



ARKANSAS RAZORBACKS

One Final Four Appearance >> 22 Postseason Appearances >> 27th Season In The SEC >> More Than 400 Home Wins >> More Than 700 Program Victories

/// THE SERIES ///

Series Record	Arkansas leads 2-0
Fayetteville	2-0
Tahlequah	0-0
Neutral	0-0
Last Meeting	W, 65-32, 2014
Neighbors versus this opponent	First Meeting

/// MEDIA ///

None
Talent: TBA

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/// SCHEDULE & RESULTS ///

NOVEMBER (0-0)	MEDIA	W/L	SCORE
2	Northeastern St (Exh)	-	7 p.m.
10	Sam Houston State	SECN+	10:30 a.m.
12	Samford	SECN+	1 p.m.
16	at RV Nebraska	BTN	8 p.m.
20	at Oral Roberts	Cox Sports	7 p.m.
24	UTEP!	-	3:30 p.m.
25	New Mexico State!	-	1 p.m.
29	Abilene Christian	SECN+	-

DECEMBER (0-0)	MEDIA	W/L	SCORE
3	at Kansas^	JTV/ESPN3	2 p.m.
7	Charlotte	SECN+	7 p.m.
10	Tulsa	SECN+	7 p.m.
17	RV UT Arlington	SECN+	2 p.m.
21	at RV Arizona State	Tempe, Arizona	1 p.m.
28	Grambling	SECN+	7 p.m.
31	Ole Miss*	SECN+	2 p.m.

JANUARY (0-0)	MEDIA	W/L	SCORE
4	at Mississippi State*	SEC Network	8 p.m.
7	Alabama*	SEC Network	3 p.m.
11	at Georgia*	SECN+	6 p.m.
14	at Auburn*	SEC Network	4 p.m.
18	Florida*	SEC Network	6 p.m.
21	at No. 16 Missouri**	SEC Network	4 p.m.
25	at No. 2 S Carolina**	SEC Network	5:30 p.m.
29	RV Kentucky*	SEC Network	6 p.m.

FEBRUARY (0-0)	MEDIA	W/L	SCORE
4	at Alabama*	SEC Network	1 p.m.
8	No. 18 Tennessee*	SECN+	7 p.m.
11	No. 16 Missouri*	SEC Network	4 p.m.
15	at RV Kentucky*	SECN+	6 p.m.
18	RV LSU**	SECN+	2 p.m.
22	RV Texas A&M*	SECN+	7 p.m.
25	at Vanderbilt*	SECN+	2 p.m.
28	SEC Tournament	SECN/ESPN/2	Nashville

MARCH (0-0)	MEDIA	W/L	SCORE
1-4	SEC Tournament	SECN/ESPN/2	Nashville, Tenn.

* - Southeastern Conference Game
! - UTEP Thanksgiving Tournament (El Paso, Texas)
^ - SEC/Big 12 Challenge
+ - We Back Pat
> - Play4Kay
All home games played in Bud Walton Arena (19,200)

ARKANSAS RAZORBACKS 0-0, 0-0 SEC

Head Coach: Mike
Alma Mater:
Record: Arkansas Record:



Fayetteville, Arkansas



Bud Walton Arena



7 p.m. Thursday
Nov. 2



None



Razorback Radio Network



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NORTHEASTERN STATE 0-0, 0-0 MIAA

Head Coach: Mike
Alma Mater:
Record: Arkansas Record:



ABOUT THE TEAM

- » Only team in the SEC that does not return a double-digit scorer
- » Devin Cospser has posted 23 games in double figures over two seasons
- » Not only do the Razorbacks not return a player who averaged double figure rebounds, NO ONE on the team has even had a game with 10+ rebounds for the Razorbacks
- » Return seven players and three starters (Monk, Mason, Zimmerman)
- » Have six newcomers, two of whom will red-shirt due to NCAA transfer rules
- » Devin Cospser is the team's only senior - she graduated in May and is in graduate school

The biggest change for the 2017-18 season is a new coaching staff led by head coach Mike Neighbors. Neighbors is a 1993 graduate of the University of Arkansas and worked with the Razorbacks once as a director of operations and a second time as an assistant coach.

- » Neighbors welcomed three new assistant coaches to the program.
- » Todd Schaefer worked at Ole Miss and is familiar with the SEC. Schaefer worked with Neighbors one season at Washington.

