Women's 2001 Season Review

As the winner of the 2001 IronKids Bread / MVC Soccer Championship, Evansville earned the Missouri Valley Conference's automatic berth to the 2001 NCAA Women's Soccer Championship.

It was the Purple Aces' third trip in four years to NCAA postseason.

In 2001, an expanded NCAA tournament included four teams at each of 16 first- and second-round sites. Evansville played No. 2 Santa Clara at Champaign, Ill., in the opening round. UE fell 3-0.

Evansville advanced after beating Southwest Missouri State at Sportport in Maryland Heights, Mo., 2-1, in the title game of the Conference tournament.

Illinois State, the league's regularseason champion, did not make the 64team field. The Redbirds finished the 2001 campaign with a 13-5 record.

Creighton...Purple Postseason

Creighton again fell to Evansville for the sixth-consecutive postseason as the teams met at SportPort in Maryland Heights, Mo., in the IronKids Bread/MVC Championship. The Purple Aces have ended the Bluejays' season six years in a row, outscoring Creighton 17-2 in five matches.

Netminding...

Creighton goalkeeper Jaimie Thompson posted 12 wins last season for the Bluejays, the second-highest single-season total in school history. Her 1,728 minutes played last season was also the second-highest total, while her 86 saves rank fourth in a single-season.

Birds and the Trees...

With Creighton's 2-0 win over Indiana State in the Missouri Valley Conference Tournament play-in match, the Jays finished off a dominating two-game series against the Sycamores last year. In the two games, Creighton outscored Indiana State 8-1, while outshooting the Sycamores 63-5.

FINAL 2001 Valley Women's Soccer Standings

	Missouri Valley						Overall Records								
	W	L	T	Pts.	Pct.	G	GA	W	L	T	Pct.	G	GA	Stk.	
Illinois State	6	0	0	18	1.000	17	3	13	5	0	.722	40	16	L1	
Evansville	4	1	1	13	.750	13	6	13	7	1	.643	41	28	L1	
Creighton	4	2	0	12	.667	14	7	12	8	0	.600	44	23	L1	
Drury	3	3	0	9	.500	12	13	7	11	0	.389	28	49	L1	
SMS	2	4	0	6	.333	7	11	9	8	1	.528	27	27	W1	
Indiana State	1	4	1	4	.250	4	14	6	11	2	.368	27	38	L1	
Northern Iowa	0	6	0	0	.000	3	16	4	12	0	.250	18	34	1	
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Teams ranked by point system (Win=3 points; Tie=1 point; Loss=0 points), then overall winning percentage.

Eight at Home...

Creighton's defeat of Indiana State on Oct. 5 was its eighth home victory of the season, a number it had not reached since the Jays went a perfect 8-0 at home in 1994.

Drury...Noteworthy

Jody Palazzolo was the second part of the Panthers' one-two punch. A member of last year's MVC All-Freshman team, Palazzolo recorded three goals and one assist in conference play in 2001.

Under The Knife...

Meanwhile, Drury senior stand out Lotte Reijmers underwent successful knee surgery near the end of last season and began her rehab program. Lotte played in 10 games in 2001, but her absence was felt in the Panthers' final eight matches.

Wright On...

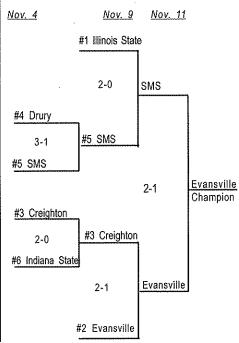
Drury's Carrie Wright was named to the NSCAA/adidas College Women's Scholar-Athlete Central Region Third Team. Wright, who was a First Team All-Missouri Valley selection in 2001, has a 3.87 grade point average while pursuing a major in mathematics. The Missouri Valley Conference had two players recognized by the NSCAA and adidas. Besides Wright, Sara Hovland

of Creighton was recognized. Hovland has a 3.45 grade point average and is a philosophy/3-D Art major.

