



2014 GAME NOTES

Wednesday, March 26

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2014 Schedule

2/15	at James Madison	L, 11-14
2/19	HIGH POINT	W, 11-10
2/23	ELON	W, 17-7
2/26	at Longwood	W, 15-8
3/2	#12 NOTRE DAME*	L, 9-18
3/9	#6 DUKE*	L, 6-14
3/12	at Delaware	L, 3-17
3/15	at William & Mary	W, 11-10
3/22	COASTAL CAROLINA	W, 18-9
3/26	at #1 North Carolina*	W, 21-9
3/29	at Old Dominion	1 PM
4/2	LIBERTY	4 PM
4/5	SYRACUSE*	1 PM
4/12	at Boston College*	Noon
4/16	VIRGINIA*	6 PM
4/19	at Maryland*	Noon
4/24-26	ACC Tournament!	TBD

BOLD CAPS denotes home game
(Played at Thompson Field)

* denotes ACC opponent

! denotes ACC Tournament in Newton, Mass.

All times Eastern



**VIRGINIA TECH
HOKIES**

5-5
0-3 ACC

VS.

3-7

Old Dominion
LADY MONARCHS



Sat., March 29 • 1 PM • L.R. Hill Sports Complex • Norfolk, Va.

Live Stats: www.hokiesports.com (link)

Live Video: www.hokiesports.com (link)

Series Info

All Time vs. Old Dominion: 5-2 • **At VT:** 3-1 • **At ODU:** 2-1 • **Neutral:** 0-0

Notes: Tech leads the all-time series with the Lady Monarchs 5-2, claiming the last five meetings ... The two teams have faced off in each of the past five seasons ... The Hokies claimed the 2013 meeting, 16-8, in Blacksburg - Megan Will and Meg Bartley combined for seven goals and two assists, while Jack Boissonneault and Kelly Naslonski added three goals and three assists off the bench.

Scouting Old Dominion

Old Dominion enters the weekend at 3-7 on the year, 1-3 at home. The Lady Monarchs have suffered back-to-back losses, most recently falling at No. 16 Virginia, 19-8, on Wednesday. Emily Austerberry has led the offense this season with 22 goals and 10 assists. Austerberry has also been big on the draw for Old Dominion, winning a team-best 23 on the year.

Maggi Buckley and Karen Hayde have split time in goal for the Lady Monarchs. Buckley hold a 2-4 record and .477 save percentage with 71 saves, while Hayde is 1-3 on the season, making 34 saves.

Hokie Notes

-- Junior Megan Will broke onto Tech's all-time scoring list with four goals against Coastal Carolina and the points list with three goals at No. 1 North Carolina. She is three assists away from joining that top-ten list as well.

-- Junior Cawley Bromley had a career game at William & Mary, scoring three goals and finishing with four points and made it back-to-back four-point games against Coastal.

-- Against No. 6 Duke, the Hokie defense forced the Blue Devils into a season-high 18 turnovers with their average of 10 coming in the first half, also holding them to a season-low four first-half goals.

-- Entering the week, two Hokies rank among the top 30 in the nation in their respective categories. Junior Meg Bartley ranks the highest of the pair, tied for 9th in the country averaging 5.67 draws per game.

-- Redshirt senior Julia Heaps set a career high with five goals and seven points in the season opener at James Madison.

-- Redshirt senior Julia Heaps became the second Hokie on the 2014 roster to rank among the all-time best as her three assists against High Point broke her onto the list.

-- Junior Meg Bartley is the only player to have scored in every game so far this season.

-- In this week's polls, seven of Tech's opponents are ranked nationally, with another receiving votes.

-- Seniors Julia Heaps, Kelly Naslonski, Lindsay Roche and Becca Niles captain the Hokies this season.

-- Tech welcomes 10 freshmen this season, as well as two new assistant coaches.

