

## 2009-10 Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time
N14	Canisius	3:00 pm
N18	at Duquesne	7:00 pm
N21	at Radford	7:00 pm
N24	Colgate	7:00 pm
N28	Loyola	3:00 pm
N30	at Lafayette	6:00 pm
D3	at Fairfield	7:00 pm
D6	at SAINT FRANCIS (PA)	2:00 pm
D9	at Virginia Tech	5:00 pm
D20	at George Washington	2:00 pm
D29	at Penn	7:00 pm
D31	at Pittsburgh	1:00 pm
J 3	at ROBERT MORRIS	5:00 pm
J 7	at QUINNIPIAC	5:00 pm
J 9	at SACRED HEART	1:00 pm
J 14	ST. FRANCIS (NY)	5:00 pm
J 16	LONG ISLAND	5:00 pm
J 21	at ST. FRANCIS (NY)	5:00 pm
J 23	at LONG ISLAND	2:00 pm
J 28	SACRED HEART	5:00 pm
J 30	QUINNIPIAC	3:00 pm
F 4	WAGNER	5:00 pm
F 6	at WAGNER	3:00 pm
F 11	at MONMOUTH	5:00 pm
F 13	at FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON	5:00 pm
F 18	CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE	5:00 pm
F 20	BRYANT	3:00 pm
F 25	SAINT FRANCIS (PA)	5:00 pm
F 27	ROBERT MORRIS	3:00 pm

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## 2008-09 Results

Date	Opponent	Result
N14	at Colgate	W, 60-39
N19	Duquesne	L, 66-59
N25	Lafayette	W, 58-54
N29	Pennsylvania	W, 65-53
D1	at Loyola	L, 55-54
D6	at CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE	L, 66-41
D8	at SACRED HEART	L, 65-52
D10	Fairfield	W, 66-59
D13	Radford	W, 53-46
D20	at Virginia	L, 65-55
D30	at Canisius	L, 77-62
J 5	ROBERT MORRIS	L, 60-46
J 10	at ST. FRANCIS (NY)	W, 59-50
J 12	FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON	W, 62-34
J 17	SACRED HEART	L, 71-56
J 19	LONG ISLAND	L, 47-46
J 24	MONMOUTH	L, 52-49
J 26	CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE	L, 60-47
J 29	at Longwood	L, 58-54
J 31	WAGNER	W, 55-42
F 2	at QUINNIPIAC	W, 70-64
F 7	at FAIRLEIGH DICKINSON	L, 73-69 (3OT)
F 9	at LONG ISLAND	W, 65-63
F 14	at MONMOUTH	L, 57-50
F 16	ST. FRANCIS (NY)	W, 63-45
F 21	SAINT FRANCIS (PA)	L, 68-60
F 23	at WAGNER	W, 77-61
F 28	at ROBERT MORRIS	W, 57-56
M 2	Bryant	W, 71-68
M 7	vs. Sacred Heart (NEC QF)	L, 73-59

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# Mount St. Mary's

## MOUNTAINEERS

2008-09 Record: 14-16

2008-09 NEC Finish: 8-10, 8th

2009-10 Projected Finish: 8th



### One to Watch

Mount St. Mary's has faced intrastate rival Loyola (MD) 31 times during its 35 seasons of women's basketball. Hoping to avenge last year's one-point loss at Loyola, the Mount welcomes the Greyhounds to Knott Arena on Nov. 28. Despite holding a 21-10 lead in the all-time series, Mount St. Mary's has not defeated Loyola since 1996.

### One to Remember

The Mount's victory over Wagner on Jan. 31 was the team's eighth of the season, matching its total from all of the 2007-08 campaign. Mount St. Mary's went on to win six more games the remainder of the way, including another triumph over the Seahawks, for a 14-16 overall mark. The record was the Mount's best since its 15-14 showing in 2000-01.



