005), while also being named NCAA women's basketball Central Region Coach of the Year once. Johnson earned her bachelor's degree from Dakota State University in 1988, where she was a four-year starter and named to the school's Athletic Hall of Fame in 2000.

**Illinois College - Brenna Kelly** has racked up 243 wins in her first 19+ seasons with the Lady Blues. The Kahoka, Mo. native and former Culver-Stockton College standout has compiled impressive credentials since taking over the reins of the Illinois College women's basketball program in 1987. Now in her 20th season, Kelly has steered the Lady Blues to a prominent position in the Midwest Conference. Her teams own an overall record of 243-199, and qualified for the league's post-season championship tournament from 1991 through 1997, and again in 1999. That run produced a league title in 1993 and runner-up finishes in 1997, 1998, and 1999. Her induction into the Illinois College Sports Hall of Fame in 1996 underscored her status as one of IC's all-time coaching leaders.



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**D3Hoops.com Top 25 Poll (Week 1)**

#	Team (First-Place Votes)	W-L	Last Week
1	Mary Washington (14)	3-0	1
2	Howard Payne (3)	2-0	2
3	Messiah (2)	3-0	3
4	Hope (6)	3-0	4
5	Kean	3-0	7
6	Calvin	3-0	9
7	New York University	4-0	8
8	DePauw	3-1	5
9	Washington U.	4-1	6
10	UW-Whitewater	3-0	18
11	McMurry	3-1	10
12	Southern Maine	3-0	17
13	Simpson	4-0	16
14	Illinois Wesleyan	2-1	15
15	Puget Sound	2-0	19
16	UW-Stevens Point	5-0	24
17	Thomas More	4-0	—
18	Chicago	4-0	—
19	George Fox	4-0	22
20	Lake Forest	5-0	—
21	Bowdoin	2-1	11
22	Randolph-Macon	2-0	23
23	Scranton	2-0	25
24	Cortland State	2-0	—
25	Carroll	3-0	—

**Dropped out:** No. 12 Luther, No. 13 Millikin, No. 14 Brandeis, No. 20 Capital, No. 21 Emmanuel

**Others receiving votes:** Medaille 63, Baldwin-Wallace 58, Oglethorpe 58, Rochester 58, Emmanuel 47, Tufts 38, Brandeis 30, Capital 24, Marymount 21, Millikin 16, William Smith 15, UW-Eau Claire 13, Ohio Wesleyan 11, Luther 10, Bates 9, Hamilton 8, Wilmington 8, Eastern Connecticut 7, Carthage 3, Fitchburg State 2, King's 1, New Jersey 1.

***ILLINOIS COLLEGE ROSTER***

#	Name	Yr.	Ht.	Pos.	Hometown/High School
3	Leah Ruschel	Jr.	5-8	G	Camp Point, Ill./Camp Point
4	Megan Prendergast	So.	5-7	G	Orland Park, Ill./Carl Sandburg
5	Carrie Walberg	Fr.	5-9	G/F	Highland, Ill./Highland
10	Danielle Alpers	So.	5-4	G	Ellsworth, Ill./Tri-Valley
11	Kristen Endress	Sr.	5-8	G	Tremont, Ill./Tremont
12	Andrea Garcia	Fr.	5-5	G	Chicago, Ill./Northside Prep
14	Alexsha Alexander	So.	5-5	G	Berwick, Ill./Monmouth-Roseville
15	Casey Johnson	So.	5-7	G	Roodhouse, Ill./Routt Catholic
20	Tiff Belton	Fr.	5-4	G	Orion, Ill./Orion
21	Breanna Kemper	Fr.	5-8	G	Winchester, Ill./Winchester
22	Candace Norville	So.	5-7	G	Batavia, Ill./Batavia
23	Brittany Parsons	Jr.	5-4	G	Frankfort, Ind./Clinton Prairie
32	Jessica Foote	Jr.	5-4	G	Breese, Ill./Mater Dei
32	Caitlin McCarthy	Sr.	5-10	F	Dawson, Ill./Tri-City
33	Janelle Kuhn	Jr.	5-9	G/F	Okawville, Ill./Okawville
34	Sarah Puckett	Fr.	5-5	G	Hillsboro, Ill./Hillsboro
40	Stephanie Zarse	Jr.	5-11	F	Sarasota, Fla./Riverview
42	Jolene Dodge	Sr.	5-10	F	Hudson, Ill./Normal West
43	Lauren Napier	So.	5-11	F	Moweaqua, Ill./Central A&M
44	Denise Pachlhofer	So.	5-3	G	Sherman, Ill./Williamsville
53	Rachel Macon	Fr.	6-0	C	Carlyle, Ill./Carlyle