Quick Facts

Head Coach:	Megan Burker (Stanford '06)
Career Record (yrs):	28-23 (three seasons)
Record at Tech (yrs):	28-23 (three seasons)
Asst. Coach:	Liz Hogan (Syracuse '11)
Asst. Coach:	Danielle Etrasco (BU '13)
2013 Record:	8-8
ACC Record/ Finish:	0-5 (6th)
Home:	3-5
Away:	5-3
Starters Returned/ Lost:	6/7

GENERAL

Name of School:	Virginia Tech
Location:	Blacksburg, Va.
Founded:	1872
Enrollment:	28,000
Nickname:	Hokies
Colors:	Chicago maroon & burnt orange
Home Field:	Thompson Field (2,028)
Conference:	Atlantic Coast Conference
Website:	www.hokiesports.com

Last Time Out

The Hokies returned to conference play in the midweek this week as they travel to No. 1 North Carolina. Tech fell to the unbeaten defending national champs, 21-9 Wednesday night, but saw impressive performances from junior Megan Will and sophomore Jessi Thon, who each scored three goals.

The Tar Heels got out to a hot start, jumping out to a 5-0 lead in the first five minutes of play, but Meg Bartley got Tech on the board and the Hokies battled to eventually make it an 8-4 game with back-to-back goals from Thon and Will.

North Carolina took a 12-4 lead into the break and dominated possession in the second half, only allowing Tech to take four shots.

Freshman Meagh Graham logged the complete game in cage and finished with nine saves against the Heels.

The Nation's Elite

Entering the week of play, two Hokies rank among the top players in the nation in their respective categories. Junior Meg Bartley boasts the highest ranking, as she is tied for 9th with a 5.67 draws average. Junior Megan Will is tied for 20th in the country with 39 points so far this year, while also ranking 24th with 4.33 points per game and 30th with 1.67 assists per game.

Against The Best

Being in the Atlantic Coast Conference, the Hokies play a number of the nation's best teams and players on a weekly basis. Tech has already faced four ranked opponents this season, recently falling at No. 1 North Carolina Wednesday night. All seven of Tech's conference opponents rank in the top 20 in both polls with six of them ranking in the top 10.

Although Tech is just 5-77 against ranked opponents, the Hokies have knocked off two ranked opponents in two of the last three seasons.

Record Watch

Junior Meg Bartley has already broken into the all-time top 10, and ranks third with 166 career draws. She has also made her second notch on the single-seasons draw list, ranking second with 69 last year.

Redshirt senior Julia Heaps broke into the all-time assists list against High Point earlier this year. She currently ranks eighth all-time with 41.

Junior Megan Will's 42 goals last season landed her on the single-season scoring list, ranking seventh. She broke into the all-time career scoring list against Coastal Carolina and is currently tied for 9th all-time with 99 career goals and 133 career points. Will needs just three assists to crack the top-10.

Scoring at Will

Junior Megan Will has scored in nine of ten games for the Hokies so far this year and has had at least one point in each of the last 18 games. The Bel Air, Md., native neared a career high at Longwood, after setting the mark against the Lancers a year ago, when she put away five goals and assisted two more.

Bartley, an Unexpected Surprise

Junior Meg Bartley walked on to the Tech lacrosse team in the Fall of 2011 and as the 2012 season began she made a quick and efficient impact. The Lewes, Del., native earned a starting job on attack by the fifth game, after scoring four goals and assisting another against UC Davis at home.

Bartley has been a huge threat for the Hokies on the draw. After leading the league in the category a season ago, she remains atop the ACC and is 9th in the nation, averaging 5.67.

Easy Transition

Senior captain Kelly Naslonski gave the Hokies dependable production off the bench last season. Playing in 13 games and earning two starts, Naslonski scored 10 goals and finished the year second on the team with 13 assists.

So far this season she has had no trouble with her new starting role and has had a point in five of the eight games she has played in, missing two due to illness.

Seasoned Sophomores

With a year of on-field experience under their belts, sophomores Meghan Macera and Jessi Thon have become consistent leaders in the midfield. The pair has combined for 28 points and round out the top three on the team in draws this year. Macera is second in the ACC averaging 2.88 ground balls per game, while Thon is third with 1.62 caused turnovers per game.

Veteran Advantage

Redshirt senior Julia Heaps got her final season as a Hokie off to an impressive start at James Madison. Heaps has a career day, setting new highs in goals (5) and points (7).

In the home opener against High Point, Heaps made her way onto Tech's all-time assists list with three in the game. The Street, Md., native is currently ranked eighth all-time with 40 career assists.

Graham in Goal

Freshman goalie Meagh Graham has been an aggressive threat on defense and a stronghold in cage for the Hokies early in her career. Starting every game of the season, Graham is second on the team in ground balls (25) and caused turnovers (12) so far.

