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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name: University of Cincinnati Club Softball**

**Mascot: Bearcat**

**Location: Cincinnati, OH**

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): Katelyn Herron and Jamie Schoerer**

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record:
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results:
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players: 7**

**Players to Watch: Madison Eikenmeyer and Jamie Schoerer**

**New additions:**

**Biggest Rival: Miami**

**Best Player Nickname: Bangee (Jordan Labus)**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook: Continue to build our club on and off the field. Our goal is to have a winning record and participate in a few extra tournaments. We are focusing a lot on fundraising to help fund our team and a trip to the spring break tournament.**

**Manager Quote: "As we enter our 3<sup>rd</sup> year as a club we are looking to improve and expand our team on and off the field"**



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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name: Xavier University**

**Mascot: Musketeers**

**Location: Cincinnati, OH**

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): Coach: Aline Tabet**

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **1-11**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results:
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players: 13**

**Players to Watch: Maura O'Connor and Tai Sherman**

**New additions:**

**Biggest Rival: University of Cincinnati**

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:** A lot of returning players will give us an experienced team. We also have a large number of incoming freshman that will give our team depth this season, which is something that we have not had in the past. We're definitely optimistic for improvements from last year in all aspects of our game.



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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Virginia Tech Club Softball

**Mascot:** Hokie Bird

**Location:** Blacksburg, Va

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Kathleen Carr, Alexis Livingston, Ashley Searing, Jordyn Cole

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record:
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **6<sup>th</sup> place at 2014 World Series**
- Notables: **Came to World Series at 13<sup>th</sup> seed, ended first day as 1<sup>st</sup> seed**

**Number of Returning Players:** Not yet known

**Players to Watch:**

**New additions:** Not yet known

**Biggest Rival:** James Madison University

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:** Return to World Series

**Manager Quote:** "That range though!"



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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** UNC Club Softball

**Mascot:** Tar Heels

**Location:** Chapel Hill, NC

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Meredith Tilley, Erin Thompson, Karmen Gardner, Kayla Corriher

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **16-5**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **2<sup>nd</sup> in conference**
- Notables: **Returning players had 5 homeruns, 9 triples, and 28 doubles last season and returning pitchers combined for 47 strike outs.**

**Number of Returning Players:** 9

**Players to Watch:** Erin Thompson, Sarah McIntosh

**New additions:** We have not had tryouts yet, but we have some promising recruits that we hope will make our strong team even better.

**Biggest Rival:** ECU

**Best Player Nickname:** Smack

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:** With 9 returning starters and promising hopefuls, we hope to win all our series and come out 1<sup>st</sup> in our conference.



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**Manager Quote: Success, nothing less.**



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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Radford University

**Mascot:** Highlanders

**Location:** Radford, VA

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Riley Wallace

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **14-5**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **N/A**
- Notables: **We went undefeated in the UVA tournament against top 25 ranked NCSA teams. We placed second in the UNCC tournament. Also note that we were not in the conference last year.**

**Number of Returning Players:** 9

**Players to Watch:** Megan Beane, Ashley Ferrara, Megan Avakian, Mckenzie Riner

**New additions:** Have not held tryouts yet, but we do have some great prospects coming out.

**Biggest Rival:** Virginia Tech or JMU

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:** We have a good amount of returners and have a few new additions coming. We have no empty field positions on our team but we are adding in more depth with our new additions.



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**Manager Quote:** We are very excited to get back in action in the conference and make a World Series run. We are a very dedicated and talented squad.



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## 2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

**Team Name:** North Carolina State University

**Mascot:** Wolfpack

**Location:** Raleigh, NC

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Captains: Mary Ann Ladd & Libby Greene  
Coaches: Curt Woods & Jeff Hellman

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **10 and 10**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **3**
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players:** 8

**Players to Watch:**

**New additions:** Unknown

**Biggest Rival:** ECU

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:**

**Manager Quote:** "For the strength of the Wolf is the Pack" ~ Rudyard Kipling

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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Miami University Club Softball

**Mascot:** Redhawk

**Location:** Oxford, OH

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Haley Jividen and Kate Milkto

### **2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: 13-4
  - Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: 2nd in Great Lakes Conference (East)
  - Notables: 9 game winning streak, nationally ranked

**Number of Returning Players:** 8

**Players to Watch:** Kate Milkto (starting pitcher, defensively and offensively skilled), Sadie Cohen (strong outfielder, good contact hitter), Haley Jividen (four year starter, excellent team leader), Sarah Bores (centerfielder, power hitter)

**New additions:** Tryouts have not yet been held but we hope to add 5-8 new players to our roster.

**Biggest Rival:** Ohio State University, University of Kentucky

**Best Player Nickname:** N/A

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:** We enter this season an extremely young team, however, we still expect to win our conference and continue to regionals and then hopefully nationals. A winning record is also expected.