- » Lacey Goldwire checks in from Iowa. Goldwire played at Oklahoma State and got her start in coaching with the Cowgirls.
- » Pauline Love rounds out the staff. Love has most recently been at her alma mater, Southern Miss, and brings a wealth of knowledge as a former player to Arkansas.

The Razorbacks graduated Jessica Jackson and Alecia Cooley and Jackson's departure sees Arkansas lose it's only player who scored in double figures last year.

- » The returning starters include (Malica Monk (9.1 ppg), Jailyn Mason (7.5 ppg) and Bailey Zimmerman 4.5 ppg).
- » The other returning letterwinners are Keiryn Swenson (8.0 ppg), Devin Cospser (6.4 ppg), Kiara Williams (3.1 ppg) and Sydney Stout (1.1 ppg).

Neighbors and staff wasted no time in hitting the recruiting trail. After reaching out to early signees Grayce Spangler and Macy Weaver, the staff added freshman Taylah Thomas and junior college transfer Raven Northcross-Baker. Chelsea Dungee and A'Tyanna Gaulden also join the team but will sit out a year due to NCAA transfer rules.

/// STATISTICAL COMPARISONS /// *among returners

ARKANSAS OVERALL		SEC	NESU OVERALL		MIAA
PTS / GAME	64.1	56.9	PTS / GAME	60.0	55.3
PTS ALLOWED / GAME	60.4	64.4	PTS ALLOWED / GAME	69.7	70.4
FG %	.398	.362	FG %	.383	.367
FG DEFENSE %	.382	.400	FG DEFENSE %	.415	.430
3-PT FG %	.331	.299	3-PT FG %	.319	.298
3-PT FG DEFENSE %	.316	.350	3-PT FG DEFENSE %	.360	.361
REB / GAME	38.3	35.9	REB / GAME	32.1	30.1
REB ALLOWED / GAME	36.2	39.3	REB ALLOWED / GAME	39.2	39.7
LEADING SCORER	Monk, 9.1 ppg*	Monk, 8.5*	LEADING SCORER	Long, 13.7 ppg*	Long, 12.9*
LEADING REBOUNDER	Swenson, 4.1 ppg*	Swenson, 3.9*	LEADING REBOUNDER	Strange, 4.0 ppg*	Hill, 3.5*

TOP RETURNERS FROM 2016-17



Malica Monk
PPG RPG APG
9.1 3.0 3.1



Keiryn Swenson
PPG RPG 3PT%
8.0 4.1 43.7%



Jailyn Mason
PPG RPG APG
7.5 3.9 3.1



Devin Cospser
PPG RPG APG
6.4 2.2 1.6



Bailey Zimmerman
PPG RPG SPG
4.5 3.8 0.6

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NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Cl	Hometown/HS/Previous School
0	A'Tyanna Gaulden*	G	5-7	RSO	Ocilla, Ga./Americus Sumter HS/Florida State
1	Raven Northcross-Baker	G	5-7	Fr	Malvern, Ark./Malvern HS/Chipola College
3	Malica Monk	G	5-5	Jr	N. Little Rock, Ark./NLR HS
4	Keiryn Swenson	G/F	6-1	Jr	Wichita, Kan. /Maize HS
10	Kiara Williams	F/C	6-1	So	Little Rock, Ark./LR Central HS
13	Grayce Spangler	G	5-10	Fr	Fayetteville, Ark. Fayetteville HS
14	Jailyn Mason	PG	5-9	So	Mason, Ohio/William Mason HS
20	Sydney Stout	F	6-0	So	Bixby, Okla./Bixby HS
21	Devin Cospers	G	5-10	SGr	Coffeyville, Kan./Field Kindley HS/Coffeyville CC
22	Bailey Zimmerman	G/F	6-0	Jr	St. Vincent, Ark. /Wonderview HS
24	Taylah Thomas	F	6-1	Fr	Arlington, Texas/Mansfield Timberview HS
30	Macy Weaver	F	6-3	Fr	Davis Junction, Ill./Stillman Valley HS
33	Chelsea Dungee*	G	5-11	RSO	Sapulpa, Okla./Sapulpa HS/Oklahoma

