

# Washburn Tennis

2002 Media Guide



# **2002 Ichabods and Lady Blues Roster**

## **2002 Washburn Lady Blues**

Aisha Butt	5-2	SR	Clay Center, Kan./Kansas State University
Kris Castillo	5-3	FR	San Antonio, Texas/James Madison HS
Caitlin Day	5-5	FR	Topeka, Kan./Topeka West HS
Heather Munro	5-6	SO	Topeka, Kan./Johnson County Community College
Holly Munro	5-7	SO	Topeka, Kan./Highland Park High School
Lindsay Sullivan	5-4	SO	St. Louis Mo./Lutheran High School South
Erin Underwood	5-7	SO	Topeka, Kan./Washburn Rural High School
Carrie Wadley	5-6	SO	Berryton, Kan./Shawnee Heights High School
Head Coach: Jennifer Hastert			

## **2002 Washburn Ichabods**

Tony Buccolo	5-11	175	SO	Pittsburg, Kan./Pittsburg High School
Brandon Dunstan	5-9	180	SR	Eldon, Mo./School of the Osage
Will Heidebrecht	5-8	140	SR	McPherson, Kan./McPherson High School
Nathan Hurd	5-10	180	FR	Columbus, Kan./Columbus, Kan.
Steve Roundtree	5-10	145	FR	Corpus Christi, Texas/New Braumsfield HS
Fernando Sierra	6-2	200	SR	Monterrey, Mexico/University of Kansas
Desmond Tan	6-1	185	SR	Singapore, Singapore/Serangoon Secondary
Rafeal Valdez	6-0	145	SO	Culiacan, Mexico/Pratt Community College
Head Coach: Jennifer Hastert				



**On the cover:** Washburn seniors (clockwise) Aisha Butt, Brandon Dunstan, Fernando Sierra, Desmond Tan and Will Heidebrecht.

# 2002 Washburn Tennis Schedule

<b>DATE</b>	<b>OPPONENT</b>	<b>PLACE</b>	<b>TIME</b>
<b>March 1</b>	<b>Univ. of Colorado-Colorado Springs - M/W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>TBA</b>
<b>March 2</b>	<b>Colorado Mines - M</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>TBA</b>
<b>March 2</b>	<b>University of Northern Colorado - W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>TBA</b>
<b>March 3</b>	<b>University of Southern Colorado- M/W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>TBA</b>
<b>March 5</b>	<b>*Missouri Southern State College - W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>3 pm</b>
March 7	Southeastern Oklahoma - M/W	Lawton, OK	3:30pm

## **Cameron University Tournament - March 8-9**

March 8-9	Cameron Tournament	Lawton, OK	TBA
March 17	Ouachita Baptist University - M/W	Arkadelphia, AR	1 pm
March 18	Delta State University - M/W	Cleveland, MS	1pm
March 20	Harding University - M/W	Searcy, AR	Noon
<b>March 23</b>	<b>Metro State College - M/W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>Noon</b>
<b>March 26</b>	<b>Winona State University - M/W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>9 am</b>
<b>March 28</b>	<b>Johnson County Community College - M/W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>2:30 pm</b>
<b>April 2</b>	<b>*Southwest Baptist University - M/W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>3 pm</b>
<b>April 3</b>	<b>*Emporia State University - M/W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>3pm</b>
<b>April 4</b>	<b>Barton County Community College - M/W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>3:30 pm</b>
April 6	Drury University - M/W	Kansas City, MO	9 am
<b>April 8</b>	<b>Rockhurst University - M</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>3 pm</b>
<b>April 9</b>	<b>*Northwest Missouri State University - M/W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>3 pm</b>
<b>April 11</b>	<b>*Missouri Western State College - W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>4 pm</b>
April 12i	*University of Missouri-Rolla - M	Rolla, MO	3 pm
April 13	*Truman State University - M/W	Kirksville, MO	2 pm
April 15	Rockhurst University - W	Kansas City, MO	3 pm
<b>April 16</b>	<b>University of Nebraska-Omaha - W</b>	<b>Topeka</b>	<b>4pm</b>

## **MIAA Tournament - April 18-20**

April 18-20	MIAA Tournament	Springfield, MO	1 pm
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## **NCAA Regionals - May 3-4**

May 3-4	NCAA Regionals	TBA	TBA
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**HOME GAMES IN BOLDFACE (AT WASHBURN TENNIS COMPLEX)**

**\*MID-AMERICA INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS ASSOCIATION MATCH**

# 2002 Washburn Tennis



**2002 Washburn Lady Blues:** (Front Row) Head Coach Jennifer Hastert, Aisha Butt, Carrie Wadley, Kris Castillo and Lindsay Sullivan. (Back Row) Heather Munro, Erin Underwood, Holly Munro, Caitlin Day and Assistant Coach Adam Wood.



**2002 Washburn Ichabods:** (Front Row) Head Coach Jennifer Hastert, Nathan Hurd, Will Heidebrecht, Brandon Dunstan, Rafeal Valdez, Desmond Tan. (Back Row) Steven Roundtree, Tony Buccolo, Fernando Sierra, Blake Edwards, Assistant Coach Adam Wood.

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# Media Information

The 2002 Washburn University Men's and Women's Tennis Media Guide is intended to provide information for writers, broadcasters, sports editors, sports information personnel and fans who follow the Ichabods. Material in the guide was current as of the printing deadline Feb. 14. Additional information is available in the Washburn Sports Information Office and through weekly releases available to personnel from accredited media outlets covering the Ichabods and Lady Blues.

Washburn University is in Topeka, Kan., at

the intersection of 21st Street and Washburn Avenue. The Washburn Tennis Complex is located south of Petro Allied Health Center.

The Washburn University Sports Information Office is located in room D in the Washburn Athletics Office. Office hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. Phone: 785.231.1010 x1791; Fax: 785.231.1091. You may e-mail the SID office at [cassell@washburn.edu](mailto:cassell@washburn.edu).

Media credentials are not required for covering Washburn tennis.

# Washburn Quick Facts

Sports Information Director .....	Gene Cassell
Office phone .....	785.231.1010 x1791
Fax .....	785.231.1091
Home .....	785.357.5094
Tennis office .....	785.231.1010 x1757
Location .....	Topeka, Kansas
Enrollment .....	6,500
Founded.....	1865
Nickname.....	Ichabods/Lady Blues
Colors.....	Yale Blue and White
Facility .....	Washburn Tennis Complex
Surface .....	Hard court
Athletic affiliations.....	NCAA Division II

Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Assoc. President.....	Dr. Jerry Farley
Athletic director.....	Loren Ferre'
Head tennis coach.....	Jennifer Hastert
Alma mater .....	Washburn '97
Record at WU ..	40-5-1 Lady Blues, 17-21 Ichabods
Combined Record.....	57-26-1 (3rd season)
Overall record.....	same
Office phone .....	x1757
Best time to call .....	mornings
2001 records .....	21-3 Lady Blues, 10-13 Ichabods
2001 MIAA records ..	4-1 Lady Blues, 2-2 Ichabods

