



2003 SEASON REVIEW



BACK ON TOP

After a two-year hiatus, the 2003 Florida State softball team returned to its rightful place atop the ACC after capturing the regular season and tournament titles. The Seminoles have now won the conference title nine times in 12 years on top of capturing the regular season title 10 times. Florida State swept through the 2003 tournament in impressive fashion. The Tribe went 3-0 and outscored the opposition 25-6 on the way to the title. FSU hit .357 for the weekend, homered six times and registered nine extra base hits. The Tribe set four ACC Championship records and tied three others. Lesley Palmer set a new ACC Tournament record with three HR's as she homered in each game. Florida State doubled the home run record for the tournament with six, Palmer herself tied the record. The Tribe also tied marks for runs in an inning (7), RBIs in the tourney (21) and consecutive wins (3).

TOP DOG IN THE SOUTH

With it's No. 2 seed, 27-game winning streak and ACC Title in hand, FSU finished off the 2003 regular season firmly entrenched as the No. 1 team in the south region. The Seminoles posted a 26-1 record against south region opponents and the only loss came in the second game of the season as the Tribe finished with a 25 game winning streak in the region. Not only did the Seminoles rack-up when it came to wins but they also dominated statistically. In 27 regional games, FSU outscored its opponents 160-21. The team batted .312 and finished with a team ERA of 0.65. Five everyday starters batted over .300 and two batted over .400. The team hit .312 and the staff held opposing hitters to a miniscule .130 average. The Tribe also allowed only 12 stolen bases in 28 attempts.

CLUTCH HITTER

The list of candidates for clutch hitter coming into the 2003 season was a long one. You had a reigning 1st Team All-American in Brandi Stuart, a member of the ACC's 50th Anniversary team in Jessica van der Linden, Shundra Colzie who homered off Jennie Finch in the College World Series and Tatiana George. While all of those players got their fair share of clutch hits, newcomer Lesley Palmer excelled. The redshirt sophomore was third on the team with four game-winning hits. She registered a double, a single and a solo HR to win games last year and on another occasion she scored the game-winning run.

CALIFORNIA DREAMIN

The 2003 Seminoles may have fallen a little short of their goal of reaching the College World Series for a second straight year but FSU was well represented at the WCWS banquet. When Louisville Slugger and the NFCA released it's All-America selections for 2003, three Seminoles were included on the list. Jessica van der Linden was a first team selection as a utility

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WRAP UP

2003 Record: **46-11** • Home: **25-4**
Away: **15-1** • Neutral: **6-6** • ACC: **8-0**

ESPN/ASA RANK: **No. 21**
NFCA RANK: **No. 19**

HIGHLIGHTS 2003 NCAA REGION 4 TOURNAMENT

2003 ACC TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS

HONORED

Jessica van der Linden

- 2003 NFCA/Louisville Slugger D1 1st Team All-American • 2003 ACC Player of the Year
- USA Softball Nat'l Player of the Year top 10
- No player had a lower ERA combined with a higher atting average.
- Sixth in the NCAA in Ks, 16th in ERA and 29th in bating average.

Brandi Stuart

- 2003 NFCA/Louisville Slugger D1 2nd Team All-American

Elisa Vasquez

- 2003 NFCA/Louisville Slugger D1 3rd Team All-American

Casey Hunter

- Fifth in the NCAA for ERA and 14th in the nation for victories.

player, Brandi Stuart was a second teamer at second base and Elisa Vasquez was named the third team catcher. The three kids from California made Seminole history becoming the first FSU trio to ever garner Louisville Slugger/NFCA All-American honors in the same year. Van der Linden is just the fourth first team All-American in FSU history and she is the second consecutive first team selection following Brandi Stuart, who was named to the second team in 2002. Stuart is the fifth Seminole to garner All-America honors in back-to-back seasons. Vasquez was named an All-American for the first time in her career and is the first-ever Seminole to be named NFCA All-America at the catcher position.

STREAKIN' TO NO. 1

With FSU's sweep of the ACC Softball Championship, the Tribe extended the longest win streak in Division I softball in 2003 to 27 consecutive victories. The longest win streak did belong to National Champion UCLA who won 24 straight games from February 1 to March 8 and ended with a 1-0 loss to DePaul. During FSU's streak, the second longest in school history, the Tribe won four extra inning games, run-ruled six opponents, pitched a shutout in 15 of the 27 games, out homered its opponents 16 to 1 and outscored its opponents 156-22.

DOUBLING IT IN NO TIME

When FSU went up to Atlanta and swept 2003 NCAA Regional team Georgia Tech in the team's regular season finale, the talk of the weekend was Tatiana George and her two home runs. The sophomore shortstop hit two out of the park in back-to-back games, which doubled her career total. Those two HR's came in just four at bats where she needed 352 at bats for the



first two homers of her career. Before the buzz could even die down about George, Lesley Palmer topped her. The hard-hitting third baseman came into the 2003 ACC Tournament with three homers in 102 at bats. The Dale City, VA native needed just four at bats as she homered in three consecutive ACC Tournament games and doubled her season total. On top of the three homers, Palmer hit .800, scored four runs, knocked in five RBIs, slugged 2.600 and was on base 83% of the time. She was rewarded with tournament MVP honors for her dominating weekend.

THAT'S ONE WAY TO GO

Florida State is one of the most successful programs in the history of the sport. With six WCWS appearances, 16 NCAA Regionals, more than 1,200 wins and records for consecutive WCWS, consecutive regionals and regional wins there is little doubt about that. The team has never been known for hitting home runs though. The school record for home runs in a

season at FSU is 33. Arizona's Lovie Jung had 24 herself last season. That is why it is so surprising that Florida State hit so many homers at the 2003 ACC tournament and utilized the long ball in every win. In just three games, FSU set the ACC Tournament record for home runs by a team with six and the record for HR's in a single game with three versus UVa. The previous record was two. Overall, there were 11 bombs hit out of the Seminole Softball Complex at the tournament. Lesley Palmer's three long balls were also a tournament record. Elisa Vasquez's homer in the first UVa game was part of a seven-run explosion in the second that also established a new ACC Tournament record for runs scored in a frame. After the first Palmer homer, Beth Wade's two-run shot allowed FSU to run-rule the Cavs in their tourney opener. Versus Georgia Tech, Palmer's two-run shot staked the Seminoles to a 2-0 lead. Then in the finale, Palmer evened the game 2-2 with another two-run homer and Shundra Colzie set up the run-rule with her two-run HR.

I REMEMBER THAT DAY

Although FSU is just 13 games into the 2003 season, it seems a number of players have already had "career days". Inspired by Casey Hunter's first-ever no-hitter against Florida A&M, here is a short look at each players best day of the season.

#7 CASEY HUNTER

DATE: 4/23/03 OPPONENT: FLORIDA

Throwing for the first time ever in Gainesville against a ranked UF team and against her former pitching coach, Hunter threw FSU's first-ever shutout against the Gators with nine Ks.

#8 BILLIEANNE GAY

DATE: 2/7/03 OPPONENT: FAMU

The February 7th game versus FAMU was special for the Tallahassee native as she registered the first hit, run and walk of her FSU career.

#9 ELISA VASQUEZ

DATE: 4/23/03 OPPONENT: FLORIDA

Her second career home run won the game for FSU over No. 22 Florida in Gainesville. The HR capped a three RBI game for the junior.

#11 BETH WADE

DATE: 3/22/03 OPPONENT: BUZZ

In her home state, Wade had a season in a day as she more than doubled her RBI total with five in three games. Registered the first triple of her career (with the bases loaded) and went 6 for 10 on the day. Named tournament MVP.