*Will not play the 2017-18 season due to NCAA transfer rules

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Twitter
21	Devin Cospers	@devidev_
33	Chelsea Dungee*	@ChelseaDungee22
0	A'Tyanna Gaulden*	@AtyannaGaulden
14	Jailyn Mason	@jaimason14
3	Malica Monk	@TheRealMalica
1	Raven Northcross-Baker	@ravenbaker_4
13	Grayce Spangler	@grayce_1313
20	Sydney Stout	@sydeny_stout_
4	Keiryn Swenson	@KiKi_Sweezyy
24	Taylah Thomas	@hailtaylahh
30	Macy Weaver	@macyweaver528
10	Kiara Williams	@kiara_will22
22	Bailey Zimmerman	@Bailey_Ann22

COACHING STAFF

Title	Name	Year	Alma Mater
Head Coach	Mike Neighbors	First Season	Arkansas, 1993
Assistant Coach	Todd Schaefer	First Season	Thomas More College, 1995
Assistant Coach	Lacey Goldwire	First Season	Oklahoma State, 2010
Assistant Coach	Pauline Love	First Season	Southern Miss, 2010
Director of Operations	Amber Shirey	30th Season	Arkansas, 1992
Director of Video and Scouting	Jeff Brazil	11th Season	Arkansas, 2010

FA-NETIK PRONUNCIATIONS

No.	Name	Pronunciation
0	A'Tyanna	AH-tee-ah-nuh
3	Malica	mal-ick-cuh
4	Keiryn	KY-rynn
10	Kiara	Key-R-uh
13	Grayce	GRAY-se
14	Jailyn	JAY-lyn
24	Taylah	TAY-luh

SENIOR DEVIN COSPER

- » Only senior on the team
- » Missed the opening game last season after a death in the family
- » Averaged 6.4 ppg and 2.2 rpg last season and 7.7 ppg and 2.8 rpg for her career
- » Graduated in May 2017 with a degree in broadcast journalism
- » Interned at RSN, Arkansas' broadcast studio
- » Wears the SEC graduate patch on her jersey
- » Named "Comback Student-Athlete of the Year at annual HOGSPY awards after rebounding from an injury and a death in the family



The First Game

No really. Arkansas' season-opener with Sam Houston State is the first game in the NCAA this year ... by 30 minutes.

Sam Houston State at Arkansas	10:30 a.m.
UIW at Oklahoma State	11 a.m.
Nicholls at SMU	11:30 a.m.
Lipscomb at College of Charleston	12 p.m.
Florida A&M at Eastern Michigan	1 p.m.

FUNCTIONALLY FAST

You will hear Mike Neighbors say this a lot. He wants his teams to play as fast as possible and still function at a high level. That may look different from possession to possession depending on what Arkansas is running.

TRUST, TALENT AND TIME

My program will be built on three things. It's very simple.

TRUST - The highest form of loyalty that has to be earned, managed and sometimes re-earned. If we don't have this, nothing will work and the stool's legs will fall off and everything will collapse.

TALENT - It doesn't mean you can dribble, shoot, pass and rebound. It's a lot of other things like the ability to engage with the fan base and willingness to sign autographs for a 10-year-old child you might be inspiring.

TIME - It's just not being on time or making time. It's how you utilize your time and who you invest your time with and be around.

Trust, talent and time. Those will be our pillars.

FUN FEATURES

Both Mike Neighbors and Jailyn Mason have shoe collections. Mason's collection was featured in a story last year. It can be seen here: <http://bit.ly/2ebtLdb>

Neighbors got settled into his Fayetteville home in mid August. One of the first things he set up were his shoes.



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OPPONENT

ABOUT NORTHEASTERN STATE

- » The RiverHawks went 6-21 last season losing their last 14 games.
- » They were defeated by Missouri State in exhibition action last season, 87-46. It was the only common opponent between these teams.
- » The RiverHawks lost just one player to graduation and return one of their leading scorers in and Cailyn Long (13.7).
- » The RiverHawks have a history of success with two DII NCAA Sweet 16 appearances, seven NCAA Tournament bids and seven LSC titles.

ARKANSAS IN EXHIBITIONS

- » Arkansas is 33-11 all-time in exhibition contests.
- » The Razorbacks have won 13 in a row - the program's longest winning streak in exhibition action.

ABOUT THE SERIES

Series Record: Arkansas leads 2-0 (both exhibition games)
 In Fayetteville: 2-0
 In Tahlequah, Oklahoma: 0-0
 Neutral: 0-0
 Last 5: Arkansas W 2-0
 Mike Neighbors vs.: First meeting

Results

Arkansas defeated the RiverHawks, 65-32, in 2014 and 55-48, in 2009.

