

2006 FSU SOFTBALL

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PLAYERS & COACHES INTERVIEWS

All players and coaches interviews must be arranged through the sports information office by contacting Michael Smoose at (850) 644-4836 at least 24 hours in advance. Player's home or cell phone numbers will not be released.

HOW TO COVER THE SEMINOLES

Members of the media are supplied with weekly press releases, including updated individual, tournament and career statistics, as well as conference and national rankings and information on upcoming games. This information may be obtained in the sports information office and will be updated after every game at www.seminoles.com.

WHERE THE HOME GAMES WILL BE

All of the 2006 Seminole softball home games will take place at the JoAnne Graf Field (capacity 1,000). The softball stadium is located just north of the FSU football practice field off Stadium Drive. Media members will be seated in a designated area. Please notify the sports information office prior to home games for credentials. Any accredited photographer wishing to shoot the games must check in with Michael Smoose prior to game day so proper credentials can be assigned.

FSU ON THE WEB

All game stories, audio broadcasts, updated stats, weekly releases and Seminole softball news you could ever ask for is available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year at seminoles.com. The official FSU athletics website is your first stop for all the information you could ever need on the Seminole softball team and is updated immediately following each game.



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QUICK FACTS

University Quick Facts

Location: Tallahassee, Fla.
 Enrollment: 38,886
 Founded: 1851
 Symbol: Seminoles
 Colors: Garnet & Gold
 President: Dr. T.K. Wetherell

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Softball Quick Facts

Home Field: JoAnne Graf Field (1,000)
 Head Coach: Dr. JoAnne Graf (Florida State '75)
 Career Record/Yrs: 1311-395-6 (.768)/27
 Record at FSU/Yrs: 1311-395-6 (.768)/27
 Fastpitch Record/Yrs: 1092-342-6 (.760)/22
 Associate Head Coach: Louie Berndt
 (Western Michigan '83)
 Assistant Coach/Pitchers: Megan Matthews Buning
 (South Carolina '02)
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2005 Review

Overall Record: 35-28
 ACC Record: 11-6 (2nd)
 Postseason: Lost 5-3 in finals of Auburn Regional to Baylor
 Position Starters R/L: 7/2
 Starting Pitchers R/L: 1/1
 Letterwinners R/L: 12/4
 Newcomers 5
 Final USA Today/NFCA Ranking: 29th
 Final ESPN/ASA Ranking: 30th

RETURNING STARTERS

No	Player	POS	YR	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SLG%	OB%	SB-ATT
13	Natasha Jacob	OF	SR	.359	63-63	198	29	71	5	5	0	16	.434	.417	14-20
11	Melissa Wood	C	SO	.258	60-59	159	10	41	8	0	6	24	.421	.342	0-0
22	LaShaun Davis	OF	JR	.252	62-61	163	25	41	5	2	5	21	.399	.326	11-15
1	Veronica Wootson	IF	JR	.241	62-62	195	24	47	8	2	3	21	.349	.281	11-15
5	Whitney Buckmon	OF	SO	.239	46-41	113	16	27	2	0	0	3	.257	.304	9-16
9	Brittany Osmon	IF	SO	.217	63-63	161	12	35	6	4	1	18	.323	.314	1-1
6	Kim Hoffer	IF	SR	.183	49-47	109	16	20	7	0	1	12	.275	.331	0-1

Pitcher

No	Player	YR	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SH/CB	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
23	Tiffany McDonald	SO	1.81	14-10	32	26	14	4/2	1	158.2	134	59	41	99	148	.227

RETURNING LETTERWINNERS

No	Player	POS	YR	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SLG%	OB%	SB-ATT
8	BillieAnne Gay	C	SR	.247	39-34	81	7	20	4	2	1	6	.383	.282	0-0
44	Carey Galuppi	OF	SR	.158	37-3	19	12	3	1	0	0	0	.211	.158	0-1
12	Carly Brieske	OF	SR	.102	36-15	49	11	5	3	0	0	2	.163	.102	1-1
20	Robyn Petrovich	IF	SO	.000	4-0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	0-0

STARTERS LOST

No	Player	POS	YR	AVG	GP-GS	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SLG%	OB%	SB-ATT
15	Lesley Palmer	IF	SR	.250	62-62	176	19	44	12	1	3	23	.381	.337	0-1
33	Tatiana George	IF	SR	.235	59-57	162	26	38	5	1	7	25	.407	.326	4-5

Pitcher

No	Player	YR	ERA	W-L	APP	GS	CG	SH/CB	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	B/AVG
7	Casey Hunter	SR	1.70	21-17	47	36	29	10/1	3	268.1	201	96	65	126	338	.205

NEWCOMERS

No	Player	POS	YR	Hometown (High School)
17	Yuruby Alicart	IF	JR	Maracay, Edo Aragua, Venezuela (Trino Celis Rios)
77	Kayla Collins	P/IF	FR	Niceville, Fla. (Niceville)
2	Melissa May	P/OF	FR	San Diego, Calif. (Rancho Bernardo)
21	Kim Petrovich	OF	FR	Plantation, Fla. (South Plantation)
18	Michelle Snyder	IF	FR	Wenatchee, Wash. (Eastmont)

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