2014 Team Game Highs & Lows

Most Points	30, Coastal Carolina (3/22)
Least Point	5, at Delaware (3/12)
Most Goals	18, Coastal Carolina (3/22)
Least Goals	3, at Delaware (3/12)
Most Assists	12, Coastal Carolina (3/22)
Least Assists	1, at North Carolina (3/26)
Most Shot	43, Elon (2/23)
Least Shots	14, at North Carolina (3/26)
Most Ground Balls	22, twice
Least Ground Balls	9, at Delaware (3/12)
Most Turnovers	18, twice
Least Turnovers	9, twice

2014 Team Opponent Highs & Lows

Most Points	35, Notre Dame (3/2)
Least Points	9, Elon (2/23)
Most Goals	21, at North Carolina (3/26)
Least Goals	7, Elon (2/23)
Most Assists	9, twice
Least Assists	1, High Point (2/19)
Most Shots	40, at North Carolina (3/26)
Least Shots	15, twice
Most Ground Balls	25, at North Carolina (3/26)
Least Ground Balls	13, Elon (2/23)
Most Turnovers	18, Duke (3/9)
Least Turnovers	8, at Longwood (2/26)

Protecting the Cage

Tech's starting defensive unit of Lindsay Roche, Becca Niles, Kelsey Allen and Maddy Hess is newly assembled this season and entered the year with just two starts among them. So far this year the quartet has combined for 37 ground balls and 20 caused turnovers through eight games and recently notched arguably it's best performance of the year against No. 6 Duke. With the help of goalie Meagh Graham, who adds 25 ground balls and 12 caused turnovers of her own, the Hokies held Duke to a season-low four first-half goals and forced the Blue Devils into a season-high 18 turnovers in the game.

2014 Single Game Highs

Goals

Julia Heaps	5
(at JMU 2/15)	
Megan Will	5
(at Longwood 2/26)	

Assists

Megan Will	4
(Coastal 3/22)	

Points

Megan Will	8
(Coastal 3/22)	

Shots

Megan Will	9
(Elon 2/23, at Longwood 2/26, ND 3/2)	

Draw Controls

Meg Bartley	8
(Elon 2/23, at Longwood 2/26)	

Ground Balls

Jessi Thon.....	6
(at JMU 2/15)	
Meagh Graham	6
(Duke, 3/9)	

Caused Turnovers

Lindsay Roche.....	4
(at JMU 2/15)	
Meagh Graham	4
(at Longwood 2/26)	
Jessi Thon.....	4
(Duke, 3/9)	

Saves

Meagh Graham	12
(HPU 2/19)	

Streaks

Goals

Player	Goals	Games
Meg Bartley	10	10
(at JMU 2/15, HPU 2/19, Elon, 2/13, at Longwood 2/26, ND 3/2, Duke 3/9, at Delaware 3/12, at W&M 3/15, CC 3/22, at UNC 3/26)		

Bromley, Thon, Will	3	3
(at W&M 3/15, CC 3/22, at UNC 3/26)		

Assists

Player	Assists	Games
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2014 Statistical Leaders

Goals	Shots	Caused Turnovers
Megan Will	Megan Will	Jessi Thon.....
27	60	15
Meg Bartley	Meghan Macera	Meagh Graham
22	42	12
Julia Heaps	Meg Bartley.....	Lindsay Roche.....
19	39	11

Assists	Draw Controls	Saves
Megan Will	Meg Bartley.....	Meagh Graham
15	54	58
Julia Heaps	Meghan Macera	Hannah Sieger
11	28	16
Jessi Thon.....	Jessi Thon.....	
6	21	

Points	Ground Balls
Megan Will	Meghan Macera
42	27
Julia Heaps	Meagh Graham
30	25
Meg Bartley.....	Jessi Thon.....
22	14