Overview

This is the first of three consecutive games in Bud Walton Arena for the Razorbacks. Arkansas opens the season with a 10:30 a.m. tip against Sam Houston State on Nov. 10 and host Samford on Nov. 12.

The game is the only exhibition game against another opponent for both teams.

The Coaches

Both head coaches are in their first season with their respective teams. Both also enter the season with 98 career wins.

Important Stats

Minutes Played: The Arkansas coaching staff will take a look at as many players as possible in this game. It should be pretty balanced for minutes played.

3-Pointers Made: The RiverHawks averaged 7.8 3-pointers made a year ago. Kylie Looney was second on the team, and is the top returner, for made 3's hitting 134 for the season -- 5.36 per game.

3-Pointers Defense: The Razorbacks had good 3-point defense a year ago allowing opponents just 155 makes from distance.

An Arkansas Win Would ...

Make it 14 consecutive exhibition wins for the Razorbacks and improve Arkansas' record to 3-0 versus the RiverHawks. A win would move Arkansas to 34-11 overall in exhibition games and 14-0 against other NCAA teams.

NOVEMBER (0-0)	MEDIA	W/L	SCORE	SERIES	NEIGHBORS
2 Northeastern St. (Exh)	-	-	-	2-0	First Meeting
10 Sam Houston State	SECN+	-	-	7-0	First Meeting
12 Samford	SECN+	-	-	First Meeting	First Meeting
16 at Nebraska	BTN	-	-	First Meeting	First Meeting
20 at Oral Roberts	Cox Sports	-	-	19-9	First Meeting
24 UTEP!	-	-	-	2-0	0-1
25 New Mexico State!	-	-	-	First Meeting	First Meeting
29 Abilene Christian	SECN+	-	-	First Meeting	First Meeting

DECEMBER (0-0)	MEDIA	W/L	SCORE	SERIES	NEIGHBORS
3 at Kansas^	JTV/ESPN3	-	-	4-3	First Meeting
7 Charlotte	SECN+	-	-	First Meeting	First Meeting
10 Tulsa	SECN+	-	-	20-3	First Meeting
17 UT Arlington	SECN+	-	-	6-0	First Meeting
21 at Arizona State	-	-	-	1-0	2-4
28 Grambling State	SECN+	-	-	7-0	1-0
31 Ole Miss*	SECN+	-	-	16-26	First Meeting

JANUARY (0-0)	MEDIA	W/L	SCORE	SERIES	NEIGHBORS
4 at Mississippi State*	SEC Network	-	-	18-18	0-1
7 Alabama*	SEC Network	-	-	21-14	First Meeting
11 at Georgia*	SECN+	-	-	5-31	First Meeting
14 at Auburn*	SEC Network	-	-	14-22	First Meeting
18 Florida*	SEC Network	-	-	9-27	First Meeting
21 at Missouri*	SEC Network	-	-	11-8	1-0
25 at South Carolina*	SEC Network	-	-	17-16	First Meeting
29 Kentucky*	SEC Network	-	-	13-21	1-0

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4 at Alabama*	SEC Network	-	-	21-14	First Meeting
8 Tennessee*	SECN+	-	-	3-30	First Meeting
11 Missouri*	SEC Network	-	-	11-8	1-0
15 at Kentucky*	SECN+	-	-	13-21	1-0
18 LSU*	SECN+	-	-	16-31	First Meeting
22 Texas A&M*	SECN+	-	-	21-8	1-1
25 at Vanderbilt*	SECN+	-	-	8-24	First Meeting
28 SEC Tournament	SECN/ESPN	-	-		

MARCH (0-0)	MEDIA	W/L	SCORE	SERIES	NEIGHBORS
1-4 SEC Tournament	SECN/ESPN				

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 !-UTEP Thanksgiving Tournament (El Paso, Texas)
 ^-SEC/Big 12 Challenge
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SEC COMPOSITE SCHEDULE

