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2016-2017 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Campbell University

Mascot: Camels

Location: Buies Creek NC

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Gabby Amadeo, Kaela McCoy

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **N/A**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **N/A**
- Notables: **N/A**

Number of Returning Players: 4

Players to Watch: Kristina Collier

New additions: **N/A**

Biggest Rival: High Point University

Best Player Nickname: **N/A**

2016-2017 Season Outlook: Very Promising

Manager Quote: This is definitely a rebuilding year for us, but there is a lot of young talent that has been recruited. We have the potential to come together and be a great team.



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Team Name: Clemson University Club Softball

Mascot: Tigers

Location: Clemson, SC

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Emily Mattone and Paige DeBow / Erik Muir and Sarah Allen

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **22-5**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **1st/2nd in World Series**
- Notables: **Won our region for the second year in a row and placed 2nd in the World Series**

Number of Returning Players: 14

Players to Watch: Jennifer Mullins and Marisa Harkey

New additions: N/A

Biggest Rival: University of Georgia and University of Florida

Best Player Nickname: N/A

2016-2017 Season Outlook: Will be playing UF, NC State, and Virginia Tech in a round robin, home tournament; UGA series

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Team Name: Coastal Carolina Club Softball

Mascot: Chauncey the Chanticleer

Location: Conway, SC

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Rick Ivone (Coach), Brooke DeMent and Nicole Kelly (Captains)

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record:
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **Conference champions.**
- Notables: **Made it to Regionals last season for the first time and Conference Champs of the 2015-2016 season.**

Number of Returning Players: 7

Players to Watch:

New additions:

Biggest Rival:

Best Player Nickname:

2016-2017 Season Outlook:

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Team Name: Florida Gulf Coast University

Mascot: Eagle

Location: Fort Myers

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Samantha Bonilla, Amanda Bock, Tori Fields

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **9-3**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **4th in conference**
- Notables: **Sweeping Stetson in conference tournament**

Number of Returning Players: 11

Players to Watch: Kayla Leon (OF), Kayla Kanarick (First Base), Amanda Bock(SS), Elise Caldez (Third Base)

New additions: 10+ new players

Biggest Rival: University of Central Florida

Best Player Nickname: Elise

2016-2017 Season Outlook: Positive

Manager Quote: "Hard work beats talent when talent doesn't work hard"



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Team Name: University of Florida

Mascot: Gators

Location: Gainesville, Florida

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Coach Keegan Ashbee

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **23-7**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **#1 in South Atlantic-South Conference /Finished 4th at the 2016 World Series**
- Notables: **Notable sluggers include Kayla Sheffield, Anna Stamas, and Ashton Hill ending the season with averages above .400. Incredible pitching by both Sarah Pippin and Kasey Mayer. A fantastic showing both behind the plate AND at the plate- Cari Broderick. Awesome post-season performances by Josey Mayer, Christina Delahoz & Kelsey Gelok**

Number of Returning Players: 15-20

Players to Watch: Josey Mayer, Christina Delahoz

New additions: We're looking forward to welcoming a brand new freshman class of athletes.

Biggest Rival: Florida State

Best Player Nickname: Queen J aka Nellz



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2016-2017 Season Outlook: We are very enthusiastic about the upcoming season. Although we have lost some of our star senior athletes we are excited about a talented incoming freshman class. Looking to rebuild, refocus, and return to the World Series to fight for the title!

Manager Quote: #BaldEagleForever #Ahhhhhhhhhh #StayHungryGators



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Team Name: Florida State University

Mascot: Seminoles

Location: Tallahassee, FL

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Sam Hathcoat, Katie Rieth

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **10-2**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **2nd / 12th in the World Series**
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 12

Players to Watch: Katlin Hall, Nava Susi, Gabby Burrough

New additions: (Don't know yet)

Biggest Rival: University of Florida

Best Player Nickname: Katlin Hall "Big Cahuna"

2016-2017 Season Outlook: Plan to win the series in all of our conference games and make it to regionals. From there, hopefully we can qualify again for the World Series.



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**Manager Quote: "If you want to be the best, you have to do things other people aren't willing to do" -
Michael Phelps**



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Team Name: HIGH POINT UNIVERSITY

Mascot: PANTHERS

Location: HIGH POINT, NC

**Captain(s)/Coach(s): ROBIN JONES
DEREK MURPHY**

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **6 AND 5**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **4**
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 11

Players to Watch:

New additions: 4

Biggest Rival:

Best Player Nickname:

2016-2017 Season Outlook: WE ARE LOOKING GOOD THIS YEAR AND WILL FINISH MUCH BETTER THEN LAST SEASON WE HAVE 4 REALLY GOOD FRESHMEN THAT HAVE JOINED US.

