

# XAVIER

## Women's Basketball

### Today's Game:

Xavier Gold Nuggets (15-6) vs. Dillard Lady Blue Devils (1-15)  
 Saturday, January 27, 2007, 5 p.m.  
 at The Barn (capacity 1,300), New Orleans

■ **Series:** Xavier leads 45-18 and won four straight and 26 of the last 31 meetings . . . The teams are playing at The Barn for the first time since 1999 . . . Neither school fielded a team last season because of the effects of Hurricane Katrina . . . Coach Bo Browder's teams are 14-4 against Dillard, including a three-game sweep in 2004-05 . . . Dillard's last victory was 67-58 at Dillard on Jan. 31, 2004 . . . A Xavier-Dillard doubleheader attracted nearly 7,200 fans to the New Orleans Arena in 2003 . . . The teams will meet again Feb. 24 at the Delgado Community College Gym (Dillard's temporary home site) or at Dillard's A.W. Dent Hall if post-hurricane renovations are completed in time.

■ **Ranked:** The Gold Nuggets are No. 21 in this week's NAIA Division I top 25.

■ **Most Recently:** SUNO rallied from a seven-point deficit in the final 10 minutes and beat Xavier 56-54 Thursday at Delgado. That snapped the Gold Nuggets' eight-game win streak. Erica Turnbull scored 16 points and grabbed a career-high 15 rebounds for Xavier, which lost despite outrebounding SUNO 66-35 — 32-11 on the offensive end.

### ■ Xavier Success:

— The Nuggets have a 29-game winning streak in The Barn against GCAC opponents.

Their last league loss on campus was 64-62 against SUNO on Feb. 7, 2002.

— Since an 80-73 non-conference loss at Delta State on Jan. 3, 2003, Xavier is 88-20 (.815).

— The Nuggets have won 54 of their last 60 GCAC games.

— The Nuggets have won 43 of their last 44 games in The Barn.

■ **Quick Shots:** Jarryn Cleaves surpassed 1,000 career points Jan. 13 against Loyola and has 1,054 in 88 games . . . Erica Turnbull averaged 15.7 points and 10.2 rebounds in the last six games . . . Four preseason Xavier starters are out for the season because of knee injuries.

## GCAC Women's Standings

	League Games			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Xavier	7	1	.875	15	6	.714
Loyola	6	2	.750	12	8	.600
Mobile	5	2	.714	13	6	.684
SUNO	6	3	.667	10	4	.714
Spring Hill	4	3	.571	4	11	.267
William Carey	4	5	.444	6	8	.429
LSU-Shreveport	3	5	.375	7	11	.389
Belhaven	3	5	.375	5	11	.313
Tougaloo	1	7	.125	5	12	.294
Dillard	1	7	.125	1	15	.063

### Other GCAC Thursday Results

Dillard 78, Tougaloo 71  
 Spring Hill 64, Belhaven 55  
 Loyola 77, LSU-Shreveport 61

### Other GCAC Games Today

Loyola at Spring Hill  
 Tougaloo at Belhaven  
 William Carey at Mobile  
 LSU-Shreveport at SUNO

### Upcoming Gold Nuggets Home Games

Thursday, Feb. 1 vs. Spring Hill, 5:30 p.m.  
 Monday, Feb. 5 vs. Tougaloo, 5:30 p.m.  
 Monday, Feb. 12 vs. SUNO, 5:30 p.m.

## Xavier Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown
11	Brittany Whitmore	G	5-4	Jr.	Conway, Ark.
12	Alissa Thompson	G	5-5	Sr.	Houma, La.
13	LaTashia Wise	G/F	5-10	Fr.	Belle Rose, La.
15	Jarryn Cleaves	G	5-8	Jr.	Memphis, Tenn.
21	Rynika Hebert	C	6-0	So.	Morgan City, La.
30	Dominee Matthews	G/F	5-8	Sr.	Harvey, La.
32	Vyaisha Moss	G/F	5-11	So.	Baton Rouge, La.
33	Brittney Abernathy	F	5-10	Fr.	Old Hickory, Tenn.
34	Miriam Muhammad	F	5-10	Fr.	Gretna, La.
43	Patrice Hawkins	C	6-0	So.	Columbia, Tenn.
44	Erica Turnbull	F/C	6-0	So.	Baltimore, Md.

**HEAD COACH:** Robert "Bo" Browder (Grambling 1995), eighth season as head coach . . . Xavier record 185-67, career record 187-75.

**ASSOCIATE HEAD COACH:** Darrilyn Broussard (Xavier 1986), sixth season.

## Dillard Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown
3	Meaquell Lewis	G	5-9	Fr.	Plaquemine, La.
11	Monique Reece	G	5-5	Jr.	Shreveport, La.
23	Crystal Marcial	G	5-7	Fr.	Channelview, Texas
24	Roshawnda Bolton	G	5-8	Jr.	Kansas City, Mo.
31	Brandy Vincent	F	5-10	Fr.	Twinsburg, Ohio
33	Loretta Martin	G/F	5-9	Jr.	New Orleans, La.
40	Tawonna Cage	F	5-8	Fr.	Houston, Texas
42	Janica Arterberry	G	5-6	So.	Shreveport, La.
43	Sandra Nweke	F	6-1	So.	Houston, Texas
45	Chayla Green	F	5-11	Fr.	Minden, La.
54	T'Moia Troope	F	5-9	Fr.	Tulsa, Okla.

**HEAD COACH:** Kiki Baker Barnes (New Orleans 1997), first season.

## Individual Leaders

Category	Xavier	Dillard
Points Per Game	13.7 Jarryn Cleaves	13.7 Roshawnda Bolton
Rebounds Per Game	7.6 Erica Turnbull	9.0 Chayla Green
Assists Per Game	2.7 Brittany Whitmore	2.3 Roshawnda Bolton
3-Point Field Goals	45 Jarryn Cleaves	3 Bolton, Marcial

**NOTE:** Dillard statistics at DakStats.com available for only four games.

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