December 31 (Sunday) Missouri at Alabama Ole Miss at Arkansas Florida at Auburn Miss State at Georgia Tennessee at Kentucky Texas A&M at S Carolina	January 14 (Sunday) Arkansas at Auburn LSU at Florida Alabama at Miss State Tennessee at S Carolina Georgia at Texas A&M Kentucky at Vanderbilt	January 29 (Monday) Kentucky at Arkansas February 1 (Thursday) Auburn at Kentucky Georgia at LSU Vanderbilt at Ole Miss Miss State at Missouri Texas A&M at Tennessee	February 12 (Monday) Vanderbilt at Auburn February 15 (Thursday) Missouri at Auburn S Carolina at Georgia Arkansas at Kentucky Ole Miss at LSU Alabama at Tennessee Florida at Texas A&M Miss State at Vanderbilt
January 1 (Monday) Vanderbilt at LSU	January 18 (Thursday) Texas A&M at Alabama Florida at Arkansas Auburn at LSU Missouri at Ole Miss S Carolina at Vanderbilt	February 4 (Sunday) Arkansas at Alabama Miss at Georgia LSU at Kentucky Auburn at Texas A&M Tennessee at Vanderbilt	February 18 (Sunday) Auburn at Alabama LSU at Arkansas Vanderbilt at Florida Texas A&M at Miss State Tennessee at Missouri Kentucky at S Carolina
January 4 (Thursday) Alabama at Florida S Carolina at Ole Miss Arkansas at Miss State LSU at Missouri Auburn at Tennessee Kentucky at Texas A&M Georgia at Vanderbilt	January 21 (Sunday) Vanderbilt at Alabama Ole Miss at Florida Auburn at Georgia S Carolina at Kentucky Arkansas at Missouri Miss State at Tennessee	February 5 (Monday) S Carolina at Miss State Florida at Missouri February 8 (Thursday) S Carolina at Alabama Tennessee at Arkansas LSU at Auburn Miss State at Florida Vanderbilt at Georgia Kentucky at Missouri Ole Miss at Texas A&M	February 19 (Monday) Georgia at Ole Miss February 22 (Thursday) Georgia at Alabama Texas A&M at Arkansas Tennessee at Florida Kentucky at Ole Miss Auburn at Miss State Vanderbilt at Missouri LSU at S Carolina
January 7 (Sunday) Alabama at Arkansas Texas A&M at Auburn Georgia at Kentucky Miss State at LSU Florida at Ole Miss S Carolina at Missouri Vanderbilt at Tennessee	January 22 (Monday) LSU at Texas A&M January 25 (Thursday) Missouri at Georgia Alabama at Kentucky Florida at Miss State Arkansas at S Carolina Ole Miss at Tennessee	February 11 (Sunday) Missouri at Arkansas Texas A&M at LSU Alabama at Ole Miss Kentucky at Miss State Florida at S Carolina Georgia at Tennessee	February 25 (Sunday) Ole Miss at Auburn Florida at Georgia Miss State at Kentucky Alabama at LSU S Carolina at Tennessee Missouri at Texas A&M Arkansas at Vanderbilt
January 11 (Thursday) LSU at Alabama Kentucky at Florida Arkansas at Georgia Ole Miss at Miss State Auburn at S Carolina Tennessee at Texas A&M Missouri at Vanderbilt	January 28 (Sunday) Alabama at Auburn Georgia at Florida Tennessee at LSU Miss State at Ole Miss Missouri at S Carolina Texas A&M at Vanderbilt		

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ARKANSAS Combined Team Statistics (as of Jun 03, 2017)
All games

RECORD:	OVERALL	HOME	AWAY	NEUTRAL
ALL GAMES	13-17	9-8	2-8	2-1
CONFERENCE	2-14	1-7	1-7	0-0
NON-CONFERENCE	11-3	8-1	1-1	2-1