2014 VIRGINIA TECH LACROSSE ROSTER

No.	Name	Yr	Pos	Hometown	High School
1	Gracee Hendrix	M	So.	Vero Beach, Fla.	Vero Beach
2	Kelly Naslonski	A	Sr.	East Setauket, N.Y.	Ward Melville
3	Haley Lukefahr	M	Fr.	Corning, N.Y.	Corning-Painted Post East
4	Maddie Doan	M	Fr.	Ashton, Md.	Sherwood
5	Laney Clarke	A	So.	Virginia Beach, Va.	Cape Henry
6	Claiborne Lucas	A	So.	Roanoke, Va.	Patrick Henry
7	Maddy Hess	D	Jr.	Lancaster, Pa.	Penn Manor
8	Lindsay Roche	D	Sr.	Sykesville, Md.	Century
9	Sammi Wilson	D	Fr.	Rockville, Md.	Good Counsel
10	Colleen Ward	A	Fr.	Odenton, Md.	Arundel
11	Jessi Thon	M	So.	Victor, N.Y.	Victor
12	Kelsey Allen	D	So.	West Islip, N.Y.	West Islip
13	Cawley Bromley	A	Jr.	Cary, N.C.	Apex
14	Maddy Wollmuth	M	Fr.	Stony Brook, N.Y.	Ward Melville
15	Meghan Macera	M	So.	Westminster, Md.	Westminster
16	Becca Niles	D	Sr.	Columbus, Ohio	Upper Arlington
17	Jack Boissonneault	M	Jr.	Brooklin, Ontario, Canada	Donald A. Wilson
19	Meg Bartley	A	Jr.	Lewes, Del.	Cape Henlopen
21	Rachel Skay	M	Jr.	North Bethesda, Md.	Walter Johnson
24	Kristine Loscalzo	M	Fr.	Miller Place, N.Y.	Rocky Point
25	Ellie Matthews	M	Fr.	Clarksville, Md.	Atholton
26	Julia Heaps	A	r-Sr.	Street, Md.	North Harford
27	Tara Feehan	D	Fr.	Glen Head, N.Y.	North Shore
29	Hannah Sieger	G	So.	San Diego, Calif.	Rancho Bernardo
31	Alex Cozza	D	Fr.	Carnegie, Pa.	Oakland Catholic
33	Meagh Graham	G	Fr.	Kensington, Md.	Good Counsel
35	Megan Will	A	Jr.	Bel Air, Md.	C. Milton Wright

Head Coach: Megan Burkner (Stanford '06) Fourth Season
Assistant Coach: Liz Hogan (Syracuse '11) First Season
Assistant Coach: Danielle Etrasco (Boston University '13) First Season

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Jack Boissonneault	bwah-sun-oh
Gracee Hendrix	gray-see
Meghan Macera	mess-sera
Kelly Naslonski	naz-lon-ski
Hannah Sieger	see-gur
Jessi Thon	thown



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Around the ACC

Wednesday, March 26

North Carolina 21, Virginia Tech 9	Chapel Hill, N.C.
Maryland 19, Towson 8	College Park, Md.
Boston College 13, Harvard 9	Cambridge, Mass.
Virginia 19, Old Dominion 8	Charlottesville, Va.

Saturday, March 29

Stanford at Notre Dame	Noon
Boston College at Maryland	Noon
Virginia Tech at Old Dominion	1 p.m.
Duke at Syracuse	1 p.m.

Sunday, March 30

North Carolina at Northwestern	Noon
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ACC Standings

Rk.	Team	ACC Rec.	Overall
1.	Maryland	4-0	12-0
2.	North Carolina	3-0	11-0
3.	Syracuse	2-1	9-1
4.	Duke	2-1	7-3
5.	Boston College	1-2	8-2
6.	Notre Dame	1-3	8-3
7.	Virginia Tech	0-3	5-5
8.	Virginia	0-3	5-6



National Preseason Polls

IWLCA Poll (Week 7)

- Team**
1. North Carolina
 2. Maryland
 3. Syracuse
 4. Florida
 5. Boston College
 6. Notre Dame
 7. Northwestern
 8. Duke
 9. Johns Hopkins
 10. Massachusetts
 11. Penn State
 12. Penn
 13. Stanford
 14. Georgetown
 15. Loyola
 16. Virginia
 17. Stony Brook
 18. Ohio State
 19. Towson
 20. Albany

Opponents RV: James Madison

Brine Media Poll (Week 6)