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# About Washburn

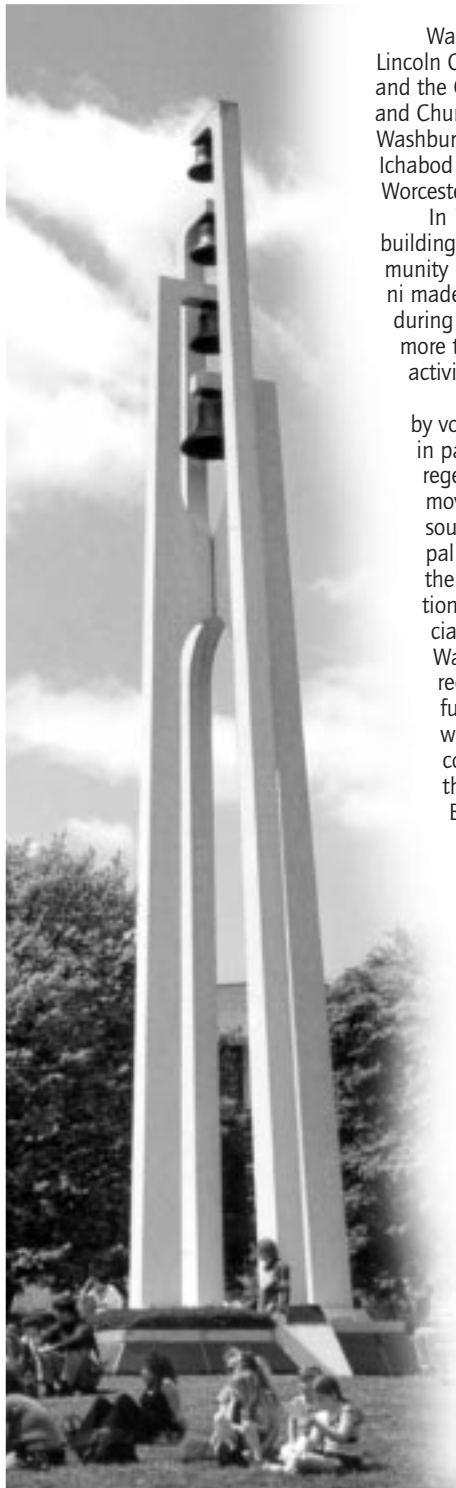
Washburn University was established in 1865 as Lincoln College by a charter issued by the state of Kansas and the General Association of Congregational Ministers and Churches of Kansas. In 1868, the school was renamed Washburn College, in recognition of a \$25,000 donation by Ichabod Washburn, a church deacon and resident of Worcester, Mass.

In 1966, a tornado struck Topeka and several historic buildings on campus were demolished. The Washburn community rallied and financial support from friends and alumni made possible the rebuilding of many school facilities during the coming years. Today, university facilities offer more than one million square feet of modern academic, activity and support space.

In 1941, the citizens of Topeka endorsed Washburn by voting to establish a municipal university, supported in part by the city and governed by a local board of regents. In 1999, the university primary funding was moved from the city property tax to county sales tax sources, with the school retaining status as a municipal subdivision of the state. In addition to local financial support.

Washburn has received state funds since 1961, which have been coordinated by the Kansas Board of Regents since 1991.

Washburn is governed by a nine-member Board of Regents. Washburn provides



# About Washburn

broadly-based liberal arts and professional education through more than 190 certificate, associate, baccalaureate, master's and juris doctor programs through the College of Arts and Sciences and the Schools of Law, Business, Nursing and Applied Studies. Ninety percent of the faculty hold a doctorate of the highest degree available in their discipline. Individual attention is a priority at Washburn, with a student to faculty ratio of 18 to 1.



## Dr. Jerry Farley University President



Dr. Jerry B. Farley is in his fourth year as the president of Washburn University after a long association with the University of Oklahoma in Norman.

Farley previously held the position of vice president for community relations and economic development at OU and vice-president for administrative affairs at the Norman and Health Sciences Center campuses.

Before that, he held the position of vice president for business and finance at

Oklahoma State University and previously served as the associate vice president for administrative affairs and controller at the University of Oklahoma, Norman campus.

He earned his bachelor degree in accounting and finance and his masters and doctorate in higher education administration from OU.

He is a past president of the Southern Association of College and University Business Officers and is actively engaged in state and national associations of the College and University Business Officers.

Farley has been on the Board of Directors of the American Red Cross, the American Cancer Society, Oklahoma Teachers' Retirement System, the Norman Chamber of Commerce and the Norman Economic Development Coalition.

## Washburn Academic Majors

### College of Arts and Sciences

Anthropology, BA  
Art, BA/BFA  
Biology, BA/BS  
Business Education, BEd  
Chemistry, BA/BS  
Computer Information Science, AA/BA/BS  
Early Childhood Ed., AA/BA  
Economics, BA  
Education, BEd/MEd  
English, BA  
French, BA  
General Science, BS  
General Studies, BGS  
German, BA  
History, BA  
Humanities, Creative and Performing Arts, AA

Mass Media Studies, BA  
Mathematics, BA/BS  
Medical Technology, BS  
Music, BA/BM  
Natural Science and Mathematics, AA  
Philosophy, BA  
Physical Education, BA/BEd  
Physics, BA/BS  
Political Science, BA  
Psychology, BA/MA  
Public Administration, BPA  
Religious Studies, BA  
Sociology, BA  
Spanish, BA  
Speech Communication, BA  
Theatre, BA  
**School of Business**  
Business Administration,

BBA/MBA  
Accounting, BBA  
Economics, BBA  
Finance, BBA  
Management, BBA  
Marketing, BBA  
General Business, BBA  
**School of Nursing**  
Nursing, BSN  
School Nurse Certification

### School of Applied Science

Corrections, BSCJ  
Law Enforcement, BSCJ  
Human Services, C/AAS/BAS  
Social Work, BSW/MSW  
Technology Administration, BAS  
**Pre-professional**  
Dentistry, Engineering

Health Information Technology  
Law  
Medicine  
Optometry  
Pharmacy  
Physical Therapy  
Physical Therapist Assistant  
Seminary, Radiologic Technology  
Respiratory Therapy  
Veterinary Medicine  
**School of Law**  
Law, JD

# About Washburn

## Washburn University

Main campus switchboard number: 785.231.1010  
General athletics number: 785.231.1134      Athletics fax number: 785.231.1091

## Washburn University Board of Regents

Harold "Hal" Dick, Hutchinson

Jim Roth, Wichita  
Ben Blair, Topeka  
Chuck Engel, Topeka  
Janice B. DeBauge, Emporia

Tim Etzel, Topeka  
Mayor Butch Felker, Topeka  
Blanche Parks, Topeka  
Karen Lee, Topeka

## University Administration

President . . . . . Dr. Jerry Farley . . . . . x1556  
Vice President / Academic Affairs . . . . . Dr. Ron Wasserstein . . . . . x1649  
Vice President / Administration & Treasurer . . . . . Wanda Hill . . . . . x1634  
Vice President / Student Life . . . . . Denise Ottinger. . . . . x1390

## Washburn Athletics Phone Numbers

Director of Athletics . . . . . Loren Ferre' . . . . . x1794  
Associate Director of Athletics for Development . . . . . Jordan Canfield . . . . . x1334  
Assistant Director of Athletics . . . . . Janet Degginger . . . . . x1730  
Assistant Director of Athletics for Exteranal Affairs . . . . . Karmen Byers . . . . . x1092  
Sports Information Director . . . . . Gene Cassell . . . . . x1791  
Assistant Sports Information Director . . . . . Brad Noller. . . . . x1791  
Faculty Athletics Representative . . . . . Larry Blumberg . . . . . x1493  
Director of Marketing / Promotions . . . . . Ron Simon . . . . . x1336  
Academic Adviser . . . . . Janet Degginger . . . . . x1790  
Head Athletic Trainer . . . . . Steve Ice . . . . . x1753  
Head Equipment Manager. . . . . Ron Wessel. . . . . x1761, x1338  
Athletic Facilities Manager . . . . . Gil Herrera. . . . . x1304  
Athletics Secretary . . . . . Sandy Foster . . . . . x1339  
Development Office Assistant . . . . . Susan Foremsky. . . . . x1466

## Coaching Staff

### Football

Head Coach . . . . . Craig Schurig . . . . . x1134  
Offensive Coordinator/Offensive Line Coach . . . . . Brian Miller . . . . . x1705  
Defensive Coordinator . . . . . Chris Brown . . . . . x1795  
Defensive Line Coach/Strength and Conditioning. . . . . David Trupp. . . . . x1335  
Offensive Backs Coach. . . . . Keita Malloy . . . . . x1798  
Defensive Backs Coach . . . . . Robbie Robinson . . . . . x1947