#	Player	gp-gs	min	avg	Total		3-Point		F-Throw		Rebounds				pf	dq	a	to	blk	stl	pts	avg		
					fg-fga	fg%	3fg-fga	3fg%	ft-fa	ft%	off	def	tot	avg										
00	JACKSON, Jessica	29-26	867	29.9	145-388	.374	46-138	.333	90-128	.703	76	110	186	6.4	80	3	42	70	20	27	426	14.7		
03	MONK, Malica	27-26	842	31.2	96-230	.417	7-25	.280	48-71	.676	29	52	81	3.0	79	2	83	59	7	62	247	9.1		
12	x-FREEMAN, Briunna	5-0	72	14.4	16-23	.696	0-0	.000	9-14	.643	7	6	13	2.6	8	0	1	6	1	8	41	8.2		
04	SWENSON, Keiryn	30-11	709	23.6	89-179	.497	31-71	.437	30-39	.769	53	71	124	4.1	56	0	15	28	17	16	239	8.0		
14	MASON, Jailyn	30-29	894	29.8	100-256	.391	19-53	.358	7-11	.636	21	96	117	3.9	72	2	93	56	8	31	226	7.5		
21	COSPER, Devin	29-8	563	19.4	72-195	.369	23-75	.307	20-27	.741	7	58	65	2.2	43	2	45	40	6	28	187	6.4		
35	COOLEY, Alecia	30-17	644	21.5	69-144	.479	0-0	.000	55-81	.679	58	99	157	5.2	36	0	21	41	28	9	193	6.4		
02	WILSON, Aaliyah	26-0	411	15.8	48-167	.287	21-74	.284	8-12	.667	19	57	76	2.9	35	0	40	55	11	12	125	4.8		
24	x-DANBERRY, Jordan	6-0	72	12.0	8-19	.421	2-3	.667	10-13	.769	10	13	23	3.8	10	0	4	12	0	2	28	4.7		
22	ZIMMERMAN, Bailey	30-23	627	20.9	45-144	.313	24-84	.286	20-39	.513	35	80	115	3.8	46	0	28	37	10	19	134	4.5		
10	WILLIAMS, Kiara	20-5	227	11.4	26-48	.542	0-0	.000	10-26	.385	24	31	55	2.8	34	1	3	15	5	9	62	3.1		
20	STOUT, Sydney	15-0	72	4.8	5-14	.357	4-12	.333	2-4	.500	2	9	11	0.7	15	0	1	2	1	0	16	1.1		
Team											64	63	127					13						
Total.....		30	6000		719-1807	.398	177-535	.331	309-465	.665	405	745	1150	38.3	514	10	376	434	114	223	1924	64.1		
Opponents.....		30	6000		662-1735	.382	155-491	.316	334-488	.684	360	726	1086	36.2	481	7	382	451	106	225	1813	60.4		

x-Inactive player

TEAM STATISTICS	AR	OPP	Date	Opponent	Score	Att.
SCORING	1924	1813	11/11/16	SAM HOUSTON STATE	w 71-39	4330
Points per game	64.1	60.4	11/13/16	LA-MONROE	w 92-46	3156
Scoring margin	+3.7	-	11/17/16	SOUTH DAKOTA	w 70-67	1054
FIELD GOALS-ATT	719-1807	662-1735	11/21/16	STETSON	w 79-62	1179
Field goal pct	.398	.382	! 11/25/16	vs Memphis	w 91-61	1662
3 POINT FG-ATT	177-535	155-491	! 11/26/16	vs NAVY	w 70-67	838
3-point FG pct	.331	.316	11/30/16	at Tulsa	w 57-50	514
3-pt FG made per game	5.9	5.2	^ 12/03/16	TEXAS TECH	w 66-60	1370
FREE THROWS-ATT	309-465	334-488	12/07/16	BUTLER	w 68-50	1017
Free throw pct	.665	.684	12/11/16	at Missouri State	L 62-64	3094
F-Throws made per game	10.3	11.1	12/18/16	NWST	w 65-36	1025
REBOUNDS	1150	1086	12/21/16	ORU	L 60-70	1721
Rebounds per game	38.3	36.2	12/28/16	HOUSTON BAPTIST	w 101-40	1361
Rebounding margin	+2.1	-	* 01/01/17	at Ole Miss	L 64-73	1280
ASSISTS	376	382	* 01/05/17	#4 MISSISSIPPI STATE	L 51-59	1233
Assists per game	12.5	12.7	* 01/08/17	LSU	L 52-53	2005
TURNOVERS	434	451	* 01/12/17	at Texas A&M	L 65-90	3796
Turnovers per game	14.5	15.0	* 01/15/17	at Alabama	w 68-50	2667
Turnover margin	+0.6	-	* 01/19/17	VANDERBILT	w 59-56	1302
Assist/turnover ratio	0.9	0.8	* 01/23/17	MISSOURI	L 46-60	1250
STEALS	223	225	* 01/29/17	at LSU	L 46-53	2182
Steals per game	7.4	7.5	* 02/02/17	UGA	L 66-69	1603
BLOCKS	114	106	* 02/05/17	#4 SOUTH CAROLINA	L 49-79	1650
Blocks per game	3.8	3.5	* 02/09/17	at Florida	L 53-57	1441
ATTENDANCE	28083	39207	* 02/12/17	at Missouri	L 56-67	5163
Home games-Avg/Game	17-1652	10-3320	* 02/16/17	KENTUCKY	L 62-69	1142
Neutral site-Avg/Game	-	3-2002	* 02/19/17	at Tennessee	L 46-59	10613
			* 02/23/17	at Vanderbilt	L 64-66	2450
			* 02/26/17	AUBURN	L 64-70	1685
			\$ 03/01/17	vs Florida	L 61-71	3507

! = Nugget Classic (Reno, Nev.)