## Six-Season Performance Chart

Year	Preseason Rank	NEC Finish	NEC Record	Overall Record
2008-09	7th	8th	8-10	14-16
2007-08	8th	8th	6-12	8-22
2006-07	6th	t-4th	10-8	12-17
2005-06	6th	6th	9-9	12-16
2004-05	7th	t-6th	8-10	9-19
2003-04	3rd	t-6th	8-10	9-19

## Season Preview

Bryan Whitten hopes the trend continues. Mount St. Mary's improved by six games during the head coach's second season in Emmitsburg, posting the program's highest win total (14) since 2000-01. The Mountaineers' scoring defense (58.2 ppg) showed drastic improvement as well, allowing 8.3 points per game fewer than the prior season when it ranked ninth of 11 NEC teams. "Hopefully we have continued improvement," Whitten said looking ahead to his third season in the NEC. "The goal is always to be the best team we can be and be better than we were last year. Hopefully that will show in wins."

Four of the Mount's five starters are back with the lone loss coming with the graduation of leading scorer Brianna Gauthier (12.6 ppg). Her ability to effectively play the point guard position will also be missed, but Whitten sounds confident in the possibility that freshman guard Selina Mann can contribute there. "She has played very well in our preseason and is doing some wonderful things for us," said Whitten of the Virginia native.

The Mountaineers' balanced attack features three returnees - Hassanah Oliver, Leah Westbrooks, and Mary Dunn - who all averaged in excess of 9.5 points and 32 minutes per game last season. "We're still going to be a team where we only have 10 on our roster and all 10 have the ability to come in and play." Three-point shooting extraordinaire Lauren Howell is one of those 10. Averaging 22.4 minutes and 7.2 points per contest, she sank 53 threes last season one year after she tied the NCAA all-time record for consecutive three-pointers made (14).

The Mount bolstered its frontcourt with the addition of freshman Jamie Halloran. "She's a big, strong player at 6'1" who gives us another low-post scoring presence," said Whitten. Westbrooks will likely again be a primary option up front after averaging 9.8 points and a team-high 7.8 boards per game as a sophomore.

### Leading Returnees

#### Scoring

Hassanah Oliver (Sr. - G) \_\_\_\_\_ 10.4 ppg  
 Leah Westbrooks (Jr. - F) \_\_\_\_\_ 9.8 ppg

#### Rebounding

Leah Westbrooks (Jr. - F) \_\_\_\_\_ 7.8 rpg  
 Mary Dunn (Jr. - F) \_\_\_\_\_ 7.3 rpg

#### Minutes Played

Hassanah Oliver (Sr. - G) \_\_\_\_\_ 33.6 mpg  
 Mary Dunn (Jr. - F) \_\_\_\_\_ 33.5 mpg

### Team Numbers - 2008-09 Season

Field Goal Pct. \_\_\_\_\_ .387 (6th)  
 Field Goal Pct. Defense \_\_\_\_\_ .394 (5th)  
 Turnover Margin \_\_\_\_\_ 0.0 (4th)  
 Scoring Margin \_\_\_\_\_ -0.2 (6th)  
 Rebounding Margin \_\_\_\_\_ -0.2 (6th)

Northeast Conference rank in parentheses ( ).

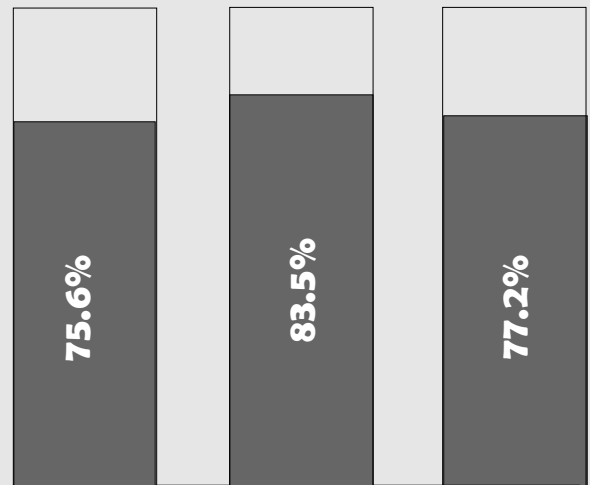
Hassanah Oliver



Leah Westbrooks



## Returning from 2008-09...



### Scoring Rebounding Minutes

Focusing in on three selected statistical categories, the above graph shows the amount (in percentage points) of production the team returns from its 2008-09 season output.