### Volleyball

Head Coach . . . . . TBA . . . . . x1756

### Baseball

Head Coach . . . . . Steve Anson . . . . . x1793

### Softball

Head Coach . . . . . Kim Newbern. . . . . x1797

### Men's Basketball

Head Coach . . . . . Bob Chipman. . . . . x1355  
Assistant Coach . . . . . Kerry Dickerson . . . . . x1333

### Women's Basketball

Head Coach . . . . . Ron McHenry . . . . . x1796  
Assistant Coach . . . . . Lisa Curliss . . . . . x1462

### Golf

Head Coach . . . . . Phil Frost . . . . . x1764

### Men's and Women's Tennis

Head Coach . . . . . Jennifer Hastert . . . . . x1757



## **2000-01 season in review**

<b>Team</b>	<b>Overall W-L</b>	<b>MIAA</b>	<b>MIAA Finish</b>	<b>Postseason</b>
Baseball	22-24	17-13	3rd	none
Basketball-M	29-5	15-3	1st	National Finals
Basketball-W	13-14	7-11	6th	none
Football	5-6	3-6	7th	none
Golf	—	20 points	6th	none
Softball	28-21	8-10	6th	none
Tennis-M	10-13	2-2	4th	none
Tennis-W	21-3	4-1	3rd	NCAA Regionals
Volleyball	24-12	9-7	4th	none
<b>Totals</b>	<b>152-98</b>			

## **Overall athletic department winning percentage - .608**

### **Loren Ferre'** **Athletics Director**



Loren Ferre' became Washburn's director of athletics in February of 1996 after a six-year appointment at Black Hills State University in Spearfish, S.D. Ferre' is a dynamic leader who has implemented many internal changes within the athletic department since arriving on campus. He has put increasing scholarships and departmental fund-raising at the top of his list.

At Washburn, Ferre' has been instrumental in the establishment of a strong Ihabod Club support team and the raising of funds for athletic scholarships. In addition, he created a position for a full-time marketing and promotions director who helps bring in new private dollars for scholarships and more excitement at all Washburn athletic contests.

While at BHSU, Ferre' was also director of the Donald E. Young Sports Fitness Center, a 172,000 square foot, \$10.2 million facility. During his Black Hills tenure, the athletics department nearly tripled its outside revenue, including large increases in ticket sales and scholarship funding. All 10 varsity teams won a conference title in his final three years.

Before joining the staff at Black Hills State, Ferre' spent 17 years at the University of North Texas. He was the director of the Coliseum (1987-90) was the associate and assistant director since 1980. He held the post of event coordinator (1978-80).

Ferre' is a 1971 graduate of Texas Christian University, earning a bachelor of arts degree. He earned a master's in journalism from North Texas in 1982.

Ferre' and his wife Sarah, have two daughters, Caitlin and Hope, and reside in Topeka.

## Jordan Canfield

**Associate Athletics Director for Development**



Jordan Canfield is entering his fourth year as Washburn's associate athletics director for development.

Canfield returned to his alma mater after a year in private business. He was a first team all-MIAA guard for the Ichabods in 1996-97 and holds every Washburn and all but one MIAA assist record, including the career assist

mark he set as a senior. He won four conference titles in his four years on the basketball hardwood from 1992-97.

Canfield's main responsibility will be to increase scholarship dollars for one of the best small college athletic programs in the country. He oversees the fund-raising efforts of the Ichabod Club, the Athletics Department booster club, and the Washburn Athletic Fund, a major giving campaign initiated by Canfield.

Canfield is a 1996 graduate of Washburn University with a BBA degree in finance. He went on to earn an additional degree in economics in 1997 and has begun work on his MBA. He is married to Eileen Brungardt, a member of the Lady Blues volleyball team while at Washburn. The couple lives in Topeka with their son, Jordan Jett, born last year.

## Karmen Byers

**Assistant Athletics Director**



Karmen Byers is in her first year as the Assistant Athletic Director of External Relations after joining Washburn Athletics in September.

At Washburn, Byers serves as ticket manager for all sports. She also focuses on marketing and public relations for increasing interest and attendance on Ichabods

and Lady Blues game nights.

Prior to joining the athletic department, Byers worked at Atwood Publishing in Overland Park, Kan. where she was an advertising sales executive for four different publications.

Byers is a 1999 graduate of Kansas State University with a Bachelor's Degree in journalism and advertising.

She is married to former Washburn basketball player David Byers. The couple lives in Topeka.

## Janet Degginger

**Assistant Athletics Director**



Janet Degginger is entering her 14th year as Washburn's assistant athletics director.

Degginger returned to her alma mater in 1987 as assistant director of athletics. In that capacity, she is responsible for managing and monitoring all of the business and financial affairs of the department. In addition, she supervises personnel in the admin-

istrative office, ticket office, training room, equipment room and Petro maintenance staff. During the 1995-96 academic year, Degginger served as the interim director of athletics during the national search for an athletic director. She also currently serves as the university's senior women's administrator.

Degginger has served on several university, conference and national committees. She is currently a member of the NCAA Professional Sports Liaison Committee and has served on a subcommittee of the NCAA Research Committee for developing a financial analysis report. She is a past secretary/treasurer of the MIAA and is currently a member of the budget committee. She is a member of Washburn's Faculty Athletics and Financial Aid committees.

Degginger is a 1967 graduate of Washburn and has done postgraduate work at Kansas. She has a son, Preston.

## Gene Cassell

**Sports Information Director**



Gene Cassell is entering his fourth full season as Washburn Sports Information Director after starting in December 1998. Cassell is a Marshall, Mo., native and a 1997 graduate from Northwest Missouri State University, where he graduated with a Bachelor of Science in journalism accompanied

with a minor in broadcasting. At Northwest, Cassell worked in the Sports Information Office and on three university media outlets.

Besides his overseeing the media relations of Washburn's nine athletic teams, Cassell also runs game administration and is the webmaster of "The Blue Zone" - The Official Site of Washburn Athletics. Cassell is a member of CoSIDA and a member of the Publications Contest Committee.

Cassell has received 11 citations for excellence for office publications, including one best in the nation, four second place finishes and three best covers in the nation. Cassell and his wife, Regina, live in Topeka. Regina is the editor of Washburn's Alumni Magazine.

# Washburn Athletics

## Ron Wessel

### Head Equipment Manager



Ron Wessel enters his 21st year at Washburn University as the Head Equipment Manager for the athletics department.

Wessel, a native of Sierra

Vista, Ariz., is in charge of maintaining all of the athletics department's equipment needs. He attended Baker University in Baldwin City and was the school's football manager from 1976-79. Wessel then accepted the equipment manager's position at Washburn in the spring of 1980.

He is a member of the American Equipment Managers Association and became certified in 1992. Wessel has served as a District Director of the AEMA since 1993.

In addition, he serves on the Continuing Education Committee of the AEMA.

Ron lives in Topeka and enjoys all kinds of sports, traveling, science fiction and physical fitness.

## Steve Ice

### Head Athletic Trainer



Steve Ice enters his 20th year as the Head Athletic Trainer at Washburn University.

Ice took over the Ichabods and Lady Blues programs in the

fall of 1982 after a two-year assignment as the Associate Athletic Trainer at Lehigh University in Bethlehem, Penn.

During Ice's tenure at Washburn, the athletics training staff has seen the addition of the Petro Allied Health Center as a valuable resource for the prevention and rehabilitation of WU student-athletes.

Ice received his bachelor's degree from St. Mary of the Plains College in Dodge City, Kan., in 1977 and earned his master's from the University of Kansas in 1980. Ice also served as a graduate assistant athletic trainer for the Jayhawks from 1977 to 1979.

