

SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S SOCCER

2017 QUICK FACTS

University

Location St. Louis, Missouri
 Founded/Enrollment 1818/12,949
 President Dr. Fred P. Pestello

- Evie Lavelle – Soph., F/M (1G, 2A)
- Alli Klug – Soph., M/D (1A, six starts)

Athletics Department

Conference Atlantic 10
 Nickname Billikens
 Colors Royal Blue and White
 Director of Athletics Chris May
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Key Losses

- Kacey Bright – D (All-Region & A-10 1st teams, A-10 Defensive Player of the Year, 1A, 20 starts)
- Danielle Tolmais – F (All-Region 3rd team, A-10 1st team, 10G, 3A, one start)
- Shaney Sakamoto – M (A-10 2nd team, 2G, 5A, 20 starts)
- Kirsten Clemens – F (6G, four starts)
- Tori Marshall – M (1G, 3A, 20 starts)
- Cristina Rodriguez – F/M (3A, 19 starts)

Coaching Staff

Head Coach **Katie Shields (fifth season)**
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Team History

First Year/All-Time Record 1996/217-149-50
 NCAA Tournament Appearances 2005, 2006
 Conference Titles 5 (three regular-season, two tournament)
 Soccer Facility Robert R. Hermann Stadium (6,050)

2016 Season

Record 14-4-2 (Home: 9-0-0; Away: 4-3-2; Neutral 1-1-0)
 A-10 Record/Finish 7-1-2/2nd

2017 Outlook

Starters Returning/Lost 7/4
 Players Returning/Lost 17/9
 Newcomers 9

Returning Starters

- Mary Niehaus – Sr., G (All-Region 3rd team, A-10 1st team, 0.82 . GAA, .788 save pct., nine shutouts, 20 starts)
- Maddie Pokorny – Jr., F/M (A-10 2nd team; 2G, 2A, 20 starts)
- Lindsay Sands – Jr., F (6G, 15 starts)
- Isabella Palazzolo – Jr., D (5A, 20 starts)
- Carli Bond – Jr., D (20 starts)
- Courtney Reimer – Soph., M (A-10 All-Rookie, 1A, 10 starts)
- Julia Peterson – Soph., D/M (14 starts)

Other Key Returning Players (continued next column)

- Lauren Tondl – Sr., M (1A, eight starts)
- Molly Ream – Sr., D/M (two starts)
- Alyssa Seitzer – Soph., F (5G, 1A, one start)

2017 BILLIKEN SCHEDULE

AUGUST

Fri., 11	W. Kentucky (exh.)	Hermann Stadium	7 pm
Fri., 18	Miami (Ohio)	Hermann Stadium	7 pm
Sun., 20	Vanderbilt	Hermann Stadium	1 pm
Fri., 25	Illinois State	Hermann Stadium	5 pm
Sun., 27	at Arkansas State	Jonesboro, Ark.	1 pm
Thu., 31	at SIUE	Edwardsville, Ill.	7 pm

SEPTEMBER

Sun., 3	at Missouri State	Springfield, Mo.	1 pm
Fri., 8	Kansas	Hermann Stadium	7 pm
Fri., 15	at Evansville	Evansville, Ind.	7 pm
Sun., 17	at Murray State	Murray, Ky.	2 pm
Thu., 21	St. Bonaventure*	Hermann Stadium	7 pm
Sun., 24	at Duquesne*	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Noon
Thu., 28	at Davidson*	Davidson, N.C.	6 pm

OCTOBER

Sun., 1	Saint Joseph's*	Hermann Stadium	1 pm
Thu., 5	Dayton*	Hermann Stadium	7 pm
Sun., 8	at George Washington*	Washington, D.C.	11:30 am
Thu., 12	at Rhode Island*	Kingston, R.I.	6 pm
Sun., 15	Richmond*	Hermann Stadium	1 pm
Thu., 19	Massachusetts*	Hermann Stadium	7 pm
Sun., 22	at Fordham*	Bronx, N.Y.	Noon
Sat., 28	A-10 Quarterfinals	Campus Sites	TBA
Sun., 29	A-10 Quarterfinals	Campus Sites	TBA

NOVEMBER

Fri., 3	A-10 Semifinals	Richmond, Va.	TBA
Sun., 5	A-10 Final	Richmond, Va.	TBA

*Atlantic 10 Conference game
 Home games played at Robert R. Hermann Stadium
 All times Central and subject to change

2017 BILLIKEN ROSTER

No.	Name	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown (High School)
0	Kat Zaber	Fr.	G		St. Louis, Mo. (Visitation Academy)
1	Mary Niehaus	Sr.	G	5-10	St. Charles, Mo. (Nerinx Hall)
2	Alli Klug	So.	M/D	5-6	Webster Groves, Mo. (Nerinx Hall)
3	Molly Ream	Sr.	D/M	5-5	St. Charles, Mo. (St. Dominic)
4	Maddie Pokorny	Jr.	F/M	5-3	Webster Groves, Mo. (Webster Groves)
5	Courtney Reimer	So.	M	5-9	St. Charles, Mo. (Duchesne)
6	Jess Kopec	Jr.	M	5-5	Palatine, Ill. (Fremd)
7	Alyssa Seitzer	So.	F	5-10	Leawood, Kan. (St. Teresa's Academy)
8	Emma Farley	So.	F/M	5-5	St. Peters, Mo. (Francis Howell Central)
9	Lauren Tondl	Sr.	M	5-6	Omaha, Neb. (Marian)
10	Megan Nixon	Fr.	F		Oakville, Ontario (St. Ignatius of Loyola Secondary)
11	Sydney Walker	Fr.	D		St. Louis, Mo. (Westminster Christian Academy)
12	Brionna Halverson	Fr.	M/D		Bolivar, Mo. (Bolivar)
13	Carli Bond	Jr.	D	5-6	St. Peters, Mo. (Francis Howell North)
14	Evie Lavelle	So.	F/M	5-3	Fairview Park, Ohio (Magnificat)
15	Olivia Petit	Fr.	M/D		Akron, Ohio (Archbishop Hoban)
16	Lindsay Sands	Jr.	F	5-5	Amherst, Ohio (Amherst Steele)
17	Elli Brunts	Fr.	F		Plano, Texas (Ursuline Academy of Dallas)
18	Olivia Silverman	So.	G	5-7	Cincinnati, Ohio (Seven Hills School)
19	Isabella Palazzolo	Jr.	D	5-2	Shelby Township, Mich. (Eisenhower)
20	Annabelle Copeland	Fr.	F		Godfrey, Ill. (Alton Marquette)
21	Karley Kucera	Jr.	M	5-7	Leawood, Kan. (Blue Valley Northwest)
22	Jordan Catalano	Sr.	F	5-5	St. Charles, Mo. (Francis Howell)
24	Haley Cox	Fr.	M		Cincinnati, Ohio (Oak Hills)
25	Emma Hinson	Fr.	G		Portland, Ore. (Jesuit)
28	Julia Peterson	So.	D/M	5-6	West Chicago, Ill. (St. Charles East)

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