**Scouting The Opponent:** Illinois College is outscoring opponents by five points per game this season, thanks in large part to their 40-point victory over Hanibal-LaGrange earlier in the year. The Lady Blues have hit the boards hard, out rebounding opponents by an average of 6.8 rebounds per game. Illinois College is grabbing 38.8 boards, while opponents have managed just 32.0 per contest. IC has turned the ball over more than 18 times in a game just once this season, which occurred in their season opener. Since that game, the Lady Blues are averaging 15.7 miscues per game. Opponents are shooting 39 percent from three-point range, while Illinois College has nailed 33 percent of their shots from beyond the arc.

**Player To Watch:** **Brittany Parsons** is the leader of the Illinois College offense as the team's starting point guard. She has dished out a team-best 4.8 assists per game, but that's not all she's capable of doing. The junior from Frankfort, Ind. also ranks second on the team in scoring, with 13.0 points per game. Parsons has been in the zone early in the season from long-range, making 44 percent (7-16) of her three-point shots. She has also been money at the free throw line, making seven of her 10 foul shots (70.0 percent).



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**SINGLE SEASON TEAM RECORDS**

Field Goals Made	719	2004-05
Free Throws Made	372	1995-96
Three-Pointers Made	110	1997-98
Assists	488	2004-05
Steals	314	1995-96
Rebounds	1,137	1997-98
Blocks	68	2003-04
Points	1,858	2004-05
Field Goal Pct.	.477	2004-05
Free Throw Pct.	.695	2005-06
Three-point Pct.	.385	2001-02
Longest Win Streak	14	2003-04
Most Wins	22	2003-04
Home Win Streak	12	2002-03
Longest Losing Streak	13	1977-78

**SINGLE GAME TEAM RECORDS**

Field Goals Made	44	1982-83
Free Throws Made	31	2002-03
Three-Pointers Made	11	2000-01
Assists	31	2004-05
Steals	27	Twice
Rebounds	75	1980-81
Blocked Shots	14	1984-85
Points	107	1981-82
Best Field Goal Pct.	.580	1985-86
Best Free Throw Pct.	.923	2003-04
Best Three-Point Pct.	.670	1988-89
Most Points Allowed	106	1980-81

**SINGLE GAME RECORDS**

Points	Karalyn Dehn	37
Rebounds	Heather Schneider	24
Assists	Sara Gustafson	11
Blocks	Barb Blahnik	9
Steals	Karin Kedrowski	8
3-Pointers	Morgan Roberts	7

**Last Meeting vs. Illinois College:** The Red Hawks struggled to score the last time they played the Lady Blues, as Ripon shot just 27 percent in the game, en route to a 62-40 loss at Jacksonville, Ill. That included a 23 percent shooting performance by the Red Hawks in the first half, as they fell behind 26-16 at the half. JoEllen Buerger was the only Ripon player to score in double figures, with 11, while Illinois College's Ashley Law also scored 11 as IC's lone player in double figures.

**Looking Ahead:** After a four-game road trip, the Red Hawks will return home on Wednesday, December 5th, as they'll square off against St. Norbert College. The Green Knights entered the weekend with a 2-1 record after wins against Edgewood and Concordia (WI) to open the season. The Green Knights defeated Ripon twice last year, defeating them by 21 points in DePere, and by nine points in Ripon.

**Getting It Done Down Low:** The Red Hawks have been led by a pair of forwards this season. Sophomore Jessica DeHamer and junior Jeni Yaeger are the only two Red Hawks that are averaging double figures scoring this season, as they have combined to score 52 percent of the team's points. DeHamer leads the team with 13.4 points per game, while Yaeger is second, averaging 12.8 points. That duo also leads the team in rebounding, as DeHamer has pulled down 7.2 rebounds per game, which is slightly better than Yaeger's 7.0 rebounds per contest.

**Hold Them To 50:** One sure way of Ripon winning games this year has been keeping opponents under the 50-point mark. The Red Hawks have lost all three games in which they've allowed opponents to score over 50 points, while also winning both games in which they have held opponents under the 50-point mark.

**Watch The Red Hawks From Home:** The Midwest Conference is once again offering webcasts of all conference games this season. The games may be viewed by logging into [www.midwestconference.tv](http://www.midwestconference.tv). Single games are available for purchase for \$5.95, while team season passes are available for \$69.95.