**Manager Quote:** "As a historically competitive and successful organization, Miami Club Softball always has big shoes to fill. This year's young, but motivated team should not disappoint. Our solid defense and positive team atmosphere continue to be the cornerstones of our club."



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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name: University of Maryland**

**Mascot: Terrapins**

**Location: College Park, Maryland**

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): Ali Vendemia and Caitlin O'connell**

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **8-4**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **2**
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players: 10**

**Players to Watch: Veronica Rittie, Gabrielle Abbott, Ali Vendemia**

**New additions: Unknown at this date**

**Biggest Rival: James Madison University**

**Best Player Nickname: Backboard**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:**

**Manager Quote: I feel that this is the year to turn a new corner with this club organization. There is so much potential and skill on this team, it's amazing to watch. We have the ability to be great.**

# **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** University of Kentucky

**Mascot:** Wildcats

**Location:** Lexington, KY

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Coach: Whitney Matthews and Sami Michaelis  
President/Captain: Leah Wolff

## **2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **22-13**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **Conference Champions**
- Notables: **First year in the NCSA and gained enough votes to become nationally ranked and make it to the World Series; President and founder Sami Michaelis was recognized as part of the All-American NCSA team; For about four weeks in a row we had the player of the week in our conference**

**Number of Returning Players:** 9

**Players to Watch:** Ally Miozza

**New additions:** TBD (tryouts September 6)

**Biggest Rival:** Miami (OH)

**Best Player Nickname:** Maddie "Spoder" Woods

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:** We will be focusing on a team effort and trying to improve our record and climb higher in the nationally ranked teams.

**Manager Quote:** "Be as swift as a coursing river, with all the force of a great typhoon, with all the strength of a raging fire, mysterious as the dark side of the moon" - Mulan



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**Team Name: James Madison University**

**Mascot: Dukes**

**Location: Harrisonburg, Va**

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): Tatum Davis and Erica Barrett**

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **24 -7**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **2<sup>nd</sup> in conference**
- Notables: **1<sup>st</sup> place in regionals**

**Number of Returning Players: 8**

**Players to Watch: we have a lot of awesome returners with not only strong bats but gloves as well. we are having tryouts this coming weekend and plan on adding some really good talent.**

**New additions: we are planning to take 6 or 7 new girls to fill the shoes of the very talented seniors that graduated last semester (Brooke Williams, Kelsey Fuller, Ansley Kiser and Jace Ayers).**

**Biggest Rival: Virginia Tech**

**Best Player Nickname: Big gurl is a common nickname for everyone on the team really.**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook: Although we have lost some really good seniors this past year we go into this year with really high expectations and have made our schedule very competitive to help our team grow and continue to get better.**



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**Manager Quote: what bug?**



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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Georgetown Hoyas

**Mascot:** Bulldog

**Location:** Georgetown University Washington, DC

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Mariel Jorgensen

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **1-5**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **5<sup>th</sup> in MAC-South**
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players:** 4

**Players to Watch:**

**New additions:** 10

**Biggest Rival:**

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:** Optimistic about breaking in a really young and talented team.

**Manager Quote:**



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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Eastern Kentucky University

**Mascot:** Colonels

**Location:** Richmond, Ky

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Stacie Bradford, Casey Berling, Clarrisa Teague

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record:
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results:
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players:** 8

**Players to Watch:** Casey Berling, Stacie Bradford, Clarissa Teague, Kelly Coyne, Kaylin Hughes, Amanda Breummer, Destinee Fischer, Rachel Yeary

**New additions:** N/A

**Biggest Rival:** UK

**Best Player Nickname:** Muscles

**2014-2015 Season Outlook:** We are hoping for a winning record this year

**Manager Quote:** "Get excited"



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**Team Name: Duke University Club Softball**

**Mascot: Blue Devil**

**Location: Durham, NC**

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): Kelsey Ross (President)**

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **9 Wins out of 22 overall**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **N/a**
- Notables: **Kelsey Ross, Samantha Devito, Amanda Lewellyn and Candice Dunn**

**Number of Returning Players: 6**

**Players to Watch: Candice Dunn**

**New additions: Unknown (12 new sign ups, though)**

**Biggest Rival: UNC**

**Best Player Nickname: N/a**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook: We hope to be over 500 in terms of wins this year.**

**Manager Quote: "We hope to have a great year, building a strong team and continuing to win games both in and out of our conference."**



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## **2014-2015 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name: University of Dayton Club Softball**

**Mascot: Flyers**

**Location: Dayton, OH**

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): President: Morgan Habermel Vice President: Keri Martz Treasurer: Brooke Adams Secretary: Kaity McCawley**

**2013-2014 Performance:**

- Record: **5-7**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results:
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players: 8**

**Players to Watch:**

**New additions: Tryouts not until after deadline**

**Biggest Rival: Xavier**

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2014-2015 Season Outlook: Good**

**Manager Quote:**