## NEC - toid

The Mount was one of three Northeast Conference teams to significantly improve under a second-year head coach last season. Mount St. Mary's 14-16 record was a six-game turnaround from head coach Bryan Whitten's first season at the helm. Whitten has coached the Mount into the NEC Tournament in each of his first two years in Emmitsburg. He welcomes back four starters this season as Mount St. Mary's attempts to qualify for the eight-team postseason tournament for a NEC-record 21st consecutive occasion.

## 2009-10 Roster

No.	Player	Yr.	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/Previous School
3	Hassanah Oliver	Sr.	G	5-7	Hillside, NJ/Hillside
4	Leah Westbrooks	Jr.	F/C	6-0	Dublin, Ireland/Holy Faith
5	Courtney Nyce	So.	F	6-0	Schwenksville, PA/Perkiomen Valley
10	Selina Mann	Fr.	G	5-4	Gainesville, VA/Battlefield
20	Lauren Howell	Jr.	G	5-8	Quinton, NJ/Sacred Heart HS
22	Syd Henderson	Fr.	G	5-6	Mechanicsville, VA/Atlee
24	Mary Dunn	Jr.	F	5-11	Whippany, NJ/Morris Catholic
32	Katelyn Nowacki	So.	F	6-0	Toledo, OH/Central Catholic
33	Tara Longeran	Fr.	F	6-0	Rockville Centre, NY/South Side
34	Sandra Andresson	So.	G/F	5-10	Tallinn, Estonia/Audentes School
44	Jamie Halloran	Fr.	F	6-1	Clarks Summit, PA/Abington Hgts.

Starters Returning/Lost: 4/1  
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost: 7/3

## Team Directory

### Coaching Staff

Head Coach: Bryan Whitten  
 Alma Mater: King's '91  
 Record at MSM/Years: 22-38/Two years  
 Overall Record/Years: 242-141/14 years  
 Assistant Coaches: Jada Pierce  
 Denise King  
 Lisa Steele  
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# Mount St. Mary's

## 2008-09 Review



### Overall Record (Past Four Years)

Last Year:	14-16
Last Two Years:	22-38
Last Three Years:	34-55
Last Four Years:	46-71

### NEC Record (Past Four Years)

Last Year:	8-10
Last Two Years:	14-22
Last Three Years:	24-30
Last Four Years:	33-39