In addition to his duties at Washburn, Ice works in conjunction with the Orthopedic Clinic and Sports Medicine of Topeka. Steve and his wife Janis have four children; Brian, Patrick, Jenna and Alyssa.



**Larry Blumberg**  
Faculty Athletics Representative



**Susan Foremsky**  
Secretary For Development



**Gill Herrera**  
Facilities Manager



**Sandy Foster**  
Athletics Secretary



**Brad Noller**  
Assistant Sports Information Dir.

## THE ICHABOD CLUB

WASHBURN ATHLETICS

of Washburn student-athletes for the past 20 years.

Washburn Athletics depends upon the annual contributions to the Ichabod Club Scholarship Fund to continue offering scholarship aid to our student-athletes.

The mission of the Ichabod Club is simply to provide the scholarship assistance to young men and women student-athletes (tuition, fees, books, room and board) unless the contribution is restricted to a specific sport or some other specific purpose. All gifts to the Ichabod Club are tax deductible to the full extent allowable by law. Opportunities for alumni, friends, parents and boosters to become involved with the Ichabod Club program are available through pregame parties, golf tournaments, the Ichabod Club newsletter, monthly luncheons, the kick-off party and other special events.

For more information, call the Washburn Athletic Department at 785.231.1135.

The Ichabod Club is a booster club that works to promote Washburn University Athletics and provides financial support to its athletic programs. Membership in the Ichabod Club has played a major role in supporting the annual scholarship drive and making a difference in the lives

## ***Washburn teams excel on and off the courts and fields during the 2000-01 school year***

### ***Football 5-6 / 4-5 MIAA (7th)***

- MIAA Freshman of the Year: Tyler Schuerman
- All-MIAA Second Team: Brandon Rainer, Jared Barge, Chad Todd, Eric Taylor
- MIAA Honorable Mention: Joe Banks, Colon McNeal, Jermaine Smith, Buck Reuter, Corey Phipps, Clarence Williams
- MIAA Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll: Joe Banks, Joe Camp, Kyle Fowler, Patrick Hayes, Kyle Lovelady, Jonathan Mayes, Casey Mulcahy, Zac Nally, Buck Reuter, Chad Todd, Clarence Williams, Dan Wilson
- MIAA all-Academic Team: Joe Banks, Buck Reuter, Eric Taylor
- House of Diamonds Offensive MVP: Jared Barge
- Budweiser Defensive MVP: Buck Reuter

**Team Cumulative GPA: 2.83**

### ***Volleyball 24-12 / 9-7 MIAA (4th)***

- All-MIAA First Team: Jill Gassen
- MIAA Honorable Mention: Becky Hanish
- Verizon Academic Third Team All-District: Jill Gassen
- MIAA Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll: Arica Chaffee, Jennifer Domzalski, Jill Gassen, Becky Hanish, Becci Havlicek, Shera Karasiak, Beth Lenherr, Rhonda Ronnebaum
- MIAA all-Academic Team: Jill Gassen, Becky Hanish
- Firststar Bank MVP: Jill Gassen

**Team Cumulative GPA: 3.19**

### ***Men's Basketball 29-5 / 15-3 MIAA (1st)***

- MIAA Regular Season Champions
- MIAA Tournament Champions

- South Central Region Champions
- Ranked No. 5 in final Division II Bulletin Poll
- NCAA Division II Elite Eight and National Finalist
- MIAA MVP: Ewan Auguste
- All-MIAA First Team: Ewan Auguste
- All-MIAA Second Team: Ryan Murphy, Randolph Williams
- All-South Central Region First Team: Ewan Auguste
- All-South Central Region Tournament Team: Ewan Auguste
- Daktronics Division II All-America Third Team: Ewan Auguste
- Daktronics Division II South Central Region First Team: Ewan Auguste
- Daktronics Division II South Central Region Second Team: Ryan Murphy
- Basketball Times All-America First Team: Ewan Auguste
- NABC First Team All-Region: Ewan Auguste
- NABC First Team All-America: Ewan Auguste
- Division II Bulletin First Team All-America: Ewan Auguste
- Elite Eight All-Tournament Team: Ewan Auguste, Ryan Murphy
- All-South Central Region Tournament MVP: Eric Carter
- Bob Chipman: 25th Division II coach to reach 500 victories (500th vs. Southwest Baptist Feb. 3)
- MIAA Commissioners' Academic Honor Roll: Ryan Tomlins
- Cecil "Pete" Peterson MVP: Ewan Auguste

**Team Cumulative GPA: 2.80**

### ***Women's Basketball 13-14 / 7-11 MIAA (7th)***

- MIAA Honorable Mention: Jennifer Butcher, Kristy Chapman
- MIAA Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll: Kelly Antholz, Jennifer

# ***Athletic Success***

Butcher, Bethany McGraw, Linsey Modellmog, Jenny Morrow, Erin Younkin

- MIAA all-Academic Team: Jennifer Butcher
- Security Benefit MVP: Crystal Walker

**Team Cumulative GPA: 2.90**

## ***Golf***

### ***20 points - 6th at MIAA***

- Finished sixth at MIAA Tournament
- Justin Jacquinot finished eighth at MIAA Tournament
- Kyle Brandt finished third at Missouri Southern Invitational
- MIAA Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll: Kyle Brandt, Curtis Dionne, Jeff Hamilton, Justin Jacquinot
- Ferrell Construction MVP: Justin Jacquinot

**Team Cumulative GPA: 2.98**

## ***Softball***

### ***28-21, 8-10 MIAA / 6th***

- All-MIAA First Team: Stacie Carpenter, Kristen Cheney
- All-MIAA Second Team: Brooke Lyons
- All-MIAA Honorable Mention: Amy Scott, Julie Blaufuss
- MIAA Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll: Sandy Erickson, Amy Heiman, Dawn Nachbar and Amy Scott
- NFCA North Central All-Region Team: Kristen Cheney
- Commerce Bank and Trust MVP: Stacie Carpenter

**Team Cumulative GPA: 3.25**

## ***Baseball***

### ***22-24, 17-13 MIAA / 3rd***

- All-MIAA First Team: Billy Crooks
- All-MIAA Second Team: Pat Colley
- All-MIAA Honorable Mention: Jason Young, Jeff Stack, Mike Cole, Dylan Smith
- MIAA Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll: Jeff Burke, Pat Colley,

Allan Cooper, Billy Crooks, Devan Hansen, John Harrison, Brigham Joy, Ben Rutherford, Andy Sorenson and Matt Wilkens

- ABCA Central all-Region Team: Billy Crooks
  - MIAA all-Academic Team: Pat Colley
  - Verizon Academic all-District First Team: Pat Colley
  - Verizon Academic all-America Third Team: Pat Colley
  - Falley's MVP: Billy Crooks
- Team Cumulative GPA: 3.00**

## ***Men's Tennis***

### ***10-13, 2-2 / 4th MIAA***

- MIAA Singles Champions: No. 1 Fernando Sierra
  - MIAA Doubles Finalists: No. 1 Fernando Sierra and Adam Wood
  - MIAA Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll: Will Heidebrecht
  - ITA all-America Team: Fernando Sierra
  - UMB Bank MVP: Fernando Sierra
- Team Cumulative GPA: 2.66**

## ***Women's Tennis***

### ***21-3, 4-1 / 3rd at MIAA***

- MIAA Singles Champions: No. 1 Marissa Moment, No. 2 Aisha Butt
- MIAA Doubles Champions: No. 2 Lindsay Sullivan and Erin Underwood
- MIAA Doubles Finalists: No. 1 Marissa Moment and Aisha Butt
- NCAA Midwest Regional Appearance
- MIAA Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll: Emily Friedstrom, Marissa Moment
- ITA Arthur Ashe Award Winner: Marissa Moment
- MIAA all-Academic Team: Erin Underwood
- Bank of America MVP: Marissa Moment

**Team Cumulative GPA: 2.83**

## Jennifer Hastert

**Ichabods and Lady Blues Head Coach**



Washburn tennis head coach Jennifer Hastert enters her third full season in charge of the Washburn tennis program.