#12 CARLY BRIESKE

DATE: 2/4/03 OPPONENT: AUBURN

In her first collegiate start, Brieske drove in all three runs and her two RBI 10th inning walk-off hit gave the Seminoles a come from behind victory over Auburn 3-2.

#15 LESLEY PALMER

DATE: 5/9-5/11 OPPONENT: ACC TOURNEY

Three home runs in three games, a 2.600 slugging percentage, a .800 batting average and tournament MVP honors to boot.

#33 TATIANA GEORGE

DATE: 5/4/03 OPPONENT: GA TECH

Hit two home runs in the twin bill helping FSU finish ACC 8-0 and won ACC POW honors.

#99 JESSICA VAN DER LINDEN

DATE: 2/19/03

The whole season has been a dream but she'll never forget being named NFCA National Player of the Week.



DOMINATING THE COAST

For the third time in 12 years, Florida State left the annual ACC Awards Banquet with Player of the Year and Coach of the Year trophies in hand. Junior Jessica van der Linden was named the 2003 ACC Player of the Year becoming the first ACC player ever to win rookie of the year honors and then win player of the year honors as a junior. She is the fifth player in conference history to win both awards. Head coach Dr. JoAnne Graf was named ACC Coach of the Year for the fifth time in her career as she led the Seminoles to the conference's first-ever 8-0 record. Five other Seminoles were named to the All-ACC team marking the third year in a row FSU led the conference in All-ACC selections and the seventh time in 12 years.

▶ ONE MILESTONE LEFT

Head coach JoAnne Graf celebrated her 25th anniversary at Florida State last year and there is little she hasn't accomplished in her career. Graf has won over 1,200 games (slowpitch and fastpitch), been to six Women's College World Series, 16 NCAA Regionals, had 25 straight winning seasons, won eight ACC Titles, eight ACC Coach of the Year awards and ranks in the top five of five different NCAA coaching records. Now she is nearing yet another major milestone. With just five more victories, Graf will become just the third coach in the history of NCAA softball with 1,000 fastpitch wins, just the second DI coach to reach that mark and the only DI coach to get 1,000 fastpitch wins at one school. She is already the only coach in collegiate softball with 1,200 or more wins.





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Sophomores Casey Hunter and Tatiana George, juniors Elisa Vasquez and van der Linden and senior Brandi Stuart were all named All-ACC selections. Stuart's selection was the fourth of her career and she is the first Seminole to ever garner conference honors all four years of her career. This is the third straight honor for van der Linden and the first ever All-ACC award for George, Hunter and Vasquez. Florida State now leads the conference with 51 all-time All-ACC selections.

WE RATE WITH THE NCAA

Florida State once again stacked up favorably against the nation's top programs statistically speaking. In the final NCAA stats, only National Champion UCLA and No. 8 DePaul finished the year ranked higher than FSU in winning percentage, batting average, ERA, and scoring in Division I softball. The Tribe's pitching staff was also dominant in 2003. The Seminole staff ranked fourth in the NCAA with a 0.86 ERA. This marks

FSU IN THE NCAA STATS

TEAM	
ERA	4th
Win %	7th
Scoring	17th
Average	15th

INDIVIDUAL

ERA	Hunter	5th
	van der Linden	16th
Steals	Stuart	8th
Ks	van der Linden	6th
Wins	Hunter	14th
Average	van der Linden	29th

at the plate also. FSU ended up 15th in DI softball in batting average and 17th in scoring. The only teams in America with a lower ERA and better offense (runs scored and batting average) than FSU were UCLA and DePaul. The Tribe not only had an amazing statistical season as a team but individually also. Most impressively, sophomore Casey Hunter finished fifth in the nation with a 0.67 ERA and she was joined by Jessica van der Linden who ranked 16th. FSU was the only team in the nation to have two pitchers in the top 16 in ERA. That isn't the only place the Seminole hurlers show up either. Hunter finished 14th in DI softball with her .833 winning percentage and van der Linden ranked sixth with 9.8 strikeouts per seven innings. Van der Linden was also amongst the nation's best hitters as she was 29th with a .412 batting average. No player in DI softball had a higher batting average and lower ERA than van der Linden did in 2003. All-American Brandi Stuart ended up among the best base stealers in America as she ranked eighth in DI softball. Florida State is one of only two schools (UGA) to boast three different players (van der Linden, Hunter and Stuart) placing in the top 10 in at least three different statistical categories.

WALK THE WALK

One of the most amazing stats concerning the 2003 team was its stats concerning walks and strike outs. The 2003 squad tied the walk record set by the 2002 team with 237 free passes. While that is a staggering number what's more amazing is the fact that last year's team played 18 fewer games. The 2003 Seminoles easily set the record for the most walks per game with over 4.1. That is a walk a game ahead of the 2002 team's record setting pace. If last year's team had played as many games they would have shattered the record and ended up

with approximately 312 walks. While the 2003 team drew as many walks as the 2002 squad, they were much better when it came to strike outs. The 2003 team K'ed 142 fewer times and averaged one less strike out per game. No Seminole team ever hit for a higher average, drew more walks and struck out fewer times than the 2003 team did. If you add in the third-most home runs in program history with 22, it is easy to see why the 2003 team re-captured the ACC title and advanced to the program's 16th NCAA Regional.

HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL NEXT YEAR

Although the Seminoles won't carry a 27+ game win streak into the 2004 season, there is one run that FSU will look to extend next year. With its sweep over Georgia Tech, Florida State won its 20th straight ACC regular season game. The last time the Tribe lost a conference game was 2001 at the hands of Georgia Tech.

2003 TOP WIN STREAKS

FSU	27
UCLA	24
DePaul	21
Notre Dame	20
Oklahoma	18
La-Lafayette	18
Arizona	17

LONGEST STREAK IN A DECADE

With three wins at the 2003 ACC Softball Championship the Seminoles increased their season-long win streak to 27 games. The 2003 Seminoles own the second longest winning streak in team history. The 27-game streak is the longest win streak in a decade dating back 1992. What is so special about the 2003 run is that 15 of the 27 wins came away from home. In FSU's other two major win streaks last season, seven and six game runs, nine of the 13 wins came in the friendly confines of the Seminole Softball Complex. The 2003 group came amazingly close to the record winning streak of 32 games set in 1985. In the last 20 years, FSU softball

teams have put together winning streaks of 10 or more games in 16 of those seasons and overall they have 24 10+ game winning streaks. Last year's longest run was 10 games and in 2001, FSU had an 11 game winning streak.

FSU'S ALL-TIME WIN STREAKS

WINS	YEAR
32	1985
27	2003
25	1992
21	1993
20	1991
18	98, 86
16	95, 84, 81
15	89, 87, 83,
14	1994, 1982
13	1988, 1978

TRACKING FSU'S HOMERS

PLAYER	CAREER	2003	LATEST
Brandi Stuart	25*^	8	4/23 Florida
Shundra Colzie	6	1	5/11 Virginia
Beth Wade	4*	1	5/9 Virginia
Tatiana George	2	2	5/4 Ga Tech
Lesley Palmer	6	6	5/11 Virginia
J. van der Linden	1	0	2002 Dayton
Elisa Vasquez	4	4	5/9 Virginia

* Grand Slam included in total ^All-Time Record



FOUR ON THE FLOOR

Jessica van der Linden spent half of the 2003 season hitting above .500 and three quarters of the year in the .450 neighborhood. While she didn't end up setting the FSU single season record for batting average, she did accomplish something pretty special. The first team All-American became just the fourth Seminole in almost 20 years to finish the season with an average above .400 and she finished second all-time by hitting .412. Coming into 2003, the ACC Player of the Year had a career average of .324, 88 points below her 2003 numbers.

