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## **2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Cornell Club Softball

**Mascot:** Big Red

**Location:** Ithaca, NY

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Olivia Vaughn & Cassidy Fletcher

**2016-2017 Performance:**

- Record: **5-12**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **4th**
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players:** 14

**Players to Watch:** Hannah Sosenko - as of now she is our only pitcher so she will get a lot of playing time. Also all of our senior players, we are looking to make the most out of our last year!

**New additions:** We have not yet held tryouts

**Biggest Rival:** Ithaca College

**Best Player Nickname:** Marggie

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** Our goal is to be over .500 this season!

**Manager Quote:** "Cornell is known for club softball"

## 2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

**Team Name:** Herkimer College Generals

**Mascot:** The General

**Location:** Herkimer, NY

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Daniel Stalteri, Head Coach

**2016-2017 Performance:**

- Record: NO Record - New Team
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: N/A - New Team
- Notables: NONE

**Number of Returning Players:** N/A - New Team

**Players to Watch:** N/A - New Team

**New additions:**

N/A - New Team

**Biggest Rival:**

Syracuse

**Best Player Nickname:**

N/A

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:**

Very optimistic

**Manager Quote:**

"Excuses Justify Failure"

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## 2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

**Team Name:** Ithaca Club Softball (also known as the Bomb Squad)

**Mascot:** None

**Location:** Ithaca, NY

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** E-board/Captains: Emily Grossi, Sophia Hadeka, Samantha Hong,  
Meghan Lyons-Dunckel

### 2016-2017 Performance:

- Record: **3-9 (W-L)**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results:
- Notables:

**Number of Returning Players:** 9

**Players to Watch:** Sophia Hadeka, Francesca Germano, Daphne Burdeaux

**New additions:** Still waiting on tryouts!

**Biggest Rival:** Cornell

**Best Player Nickname:** Daph Punk (Daphne Burdeaux)

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** We're looking forward to having a true field to practice on this year!! We hope that that can improve our ability to work together on the field as well as all our returners get along off the field.

**Manager Quote:** Looking forward to another season and playing teams we haven't seen in awhile (like Syracuse)!



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## **2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** University of Maine

**Mascot:** Black Bear

**Location:** Orono, Maine

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Lauren Guptill, Meaghan Littlejohns, and Coach Jim Guptill

**2016-2017 Performance:**

- Record: **8-7**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **0**
- Notables: **Chelsea King - National Pitcher of the Week, and Pitcher of the Week. Colleen Sullivan - Player of the Week**

**Number of Returning Players:** 10

**Players to Watch:** Chelsea King and Colleen Sullivan

**New additions:** 7

**Biggest Rival:** Northeastern

**Best Player Nickname:** Coco

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** Make it to the Regional Playoffs!

**Manager Quote:**



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## **2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Merrimack College

**Mascot:** Warriors

**Location:** North Andover, MA

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Kay Ryder, Ali Hanlon

**2016-2017 Performance:**

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

**Number of Returning Players:** 11

**Players to Watch:**

**New additions:**

**Biggest Rival:**

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** recruit new freshman talent and improve our stats

**Manager Quote:**

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## 2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

**Team Name:** Niagara University Club Softball

**Mascot:** Purple Eagles

**Location:** Niagara Falls, New York

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Abbie Hibsich and Maria Pedini

**2016-2017 Performance:**

- Record: 9-1 conference, 10-3 overall
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: New England - West Champions
- Notables: Going almost undefeated and making it to Regionals!

**Number of Returning Players:** 10

**Players to Watch:** Mary Cersosimo, Meghan O'Sullivan

**New additions:** We will be adding 4-6 players to our roster this season

**Biggest Rival:** SUNY Brockport

**Best Player Nickname:** Mama

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** Very positive. We're looking to beat our previous record and go undefeated!

**Manager Quote:** We came out of last season strong, and we're expecting to kick off this season the same way! Making it to Regionals last year was a huge accomplishment and we're hoping for a repeat this year. Our team is pumped to get back out there this fall and have a blast doing what we love. Best of luck to all of the teams this year!

## 2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

**Team Name:** Northeastern University

**Mascot:** Huskies

**Location:** Boston, MA

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** President Madison Kelly, VP Shelby Fundin  
Coach: Frank Bourgeois, Asst Coach: Joe Kearns

**2016-2017 Performance:**

- Record: 13-15
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: 1st in New England - East
- Notables: Made first trip to Regionals AND World Series in program history

**Number of Returning Players:** 12

**Players to Watch:** Jessie Nelson, Pitcher. Danielle Kibler, Catcher

**New additions:** TBD

**Biggest Rival:** Rival-less due to the Conference shake-up -- Hey Harvard do you want to be Beantown rivals?

**Best Player Nickname:** Swati Shivkumar - "SWAT TEAM"

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** Ready to take on the new opponents in our conference and make a return appearance to Regionals and the World Series.