# RIPON COLLEGE 2007-08 SEASON STATISTICS

TEAM STATISTICS	RC	OPP
SCORING.....	250	275
Points per game.....	50.0	55.0
Scoring margin.....	-5.0	-
FIELD GOALS-ATT.....	99-276	103-260
Field goal pct.....	.359	.396
3 POINT FG-ATT.....	7-46	18-69
3-point FG pct.....	.152	.261
3-pt FG made per game..	1.4	3.6
FREE THROWS-ATT.....	45-76	51-76
Free throw pct.....	.592	.671
REBOUNDS.....	185	176
Rebounds per game.....	37.0	35.2
Rebounding margin.....	+1.8	-
ASSISTS.....	46	47
Assists per game.....	9.2	9.4
TURNOVERS.....	122	112
Turnovers per game.....	24.4	22.4
Turnover margin.....	-2.0	-
Assist/turnover ratio..	0.4	0.4
STEALS.....	62	54
Steals per game.....	12.4	10.8
BLOCKS.....	5	16
Blocks per game.....	1.0	3.2
WINNING STREAK.....	0	-
Home win streak.....	0	-
ATTENDANCE.....	169	466
Home games-Avg/Game....	1-169	3-141
Neutral site-Avg/Game..	-	1-43

SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd	Total
Ripon College.....	122	128	-
Opponents.....	131	144	-

##	SUMMARY	GP-GS	Min	FG%	3PT%	FT%	R/G	A/G	STL	BLK	PTS/G
10	Tiffany Goebel.....	4-1	23.0	.500	1.000	.643	3.3	0.3	4	0	6.5
12	Ashley Meister.....	5-5	14.8	.286	.000	.000	2.4	0.8	7	0	1.6
14	Christina Schneider..	5-0	15.8	.308	.000	.750	1.4	0.2	4	0	2.2
20	Staci Dieringer.....	5-0	9.2	.188	.083	.000	1.4	0.4	0	1	1.4
21	Carissa Zuercher.....	5-5	32.2	.306	.214	.500	2.8	3.2	13	0	6.2
22	Amanda Lindauer.....	5-3	15.6	.192	.000	.600	2.0	0.4	6	1	2.6
24	Jana VanHandel.....	1-0	2.0	.000	.000	.000	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0
30	Jessica Goudreau....	2-0	4.5	.333	.000	.000	1.0	0.0	1	0	1.0
32	Emily Meyer.....	5-1	12.6	.308	.000	.250	3.2	1.0	5	1	1.8
34	Jessica DeHamer.....	5-5	29.8	.448	.000	.467	7.2	2.0	12	1	13.4
40	Tara Korotka.....	5-0	6.2	.143	.000	.000	0.8	0.2	0	1	0.4
42	Jeni Yaeger.....	5-5	31.8	.490	.000	.727	7.0	0.6	10	0	12.8
44	Katie Horkan.....	2-0	1.5	.000	.000	.000	0.5	0.0	0	0	0.0
50	Melissa Balen.....	2-0	2.5	.000	.000	.000	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0
54	Ashley Kaminski.....	5-0	9.4	.286	.333	.000	1.8	0.2	0	0	2.0
55	Alison Klekamp.....	1-0	2.0	.000	.000	.000	0.0	0.0	0	0	0.0
	Total.....	5		.359	.152	.592	37.0	9.2	62	5	50.0
	Opponents.....	5		.396	.261	.671	35.2	9.4	54	16	55.0

\*\*Statistics as of 11/29/07\*\*

# RIPON COLLEGE 2007-08 SEASON RESULTS

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All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES.....	(2-3)	(0-1)	(1-2)	(1-0)
CONFERENCE.....	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)	(0-0)
NON-CONFERENCE.....	(2-3)	(0-1)	(1-2)	(1-0)

DATE	TIME	OPPONENT		SCORE	ATTEND	HIGH POINTS	HIGH REBOUNDS
11/16/07	8:00 p.m.	vs Northland College	W	<u>59-48</u>	43	(18)Jeni Yaeger	(12)Jeni Yaeger
11/17/07	4:00 p.m.	at Lakeland College		<u>31-51</u> L	177	(6)Jeni Yaeger	(10)Jeni Yaeger
11/20/07	7:00 p.m.	UW-OSHKOSH		<u>55-69</u> L	169	(24)Jessica DeHamer	(8)Jessica DeHamer
11/24/07	2:00 p.m.	at Concordia Wisconsin	W	<u>53-44</u>	105	(16)Tiffany Goebel	(6)Tiffany Goebel
11/27/07	7:00 PM	at Wheaton College		<u>52-63</u> L	141	(17)Jessica DeHamer	(8)Jessica DeHamer

\* - Conference game

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