In her first season as the Lady Blues' head coach, she led them to the MIAA Crown, the second in the school's history.

Hastert, a former Lady Blue netter from 1991 to 1993 and 1995 to 1996, will take over the reigns of the tennis program. Hastert replaces Peg Marmet, who stepped down after 22 seasons as the Lady Blues head coach and 21 seasons as the Ichabods head coach. During that time, Marmet recorded a 401-189 combined record.

Hastert had a stellar Washburn career finishing with two All-America awards and four MIAA Championships. In her three campaigns at Washburn, she finished 64-9 in singles and 59-11 in doubles. Her first season as a Lady Blue, she led Washburn to a second place MIAA finish winning the No. 1 singles and No. 1 doubles championships. Following her freshman season, Hastert was named NCAA Division II All-America and the

Volvo Midwest Tennis Rookie of the Year. Her sophomore season, she finished in second at No. 1 singles and third at No. 1 doubles during the MIAA Championship Tournament and her second All-America distinction.

After transferring to Drake University her junior season, she returned to Washburn for her senior year during the 1995-96 season after sitting out a season. Hastert returned to win the MIAA No. 1 singles and No. 1 doubles championships.

During her playing career, she was ranked as high as No. 4 in the nation in singles and No. 7 in doubles with partner Jill Bernhardt. Hastert's postseason awards included a NCAA Division II All-America honor and two-time MIAA Player of the Week.

Prior to her coaching appointment, Hastert has been working at Hallbrook Country Club in Leawood, Kan., as the associate junior development professional directing junior and adult clinics since 1998. She also works at the United States Professional Tennis Association in Prairie Village, Kan., as the Missouri Valley Division Executive Administrator coordinating USPTA events handling public and media relations.

Hastert and her husband Steven live in Topeka.

## Adam Wood

**Ichabods and Lady Blues Assistant Coach**



Former Ichabod tennis star Adam Wood begins his first season as an assistant coach on the Washburn coaching staff.

As a freshman, he finished second at the No. 4 singles

spot. As a sophomore and junior, Adam was 14-29 mark as the No. 1 hitter in singles, placing third in the MIAA his sophomore season. This past season, Adam was 9-13 as the No. 2 singles and 18-3 in No. 1 Doubles finishing second at the conference tourney.

Wood is a native of Halifax, England and he is currently finishing his degree in history.

# 2002 Season Preview

**by Gene Cassell**  
**Sports Information Director**

## **Lady Blues**

For the first time in four seasons, the Washburn Blues will have someone new at the No. 1 singles spot. Four-time MIAA Singles Champion Marissa Moment and four-time team MVP has moved on and now taking her place is No. 2 singles player Aisha Butt.

Butt finished last season 24-2 winning the No. 2 singles championship. She teamed with Moment to compile a 24-7 mark playing the No. 1 doubles spot.

Also returning for the Lady Blues No. 3 player from last season Erin Underwood. Underwood finished 20-7 and teamed with Lindsey Sullivan to capture the No. 2 doubles championship.

"We are going to be solid from the top to the bottom this season," third-season head coach Jennifer Hastert (formally Subbert) said. "We have more depth than we have had in years past."

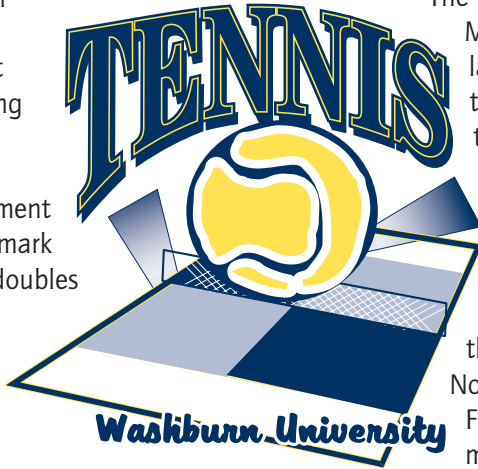
The Lady Blues tennis team are off to a 4-1 start this season wrapping up the fall schedule. More impressive is the 24-6 singles record. Leading the charge is Butt. She has 5-2 mark and No. 2 singles Underwood. She is 6-1 this season. The duo teamed up for doubles in the fall and they went to

the Semifinals of the Midwest Regional as the No. 6 seed falling to the No. 2 seed.

Adding to the mix are freshmen Kris Castillo and Catlin Day.

Day is 4-2 so far this season and Castillo is off to a 5-1 mark in their first season on the Lady Blues. The freshman duo has combined for a 2-3 doubles record.

The Lady Blues fell in MIAA Tournament last season finishing third, after winning the championship in 2000.



## **Ichabods**

The Ichabod tennis team finished the fall slate 2-1 and No. 1 singles player Fernando Sierra made it all the way

to the Midwest Regional Semifinals before retiring with dehydration. Sierra is a returning all-American who will lead the Ichabods in action in the spring. He currently has a 6-1 singles record. He enters the spring season ranked No. 2 in the Midwest Region and No. 12 in the nation. He finished the 2001 campaign with a 21-3 record and a 20-4 mark in doubles play.

Also returning is No. 2 Rafael Valdez, who finished 4-1 in the fall season.

"The bottom half of the singles line-up is up for grabs," Hastert said. "We are deeper than what we have been and that should help us as the season goes along."



## **Aisha Butt**

**Senior • Clay Center, Kan.**

**Kansas State University**

**At Washburn as a junior in 2001:** Recorded a stellar 24-2 mark holding down the No. 2 singles spot and won her second MIAA crown at No. 2 singles. She teamed with Marissa Moment and finished second at No. 1 doubles compiling a 24-7 record.

**At Washburn as a sophomore in 2000:** Finished the season 17-1 playing at the No. 2 singles spot for the majority of the season and won the No. 2 Championship at the MIAA Conference Tournament. Finished the season 17-3 playing No. 1 doubles with Marissa Moment and finished second in the MIAA in that flight.

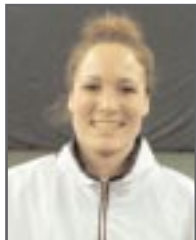
**Background:** A transfer to Washburn from Kansas State. At Clay Center Community High School, Aisha was a three-time singles champion and finished second place her freshman season. The only match she lost in her entire prep career was the finals her freshman campaign.

**Personal:** Born April 10, 1978. Daughter of Muhammed and Susan Butt. Majoring in Physical Education.





# Lady Blues Profiles



## **Holly Munro**

**Sophomore • Topeka, Kan.**

**Highland Park High School**

**As a freshman in 2001:** Finished third at No. 5 singles recording an 18-11 record. In doubles play with Carrie Wadley, she compiled a 15-12 mark finishing third at No. 3 doubles.

**Background:** Was No. 1 in singles and doubles for a Scotties team that took home the Centennial league title. Was named to the all-

city team. She placed seventh at state as a junior and senior. She was a four-year honor roll student at Highland Park.

**Personal:** Born March 14, 1982. Daughter of Michael and Jane Munro. Twin sister Heather a freshman for the Lady Blues. Undecided on a major.



## **Lindsay Sullivan**

**Sophomore • St. Louis, Mo.**

**Lutheran South High School**

**As a freshman in 2001:** Finished the season with a 15-10 record playing primarily No. 4 singles. In doubles play she teamed with Erin Underwood at No. 2, taking the MIAA Championship compiling a 23-6 record.

**Background:** Was part of a duo that won the 1A-3A Missouri state title in doubles in 1999. As captain of the team. She was named MVP and received the sportsmanship award.