### RPI Nat'l Rank/Conf. Standing

2008-09:	245/7th
2007-08:	283/7th
2006-07:	224/6th

### Leading Returning Scorers

Hassanah Oliver	10.4 ppg
Leah Westbrooks	9.8 ppg

### Leading Returning Rebounders

Leah Westbrooks	7.8 rpg
Mary Dunn	7.3 rpg

## 2008-09 Overall Stats

#	Player	GP	GS	Min	Avg	[---TOTAL---			[---3-PTS---			[---REBOUNDS---														
						FG	FGA	Pct	3FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
11	GAUTHIER, Brianna	30	30	1159	38.6	119	329	.362	61	152	.401	78	102	.765	28	124	152	5.1	61	1	87	82	3	61	377	12.6
03	OLIVER, Hassanah	30	30	1007	33.6	109	290	.376	4	19	.211	90	128	.703	21	74	95	3.2	89	4	102	130	0	46	312	10.4
04	WESTBROOKS, Leah	30	30	983	32.8	99	212	.467	0	0	.000	96	124	.774	91	142	233	7.8	97	6	38	66	15	37	294	9.8
24	DUNN, Mary	30	30	1006	33.5	97	231	.420	2	13	.154	93	144	.646	92	127	219	7.3	101	4	31	77	9	34	289	9.6
20	HOWELL, Lauren	30	9	671	22.4	77	206	.374	53	148	.358	9	10	.900	15	41	56	1.9	37	0	30	44	0	10	216	7.2
34	ANDRESSON, Sandra	30	21	605	20.2	67	173	.387	9	29	.310	10	31	.323	32	62	94	3.1	30	0	38	62	4	17	153	5.1
10	SCHETRUM, Kristin	5	0	45	9.0	4	14	.286	2	5	.400	2	3	.667	3	3	6	1.2	7	0	1	2	0	2	12	2.4
05	NYCE, Courtney	28	0	310	11.1	17	52	.327	0	1	.000	8	21	.381	18	50	68	2.4	31	0	10	39	5	10	42	1.5
14	ANDERSON, Shanda	26	0	175	6.7	14	54	.259	1	15	.067	6	11	.545	3	14	17	0.7	20	0	11	17	1	6	35	1.3
32	NOWACKI, Katelyn	17	0	64	3.8	3	6	.500	0	0	.000	4	6	.667	5	7	12	0.7	5	0	0	3	1	4	10	0.6
TM TEAM.....															51	59	110	3.7	0			9				
Total.....		30				606	1567	.387	132	382	.346	396	580	.683	359	703	1062	35.4	478	15	348	531	38	227	1740	58.0
Opponents.....		30				642	1630	.394	146	475	.307	317	456	.695	359	710	1069	35.6	539	-	387	531	81	236	1747	58.25

## 2008-09 NEC Stats

#	Player	GP	GS	Min	Avg	[---TOTAL---			[---3-PTS---			[---REBOUNDS---														
						FG	FGA	Pct	3FG	FGA	Pct	FT	FTA	Pct	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF	FO	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts	Avg
11	GAUTHIER, Brianna	18	18	697	38.7	64	193	.332	31	91	.341	47	64	.734	18	73	91	5.1	32	1	47	51	1	33	206	11.4
24	DUNN, Mary	18	18	610	33.9	55	140	.393	1	9	.111	69	105	.657	63	84	147	8.2	57	2	21	53	8	22	180	10.0
03	OLIVER, Hassanah	18	18	625	34.7	58	164	.354	2	8	.250	58	85	.682	14	53	67	3.7	53	2	67	77	0	30	176	9.8
04	WESTBROOKS, Leah	18	18	564	31.3	54	126	.429	0	0	.000	57	68	.838	60	76	136	7.6	58	5	21	43	8	21	165	9.2
20	HOWELL, Lauren	18	7	421	23.4	49	127	.386	31	91	.341	5	6	.833	7	33	40	2.2	27	0	18	28	0	7	134	7.4
34	ANDRESSON, Sandra	18	11	359	19.9	41	108	.380	4	15	.267	6	19	.316	18	29	47	2.6	16	0	27	34	2	9	92	5.1
10	SCHETRUM, Kristin	2	0	21	10.5	3	10	.300	2	4	.500	0	0	.000	2	3	5	2.5	2	0	0	1	0	1	8	4.0
14	ANDERSON, Shanda	15	0	94	6.3	10	31	.323	1	9	.111	5	7	.714	2	4	6	0.4	6	0	6	8	1	2	26	1.7
05	NYCE, Courtney	17	0	191	11.2	11	32	.344	0	1	.000	6	16	.375	12	32	44	2.6	19	0	7	23	2	9	28	1.6
32	NOWACKI, Katelyn	11	0	43	3.9	3	5	.600	0	0	.000	3	4	.750	4	4	8	0.7	5	0	0	3	1	2	9	0.8
TM TEAM.....															38	35	73	4.1	0			4				
Total.....		18				348	936	.372	72	228	.316	256	374	.684	238	426	664	36.9	275	10	214	325	23	136	1024	56.9
Opponents.....		18				383	992	.386	83	274	.303	185	268	.690	226	423	649	36.1	326	-	227	312	56	156	1034	57.4

## All-Time Records

Year	Record	Pct.	NEC	Pct.
1974-75	1-9	.100		
1975-76	20-2	.909		
1976-77	8-13	.381		
1977-78	16-6	.727		
1978-79	19-12	.613		
1979-80	18-9	.667		
1980-81	23-11	.676		
1981-82	24-5	.828		
1982-83	25-3	.893		
1983-84	26-2	.929		
1984-85	23-6	.793		
1985-86	24-2	.923		
1986-87	25-3	.893		
1987-88	24-2	.923		
1988-89	17-9	.654		
1989-90	23-6	.793	14-2	.875
1990-91	17-11	.607	12-4	.750
1991-92	23-5	.821	15-1	.938
1992-93	21-6	.778	14-4	.778
1993-94	25-4	.862	18-0	1.000
1994-95	24-6	.800	17-1	.944
1995-96	21-8	.724	15-3	.833
1996-97	15-13	.536	9-9	.500
1997-98	15-13	.536	10-6	.625
1998-99	21-7	.750	18-2	.900
1999-00	20-9	.690	14-4	.778
2000-01	15-14	.517	13-5	.722
2001-02	12-16	.409	9-9	.500
2002-03	10-18	.357	8-10	.444
2003-04	8-10	.444	9-19	.321
2004-05	9-19	.321	8-10	.444
2005-06	12-16	.429	9-9	.500
2006-07	12-17	.414	10-8	.556
207-08	8-22	.267	6-12	.333
2008-09	14-16	.467	8-10	.444
<b>Overall</b>	<b>618-330</b>	<b>.652</b>	<b>236-128</b>	<b>.648</b>

## The Mount vs. The NEC All-Time Records

School	Record	Pct.
Bryant	1-0	1.000
Central Connecticut State	17-6	.739
Fairleigh Dickinson	22-18	.550
Long Island	26-12	.684
Monmouth	28-15	.651
Quinnipiac	5-14	.263
Robert Morris	34-12	.750
Sacred Heart	4-17	.190
St. Francis (NY)	38-2	.950
Saint Francis (PA)	26-22	.542
Wagner	29-12	.707
<b>Overall</b>	<b>230-130</b>	<b>.639</b>

## Head Coach: Bryan Whitten



**Alma Mater:** King's '91  
**Record at MSJM:** Two Years - 22-38  
**Overall Record:** 14 Years - 242-141

### Head Coaching Experience

*Mount St. Mary's (2007- )*

- Second season at Mount resulted in six-game improvement and a 20th consecutive NEC postseason berth.
- Brought Mount St. Mary's to 19th straight NEC Tournament in first year at helm.
- Whitten earned his first Division I win with the Mount's 55-51 victory over Lafayette on Nov. 17, 2007.
- Presided over Mount St. Mary's 600th victory as a program, a 56-43 win at Fordham on Dec. 29, 2007.

*King's College (1993-2005)*

- Amassed 220 wins in 12 seasons at the Division III school.
- Five-time MAC Freedom Coach of the Year honoree.
- Guided King's to four NCAA Tournament appearances.
- His 2001-02 team posted a 25-4 mark and made it through to the NCAA Elite 8.
- Five seasons with 22 or more victories. Whitten earned his first Mount victory with a 55-51 decision against Lafayette on Nov. 17, 2007.

### Assistant Coaching Experience

*Virginia Commonwealth University (2005-07)*

- Team went 30-28 during the two-season span.

*King's College (1989-92)*

- Served as an assistant coach for the women's basketball team.

### Education

*King's College, Wilkes-Barre, PA*

- B.A. in marketing, 1991

### Personal

- A native of Hockessin, DE.
- He and wife Angie live in Frederick, Md., with their newborn (Jan. 2008) son, Jamie.