**Manager Quote:** "The Huskies have been working hard in the offseason to ensure another trip to the World Series. We have a new coach at the helm and a strong core of returning players, so we are excited to get the season underway and face both old and new opponents."



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## **2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** Rochester

**Mascot:** Rex Wrecking Ball

**Location:** Rochester, NY

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Jess Sowa and Olivia Matvey

**2016-2017 Performance:**

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

**Number of Returning Players:** 10

**Players to Watch:** Olivia Matvey

**New additions:** none yet

**Biggest Rival:** Geneseo

**Best Player Nickname:** Noom

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** Promising

**Manager Quote:** There's no crying in baseball.





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## **2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** St. Bonaventure University

**Mascot:** Bonnies

**Location:** St. Bonaventure, NY

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Alexis Sloat

**2016-2017 Performance:**

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

**Number of Returning Players:** N/A

**Players to Watch:**

**New additions:** We've had a lot of interest on campus with the addition of Club Softball. We have a roster of 18 girls for the 2017-18 Season

**Biggest Rival:** UB, maybe? (Just because they're close and we play them in NCAA sports as well.)

**Best Player Nickname:** N/A

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:**

**Manager Quote:** We're very excited to get our first season of Club Softball started! We have a lot of girls interested who have been waiting for an opportunity like this to arise, and they're all so excited to have the chance to competitively play softball again.



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## 2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

**Team Name:** SUNY Brockport

**Mascot:** Golden Eagle

**Location:** Brockport, NY

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Emily Didylowski, Kaitlyn Guest

### 2016-2017 Performance:

- Record: **2-4-0**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **3rd in conference**
- Notables: **Gabby Lewis, Kellie Panek, Alli Nave**

**Number of Returning Players:** Expecting around 15 returners. TBD by tryouts

**Players to Watch:** Lauren Nash, Brooke Sapolsky

**New additions:** TBD by tryouts

**Biggest Rival:** Niagara University

**Best Player Nickname:** Patty cakes

### 2017-2018 Season Outlook:

**Manager Quote:** “ We are hoping that the weather cooperates with us in upstate NY so that we can play as many games as possible and compete in our conference.”



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## **2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** SUNY Oswego

**Mascot:** Lakers

**Location:** Oswego, NY

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Brianna Muncy, Katrina Johnson

**2016-2017 Performance:**

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

**Number of Returning Players:** 8

**Players to Watch:** NA

**New additions:** NA

**Biggest Rival:** Syracuse University

**Best Player Nickname:** NA

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** NA

**Manager Quote:** NA



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## **2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** UMass Lowell Women's Club Softball

**Mascot:** Riverhawk

**Location:** Lowell, Massachusetts

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Captains- Megan Tarantino & Kaileen Cotter

**2016-2017 Performance:**

- Record: **N/A** (This is our first season)
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **N/A**
- Notables: **N/A**

**Number of Returning Players:** **N/A**

**Players to Watch:** **N/A**

**New additions:** **N/A**

**Biggest Rival:** **N/A**

**Best Player Nickname:** **N/A**

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** This first season for the team looks to start our career off successfully.

**Manager Quote:** "The incoming talent for the new UMass Lowell Club Softball team will definitely make our first year a successful one, and we look forward to starting our legacy in the NCSA!"



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## **2017-2018 TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE**

**Team Name:** University of New Hampshire

**Mascot:** Wildcats

**Location:** Durham, New Hampshire

**Captain(s)/Coach(s):** Coach Tony Ayotte, Captains: Abby and Elise McDonough

**2016-2017 Performance:**

- Record: **9-7 (not sure if this is the exactly right, we went about 50%)**
- Final Conference Ranking/Postseason Results: **3**
- Notables: **Michaela Stokke as a good leader and solo senior, Rachel Stone for her ability to play anywhere on the field**

**Number of Returning Players:** 18

**Players to Watch:** Mia Barbera, Megan Prescott

**New additions:** Having try outs on the 12<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>

**Biggest Rival:** University of Maine

**Best Player Nickname:**

**2017-2018 Season Outlook:** We have lots of returning players so we hope to build off of last year with the bulk of the same team and good team chemistry.

**Manager Quote:** There is no I in team. Be the second mouse.