THEY'RE STRIKING

The 2003 Seminole pitching staff was phenomenal in 2003. The staff allowed two earned runs or fewer in 54 of 57 games and allowed no earned runs on 28 occasions. As impressive as that is, the staff reached an even more impressive mark. The 2003 staff recorded 486 strikeouts last season. Combined with the staff's 0.86 ERA, which ranked fourth in the nation, they became the first group to surpass 400 Ks and have a sub-1.00 ERA since the 1992 squad struck out 448 batters and registered a 0.60 ERA. It is the second straight season that the Seminole staff amassed 400 Ks. That has only happened on two other occasions. The first time was in 1984 and 1985 (441 & 517) and they did it again in 1991 and 1992 (508 & 448). Last year's staff recorded 475 Ks but that was in 75 games, which averaged out to 6.3 Ks per game. This year's team averaged over 8.5 Ks per game.

THE PLAY THAT WON THE GAME

OPPONENT	CORE	THE PLAY
Georgia Southern	7-2	Vasquez's two RBI single up the middle.
Auburn	8-0	George's walk forces in the winning run.
Auburn	3-2 (10)	Brieske's walk-off two-run single in the bottom of the 10th.
Florida A&M	13-2 (5)	Lesley Palmer scores in the 1st inning on a passed ball.
SE Louisiana	4-1	Jacob's 2nd inning in-field single scores George.
Middle Tennessee	11-0 (5)	Vasquez scores the winning run on an MTSU error.
Iowa State	3-1	Stuart's bases loaded walk drives in the game-winner.
Middle Tennessee	6-3	Palmer's double in the 6th brings home the winning run.
Iowa State	6-2	Brieske wins another game with RBI single in the sixth.
Florida A&M	5-0	Shandra Colzie's bases loaded hit in the second inning.
Pacific	8-1	Brieske's RBI single scores van der Linden in the fourth.
Mercer	11-0 (5)	Vasquez scores on a Mercer error in the second inning.
Syracuse	6-1	Shundra Colzie scored on a wild pitch in the second
Pittsburgh	7-1	Van der Linden's two-RBI single in the 3rd scores Gay.
Troy State	8-3	Tatiana George scores the winning run on an error.
Troy State	7-1	Lesley Palmer's single scores Vasquez in the third inning.
Rutgers	6-0	Lesley Palmer's solo home run to left field.
Winthrop	1-0	Lesley Palmer's fielder's choice plates Shandra Colzie.
Long Beach St	4-0	Throwing error in the 6th allows two runs to score.
Princeton	5-1	Brandi Stuart's two-run home run in the 4th wins the game.
Boston University	2-1 (9)	Elisa Vasquez's two-out, pinch-hit, 9th inning HR wins it.
Middle Tennessee	5-0	Beth Wade scores in the second on a MT fielding error.
Georgia State	4-3 (8)	Shundra Colzie's two-out single scores Lindheim from second.
Maryland	6-2	Stuart's fielder's choice wins it and breaks the all-time RBI record.
Maryland	3-2 (10)	Brieske's two-out, walk-off single in the 10th wins the game.
FAMU	9-2	Shundra Colzie's fourth inning single drives in the game-winner.
Elon	6-0	Elisa Vasquez's infield single in the fourth inning plates George.
Elon	6-0	Van der Linden singles to right in the first plating Shandra Colzie.
North Carolina	1-0	Van der Linden's sacrifice fly in the third is the only run.
North Carolina	4-0	Van der Linden's pushes across the winner on a bases loaded walk.
UCF	2-1 (9)	Brandi Stuart's walk-off triple in the bottom of the ninth wins it.
UCF	2-0	Vasquez's two-run triple is the game-winner for FSU.
Furman	6-0	Vasquez wins another game as her sac plates the winning run.
Furman	12-0	Tatiana George scores the winner on a squeeze bunt.
FAMU	8-0 (6)	Beth Wade's single to second base scores Stuart.
Jacksonville	9-0 (5)	Vasquez's single scores Shandra Colzie in the first.
Jacksonville	2-0	Van der Linden's triple scores Shandra Colzie
Florida	5-0	Elisa Vasquez's double scores the first run of the game.
Florida	7-3	Brandi Stuart's solo hr wins the game and sets the career record.
Virginia	5-0	Elisa Vasquez's triple plates Shandra Colzie and Tatiana George.
Virginia	12-1	Elisa Vasquez's single score FSU's second run of the inning.
Georgia Tech	4-0	Shundra Colzie's second inning triple scores Lesley Palmer
Georgia Tech	6-0	Elisa Vasquez's RBI single down the left field line wins the game.
Virginia	10-1 (5)	Natasha Jacob single's home her second game-winning RBI of 2003.
Georgia Tech	5-3	Tatiana George drives in the winning run on a ground out.
Virginia	10-2 (5)	Shandra Colzie comes around to score on a UVA throwing error.

2003 HITTING STREAKS

PLAYER	2003	Current
Brandi Stuart	14	0
Elisa Vasquez	13	0
Shandra Colzie	8	4
Jess van der Linden	7	0
Tatiana George	7	0
Beth Wade	6	0
Lesley Palmer	5	1
Natasha Jacob	4	0
Shundra Colzie	4	1

2003 MULTI-RBI GAMES

NAME	2	3	4	5+	TOT
Elisa Vasquez	8	5	1	0	14
Brandi Stuart	10	1	0	0	11
Jess van der Linden	2	2	2	0	6
Beth Wade	4	1	1	0	6
Tatiana George	5	0	1	0	6

2003 MULTI-HIT GAMES

NAME	2	3	4	5+	TOT
Shandra Colzie	9	6	1	0	16
J. van der Linden	7	7	0	0	14
Elisa Vasquez	10	3	0	0	13
Tatiana George	10	2	0	0	12
Brandi Stuart	8	2	0	0	10
Shundra Colzie	9	0	1	0	10
Beth Wade	5	2	0	0	7
Natasha Jacob	6	1	0	0	7
Lesley Palmer	5	0	0	0	5
Carly Brieske	4	0	0	0	4

2003 SEASON-HIGHS

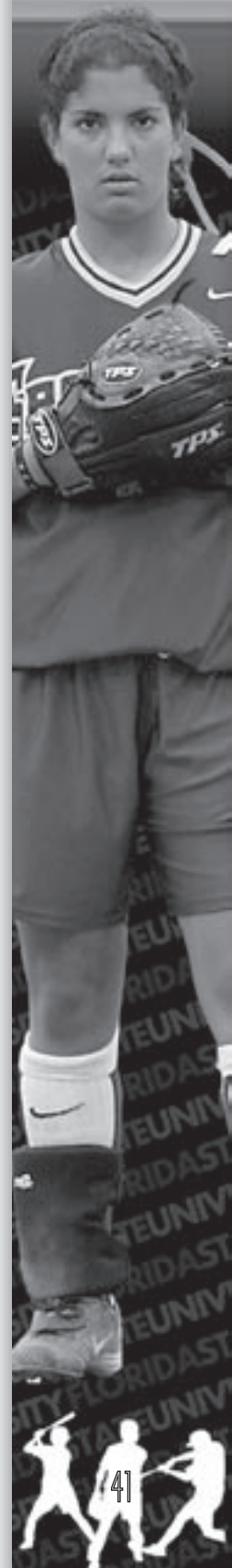
BATTING	
At bats:	41 Maryland (3/25)
Runs scored:	13 Florida A&M (2/7)
Hits:	16 FAMU (4/15)
RBI's:	12 Furman (4/12)
Doubles:	4 Four times
Triples	2 Furman (4/12)
Home runs	3 Virginia (5/9)
Total Bases	21 Elon (4/4)
Walks	10 Two times
Strikeouts:	10 Arizona (5/13)
Sac hits:	5 Penn State (3/8)
Sac flies:	2 Furman (4/12)
Stolen Bases:	9 Syracuse (3/2)
Caught stealing:	1 12 times
Runners LOB:	18 Maryland (3/25)
Hit into DP:	2 Three times

FIELDING

Putouts	31 Penn State (3/8)
Assists	14 Penn State (3/8)
Errors	3 Four times
Passed balls	2 Georgia Southern (2/1)
DPs Turned	1 11 times

PITCHING

Innings Pitched	10.1 Penn State (2/8)
Strikeouts	18 Boston Univ (3/22)
Wild Pitches	3 Georgia (2/8)
Hit Batters	3 Maryland (3/25)



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CERRITOS, AN ALL-AMERICA CITY

Senior Brandi Stuart and junior Jessica van der Linden, former Cerritos High teammates, both had monster careers for FSU, which resulted in the teammates becoming the first-ever back-to-back 1st team All-Americans in FSU history. In 2002, the two combined to hit .363 and slug .553. Together they accounted for 153 hits, 23 doubles, 12 triples, 11 home runs, 80 RBIs, 233 total bases and 86 walks. No tandem in FSU history has ever combined for more total bases, walks and slugged for a higher percentage than Stuart and van der Linden did in 2002, that was until 2003 rolled around. The pair were even more impressive last year as they combined to hit .370 and slugged .560. They lead the team in 13 offensive categories and were first and second in five statistical categories. They scored 81 runs, had 24 doubles, 177 total bases, six triples and 70 RBIs. Together they also drew 85 walks and struck out just 36 times in 316 at bats.



JESSICA VAN DER LINDEN

USA TODAY/NFCA POLL (FINAL)

SCHOOL	W-L	PTS	LW
1. UCLA (15)	54-7	375	2
2. California	49-20	354	9
3. Arizona	56-7	342	1
4. Texas	49-9	339	3
5. Oklahoma	42-14	309	5
6. Washington	47-16-1	305	8
7. Alabama	49-21	272	16
8. La-Lafayette	47-11	259	21
9. DePaul	48-7-1	234	4
10. Fullerton	41-15	221	6
11. Georgia	57-14	208	7
12. Michigan	44-16	185	14
13. Nebraska	39-17	182	11
14. Oklahoma State	39-15	162	13
15. LSU	50-18	150	12
16. Oregon	37-19	135	18
17. Texas A&M	38-22	110	20
18. Iowa	44-15	110	23
19. FLORIDA ST	46-11	106	10
20. Arizona State	32-25	81	15
21. South Carolina	39-19	77	20
22. S. Illinois	39-14	76	24
23. Stanford	41-26	67	17
24. Michigan St	40-19	59	NR
25. South Florida	54-19	52	19

ESPN.COM/USA SOFTBALL POLL (FINAL)

SCHOOL	W-L	PTS	LW
1. UCLA (18)	54-7	450	2
2. California	49-20	432	7
3. Arizona	56-7	414	1
4. Texas	49-9	385	3
5. Washington	47-16-1	368	6
6. Oklahoma	42-14	351	4
7. Alabama	49-21	347	15
8. La-Lafayette	47-11	335	23
9. Fullerton	41-15	296	8
10. DePaul	48-7-1	267	5
11. Oregon	37-19	248	17
12. Oklahoma State	39-15	240	11
13. Michigan	44-16	230	18
14. Georgia	57-14	217	9
15. Texas A&M	38-22	203	20
16. Nebraska	39-17	202	12
17. LSU	50-18	160	13
18. Stanford	41-26	144	14
19. Michigan State	40-19	117	25
20. Iowa	44-15	95	21
21. FLORIDA ST	46-11	93	10
22. Arizona State	32-25	75	16
23. Southern Illinois	39-14	71	NR
24. South Carolina	39-19	57	19
25. Oregon State	36-31	16	NR

2003 HONORS & AWARDS

ACC PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Brandi Stuart	2/10
Casey Hunter	2/24
Brandi Stuart	3/10
Jessica van der Linden	4/7
Elisa Vasquez	4/28
Tatiana George	5/5

NFCA NATIONAL D1 PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Jessica van der Linden	2/18
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NATIONAL PLAYER OF THE YEAR FINALIST

Jessica van der Linden	Top 10
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2003 SEMINOLE INVITATIONAL ALL-TOURNEY

Jessica van der Linden
Casey Hunter

2003 BUZZ CLASSIC MVP

Beth Wade

2003 VERIZON ACADEMIC ALL-REGION

Shandra Colzie	1st Team
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ALL-ACC

Brandi Stuart	Fourth Selection
Jessica van der Linden	Third Selection
Elisa Vasquez	First Selection
Casey Hunter	First Selection

2003 ALL ACC HONORS

Jessica van der Linden	Player of the Year
Dr. JoAnne Graf	Coach of the Year

ACC CHAMPIONSHIP ALL-TOURNAMENT

Lesley Palmer	MVP
Shandra Colzie	
Elisa Vasquez	
Casey Hunter	

NFCA/LOUISVILLE SLUGGER ALL-AMERICAN

Jessica van der Linden	1st Team
Brandi Stuart	2nd Team
Elisa Vasquez	3rd team

EASTON ALL-AMERICAN

Jessica van der Linden	1st Team
Elisa Vasquez	1st team
Brandi Stuart	2nd Team



THE ROAD TO FRUITION

One of the overlooked stats for last year's FSU squad is the team's performance on the road. In games played at an opponent's park, Florida State was 15-1 and the team won 14 straight road games after starting out 1-1. The last time FSU lost at an opponent's field was opening day when the Tribe dropped the second game of a doubleheader to Georgia Southern. Florida State outscored its opponents 94-13 on the road, hit .309 and had a team ERA of 0.77. Jessica van der Linden and Brandi Stuart led the way with 27 runs scored, 25 RBIs, five doubles, two triples, four HRs, 24 walks and 16 steals in 17 attempts. One of the big surprises had to be Elisa Vasquez though. In 16 road contests, the junior catcher had 23 of her team-leading 46 RBIs. She hit .383, had four doubles, a home run, slugged .532 and scored 10 times. Not such a surprise was the way Casey Hunter pitched on the road. The sophomore had an 8-0 record and an 0.52 ERA. She threw five shutouts, six complete games, had 13 walks and 66 strikeouts and held opponents to a .154 batting average.

OH WHAT A NIGHT

Florida State's sweep of Florida in Gainesville during the regular season was record setting in so many ways. The win was Florida State's fifth straight in Gainesville and marks the second consecutive time FSU has swept a doubleheader from the Gators on their home field. The only two sweeps in series history have now come in Gainesville and they have both been by Florida State. Casey Hunter's shutout gem was the first ever for FSU against Florida and the sophomore broke the record for Ks by a Seminole pitcher against Florida with nine. For the fourth straight year, FSU hit a homer off of Gator pitching in at least one game of the twin bill. This past trip FSU homered in both games thanks to Elisa Vasquez and Brandi Stuart. Along with her HR, Vasquez also doubled in game one of the DH to become the first player for either team to collect two extra base hits in a FSU/UF game. Stuart's home run not only set the all-time record at Florida State but she became the first player in series history to hit two homers in a career. Florida State won both games via those homers. The Tribe's 13 hits in game two weren't a series record but they were the most allowed by the Gators last year. The Seminoles have now tied the longest win streak in team history against UF with their third in a row.