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Team Name: Kennesaw State University Club Softball

Mascot: Owls

Location: Kennesaw, Ga / Owls Nest

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Coaches: Chip Jones and Dave Thomas Captain: Jamie Thomas

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **3 - 9**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **4**
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 8

Players to Watch: Katlyn Buchanan, Anglea Winfrey

New additions: 12

Biggest Rival: UGA

Best Player Nickname: N/A

2016-2017 Season Outlook: Have fun and have a winning season

Manager Quote: "Softball is not a one women sport. You have to have faith in the eight other girls on the field, because you win as a team and lose as a team"



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Team Name: University of North Georgia Women's Softball Club

Mascot: Nighthawks

Location: Dahlonega, Ga

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Jim Niemczyk

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record:
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **N/A**
- Notables: **Finished the Season sweeping UGA in two home games**

Number of Returning Players: 8

Players to Watch: Martie Rogers, Gabrielle Niemczyk

New additions: We have a few new players coming to join us including three new players that played NCAA

Biggest Rival: UGA

Best Player Nickname: MO-MO

2016-2017 Season Outlook: We are looking to go to reionals and hopefully get a birth to nationals!
Having won agaisnt UGA really boosted our confidence level going into this season.



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Manager Quote: "Never look down upon the team, there are seven innings for a reason. Don't let the first one determine the other six."



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Team Name: Stetson University Hatters

Mascot: Hatters

Location: Deland, FL

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Nia Walters

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **0-12**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results:
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 4

Players to Watch:

New additions:

Biggest Rival: University of Central Florida

Best Player Nickname:

2016-2017 Season Outlook:

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Team Name: UCF Knights

Mascot: Knight

Location: Orlando, FL

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Taylor Richards

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **5-7**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **n/a**
- Notables: **Mackenzie Morell**

Number of Returning Players: 5

Players to Watch: Mikayla Sanford

New additions: n/a

Biggest Rival: FGCU

Best Player Nickname: Mik

2016-2017 Season Outlook: 7-5

Manager Quote: n/a



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Team Name: University of Georgia

Mascot: Bulldawgs

Location: Athens, Georgia

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Lauren Langan - Captain

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **9-3**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **2nd in Conference**
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players: 6

Players to Watch: Kaylee Hennelly - Pitcher

New additions: Amelia Gabriel, Ashley Hegwood, Bryce Thompson, Emily Helton, Kasey Smith

Biggest Rival: Clemson

Best Player Nickname: Don't have one.

2016-2017 Season Outlook: We are a very athletic group of girls. Defense and base running will definitely be quicker for us this year. Hoping for some hot bats from new girls coming in.

Manager Quote: Winners are not people who never fail, but people who never quit.



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Team Name: UNC Charlotte

Mascot: Norm the Niner

Location: Charlotte, NC

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Emily Hunter/ Andrea Jones

2015-2016 Performance:

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

Number of Returning Players: 7

Players to Watch: Andrea Jones, Bayleigh Griffith, Emily Hunter

New additions: 13

Biggest Rival: Coastal Carolina

Best Player Nickname: C-Dawg

2016-2017 Season Outlook: 9-3

Manager Quote: "There may be people that have more talent than you, but there is no excuse for anyone to work harder than you."



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-Derek Jeter



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Team Name: UNCW Club Softball

Mascot: Seahawk

Location: Wilmington, NC

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Houston Etscheidt, Laura Shively

2015-2016 Performance:

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

Number of Returning Players: 7

Players to Watch:

New additions:

Biggest Rival: UNC Charlotte

Best Player Nickname:

2016-2017 Season Outlook: To improve as a team and come in first place

Manager Quote: "Play Hard, Play Smart, Play Together"



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Team Name: University of South Carolina Union

Mascot: Bantam

Location: Union, South Carolina

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach- Amanda Warley

2015-2016 Performance:

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

Number of Returning Players: 0

Players to Watch: none

New additions: Kelsey Boatwright, Carly Chavis, Maddy Anderson, Alexis McGowan.

Biggest Rival: Na

Best Player Nickname: na

2016-2017 Season Outlook: na

Manager Quote: na



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Team Name: Winthrop University

Mascot: Eagle

Location: Rock Hill, SC

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Sara Manore and Ellen Harder

2015-2016 Performance:

- Record: **0-12**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **5th**
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players:

Players to Watch:

New additions:

Biggest Rival:

Best Player Nickname:

2016-2017 Season Outlook:

Manager Quote: