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## Women's Volleyball



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**Current record – 2-9 Overall (0-4 Mid-American)**

### BULLS DROP TWO CONFERENCE MATCHES

The University at Buffalo volleyball team lost two Mid-American Conference matches over the weekend by 3-0 scores, losing at Toledo on Friday night (30-23, 30-17, 30-23) and at Northern Illinois on Saturday night (30-15, 30-25, 30-22). Senior *Keri Shiels (Baldwin, NY/Baldwin)* led the Bulls with seven kills and a match-high 10 digs against the Rockets, and sophomores *Lindsay Matikosh (North Tonawanda, NY/North Tonawanda)* and *Alexis Bouie (Albion, NY/Albion)* also had seven kills apiece to lead the Bulls' effort. Against the Huskies, sophomore *Becky Ashare (Coram, NY/Longwood)* led the Bulls' attack with 11 kills.

### FINALLY COMING HOME

The Bulls will take a break from conference action this week when they travel to local rival Niagara on Wednesday, October 3 for a 7 pm match. That match will be the Bulls' ninth straight road match of the year. They will then finally return to Alumni Arena for a stretch of five straight home matches, beginning with Bowling Green on Friday, October 5 at 7 pm.

### FRIDAY'S MATCH TO BE AIRED ON ADELPHIA 13

Buffalo's match against Bowling Green on Friday, October 5 will be televised on Adelphia 13 on a tape-delayed basis. The match will air twice on Saturday, October 6 on Adelphia 13, at 12:30 pm and again at 10:00 pm.

### NEARING AND SURPASSING MILESTONES

Two Bulls are closing in on career milestones in the kills category: Senior *Keri Shiels (Baldwin, NY/Baldwin)* has 48 kills this season to give her 976 for her career and senior *Heather Barfuss (Huntington, NY/John H. Glenn)* has 35 kills this season to give her 595 kills for her career. Shiels is currently sixth all-time in career kills at UB, and she still has a ways to go to tie Laurie Santelli (1991-95) for fifth place (1,072). In addition, sophomore *Lindsay Matikosh (North Tonawanda, NY/North Tonawanda)* upped her season kills total to a team-leading 127 with 17 kills in Buffalo's two matches over the weekend, giving her 405 career kills.

### SCHRANTZ MAKES MOST OF ATTEMPTS

Freshman *Molly Schrantz (Depew, NY/Lancaster)* hit an impressive .600 for the Bulls in their two matches over the weekend after entering the weekend with a .185 hitting percentage. Schrantz committed just two errors in 15 attack attempts and recorded 11 kills at Toledo and Northern Illinois. She has 70 kills so far this season, fourth on the team, and a .220 hitting percentage.

### IN HONOR OF AMERICA

In tribute to all of those impacted by the tragic events of September 11, the University at Buffalo volleyball team is wearing a United States flag patch on its uniforms for the remainder of the 2001 season.

### 2001 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

<b>August</b>	<b>UB MORGAN CLASSIC</b>	
<b>Fri., 31 -</b>	<b>STONY BROOK</b>	<b>W, 3-1</b>
<b>September</b>		
<b>Sat., 1</b>	<b>ST. JOHN'S</b>	<b>L, 0-3</b>
	<b>CANISIUS</b>	<b>W, 3-0</b>
	at Massachusetts Invitational	
Fri., 7 -	vs. New Hampshire	L, 2-3
Sat., 8	vs. Massachusetts	L, 1-3
	vs. Dartmouth	L, 1-3
	at UMBC Tournament	
Fri., 14 -	vs. Morgan State	dnp
	vs. UMBC	dnp
Sat., 15	vs. Virginia Commonwealth	dnp
	vs. Loyola	dnp
Wed., 19	at Syracuse	L, 1-3
Fri., 21	at Marshall*	L, 1-3
Sat., 22	at Ohio*	L, 1-3
Fri., 28	at Toledo*	L, 0-3
Sat., 29	at Northern Illinois*	L, 0-3
<b>October</b>		
Wed., 3	at Niagara	7 pm
<b>Fri., 5</b>	<b>BOWLING GREEN*</b>	<b>7 pm</b>
<b>Sun., 7</b>	<b>MIAMI (OH)*</b>	<b>3 pm</b>
<b>Tues., 9</b>	<b>COLGATE</b>	<b>7 pm</b>
<b>Fri., 12</b>	<b>WESTERN MICHIGAN*</b>	<b>7 pm</b>
<b>Sun., 14</b>	<b>BALL STATE*</b>	<b>Noon</b>
Fri., 19	at Kent State*	7 pm
Sat., 20	at Akron*	3 pm
<b>Wed., 24</b>	<b>BINGHAMTON</b>	<b>7 pm</b>
Fri., 26	at Bowling Green*	7 pm
Sat., 27	at Central Michigan*	7 pm
<b>November</b>		
<b>Fri., 2</b>	<b>EASTERN MICHIGAN*</b>	<b>7 pm</b>
<b>Sat., 3</b>	<b>MARSHALL*</b>	<b>7 pm</b>
<b>Fri., 9</b>	<b>KENT STATE*</b>	<b>7 pm</b>
<b>Sat., 10</b>	<b>AKRON*</b>	<b>7 pm</b>
Fri., 16	at Miami (OH)*	7 pm
<b>Sun., 18</b>	<b>OHIO*</b>	<b>2 pm</b>
Tues., 20	MAC Quarterfinals	TBA
Fri./Sat., 23/24	MAC Semifinals	TBA
Sat./Sun., 24/25	MAC Championship	TBA

Home matches in **BOLD CAPS**

\*Mid-American Conference contests

dnp - did not participate