TRIPLE ESPRESSO-0

First year pitching coach Eve Gaw did some amazing things with a young Florida State staff last year and she even had the staff battling for the ERA title (finished 4th in the nation). One of the most amazing stats is the fact that none of her pitchers allowed a triple despite pitching over 392 innings. This is the first time in FSU history that a Seminole squad has not allowed a triple all year. The Seminoles' speedy outfielders deserve a lot of the credit as well. Last year's group of outfielders was one of the fastest ever from top to bottom in Tallahassee and that cuts down on the extra base hits also.

SHINING ON SUNSHINE

With its ACC title win over Virginia, FSU kept its perfect record alive in TV games in 2003. The Seminoles went 6-0 in games played on the Sunshine Network. On top of the ACC Championship final, Florida State swept Maryland and the Cavaliers at home and then took both games from the Gators in Gainesville with the first one being broadcast by Sunshine. Of FSU's six TV wins in 2003, half came against the Cavaliers.

THREE FOR 50

Coming into 2003, one of the biggest concerns for FSU was the loss of two of its top RBI producers from the 2002 season. With the graduation of Kimmy Carter and Monique Marier, the Tribe lost 94 RBIs. Thanks to Brandi Stuart, Jessica van der Linden and Elisa Vasquez, Florida State didn't miss a beat. The three combined for 116 of FSU's 237 RBIs, which is just below 50% of the team total in 2003. Those kinds of numbers were expected from Stuart and van der Linden but Vasquez really stepped up and filled in for the RBIs FSU lost. The Hesperia, CA native led the team with 46 RBIs and surpassed her career total from her freshman and sophomore seasons. In fact with her 10 RBIs versus UF and UVA, she surpassed her entire freshman total in one week.

1,200 AND COUNTING

Lost in the midst of FSU's 27 game winning streak was Dr. JoAnne Graf passing yet another milestone. With FSU's 2-0 win over UCF, Graf hit the 1,200-win mark in her career and she is now the only coach in collegiate softball history to amass that many victories. In her 25th year at the helm of the FSU softball program, Graf had her 25th straight winning season in 2003 and she is now just five wins away from becoming only the second coach in NCAA softball history with 1,000 fastpitch wins. No coach in NCAA softball history has more wins at one school than Graf's 995 fastpitch wins at Florida State and she has even raised her incredible career winning percentage to .773.

BUZZING FOR AN ENTIRELY DIFFERENT REASON

Last year the Seminoles went to the Buzz Classic Tournament in Marietta, GA and smashed the ball all weekend long. They hit 10 homers but walked away without even reaching the semi-finals of the tournament. This year the Seminoles didn't hit nearly as many home runs (two) but they did come away from the rain-shortened tournament with the title. Florida State grabbed the crown by virtue of its 4-0 record and by allowing just five runs all weekend, which was the first tiebreaker. The only other team to go 4-0 was North Carolina but they allowed seven runs. The Seminoles were cruising to the tournament title up 3-0 on Georgia State having allowed just two runs in almost four games at the Buzz. The Tar Heels hadn't played yet but they were entering their game with Lipscomb at 3-0 with five runs allowed. The Lady Bisons were 0-3 and had been outscored 24-12 at the Buzz. When the Panthers homered in the top of the seventh the Heels and Seminoles moved back into a tie for the tournament title.

FSU'S 2003 WEEK-BY-WEEK RANKING

	PRE	F19	F26	M5	M12	M19	M26	A2	A8	A15	A22	A29	M6	M13	F
NFCA	9	11	15	16	16	17	17	16	14	14	13	12	10	NP	19
ESPN	--	--	15	14	16	T16	17	16	14	14	14	13	10	10	21





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Considering FSU was able to comeback and pull out the victory over GSU. second tiebreaker was run differential and that belonged to UNC. The Seminoles pulled out a 4-3 win over Georgia State but then needed Lipscomb to score a run to snatch the crown back. The Heels prevailed but the 3-2 win allowed Florida State to claim its first-ever Buzz Classic crown.

RUN UNTIL YOU ARE ORANGE IN THE FACE

The Seminole Softball Complex looked more like Mike Long Track than anything else against Syracuse. The Tribe was running wild setting a season-high with nine steals, which is the most bases stolen in a single game since 2001. Brandi Stuart led the way with three steals while Elisa Vasquez and Shundra Colzie each stole two. Shandra Colzie and Bryttani Lindheim each stole a base also as FSU went a perfect 9 for 9 on the day. The previous season high for steals was seven and that was set against Georgia Southern opening weekend. In 2001, FSU's season high in a game was six steals and in 2002 it was five steals in one game.

DIDN'T WE DO THAT BEFORE

When FSU opened Buzz Classic play with three wins in a day it might of reminded the Seminole softball faithful of 2002's NCAA Tournament when FSU rallied to win three games in one day to make its sixth trip to the College World Series. Or maybe some remembered back to 2000 when FSU won three in a day to capture the team's eighth ACC Title. Playing three games in a day is a lot but FSU has played a tripleheader 43 times since 1990 and even played four games in a single day once. The Seminoles have gone 3-0 20 times in those 43 tripleheaders and even went 4-0 in its lone quadrupleheader. The Tribe has swept a tripleheader every year since 1990 except for 1999 (FSU didn't play a tripleheader in 2001). In 1991, the Seminoles swept a record four tripleheaders and even won a quadrupleheader that year.

PITCHER PERFECT

After starting off the season 12-6 with a staff ERA of 1.37, Florida State pitchers were almost untouchable in the last 39 games. Not only did the group post a 34-5 record but they also had an ERA of just 0.62 over the last 270 innings. The staff allowed three hits or less in 22 of those 39 games, threw a no-hitter and five one hitters. In fact, the FSU staff threw four one hitters in its last 19 starts. The staff has pitched so well that they finished fourth in the nation in team ERA.



BILLIEANNE GAY

JUST STAY ON THE BAG

One of the biggest surprises in 2003 was the stellar play FSU got behind the plate. Everyone knew Elisa Vasquez and BillieAnne Gay were talented but replacing one of the all-time greats in Kimmy

A QUICK LOOK AT FSU

2002 Review	
Overall Record	55-20
ACC Record/Finish.	6-0/2nd
World Series	Tied for 3rd
Final NFCA Ranking	4th

FSU Softball	
Home Facility	Seminole Softball Complex
Head Coach	Dr. JoAnne Graf
Asst Coach	Louie Berndt
Asst Coach	Eve Gaw
Softball Office	(850) 644-9594

Florida State's 2003 Record...	
Overall	46-11
Home	26-4
Away	15-1
Neutral	6-6
Home Tournaments	13-3
vs. Ranked Teams	3-4
vs. ACC	8-0
ACC Home	4-0
ACC Away	4-0
vs. ACC (non-conference)	3-0
vs. Big East	3-0
vs. Big Ten	0-1
vs. Pac-10	0-4
vs. SEC	4-2
Extra Innings	5-2
Morning Start	3-2
Afternoon Start	28-5
Evening Start	15-4
In Georgia	8-3
In Florida	29-6
In Alabama	2-0
In North Carolina	4-0
In South Carolina	2-0
In California	1-2
On Monday	0-0
On Tuesday	5-0
On Wednesday	9-0
On Thursday	1-2
On Friday	8-3
On Saturday	18-4
On Sunday	6-1
In February	12-6
In March	14-3
In April	15-0
In May	5-2
FSU scores 0-3 runs	7-10
FSU scores 4-7 runs	26-1
FSU scores 8 + runs	12-0
Opponent scores 0-3 runs	46-9
Opponent scores 4-7 runs	0-2
Opponent scores 8 +	0-0
FSU leads after 6 innings	40-2
FSU trails after 6 innings	0-5
Tied after 6 innings	4-4
FSU homers	18-1
Opponent homers	2-5
FSU versus RHP (Starter)	43-11
FSU versus LHP (Starter)	3-0



BY THE NUMBERS

1214	Wins by Dr. JoAnne Graf
995	Graf's fastpitch wins
604	2003 Total Bases
486	K's by FSU pitchers in 2003
290	Consecutive starts by Stuart
287	Career hits by Stuart
250	Wins in the last five seasons
236	RBI's in 2003
124	Consecutive scoreless Inn (1993)
78	All-Region Selections
69	All-time ACC wins
58	Number of FSU's NCAA records
56	All-ACC Selections
48	Consecutive DH's w/o being swept
47	All-ACC Tournament Selections
47	Career wins by van der Linden
40	Career doubles by van der Linden
33	Home runs hit in 2002
32	Consecutive wins (1985)
36	Consecutive weeks in the polls
34	ACC Tournament Wins
27	Longest winning streak in 2003
25	Years Coach Graf has led FSU
25	Consecutive winning seasons
25	Career HR's hit by Brandi Stuart
21	Individual awards won in 2002
23	All-Americans
20	Consecutive ACC wins
18	K's by van der Linden vs BU (2003)
16	NCAA Tournaments
14	50+ win seasons
13	Most runs scored in a game (2003)
12	Number of years in the ACC
9	ACC Titles
8	ACC Tournament MVP's
6	WCWS Appearances
5	Most steals in a game (2002)
5	Consecutive Wins In Gainesville
5	ACC Coach of the Year titles
5	ACC Player of the Year titles
5	No. of undefeated ACC seasons
5	1st Team All-Americans
3	ACC Rookie of the Year titles
2	HR's in the 2002 World Series
2	60+ win seasons
2	Slowpitch National Titles
1	Graf's rank for wins (NFCA)
.609	Stuart's '03 Slugging Percentage
0	Triples Allowed In 2003

Carter seemed to be one of the biggest challenges that faced last year's squad. The two catchers made the transition seamlessly. They threw out almost 47% of would-be base stealers highlighted by Gay who gunned down over 56% of would-be stealers. Carter threw out 31% of would-be base stealers her senior year. Gay and Vasquez fielded .993 and .992 respectively compared to Carter who fielded .988. Elisa Vasquez even hit like old number 8 also as she has finished with an average of .346, a slugging percentage of .523 and she drove in 46 runs. She averaged .81 RBIs per game compared to Carter who averaged .72 per game the year she set the all-time record with 53.

LET'S PLAY TWO

After completing its fourth sweep of the ACC season against Georgia Tech, the Seminoles either won or split their last 48 DH's. During that time, FSU has swept both games of the twin bill 39 times, while splitting with their opponents only nine times. The last time the Tribe lost both games of a DH was in 2000 when Georgia Tech took two in Tallahassee.

ONE HECK-UVA GAME

On top of the great games handed in by the likes of Casey Hunter, Elisa Vasquez, Jessica van der Linden and Shandra Colzie, you really have to give the Seminoles a lot of credit as a team for the dominating sweep over Virginia during the regular season. In their 12-1 win, the Seminoles set records for the most runs scored and the largest margin of



victory in team history against the Cavaliers. The only other time FSU came close to beating the Cavs as bad was in 1992 when FSU won 11-1 at the ACC Tournament. The 16-run margin in the doubleheader (5-0, 12-1) matched the record set just two years ago in Tallahassee when FSU won 8-0 and 10-2. The Tribe extended that success into the postseason where they took two more games from UVA at the ACC Tournament by a combined score of 20-3. In four games versus the Cavs, FSU outscored Virginia 37-4, hit .391, slugged .707, had six of the team's 22 homers and drove in 31 runs. The pitching staff was just as good as the team ERA versus UVA was just 0.64. The Cavaliers, who batted .280 during the regular season, were held almost 40 points below their average versus the FSU staff and Virginia had just one RBI in 22 innings.

DYNAMIC DUO

The tandem of Casey Hunter and Jessica van der Linden compiled the lowest regular season conference ERA of any pair of Seminole pitchers in Florida State history. The pair finished the regular season with a 0.37 ERA allowing only three earned runs over 57 innings of work. They combined to strike out 63 batters, while walking only 13. They each allowed two extra base hits and held opposing conference batters to a .164 batting average. The only other FSU duo to come close to those numbers was the 1997 pair of Kristy Fuentes and Stacy Venable. Fuentes and Venable went a combined 7-1 with a respectable 0.52 ERA. They held opponents to a .158 batting average in the conference. Together they accumulated 48 strikeouts and allowed 18 walks.





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THE LAST TIME FSU...

- Hit a home run:** Shundra Colzie vs. Virginia, 5/11/03 -- FSU 10 VIRGINIA 2
- One player hit two home runs in a game:** Brandi Stuart vs. Troy State, 3/5/03-- FSU 7 TSU 1
- Hit a grand slam:** Brandi Stuart vs. Pittsburgh, 3/6/02-- FSU 7 PITT 0
- Hit a triple:** Shundra Colzie vs. Georgia Tech, 5/4/03-- FSU 4 GEORGIA TECH 0
- Hit a double:** Tatiana George vs. Virginia, 5/11/03-- FSU 10 VIRGINIA 2
- Hit two doubles in a game:** Brandi Stuart vs. Troy State, 3/5/03-- FSU 8 TSU 3
- Led-off a game with a home run:** Shundra Colzie vs. Georgia Tech, 4/13/02-- FSU 7 GAT 3
- Hit two home runs in a game:** vs. Virginia, 5/11/03 (Palmer/Shu, Colzie)-- FSU 10 VIRGINIA 2
- Hit three home runs in a game:** vs. Virginia, 5/9/02 (Palmer/Vasquez/Wade)-- FSU 10 VIRGINIA 1
- Stole three or more bases in a game:** Brandi Stuart vs. Syracuse (3), 3/2/03-- FSU 7 SYRACUSE 1
- Threw a base runner out:** BillieAnne Gay vs. Virginia 5/11/03--FSU 10 VIRGINIA 2
- Threw a no-hitter:** Jessica van der Linden vs Winthrop, 3/8/03--FSU 1 WINTHROP 0
- Threw a perfect game:** Jessica van der Linden vs. Dayton, 2/23/02--FSU 5 DAYTON 0
- Pitched a one-hitter (7 innings):** Jessica van der Linden vs. Florida A&M 4/15/03--FSU 8 FAMU 0
- Pitched a two-hitter (7 innings):** Casey Hunter vs. Georgia Tech, 5/4/03-- FSU 4 GEORGIA TECH 0
- Strike out 10+ batters:** Jessica van der Linden (10) vs. Georgia Tech, 5/10/03 -- FSU 5 GA TECH 3
- Picked up a save:** Casey Hunter vs. Georgia Tech, 5/10/03-- FSU 5 GA TECH 3
- Fielded a triple play:** vs. Florida Atlantic, 4/7/01-- FSU 5 FAU 4
- Fielded a double play:** vs. Virginia, 5/10/03 -- FSU 10 VIRGINIA 1
- Struck out every batter faced:** vs. Dayton (15/15), 2/24/02; Malerich (9) and Hunter (6)-- FSU 12 UD 0
- Won an extra inning game:** vs. UCF (2-1, 9 innings), 4/9/03
- Lost an extra inning game:** vs. Penn State (4-3, 11 innings), 3/8/03
- Was shutout:** vs. Texas-Arlington (1-0), 5/15/03
- Shutout an opponent:** vs. Georgia Tech (6-0), 5/4/03
- Scored 10+ runs:** vs. Virginia (10-2) 5/11/03
- Won a game on TV:** vs. Virginia (SUNSHINE), 5/11/03-- FSU 10 VIRGINIA 2