**Personal:** Born October 22, 1981. Daughter of Paul and Pamela Sullivan. Majoring in criminology.



# Lady Blues Profiles



## **Erin Underwood**

**Sophomore • Topeka, Kan.**

**Washburn Rural High School**

**As a freshman in 2001:** Recorded a 20-7 singles mark playing primarily at the No. 3 spot. In doubles at No. 2, teamed with Lindsay Sullivan to compile a 23-6 mark and the flight championship at the MIAA Tournament.

**Background:** Placed a career-best tenth at state as a senior for Rural Coach Kevin Hedberg. Was named to the all-city team as a senior. Excelled on the courts as well, ranking in the top 10 percent of her class with a 4.1 GPA.

**Personal:** Born July 7, 1982. Daughter of David and Luanne Underwood. Majoring in Physical Therapy and sports medicine.





## **Carrie Wadley**

**Sophomore • Topeka, Kan.**

**Shawnee Heights High School**

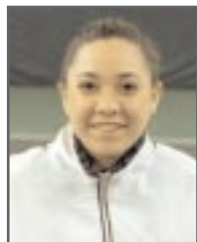
**As a freshman in 2001:** Recorded a 19-7 record playing mainly at No. 6 singles finishing fourth at the MIAA Championship Tournament. In doubles, she teamed with Holly Munro at No. 3 doubles to place third compiling a 15-12 record.

**Background:** A four-year letter winner at Shawnee Heights. Was a first team selection to the all-city and all-league teams as a senior. She placed third at the 5A state tournament.

**Personal:** Born January 23, 1982. Daughter of Gary and Joan Wadley. Majoring in nursing.



# Lady Blues Profiles



## **Kris Castillo**

**Freshman • San Antonio, Texas**

**James Madison High School**

**Background:** Played No. 1 singles for high school squad and team captain her senior year. She was the team MVP her sophomore and senior seasons and a super-championship player. She finished third in the district tournament. Was listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students, treasurer of the Criminal Justice

Club and an honor roll student with a 3.4 GPA. She was also a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

**Personal:** Born Aug. 13, 1983. Daughter of Ruben and Sulvia Castillo. Undecided on major.



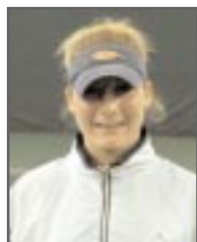
## **Caitlin Day**

**Freshman • Topeka, Kan.**

**Topeka West High School**

**Background:** Day qualified all four years for state finishing as high as third in singles play. She won the Topeka city tournament three years in a row and honored with all-city and all-league titles. She was also a member of the honor roll every semester.

**Personal:** Born Aug. 11, 1983. Daughter of Gwen Beegle and Robert Day. Undecided on major.



## **Heather Munro**

**Sophomore • Topeka, Kan.**

**Highland Park High School / Johnson County CC**

**Background:** At Johnson County, she played No. 3 singles and No. 6 doubles for the Lady Cavaliers who finished fourth in the NJCAA national tournament. The team also won the team title in the Region VI Tournament and the Jayhawk Conference title. At No. 3 doubles she posted a 11-7 record which was third highest win total

in school history reaching the quarterfinals at the national tournament. In singles she was 4-6 at No. 6.

At Highland Park, was an all-city selection, finishing first at No. 2 singles and placing fourth in regionals.

**Personal:** Born March 14, 1982. Daughter of Michael and Jane Munro. Twin sister Holly a freshman for the Lady Blues. Undecided on a major.



## ***Anthony Buccolo***

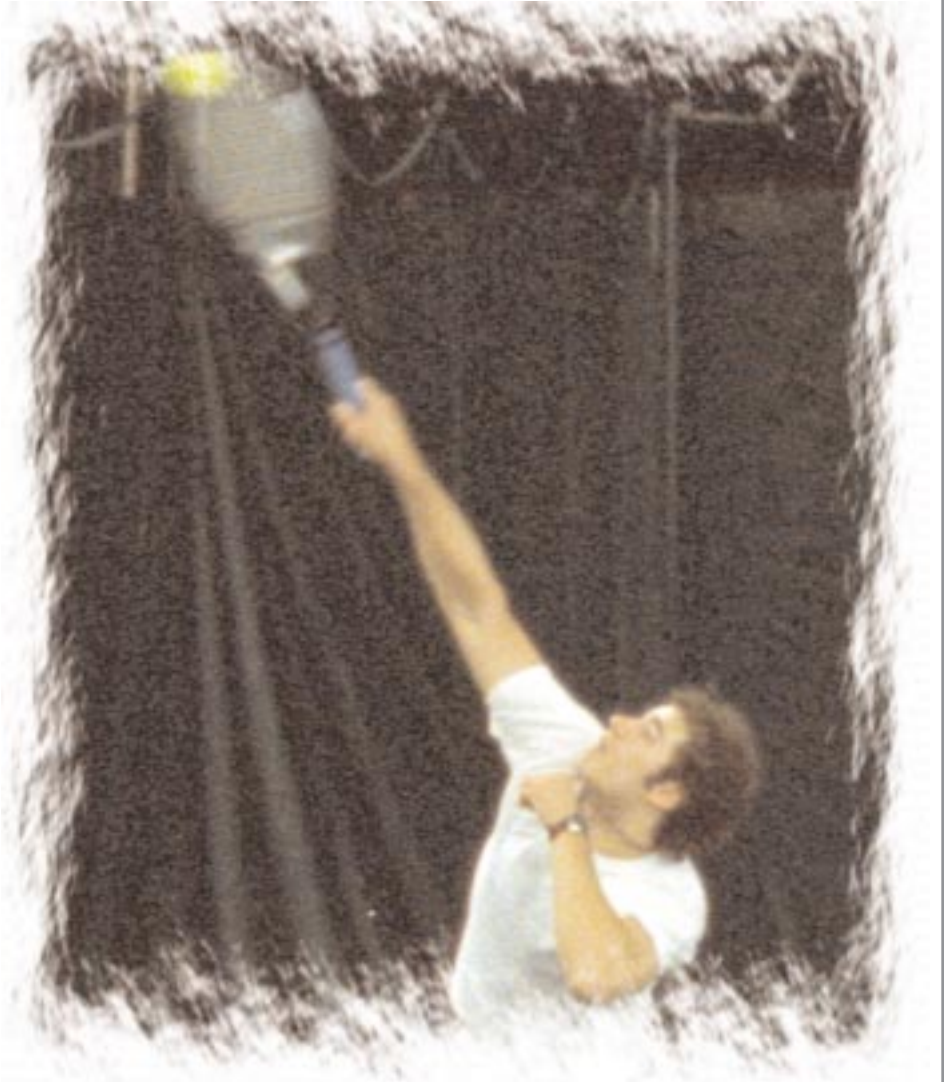
***Sophomore • Pittsburg, Kan.***

***Pittsburg High School***

***As a freshman in 2001:*** Finished 4-13 at No. 6 singles compiling a 10-12 record in doubles play at No. 3 doubles.

***Background:*** Was a 5A state qualifier for Pittsburg in 1999. Took first place in doubles at the Wichita Collegiate Invitational last season.

***Personal:*** Born Sept. 20, 1981. Son of David and Marie Buccolo. Undecided on major.



# Ichabod Profiles



## **Brandon Dunstan**

**Senior • Eldon, Mo.**

**School of the Osage**

**At Washburn as a junior in 2001:** Finished with a 7-14 record at No. 4 singles and a 10-12 record in doubles primarily playing No. 2 doubles.

**At Washburn as a sophomore in 2000:** Tallied a 15-6 singles mark playing at the No. 5 singles slot en route to being named UMB Bank MVP and a third place finish at the MIAA Tournament. In doubles, compiled a 5-5 doubles record at No. 3 and finished fourth at the MIAA Tournament.

**At Washburn as a freshman in 1999:** Finished with a 6-1 singles record playing the No. 6 slot.

**Background:** A 1998 graduate of School of the Osage High School where he was a state qualifier in singles and placed fourth in the state tournament in doubles. Personal: Born Jan. 8, 1980. Son of Jerry and Sara Dunstan. Undecided on major.





