

2002 FIELD HOCKEY QUICK FACTS

General Information

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| Name of School | West Chester University of PA |
| City/Zip | West Chester, PA 19383 |
| Founded | 1871 |
| Enrollment | 13,000 |
| Nickname | Golden Rams |
| School Colors | Purple and Gold |
| Stadium | South Campus Field |
| Capacity | 2000 |
| Surface | Natural Grass |
| Affiliations | NCAA I, ECAC I |
| Conference | Atlantic 10 |
| President | Dr. Madeleine Wing Adler |
| Alma Mater, Yr. | Northwestern '62 |
| Director of Athletics | Dr. Edward M. Matejkovic |
| Alma Mater, Yr. | West Chester '69 |
| Athletic Department Phone | 610-436-3555 |
| Athletic Department Fax | 610-436-1020 |
| Ticket Office | 610-436-2266 |

*History

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| First Year of Intercollegiate Field Hockey | 1959 |
| All-Time NCAA I Playoff Appearances | 2 |
| Record | 1-2 |
| Last Appearance | 1987 (Second Round) |
| Result | L 2-1 vs. Maryland |
| All-Time AIAW National Championship Appearances | 4 |
| Championships | (1975-78) 4 |
| Record | 16-0 |
| The Last Time | 1978 (Finals) |
| Result | W 3-0 vs. Delaware |
| EAIWA Regional Championship Appearances | 6 |
| Regional Championships | (1975-78) 4 |
| Record | 17-2 |
| Last Appearance | 1982 (Second Round) |
| Result | L 3-2 (ot) vs. Penn |
| PSAC Playoff Appearances | 1 |
| Record | 1-1 |
| The Last Time | 1983 (Finals) |
| Result | L 1-0 vs. Bloomsburg |
| ECAC I Final Four Appearances | 2 |
| Record | 1-2 |
| The Last Time | 1993 (Finals) |
| Result | L 2-0 @ Lafayette |
| Atlantic 10 Playoff Appearances | 2 |
| Record | 2-4 |
| The Last Time | 2001 (Finals) |
| Result | L 3-2 (OT) vs. Massachusetts @ Temple |
| Atlantic 10 Regular-Season Titles (Yrs.) | 2 (1997-98) |

All-Time Record 375-212-56 (.627)

All-Time Atlantic 10 Regular-Season Record 17-14 (.548)

**Missing scores from 1961, 1963-65; missing team record from 1965*

Coaching Staff

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| Head Coach | Kathy Krannebitter |
| Office Phone | 610-436-2144 |
| Office Fax | 610-436-1020 |
| Alma Mater/Year | West Chester '82 |
| Years @ WCU | 2002 will be her 18th |
| Record at School/Years | 172-147-15 (.537)/17 |
| Career Record/Years | 172-147-15 (.537)/17 |
| Field Hockey Office | 610-436-2144 |
| E-Mail Address | kkrannebit@wcupa.edu |
| Best time of day to reach coach | Before Noon |

Team Information

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| <i>Overall Record Last Year</i> | 12-7 (.632) |
| Home | 6-2 (.750) |
| Away | 5-3 (.625) |
| Neutral | 1-2 (.333) |
| <i>Atlantic 10 Record/Finish</i> | 5-1/2nd |
| Home | 3-1 (.750) |
| Away | 2-0 (1.000) |
| <i>Letterwinners Returning/Lost</i> | 14/5 |
| <i>Starters Returning/Lost</i> | 7/4 |
| Captains | Kate Randle, Lauren Tomes & Stacey Tomes |

Sports Information

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| Sports Information Director | Tom Di Camillo |
| Office Phone | 610-436-3316 |
| Home Phone/Fax | 610-857-1353 |
| Office Fax | 610-436-2966/610-436-2235 |
| Hotline | 610-436-2100 |
| E-Mail Address | tdicamillo@wcupa.edu |
| Home E-Mail Address | dieselengine@juno.com |
| Website Address | http://iws.wcupa.edu/athletics |
| SID Mailing Address | Room 8, Hollinger Field House West Chester, PA 19383 |

Did you know?

**Three Golden Ram players and former head coach Vonnie Gros were instrumental in leading the United States to its only Olympic medal (bronze) in field hockey.*

**At the 1984 Olympics in Los Angeles, the United States literally came out of the stands to defeat Australia in a stroke-off after Australia was soundly defeated in what was suppose to be its bronze-medal clinching game. Australia needed just a close loss to clinch the medal.*

**WCU's Gwen (Alexander) Cheeseman was the United States Olympic Team's goalie in 1984.*

**Kim Rochon was selected the Atlantic 10 Student-Athlete of the Year in field hockey for both 1999 and 2000.*

**Kathy Krannebitter is the senior women's head coach at WCU.*