FINAL 2003 FLORIDA STATE SOFTBALL STATS OVERALL STATISTICS FOR FLORIDA STATE

RECORD: 46-11 HOME: 25-3 AWAY: 15-2 NEUTRAL: 6-6 ACC: 8-0

Player	AVG	GP	GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	TB	SLG%	BB	HBP	SO	GDP	OB%	SF	SH	SB	ATT	PO	A	E	FLD%
99 Jess van der Linden	.412	57	57	153	40	63	12	4	0	35	83	.542	46	4	15	0	.546	4	3	9	9	24	31	1	.982
9 Elisa Vasquez	.346	55	52	153	32	53	7	4	4	46	80	.523	13	1	19	0	.394	3	8	7	7	221	21	2	.992
20 Shandra Colzie	.333	55	48	165	40	55	2	0	0	9	57	.345	11	2	25	0	.382	0	5	16	18	22	1	2	.920
29 Brandi Stuart	.331	57	57	163	41	54	12	2	8	35	94	.577	39	2	21	0	.461	2	2	36	38	111	67	9	.952
15 Lesley Palmer	.304	52	52	112	18	34	9	0	6	23	61	.545	30	0	22	0	.448	1	2	1	1	26	58	10	.894
19 Shundra Colzie	.301	51	45	123	17	37	5	1	1	18	47	.382	13	6	22	0	.394	0	7	10	12	26	0	1	.963
33 Tatiana George	.288	57	57	163	30	47	5	2	2	26	62	.380	31	1	16	0	.405	0	24	5	7	89	77	12	.933
13 Natasha Jacob	.279	53	53	140	27	39	2	0	0	5	41	.293	16	1	20	0	.357	0	10	12	16	32	2	0	1.000
11 Beth Wade	.234	55	54	137	10	32	4	1	1	21	41	.299	14	0	31	0	.299	3	10	0	0	309	27	6	.982
12 Carly Brieske	.227	39	23	75	9	17	2	0	0	10	19	.253	8	1	9	0	.306	1	4	1	1	12	0	0	1.000
8 BillieAnne Gay	.217	29	26	23	3	5	1	0	0	1	6	.261	3	0	1	0	.308	0	0	0	0	253	33	2	.993
44 Carey Galuppi	.200	24	2	20	5	4	1	0	0	2	5	.250	0	0	5	0	.200	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
37 Bryttani Lindheim	.143	18	2	21	3	3	1	0	0	3	4	.190	3	0	5	0	.250	0	1	1	1	5	1	1	.857
2 Julie Tiggis	.077	10	3	13	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	.077	1	1	3	0	.200	0	1	0	0	20	1	0	1.000
14 Robyn Larson	.073	47	5	41	15	3	0	0	0	1	3	.073	9	1	9	0	.255	0	3	1	1	12	36	3	.941
3 Julie Jordan	.000	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	.000	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	1.000
7 Casey Hunter	.000	38	31	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	2	0	.000	0	1	0	0	10	50	3	.952
10 Julie Hauck	.000	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1.000
Totals	.297	57	57	1506	292	447	63	14	22	236	604	.401	237	20	226	0	.396	14	82	99	111	1178	410	52	.968
Opponents	.155	57	57	1337	71	207	29	0	8	56	260	.194	117	32	486	0	.239	3	39	33	62	1137	551	101	.944

LOB - Team (437), Opp (286). DPs turned - Team (11), Opp (17). IBB - Team (4), B Stuart 2, van der Lind 1, B Lindheim 1, Opp (2). Picked off - B Stuart 1, E Vasquez 1.

Player	ERA	W	L	APP	GS	CG	SHO	CBO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	2B	3B	HR	AB	B/Avg	WP	HBP	BK	SFA	SHA
7 Casey Hunter	0.67	27	6	38	31	25	12	2	2	208.2	109	33	20	67	233	12	0	3	701	.155	5	14	0	3	29
99 Jess van der Linden	1.07	18	5	29	26	18	8	0	1	176.0	93	34	27	48	246	16	0	5	605	.154	6	17	0	0	10
10 Julie Hauck	2.62	1	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	8.0	5	4	3	2	7	1	0	0	31	.161	2	1	0	0	0
Totals	0.86	46	11	57	57	43	22	2	3	392.2	207	71	48	117	486	29	0	8	1337	.155	13	32	0	3	39
Opponents	3.92	11	46	57	57	32	4	1	2	379.0	447	292	212	237	226	63	14	22	1506	.297	29	20	0	14	82

PB - Team (6), E Vasquez 4, B Gay 2, Opp (18). Pickoffs - Team (11), B Gay 6, E Vasquez 5, Opp (3). SBA/ATT - B Gay (14-32), van der Linden (18-32), C Hunter (12-27), E Vasquez (15-25), J Jordan (4-4), J Hauck (3-3).