## **Will Heidebrecht**

**Senior • McPherson, Kan.**

**McPherson High School**

*As a junior at Washburn in 2001:* Recorded a 4-17 record at Nos. 4 and 5 singles and an 8-15 record in doubles splitting time between the Nos. 2 and 3 spots. He finished fourth at No. 5 at the MIAA Championship Tournament.

*As a sophomore at Washburn in 2000:* Finished the season 5-5 playing the spring season at No. 6 singles and finished fourth at the MIAA Tournament. In doubles, teamed with Brandon Dunstan to record a 5-5 mark and a fourth place finish at the conference tournament. Also a member of the MIAA

Commissioner's Academic Honor Roll.

*As a freshman at Washburn in*

*1999:* Practiced but did not play.

**Background:** A 1998 graduate of McPherson HS. Captured 5A state doubles championship with a perfect 26-0 record. Placed sixth place in state as a sophomore and seventh as a junior in singles.

**Personal:** Born Nov. 15, 1979. Son of Mark and Dianna Heidebrecht. Undecided on major.





# Ichabod Profiles



## **Fernando Sierra**

**Senior • Monterrey, Mexico**

**University of Kansas**

*As a junior in 2001:* Finished the season 23-3 playing No. 1 singles winning the MIAA tournament at that position. In doubles he teamed with Adam Wood to finish second at No. 1 doubles finishing second at the conference tournament with an overall record of 20-4. Was named all-American after finishing the season

ranked No. 12 in the nation and was ranked No. 2 in the Midwest Region.

### **Background:**

Returns to the courts this season after a two year layoff. He spent his first two seasons hitting third in singles and second in doubles for the Jayhawks.

### **Personal:**

Born Feb. 5, 1977. Son of Fernando Sierra, Sr. and Maria Ortiz de Sierra. Majoring in business.





## **Desmond Tan**

**Senior • Singapore, Singapore  
Serangoon Secondary School**

*At Washburn as a junior in 2001:* Finished 7-15 at No. 3 singles placing third at the MIAA Championship Tournament. Recorded a 8-14 playing No. 2 doubles.

*At Washburn as a sophomore in 2000:* Was 8-10 in singles playing at the No. 4 singles slot and finished fourth place at the conference tournament. In doubles, recorded a 15-16 mark and a third place finish at the MIAA Tournament.

*At Washburn as a freshman in 1999:* Finished with a 14-10 mark at the No. 4 singles spot and a second place finish at the MIAA Tournament. Teamed with

Richard Quirion at No. 2 doubles compiling an 8-10.

**Background:** A 1998 graduate of Serangoon Secondary. Trained with Singapore Asian Games tennis team in 1997. Also trained with Singapore Davis Cup team in 1998. Played tennis and soccer at Serangoon Secondary.

**Personal:** Born Aug. 15, 1976. Son of Richard and Florence Tan. Majoring in physical education.



# Ichabod Profiles



## **Steven Roundtree**

**Freshman • Corpus Christi, Texas**

**New Braufels High School**

**Background:** Lived at the John Newcomb Tennis Academy his junior and senior seasons in high school winning the superchampionship division in Texas.

**Personal:** Born May 26, 1983. Son of Robert and Diane Roundtree. Majoring in business.



## **Rafeal Valdez**

**Sophomore • Culiacan, Mexico**

**Pratt Community College**

**Background:** Was named the team MVP and finished 24th in the National Junior College Association rankings at Pratt Community College while being ranked No. 18 in doubles. As a team the Beavers were ranked No. 26 in the nation on the junior college circuit.

**Personal:** Born March 6, 1981. Son of Rafael Valdez and Elvira Sanchez. Undecided on major.



## **Nathan Hurd**

**Freshman • Columbus, Kan.**

**Pittsburg High School**

**Background:** Placed fifth at the 5A state doubles tournament and finished first at the Wichita Invitational tournament in doubles.

**Personal:** Born Nov. 23, 1981. Son of Eric and Nancy Hurd. Majoring in business.



## **Blake Edwards**

**Freshman • Columbia, Mo.**

**Hickman High School**

**Background:** Will redshirt this season. At Hickman High School, he was a two-time state qualifier, finishing in seventh in doubles as a junior. Was the district champion at No. 1 singles and No. 1 doubles following his junior and senior seasons.

**Personal:** Born July 30, 1982. Son of Bryce and Lisa Edwards.

Majoring in physical education.

# Lady Blues in 2000-01

Date	Opponent	Score	Record
Sept. 6	Barton County	8-1	1-0
Sept. 7	Baker	8-1	2-0
Sept. 12	Johnson County	7-2	3-0
Sept. 25	Bethel College	9-0	4-0
Sept. 27	Emporia State	8-1	5-0
Oct. 2	Rockhurst	5-4	6-0
March 3	Nebraska-Kearney	6-2	7-0
March 5	Missouri Western	9-0	8-0, 1-0 MIAA
March 7	Winona State	7-2	9-0
March 8	Missouri Southern	3-6	9-1, 1-1 MIAA
March 9	Johnson County	7-2	10-1, 1-1 MIAA
March 22	Central Oklahoma	6-3	11-1, 1-1 MIAA
March 23	Midwestern State	4-5	11-2, 1-1 MIAA
March 23	Northern Colorado	6-1	12-2, 1-1 MIAA
March 29	Emporia State	9-0	13-2, 2-1 MIAA
March 30	Colorado Springs	9-0	14-2, 2-1 MIAA
April 7	Truman State	6-3	15-2, 3-1 MIAA
April 9	Northern Michigan	7-2	16-2, 3-1 MIAA
April 11	Northwest Missouri	5-4	17-2, 4-1 MIAA
April 12	Rockhurst	7-2	18-2, 4-1 MIAA
April 14	Metro State	5-1	19-2, 4-1 MIAA
April 14	Hastings College	9-0	20-2, 4-1 MIAA
April 17	Johnson County	9-0	21-2, 4-1 MIAA
April 19-21	MIAA Championships	47 points	3rd place
May 4	Eastern New Mexico	5-1	21-3, 4-1 MIAA



## 2000-01

### Bank of America MVP

Marissa Moment

#### Past MVP's

1991	Debbie Dumas
1992	Jennifer Subbert
1993	Janica Beam
1994	Stephanie Empson
1995	Kitra Peugh
1996	Jennifer Subbert
1997	Kelly Springer
1998	Marissa Moment
1999	Marissa Moment
2000	Marissa Moment

# ***Ichabods in 2000-01***

<b>Date</b>	<b>Opponent</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Record</b>
Sept. 6	Barton County	3-6	0-1
Sept. 9	Baker	4-5	0-2
Sept. 12	Johnson County	3-6	0-3
Sept. 25	Bethel College	9-0	1-3
Sept. 26	Rockhurst	2-7	1-4
Sept. 27	Emporia State	9-0	2-4
March 3	Nebraska-Kearney	5-3	3-4
March 7	Winona State	7-2	4-4
March 9	Johnson County	2-7	4-5
March 13	West Texas A&M	3-6	4-6
March 17	Missouri-Rolla	7-2	5-6, 1-0 MIAA
March 22	Central Oklahoma	2-7	5-7, 1-0 MIAA
March 22	Science and Arts of Oklahoma	5-4	6-7, 1-0 MIAA
March 23	Midwestern State	1-8	6-8, 1-0 MIAA
March 23	Northern Colorado	2-7	6-9, 1-0 MIAA
March 29	Emporia State	7-2	7-9, 2-0 MIAA
March 30	Colorado Springs	5-4	8-9, 2-0 MIAA
April 5	Rockhurst	1-8	9-10, 2-0 MIAA
April 7	Truman State	3-6	9-11, 2-1 MIAA
April 11	Northwest Missouri	7-2	10-11, 2-2 MIAA
April 14	Metro State	2-5	10-12, 2-2 MIAA
April 14	Colorado School of Mines	4-5	10-13, 2-2 MIAA
April 19-21	MIAA Championships	31 points	4th place



## ***2000-01***

### ***UMB Bank MVP***

Fernando Sierra

### **Past MVP's**

1991	David Price
1992	Dan Woestendick
1993	Dan Heck
1994	Jesse Sherer
1995	Matt Watson
1996	Santiago Giraldo
1997	Satniago Giraldo and Jesse Sherer
1998	Jarrod Eyler
1999	Ryan Gertsch
2000	Brandon Dunstan



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The Mid-America Intercollegiate Athletics Association, a 10-member conference of NCAA Division II institutions in Missouri and Kansas, was first organized in 1912 as the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association.