^ = SEC/Big 12 Challenge (Fayetteville, Ark.)

* = Conference game

\$ = SEC Tournament (Greenville, SC)



BENTONVILLE HS (HC)	94	
	95	
	96	
	97	
CABOT HS (HC)	98	
ARKANSAS (DIR OF OPS)	99	
	00	
TULSA (ASST)	01	
	02	
	03	
	04	
COLORADO (ASST)	05	
ARKANSAS (ASST)	06	
XAVIER (ASST)	07	
	08	
	09	
	10	
WASHINGTON (ASST)	11	
	12	
WASHINGTON (HC)	13	
	14	
	15	
	16	
ARKANSAS (HC)	17	

MIKE NEIGHBORS YEAR-BY-YEAR

Year	School	Overall	Pct.	Conf.	Pct.	Conf. Finish
2013-14	Washington	20-14	.588	10-8	.556	6/Pac-12
2014-15	Washington	23-10	.697	11-7	.611	5/Pac-12
2015-16	Washington	26-11	.703	11-7	.611	5/Pac-12
2016-17	Washington	29-6	.829	15-3	.833	T2/Pac-12
2017-18	Arkansas	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Totals	5 Years	98-41	.705	47-25	.653	

NEIGHBORS 3-1 IN BWA

As the head coach of Bentonville (Ark.) HS, Mike Neighbors went 3-0 in Bud Walton Arena in the high school play-offs. In 1997, his Tiger team defeated Bryant, Mount St. Mary's and Jonesboro to reach the state finals in Pine Bluff, Ark.

The lone loss occurred when Neighbors was an assistant coach at Tulsa. The 13th-ranked Razorbacks defeated Tulsa, 66-49, that season.

OPEN MIKE

Want to get to know Mike Neighbors in his own words? Check out the links below for stories about Mike, his hire and his dream job at Arkansas.

- Mike's First 30 Days <http://bit.ly/First30>
- Mike's Dream Job <http://bit.ly/MNDreamJob>
- Mike's Press Conference <http://bit.ly/PressConfVideo>

FROM ROOKIE NOD TO NAISMITH NOMINEE

In four short years Mike Neighbors went from a Spalding Maggie Dixon Division I Rookie Coach of the Year nominee in 2014, to a Naismith Women's College Coach of the Year national semifinalist in 2017.

Neighbors guided UW to an historic campaign in 2016-17 leading the Huskies to 27 wins, it's second most in program history, and he was just one shy of the all-time a school record set in 1990 (28).

Picked to place third in the Pac-12 in the preseason poll, UW tied for second in the league with a 15-3 record, it's best conference finish since 2003. The Huskies' 15 conference wins tied for third most in program history. Washington, who entered conference play with the program-best 12 non-conference wins, clinched its first-ever bye in the first round of the Pac-12 Tournament. Washington put together an 11-game win streak and a six-game win streak in Pac-12 play in 2016-17.

COACHES COACHING AT ALMA MATER

- Mike Neighbors Arkansas, 1993
- Holly Warlick Tennessee, 1981

A couple of other coaches have SEC ties. Joni Taylor is the head coach at Georgia and a 2002 graduate of Alabama. Matthew Mitchell is a 1995 graduate of Mississippi State and is the head coach at Kentucky. Nikki Fargas graduated from Tennessee in 1994 and is the head coach at LSU. Vic Schaefer is the head coach at Mississippi State and a 1984 graduate of Texas A&M.