2003 GAME BY GAME RESULTS



DATE	OPPONENT	RESULT	SCORE	FSU r/h/e	OPP r/h/e	PITCHER OF RECORD	NOTES
2/1	at Ga Southern	W	7-2	7/9/0	2/6/4	Hunter (W 1-0)	FSU opens season with a win for 18th time in last 20 games
2/1	at Ga Southern	L	1-2	1/2/1	2/3/3	van der Linden (L 0-1)	van der Linden one-hits GSU through six innings.
2/4	Auburn	W	8-0 (6)	8/8/0	0/2/2	Hunter (W 2-0)	FSU hands Auburn worst loss in 11 series meetings.
2/4	Auburn	W	3-2 (10)	3/6/3	2/7/0	Hunter (W 3-0)	Brieske's walk-off, two-run single wins game in the 10th.
2/7	No. 16 Oregon @	L	1-3	1/5/1	3/5/0	Hunter (L 3-1)	Oregon downs FSU for the third straight time.
2/7	Florida A&M @	W	13-2	13/9/0	2/3/5	van der Linden (W 1-1)	FSU scores in the first for the fifth time in six games.
2/8	No. 11 Georgia @	L	4-5 (8)	4/7/2	5/10/3	Hunter (L 3-2)	First time all year an FSU opponent scored first.
2/8	SE Louisiana @	W	4-1	4/7/2	1/5/5	Hunter (W 4-2)	Hunter matches her career win total in just eight games.
2/14	Middle Tenn. #	W	11-0 (5)	11/12/1	0/5/3	Hunter (W 5-2)	Four Seminoles account for 10 of FSU's 11 runs.
2/14/	Iowa State #	W	3-1	3/9/0	1/3/1	van der Linden (W 2-1)	Stuart hits safely in 10th straight game to start the season.
2/15	Middle Tenn #	W	6-3	6/11/2	3/6/1	van der Linden (W 3-1)	Six different players record an RBI in the win.
2/15	Iowa State #	W	6-2	6/9/1	2/3/1	Hunter (W 6-2)	van der Linden hits .692, slugs .846 and knocks in five RBIs in tournament.
2/18	at Florida A&M	W	5-0	5/9/0	0/0/1	Hunter (W 7-2)	Hunter pitches first career no-hitter.
2/21	No. 20 Pacific \$	W	8-1	8/12/0	1/2/2	Hunter (W 8-2)	Hunter strikes out a career high 15 batters.
2/21	No. 18 Oregon St \$	L	0-2	0/4/1	2/5/0	van der Linden (L 3-2)	Stuart's record 14-game hit streak comes to an end.
2/22	No. 25 UMass \$	L	1-2	1/4/1	2/1/0	Hunter (L 8-3)	UMass plates winning run on a Seminole wild pitch.
2/26	Mercer	W	11-0	11/7/1	0/3/4	Hunter (W 9-3)	Vasquez goes 2-for-3 with a triple, RBI and three runs scored.
2/28	Mississippi State	L	1-3	1/6/1	3/6/1	van der Linden (L 3-3)	FSU's last win over MSU came in 1986.
3/2	Syracuse %	W	6-1	6/8/3	1/2/1	Hunter (W 10-3)	Florida State swipes a season-high nine bases.
3/2/	Pittsburgh %	W	7-1	7/10/1	1/4/2	van der Linden (W 4-3)	van der Linden fans 10 and records three RBIs.
3/5	at Troy State	W	8-3	8/8/1	3/3/4	Hauck (W 1-0)	Stuart goes 3-for-3 with two doubles, two runs scored and an RBI
3/5	at Troy State	W	7-1	7/11/2	1/2/0	van der Linden (W 5-3)	Stuart hits two homeruns and goes 3-for-4.
3/7	Rutgers ^	W	6-0	6/7/0	0/3/2	Hunter (W 11-3)	Hunter strikes out 13 and issued just one walk.
3/7	Winthrop ^	W	1-0	1/5/0	0/0/0	van der Linden (W 6-3)	van der Linden throws fifth career no-hitter.
3/8	Penn State ^	L	3-4 (11)	3/4/3	4/6/2	Hunter (L 11-4)	Penn State records first-ever win over FSU.
3/12	Long Beach St *	W	4-0	4/5/2	0/3/1	Hunter (W 12-4)	George goes 2-for-2 and records the game's only RBI.
3/13	No. 1 Arizona *	L	2-0	0/3/0	2/7/2	van der Linden (L 6-4)	van der Linden reaches base three times in loss.
3/14/	No. 8 La-Lafayette *	L	3-0	0/6/2	3/5/0	Hunter (L 12-5)	Seminoles shut out in back-to-back games for the first time.
3/22	Princeton +	W	5-1	5/7/1	1/2/0	Hunter (W 13-5)	Tribe limits Tigers to one run or less for eighth time in 10 meetings.
3/22	Boston Univ +	W	2-1 (9)	2/6/0	1/3/1	van der Linden (W 7-4)	Vasquez wins game with two-out, two-runpinch hit homer in the ninth.
3/22	Middle Tenn.+	W	5-0	5/10/0	0/3/1	Hunter (W 14-5)	Wade finishes day 6-for-9 with five RBIs.
3/23	Georgia State +	W	4-3 (8)	4/9/1	3/2/2	van der Linden (W 8-4)	FSU claims first-ever Buzz Classic title.
3/25	Maryland (ACC)	W	6-2	6/5/1	2/5/4	Hunter (W 15-5)	Stuart breaks all-time RBI record at FSU with 137th.
3/25	Maryland (ACC)	W	3-2 (10)	3/10/2	2/5/3	Hunter (W 16-5)	Brieske wins game with walk-off singel in the 10th.
3/27	at Florida A&M	W	9-2	9/10/0	2/4/6	Hunter (W 17-5)	FSU scores nine unanswered runs in comeback win.
4/4	at Elon	W	6-0	6/10/1	0/3/5	Hunter (W 18-5)	Hunter picks up seventh straight win.
4/4	at Elon	W	6-0	6/14/0	0/5/0	van der Linden (W 9-4)	van der Linden and Vasquez each record two RBI and three hits.
4/5	at UNC (ACC)	W	1-0	1/4/0	0/5/0	Hunter (W 19-5)	FSU blanks Heels for the first time in 20 games.
4/5	at UNC (ACC)	W	4-0	4/6/0	0/2/1	van der Linden (W 10-4)	Tribe's ninth straight win over UNC in conference play.
4/9	UCF	W	2-1 (9)	2/5/3	1/1/1	Hunter (W 20-5)	Stuart's two-out, walk-off triple in the ninth wins the game.
4/9	UCF	W	2-0	2/4/1	0/2/0	van der Linden (W 11-4)	van der Linden's scoreless inning streak reaches 29.
4/12	at Furman	W	6-0	6/12/0	0/3/0	Hunter (W 21-5)	Shundra Colzie goes 4-for-4 with two runs scored and an RBI.
4/12	at Furman	W	12-0 (5)	12/10/1	0/1/2	van der Linden (W 12-4)	FSU has allowed just one run in its last 59 innings.
4/15	FAMU	W	8-0 (6)	8/16/0	0/1/2	van der Linden (W 13-4)	Seminoles pound out season-high 16 hits in rune-rule win.
4/19	Jacksonville	W	9-0 (5)	9/11/0	0/2/1	Hunter (W 22-5)	FSU pitchers record ninth shutout in last 10 outings.
4/19	Jacksonville	W	2-0	2/7/0	0/3/1	van der Linden (W 14-4)	van der Linden shuts out sixth straight foe.
4/23	at No. 25 Florida	W	5-0	5/9/1	0/4/1	Hunter (W 23-5)	FSU records first-ever shutout versus UF in 14 all-time meetings.
4/23	at No. 25 Florida	W	7-3	7/13/0	3/4/1	van der Linden (W 15-4)	Stuart breaks career homerun record in sweep of Gators.
4/26	Virginia (ACC)	W	5-0	5/4/0	0/5/2	Hunter (W 24-5)	Vasquez homers, triples and knocks in four runs in win.
4/26	Virginia (ACC)	W	12-1 (5)	12/14/2	1/4/3	van der Linden (W 16-4)	FSU records most lopsided win in series history.
5/4	at Ga Tech (ACC)	W	4-0	4/8/1	0/2/1	Hunter (W 25-5)	Victory is Florida State's 23rd in a row.
5/4	at Ga Tech (ACC)	W	6-0	6/5/0	0/4/3	van der Linden (W 17-4)	FSU finishes ACC play at a perfect 8-0
5/9	Virginia<	W	10-1 (5)	10/10/1	1/7/3	Hunter (W 26-5)	FSU wins ACC Tournament opener for 12th straight year.
5/10	Georgia Tech<	W	5-3	5/7/1	3/8/0	van der Linden (W 18-4)	FSU returns to final after missing it for the first time ever in 2002.
5/11	Virginia<	W	10-2 (5)	10/8/2	2/3/3	Hunter (W 27-5)	27th straight win nets FSU the team's ninth ACC Title.
5/15	Texas-Arlington>	L	1-0	0/6/1	1/3/1	van der Linden (L 18-5)	FSU drops NCAA opener for first time since 1998.
5/16	Oregon State>	L	2-1	1/4/1	2/4/2	Hunter (L 27-6)	Hunter losses for the first time in over two months.

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