Over the past 15 years, the league has undergone several changes, highlighted by expansion and increased participation in national championships.

The MIAA has gained the reputation of being one of the top NCAA Division II conferences in the nation. MIAA student-athletes have won nine national championships and more than 98 individual national titles.

The MIAA currently conducts conference championships in nine

men's and seven women's sports. Men's champions are crowned in football, cross country, soccer, basketball, indoor and outdoor track and field, baseball, tennis, and golf. Women's champions are determined in volleyball, cross country, basketball, indoor and outdoor track and field, soccer, softball and tennis.

Ralph McFillen was named to succeed Ken B. Jones as commissioner of the MIAA in 1997. He formerly served as commissioner of the Metro and Gulf South conferences.

Matt Newbery, formerly an assistant sports information director at Pittsburg State University, joined the conference in 1994 as director of sports information.

## MIAA Members

Central Missouri State University  
 Warrensburg, Mo.

Emporia State University  
 Emporia, Kan.

University of Missouri-Rolla  
 Rolla, Mo.

Missouri Southern State College  
 Joplin, Mo.

Missouri Western State College  
 St. Joseph, Mo.

Northwest Missouri State University  
 Maryville, Mo.

Pittsburg State University  
 Pittsburg, Kan.

Southwest Baptist University  
 Bolivar, Mo.

Truman State University  
 Kirksville, Mo.

Washburn University  
 Topeka, Kan.

## Past MIAA Tennis Champs

<b>Men's Champions</b>	1981	1988	<b>Women's Champions</b>	1988
<b>NWMSU. 13</b>	1972	<b>SEMSU .. 8</b>	<b>NWMSU.. 7</b>	1986
2001	1969	1986	2001	<b>WU ..... 2</b>
1997	1968	1985	1997	2000
1996	1967	1984	1996	1991
1995	1966	1980	1994	<b>MSSC ... 1</b>
1987	1965	1978	1993	1999
1977	1964	1963	1992	<b>SEMSU .. 1</b>
1975	<b>SBU .... 10</b>	1962	1987	1982
1974	2000	1953	<b>LU ..... 5</b>	
1973	1999	<b>CMSU ... 4</b>	1990	
1971	1998	1957	1989	
1961	1994	1956	1985	
1960	1993	1955	1984	
1959	1992	1954	1983	
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# **Lady Blues at the MIAA**

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Northwest Missouri State (NWMSU) .....	45
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Emporia State (ESU) .....	0
Missouri Western (MWSC).....	0
Southwest Baptist (SBU).....	0

## Finals Results

No. 1 Singles: **Marissa Moment, WU** d. Ellen Stubbs, NWMSU – 6-4, 6-3

Consolation: Julie Posch, MSSC d. Olesya Paramanova, TSU – 9-8 (7-5)

No. 2 Singles: **Aisha Butt, WU** d. Mendy McMunn, MSSC – 7-5, 6-3

Consolation: Allison Schuller, TSU d. Adrianna Hernandez, NWMSU – 8-1

No. 3 Singles: **Misty Nigh, WU** d. Jamie King, MSSC – 6-1, 6-2

Consolation: Adri Atwell, TSU d. Regan Dodd, NWMSU – 8-0

No. 4 Singles: Julie Ervin, NWMSU d. Sunny Bailey, MSSC – 6-2, 6-2

Consolation: Meghan Konrad, TSU d. **Danielle Carter, WU** – 8-6

No. 5 Singles: Kerri Murphy, MSSC d. Jessica McKinney, TSU – 6-4, 6-0

Consolation: Jane Marie Clark, NWMSU d. **Anna Nunn, WU** – 8-3

No. 6 Singles: Lindsey Daniels, TSU d. **Emily Friedstrom, WU** – 6-2, 6-1

Consolation: Erin Campbell, MSSC d. Keri Kemmerer, NWMSU – 8-3

No. 1 Doubles: Julie Posch/Mendy McMunn, MSSC d. **Marissa Moment/Aisha Butt, WU**, – 9-8 (7-3)

Consolation: Allison Schuller/Lindsey Daniels, TSU d. Ellen Stubbs/Regan Dodd, NWMSU – 8-3

No. 2 Doubles: Adrianna Hernandez/Julie Ervin, NWMSU, d. Olesya Paramanova/Jessica McKinney, TSU – 8-6

Consolation: **Misty Nigh/Danielle Carter, WU** d. Jamie King/Sunny Bailey, MSSC – 8-6

No. 3 Doubles: **Anna Nunn/Emily Friedstrom, WU** d. Kerri Murphy/Misty Chastain, MSSC – 8-5

Consolation: Meghan Konrad/Lisa Graham, TSU d. Jane Marie Clark/Keri Kemmerer, NWMSU – 8-1

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## Final Results

No. 1 Singles: **Fernando Sierra, WU** d. Mark Eori, SBU -- 6-7 (3-7), 6-4, 6-4

Consolation: Justin Menolascino, TSU d. Michael McCoy, UMR -- 8-3

No. 2 Singles: Jon Sanchez, NWMSU d. Umang Chadda, SBU -- 2-6, 7-6 (7-5), 6-4

Consolation: **Adam Wood, WU** d. Nathan Artz, TSU -- 8-3

No. 3 Singles: Erich Podzinski, TSU d. Gorka Sanchez, NWMSU -- 6-2, 7-6 (7-4)

Consolation: **Desmond Tan, WU** d. Josh McKinney, SBU -- 8-5

No. 4 Singles: Jarrod Smith, NWMSU d. Allen Atkins, TSU -- 7-6 (7-5) 2-6, 6-1

Consolation: Justin Livingston, SBU d. Britton Bradford, UMR -- 8-4

No. 5 Singles: J.J. Mulwanda, NWMSU d. Michael Boeckelman, UMR -- 6-1, 6-1

Consolation: George Kidera, TSU d. **Will Heidebrecht, WU** -- 8-2

No. 6 Singles: Scott Magdziak, NWMSU d. Ben Smith, TSU -- 6-3, 4-6, 6-0

Consolation: **Billy Ferrier, WU** d. Michael Droszcz, UMR -- 8-5

No. 1 Doubles: Mark Eori/Umang Chadda, SBU d. **Fernando Sierra/Adam Wood, WU** -- 8-6

Consolation: Justin Menolascino/Erich Podzinski, TSU d. Nuno Cabral/Ryoma Tanniguchi, NWMSU -- 8-4

No. 2 Doubles: Jon Sanchez/Jarrod Smith, NWMSU d. Josh McKinney/Justin Livingston, SBU -- 8-5

Consolation: Kellen Bombardier/Clint Musgrove, ESU d. Ryan Lynch/Michael Droszcz, UMR -- 8-4

No. 3 Doubles: Gorka Sanchez/Scott Magdziak, NWMSU d. Jordan Owens/Michael Boeckelman, UMR -- 8-3

Consolation: Allan Atkins/George Kidera, TSU d. Juan Alvarez/Quy Wesley, ESU -- 8-3

Sportsmanship Award: Nathan Artz, TSU

Coach of the Year: Mark Rosewell, NWMSU