NEIGHBORS BY THE NUMBERS

TOP 5 MOVIES

1. A Few Good Men
2. The Hunt For Red October
3. The Silence Of The Lambs
4. Hoosiers
5. Pretty Woman

TOP 5 SONGS

1. Sweet Child O' Mine (Guns N' Roses)
2. You Shook Me All Night Long (AC/DC)
3. Man In The Mirror (Michael Jackson)
4. Amarillo By Morning (George Strait)
5. Jessie's Girl (Rick Springfield)

TOP 10 TV SHOWS

1. West Wing (first three seasons)
2. The Wire
3. Breaking Bad
4. Seinfeld
5. The Newsroom
6. Prison Break
7. Arrested Development
8. Game of Thrones
9. The Sopranos
10. The Goldbergs

MIKE NEIGHBORS DEVELOPS PLAYERS FOR THE NEXT LEVEL

Mike Neighbors has worked with 11 WNBA Draft Picks

YEAR	UNIVERSITY	PLAYER	ROUND	OVERALL	TEAM NOTE
2017	Washington	Kelsey Plum	1	1	San Antonio Spurs ! @
	Washington	Chantel Osahor	2	21	Chicago Sky ! @
2016	Washington	Talia Walton	3	29	Los Angeles Sparks ! @
2011	Xavier	Amber Harris	1	4	Minnesota Lynx #
	Xavier	Ta'Shia Phillips	1	8	Atlanta Dream #
	TAMU/UAFS	Tanisha Smith	2	22	Seattle Storm #
	Colorado	Brittany Spears	2	19	Phoenix Mercury *
2009	Arkansas	Shameka Christon	1	5	New York Liberty #
2008	Arkansas	Lauren Ervin	3	37	Connecticut Sun #
2006	Tulsa	Megan Moody	-	-	Houston Comets
					Free Agent #
2003	Tulsa	Allison Curtin	1	12	Houston Comets ! #
	Arkansas	Dana Cherry	2	23	Traded to Detroit Shock Charlotte Sting

*-Recruited but did not coach
 !-At the school when player was drafted
 @-Worked with player as a head coach
 #-Worked with player as an assistant coach
 S-Worked with player as other (GA, etc)

FAST RISE TO ELITE RANKS

Mike Neighbors had a meteoric rise to the top as a head coach at Washington. In four seasons, he amassed 96 wins, had three NCAA Tournament appearances and reached the Final Four. Those accomplishments put him in some rare air.

FIRST FOUR YEARS AS A POWER FIVE HEAD COACH

Coach	School	Wins	NCAA Apps.	NCAA Best
Holly Warlick	Tennessee	108	4	Sweet 16
Mike Neighbors	Washington	96	3	1 Final Four
Jeff Walz	Louisville	96	3	1 Final Four
Nikki Fargas	UCLA	95	3	2nd Rnd
Vic Schaefer	Mississippi State	90	2	Sweet 16
Karen Aston	Texas	89	3	1 Elite 8
Matthew Mitchell	Kentucky	86	2	1 Elite 8
Kevin McGuff	Xavier	80	1	1 Elite 8
Dawn Staley	South Carolina	77	1	-
Brenda Frese	Minn./Maryland	72	2	-

BUILDING A FAN BASE

Mike Neighbors saw a 62.9% increase in attendance in his four seasons at Washington. Look for fan engagement to be a big part of future Razorback programs as well.

COACHING TREE

Coach	w/Nabes	Now
Fred Castro	'14, '15, '16	HC Eastern Michigan
Adia Barnes	'14, '15	HC Arizona
Adam Call	'14	AC Eastern Michigan
Morgan Valley	'16	AC Arizona
Todd Schaefer	'16	AC Arkansas
Jasmine Lister	'16	AC DePaul



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CoachNeighbors.com





0-A'Tyanna Gaulden
RSo | G | 5-7



1-Raven Northcross-Baker
Jr | G | 5-7



3-Malica Monk
Jr | G | 5-5



4-Keiryn Swenson
Jr | G/F | 6-1



10-Kiara Williams
So | F/C | 6-1



13-Grayce Spangler
Fr | G | 5-11



14-Jailyn Mason
So | G | 5-9



20-Sydney Stout
So | F | 6-0



21-Devin Cosper
Gr. | G | 5-10



22-Bailey Zimmerman
Jr | G/F | 6-0



24-Taylah Thomas
Fr | F | 6-1



30-Macy Weaver
Fr | F | 6-3



33-Chelsea Dungee
RSo | G | 5-11



Mike Neighbors
Arkansas, 1993
First Season



Lacey Goldwire
Oklahoma State, 2010
First Season



Todd Schaefer
Thomas More College, 1995
First Season



Pauline Love
Southern Miss, 2010
First Season