- Team**
1. North Carolina
 2. Maryland
 3. Syracuse
 4. Boston College
 5. Florida
 6. Notre Dame
 7. Johns Hopkins
 8. Northwestern
 9. Duke
 10. Massachusetts
 11. Stanford
 12. Penn State
 13. Penn
 14. Loyola
 15. Georgetown
 16. Stony Brook
 17. Ohio State
 18. Albany
 19. Navy
 20. Virginia

Opponents RV: James Madison

Virginia Tech Lacrosse
Virginia Tech Combined Team Statistics
All games (as of Mar 28, 2014)

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	5-5	3-2	2-3	0-0
CONFERENCE	0-3	0-2	0-1	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	5-2	3-0	2-2	0-0

Date	Opponent		Score	Att.	## PLAYER	GP	G	A	Pts	Sh	GB	DC	TO	CT
Feb 15	at James Madison	L	11-14	167	35 Megan Will	10	27	15	42	60	7	4	14	1
Feb 19	HIGH POINT	w	11-10	134	19 Meg Bartley	10	22	0	22	39	13	54	7	6
Feb 23	ELON	w	17-7	205	26 Julia Heaps	10	19	11	30	28	10	0	16	1
02-26-14	at Longwood	w	15-8	76	11 Jessi Thon	10	12	6	18	25	14	21	20	15
* Mar 02	#12 NOTRE DAME	L	9-18	237	15 Meghan Macera	10	11	2	13	42	27	28	12	8
*4Mar 09	#6 DUKE	L	6-14	151	13 Cawley Bromley	10	7	5	12	15	5	2	6	3
Mar 12	at Delaware	L	3-17	332	17 Jack Boissonneault	10	5	3	8	18	11	4	15	6
Mar 15	at William and Mary	w	11-10	234	2 Kelly Naslonski	8	4	4	8	8	2	0	4	1
Mar 22	COASTAL CAROLINA	w	18-9	443	14 Maddy Wollmuth	9	2	1	3	9	2	1	4	1
* Mar 26	at #1 North Carolina	L	9-21	205	24 Kristine Loscalzo	9	1	1	2	4	5	5	4	1
					10 Colleen Ward	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
					4 Maddie Doan	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
					5 Laney Clarke	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
					6 Claiborne Lucas	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
					21 Rachel Skay	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
					25 Ellie Matthews	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
					9 Sammi Wilson	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
					1 Gracee Hendrix	7	0	1	1	3	4	2	2	3
					27 Tara Feehan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
					33 Meagh Graham	10	0	0	0	0	25	0	10	12
					31 Alex Cozza	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
					16 Becca Niles	10	0	0	0	0	7	0	4	4
					12 Kelsey Allen	10	0	0	0	0	4	4	7	1
					8 Lindsay Roche	10	0	1	1	0	13	2	3	11
					7 Maddy Hess	10	0	0	0	1	13	3	3	4
					29 Hannah Sieger	6	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	0
					Total	10	110	50	160	253	166	131	138	78
					Opponents	10	128	43	171	255	184	127	132	76

TEAM STATISTICS **VT** **OPP**

SHOT STATISTICS

Goals-Shot attempts	110-253	128-255
Goals scored per game	11.00	12.80
Shot pct.	.435	.502
Shots on goal-Attempts	188-253	202-255
SOG pct.	.743	.792
Shots/Game	25.3	25.5
Assists	50	43
Free position Made-Att	14-40	15-40
Free position pct.	.350	.375

GOAL BREAKDOWN

Total Goals	110	128
Free-position	14	15
Unassisted	61	85
Overtime	0	0
Goals scored average	11.00	12.80
GROUND BALLS	166	184
DRAW CONTROLS	131	127
TURNOVERS	138	132
CAUSED TURNOVERS	78	76
CLEARs	126-147	114-137
Clear Pct.	.857	.832
ATTENDANCE		
Total	1170	1014
Dates/Avg Per Date	5/234	5/203
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

## Goalie	GP	Min.	GA	GA	Save	Pct	W-L-T
29 Hannah Sieger	6	116:14	19	9.81	16	.457	1-0-0
33 Meagh Graham	10	483:46	109	13.52	58	.347	4-5-0
Total	10	600:00	128	12.80	74	.366	5-5-0
Opponents	10	600:00	110	11.00	78	.415	5-5-0

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia Tech	55	55	110
Opponents	61	67	128

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia Tech	32	42	74
Opponents	41	37	78

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	Total
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