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2012-13 Women's Basketball Report Week 6 (Dec. 17, 2013)

	Conference		All				
	W	L	W	L	H	A	N
Simon Fraser	2	0	8	1	4-0	1-0	3-1
Montana State Billings	2	0	7	2	5-0	2-1	0-1
Seattle Pacific	2	0	6	2	4-0	0-1	2-1
Western Washington	2	0	6	2	6-0	0-1	0-1
Alaska Anchorage	1	0	4	2	4-2	0-0	0-0
Alaska Fairbanks	0	1	0	7	0-4	0-3	0-0
Northwest Nazarene	0	2	8	2	3-0	3-2	2-0
Saint Martin's	0	2	6	5	4-0	0-3	2-2
Western Oregon	0	2	5	5	2-2	2-3	1-0
Central Washington	0	2	4	4	2-0	0-2	2-2

LAST WEEK: Wednesday – Western Oregon 66 at Cal Maritime 54. **Thursday** – Western Oregon 53 at Academy of Art 81. **Friday** – Evergreen State 57 at Central Washington 79; Saint Martin's Classic (Northwest Nazarene 80, Dominican 45; Saint Martin's 56, Simpson 47) **Saturday** - Saint Martin's Classic (Northwest Nazarene 95, Simpson 55; Saint Martin's 49, Dominican 36).

THIS WEEK: Monday – UAA AT&T Classic (BYU-Hawaii vs. Alaska Anchorage); Dallas Christian at Alaska Fairbanks, 5:15 p.m.; Hawaii Hilo at Central Washington; Rocky Mountain at MSU Billings, 5:30 p.m.; Simpson at Western Oregon, 2 p.m. **Tuesday** – UAA AT&T Classic (Eastern New Mexico vs. Alaska Anchorage); Dallas Christian at Alaska Fairbanks, 5:15 p.m.; Hawaii Hilo at Central Washington; Seattle Pacific at Notre Dame de Namur, 5:30 p.m.; Western Washington Great Western Shootout (Grand Canyon vs. Wisconsin-Parkside, 1 p.m.; Western Washington vs. Washburn, 3 p.m.). **Wednesday** – UAA AT&T Classic (Cal State L.A. vs. Alaska Anchorage); Montana Western at MSU Billings, 5:30 p.m. (exh); Western Washington Great Western Shootout (Wisconsin-Parkside vs. Washburn, 10 a.m.; Western Washington vs. Grand Canyon, 3 p.m.).

POST CHRISTMAS: Saturday, Dec. 29 – MSU Billings at Montana State, 2 p.m. (exh); Puget Sound at Saint Martin's; Trinity Western at Simon Fraser, 6 p.m.; Northwest Christian at Western Oregon, 2 p.m. **Monday, Dec. 31** – Dixie State at Seattle Pacific, 2 p.m.

ALL-TOURNAMENT: Seattle Pacific (Nov. 9-10) – Rachel Murray, SPU (MVP); Mechela Barnes, SPU; Ally Schmitt, CWU; Jessica VanDyke, CWU. **Western Oregon (Nov. 9-10)** – Mariah Durian, WOU; Brooke Paulson, SMU, **Western Washington (Nov. 16-17)** – Britt Harris, WWU (MVP); Sydney Donaldson, WWU; Katie Benson, SPU. **Great Alaska Shootout (Nov. 20-21)** – Alysa Horn, UAA; Kylie Burns, UAA. **UAF Mt. McKinley North Star (Nov. 22-24)** – Taylor Altenburg, UAF. **MSUB Yellowjacket (Nov. 23-24)** – Bobbi Knudsen, MSUB (MVP); Brooke Tolman, MSUB; Kayleen Goggins, MSUB. **WWU Lynda Goodrich (Nov. 23-24)** – Trishi Williams, WWU (MVP); Britt Harris, WWU; Brooke Paulson, SMU; Chelsea Haskey, SMU. **Corban Capital City Classic (Nov. 23-24)** – Dana Goularte, WOU (MVP); Lorrie Clifford, WOU. **Chico State West Regional Classic (Dec. 7-8)** – Katie Benson, SPU; Sarah Hill, WWU.

POLLS: WBCA (Dec. 11) – 9. Simon Fraser; 21. Western Washington; 41. Seattle Pacific; 43. Northwest Nazarene; 47. Montana State Billings.

NATIONAL STATISTICS (Through Dec. 16): Team (Top 30): Scoring Defense – 17. Simon Fraser 52.4. Scoring Margin – 17. Simon Fraser 20.4. Field Goal PCT. – 9. Simon Fraser 46.4; 20. Seattle Pacific 44.9; 24. Western Washington 44.6. Free Throw PCT. – 10. Alaska Anchorage 77.6; 13. Seattle Pacific 77.3. Rebound Margin – 23. Seattle Pacific 9.1. Three-Point FGs – 5. Alaska Anchorage 9.2; 8. Central Washington 8.8; 26. Simon Fraser 7.4. Three-Point PCT. – 5. Seattle Pacific 40.4. Assists – 14. Alaska Anchorage and Simon Fraser 18.0; 22. Western Washington 17.4. Blocked Shots – 18. Simon Fraser 5.0; 26. Western Washington 4.7. Fewest Turnovers – 2. Montana State Billings 11.7; 11. Alaska Anchorage 13.7; 29. Simon Fraser 15.0. Fewest Fouls – 26. Montana State Billings 13.9. Assist Turnover Ratio – 5. Alaska Anchorage 1.32; 11. MSU Billings and Simon Fraser 1.20; 20. Western Washington 1.08. Turnover Margin – 5. Alaska Anchorage 9.50; 12. Montana State Billings 7.89. **Individuals (Top 30)** – 23. Bobbi Knudsen, MSUB, 19.4. Rebounds – 12. Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe, SFU, 10.9. Assists – 2. Sasha King, UAA, 7.7; 7. Bobbi Knudsen, MSUB, 6.1; 12. Ally Schmitt, CWU, 5.9. Blocked Shots – 17. Jasmine Parker, CWU, 2.38; 23. Rebecca Langmead, SFU, 2.00. Steals – 21. Sasha King, UAA, 3.50. Field Goal PCT. – 2. Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe, SFU, 65.1; 29. Britt Harris, WWU, 55.4. Free Throw PCT. – 4. Mariah Durian, WOU, 96.8; 10. Erin Chambers, SFU, 93.3. Assist/Turnover Ratio – 1. Suzanna Ohlsen, SPU, 3.56; 13. Sasha King, UAA, 2.56. Double-Doubles – 11. Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe, SFU, and Megan Hingston, NNU, 5.

GNAC RED LION PLAYER-OF-THE-WEEK: Ally Schmitt, Central Washington (G, 5-8, Jr., Snohomish, WA – Montana State) set a GNAC single-game record with 16 assists in a 79-57 home win against Evergreen State. Schmitt also led the Wildcats in the contest with four steals. **Honorable Mention** – Chelsea Haskey, Saint Martin's; Megan Hingston, Northwest Nazarene.

FROM THE RECORD BOOK: Schmitt broke the GNAC single-game assist record of 14 set by Heidi Buehler of Northwest Nazarene against Albertson on Dec. 29, 2003 ... Simon Fraser's Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe needs two more double-doubles to match the GNAC career record of 48 currently held by Rebecca Kielpinski of Alaska Anchorage (2005-09). Raincock is the GNAC active career leader in scoring, rebounds and blocks. She also currently has the best career marks in GNAC history in field goal percentage (58.9) and rebounds per game (12.33).

TEAM NOTES

Alaska Anchorage and Alaska Fairbanks: After a 16-day break the Seawolves and Nanooks return from action Monday. UAA hosts BYU-Hawaii, Eastern New Mexico and Cal State L.A. beginning Monday in the UAA A&T Classic, while the Nanooks host Dallas Christian for a pair of games.

Central Washington: Jessica VanDyke scored 19 points, connecting on five of 10 three-pointers in Friday's 22-point win over Evergreen State. VanDyke has the 10th best career three-point percentage in GNAC history, converting on 38.8 percent of her attempts (92 of 237). The Wildcats complete the 2012 portion of their schedule Monday and Tuesday against Hawaii Hilo.

Montana State Billings: The Yellowjackets play their final counting game of 2012 Monday hosting Rocky Mountain. MSUB does have two exhibitions remaining this month – Wednesday against Montana Western and Dec. 29 against Montana State ... Bobbi Knudsen has 957 career points and needs 43 more to become the 50th player in GNAC history to score 1,000. Two former MSUB players – Alira Carpenter (31st, 1142) and Kayla Ryan (32nd, 1134) – are members of the 1,000-Point Club.

Northwest Nazarene: Megan Hingston scored 43 points and also had 21 rebounds as the Crusaders wrapped up the 2012 portion of its schedule with an 8-2 record. Hingston made 16 of 30 shots. Fifteen of her 21 rebounds came at the offensive end. Chelsie Luke had 36 points and five steals. Heather Adams had seven assists to increase her career total to 243. She ranks 35th all-time in GNAC history.

Saint Martin's: Chelsea Haskey scored 36 points and also had 17 rebounds to lead the Saints to wins over Simpson and Dominican. Haskey, who made 15 of 26 shots, had a double-double against Dominican with 20 points and 12 rebounds. Brooke Paulsen had 22 points in the two victories. Those two performances followed an 11-point effort the previous Sunday against Oregon State. SMU also got 22 points from Brooke Paulson and 20 rebounds from MacKenzie Taylor in its two victories.

Seattle Pacific: Seattle Pacific travels to Belmont, Calif., Tuesday for a NCAA Division II West Region contest with Notre Dame de Namur. The Falcons then close their non-conference schedule Dec. 31 with a home game against Dixie State.

Simon Fraser: Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe will take a string of 13 consecutive field goals made into SFU's Dec. 29 game against Trinity Western. That equals the second longest in GNAC history. The record is 16 by Kelly Berglund of Seattle Pacific on Jan. 10 and Jan. 12, 2002.

Western Oregon: Mariah Durian scored 30 points and also had 17 rebounds as the Wolves split two games in California last week. Durian made nine of 10 free throws and now has made 30 of 31 on the season. The Wolves host Simpson Monday and Northwest Christian Dec. 29 to close out their non-conference schedule.

Western Washington: The Vikings play Washburn and Grand Canyon Tuesday and Wednesday in the South Point Holiday Hoops Classic in Las Vegas.

GNAC CAREER LEADERS (Through Dec. 16)

*Active GNAC career leader

Scoring

1.	Rebecca Kielpinski, Alaska Anchorage (2005-09)	1752
36.	*Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe, Simon Fraser (2010-13)	1113
54.	Bobbi Knudsen, MSU Billings (2010-13)	957

Three-Pointers

1.	Amanda Dunbar, Western Washington (2007-11)	256
25.	*Corinn Waltrip, Western Washington (2009-13)	131
26.	Kristina Collins, Simon Fraser (2010-13)	129

Rebounds

1.	Rebecca Kielpinski, Alaska Anchorage (2006-09)	1181
17.	*Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe, Simon Fraser (2010-13)	752

Assists

1.	Beth Christensen, Seattle Pacific (2005-07)	501
28.	*Kristina Collins, Simon Fraser (2010-13)	258
35.	Heather Adams, Northwest Nazarene (2009-13)	243
36.	Corinn Waltrip, Western Washington (2009-13)	241

Steals

1.	Alysson Kollman, Northwest Nazarene (2000-03)	326
61.	*Bobbi Knudsen, MSU Billings (2010-13)	118
62.	Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe, Simon Fraser (2010-13)	117

Blocks

1.	Brittney Kroon, Seattle Pacific (2003-06)	419
14.	*Nayo Raincock-Ekunwe, Simon Fraser (2010-13)	91

Career stats are updated on the GNAC WEB site every Friday and Sunday at:

<http://www.gnacsports.com/media/Stats/wbasketball/carconf/carconf.htm>
(All Games)

<http://www.gnacsports.com/media/Stats/wbasketball/carconfconf/carconf.htm>
(Conference Games)

PREVIOUS RED LION PLAYERS-OF-THE-WEEK

Week of Nov. 5-11: Erin Chambers, Simon Fraser (F, 6-1, So., Mission, BC) scored 51 points and also had 15 rebounds in leading the Clan to three victories, including wins over nationally eighth-ranked UC San Diego (61-58) and No. 13 Grand Canyon (69-60). Chambers connected on 14 of 25 field goals attempts (eight of 13 from beyond the arc) and also was perfect from the foul line making 15 of 15.

Week of Nov. 12-18: Sasha King, Alaska Anchorage (G, 5-6, Sr., Norman, OK – Hutchinson) scored 35 points and also had 16 assists leading the Seawolves to 85-76 and 70-67 victories over Regis. King, who made six of 16 three-pointers, also had five steals.

Week of Nov. 19-25: Bobbi Knudsen, Montana State Billings (G, 5-8, Jr., Malta, MT) scored 44 points to lead the Yellowjackets to a pair wins in the MSUB Yellowjacket Classic. Knudsen, who was selected as the tournament MVP, scored a career and GNAC season-high 33 points in a 91-87 overtime win over Dixie State Friday, then had 11 points, seven rebounds and seven assists in a 80-44 win over Notre Dame de Namur. She played just 24 minutes in the latter contest.

Week of Nov. 26-Dec. 2: Janiel Olson, Montana State Billings (F, 5-10, So., Billings, MT) scored 21 points and grabbed 26 rebounds leading the Yellowjackets to 66-59 and 69-68 home wins over Central Washington and Northwest Nazarene, respectively. She also led MSUB in steals with seven. Olson had 13 points and 11 rebounds in Thursday's win against CWU, then had a career-high 15 rebounds, 10 at the offensive end in Saturday's one-point victory against Northwest Nazarene. Her final rebound came on a three-point miss by Monica Grimsrud with 24 seconds left. She then fed Grimsrud, who scored on a layup for the decisive basket.

Week of Dec. 3-9: Suzanna Ohlsen, Seattle Pacific (G, 5-7, So., Monroe, WA) scored 29 points as the Falcons split two games in the Chico West Regional Classic. Ohlsen had an outstanding 9-1 assist to turnover ratio and also was deadly from the three-point arc (making 5 of 7) and from the foul line (converting on all eight of her attempts). She also had seven rebounds and a steal. Twenty-four of her points (a career high) came in Saturday's 89-77 loss at Chico. Twenty-one of those points came in the second half of the contest. Ohlsen currently ranks second nationally in assist/turnover ratio with a 3.56 mark.

GNAC TEAMS OF THE WEEK: **Aug. 27-Sept. 2** – Montana State Billings (Women's Soccer). **Sept. 3-9** – Western Washington (Volleyball). **Sept. 10-16** – Northwest Nazarene (Men's Soccer). **Sept. 17-23** – Central Washington (Volleyball). **Sept. 24-30** – Central Washington (Football). **Oct. 1-7** – Western Oregon (Women's Soccer). **Oct. 8-14** – Simon Fraser (Men's Soccer). **Oct. 15-21** – Alaska Anchorage (Men's & Women's Cross Country). **Oct. 22-28** – Western Oregon (Volleyball). **Oct. 29-Nov. 4** – Western Washington (Women's Soccer). **Nov. 5-11** – Simon Fraser (Women's Basketball). **Nov. 12-18** – Alaska Fairbanks (Men's Basketball). **Nov. 19-25** – Alaska Anchorage (Men's Basketball). **Nov. 26-Dec. 2** – Seattle Pacific (Men's Basketball). **Dec. 3-9** – Northwest Nazarene (Men's Basketball). **Dec. 10-16** – Northwest Nazarene (Women's Basketball).