Evansville...Tourney Bound Again

Evansville improved to 12-1-1 all-time in MVC Tournament matches. The Purple Aces won the league's first four tournaments, from 1996 through 1999, before finishing second to SMS in 2000.

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Women's 2001 Season Statistics

Individual Scoring (Points Per Game)

Name Annie Wayland, ILS Carrie Wright, Drury Jane Masteller, UNI Claire Hemkens, INS Krystle Campa, CU	MP 18 18 16 16 20	G 16 9 8 6	A 2 4 2 6 6	PTS 34 22 18 18 22	PPG 1.89 1.22 1.13 1.13 1.10
Lulu Quigley, CU Debbie Stark, SMS Jessica Schwartz, UE Kristin Prom, UE Regina Moench, CU	20	7	8	22	1.10
	17	7	3	17	1.00
	21	8	4	20	0.95
	19	7	4	18	0.95
	20	7	4	18	0.90

Individual Goals Per Game

<u>Name</u>	MP	<u>Goals</u>	<u>GPG</u>
Annie Wayland, ILS	18	16	0.889
Jane Masteller, UNI	16	8	0.500
Carrie Wright, Drury	18	9	0.500
Debbie Stark, SMS	17	7	0.412
Krystle Campa, CU	20	8	0.400
Jessica Schwartz, UE	21	8	0.381
Claire Hemkens, INS	16	6	0.375
Kristin Prom, UE	19	7	0.368
Lulu Quigley, CU	20	7	0.350
Regina Moench, CU	20	7	0.350

Individual Assists Per Game

Name, School	MP	<u>Assists</u>	<u>APG</u>
Lotte Reijmers, Drury	9	4	0.444
Lulu Quigley, CU	20	8	0.400
Claire Hemkens, INS	16	6	0.375
Kelan Brill, CU	20	7	0.350
Tracye Burch, UE	21	7	0.333
Jamie Brinck, INS	19	6	0.316
Emily McCart, UNI	16	5	0.313
Krystle Campa, CU	20	6	0.300
Shannon McBride, SMS	11	3	0.273
Franny Hylok, CU	19	5	0.263

Individual Goalkeeping

Name, School	MP	Mln.	<u>ShO</u>	<u>sv</u>	<u>GA</u>	<u>GAA</u>
Lynley Hilligoss,ILS	16	1436	4	62	14	0.877
Jaimie Thompson, CU	20	1728	6.5	86	23	1.198
Katie Howard,UE	21	1956	4	73	28	1.288
Katie Holsopple, SMS	5	271	0.5	19	4	1.328
Alexis Stormo, SMS	19	1590	4.5	141	25	1.415
Carey Patton, INS	19	1574	3	152	33	1.887
Anne Marie Witko, UNI	16	1355	3	116	34	2.258
Nicole Niman, INS	5	144	0	9	5	3.125
Brittany Kimbro, Drury	8	720	0	54	27	3.375

Team Scoring

<u>School</u>	M	G	A	PTS	GPG	FOULS	CK
CU	19	43	49	135	2.263	249	98
ILS	18	40	24	104	2.222	141	94
UE	21	41	40	122	1.952	213	129
Drury	18	28	20	76	1.556	217	60
SMS	20	30	30	90	1.500	224	110
INS	19	27	24	78	1.421	240	55
UNI	16	18	14	50	1.125	134	55

Team Goalkeeping

School	MP	MIN.	SAVES	<u>GA</u>	<u>GAA</u>	<u>ShO</u>
ILS	18	1657	70	16	0.869	. 6
CU	19	1751	91	21	1.079	7
UE	21	1992	73	28	1.265	5
SMS	20	1880	161	29	1.388	5
INS	19	1777	165	38	1.925	3
UNI	16	1444	126	34	2.119	3
Drury	18	1676	95	49	2.631	1