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## Women's Volleyball



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**Current record – 4-13 Overall (0-8 Mid-American)**

### BULLS CRUSH COLGATE, LOSE TO WESTERN MICHIGAN, BALL STATE

The University at Buffalo volleyball team proved to be no match for the Colgate Raiders on Tuesday, thanks to a total team effort. The Bulls handily won the match by scores of 30-16, 30-18 and 30-28 to pick up their fourth victory of the season. Nine different Bulls recorded kills in the match, led by sophomore **Alexis Bouie** (*Albion, NY/Albion*) with nine. Bouie also added seven digs and a match-high eight blocks to the Bulls' effort.

Following the win, Buffalo dropped Mid-American Conference matches to two of the best teams in the league - Western Michigan on Friday (31-29, 25-30, 25-30, 17-30) and Ball State on Sunday (20-30, 31-33, 25-30). Sophomore **Lindsay Matikosh** (*North Tonawanda, NY/North Tonawanda*) led the Bulls in both matches with a total of 25 kills and 27 digs. Freshman **Katie Henry** (*Buffalo, NY/City Honors*) had a career-high six service aces against the Broncos, and senior **Larissa LaCour** (*West Islip, NY/West Islip*) surpassed the 700 mark for career digs with eight against WMU. She now has 710 digs for her career and 173 for the season, behind Matikosh with 183.

### BLOCKING THEIR WAY TO VICTORY

The Bulls compiled 18.5 team blocks in their three-game win over Colgate on Wednesday, led by sophomore **Alexis Bouie** (*Albion, NY/Albion*) with eight. Bouie's eight blocks tied her career high, and she now has a team-leading 49 blocks for the season, surpassing her 2000 output of 42 total blocks. In addition to Bouie tying her career high, three other Bulls set career highs for blocks against the Raiders: sophomore **Lindsay Matikosh** (*North Tonawanda, NY/North Tonawanda*) (six), sophomore **Becky Ashare** (*Coram, NY/Longwood*) (six) and freshman **Molly Schrantz** (*Depew, NY/Lancaster*) (five). The 18.5 team blocks came close to Buffalo's school record of 25 blocks in a three-game match (set against Navy during the 1990 season).

### LACOUR BREAKS STREAK

Senior **Larissa LaCour** (*West Islip, NY/West Islip*) did not play in game two of Buffalo's dominating win over Colgate on Wednesday, breaking a streak of 49 matches during which she appeared in every game for the Bulls. LaCour was the only player to start every match and appear in every game for the Bulls during the 2000 season, and the last match during which she did not appear in a game was against Kent State on November 12, 1999. In LaCour's absence, freshman setter **Airin Edrosolan** (*Newbury Park, CA/Newbury Park*) collected a career-high 22 assists against the Raiders.

### CLOSING IN ON MILESTONES

Sophomore **Lindsay Matikosh** (*North Tonawanda, NY/North Tonawanda*) had two double-doubles in kills and digs over the weekend. Her 12 kills against Ball State on Sunday put her over the 200 mark for kills in a season (206) and close to the 500 mark for kills in a career (484). Senior **Keri Shiels** (*Baldwin, NY/Baldwin*) had four kills against the Cardinals, giving her 65 for the season and 993 for her career. Shiels should soon become just the sixth player in Buffalo history to compile over 1,000 career kills.

### 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>
	<i>at Massachusetts Invitational</i>	
Fri., 7 -	vs. New Hampshire	L, 2-3
Sat., 8	vs. Massachusetts	L, 1-3
	vs. Dartmouth	L, 1-3
	<i>at UMBC Tournament</i>	
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	W, 3-2
<b>Fri., 5</b>	<b>BOWLING GREEN*</b>	<b>L, 2-3</b>
<b>Sun., 7</b>	<b>MIAMI (OH)*</b>	<b>L, 1-3</b>
<b>Tues., 9</b>	<b>COLGATE</b>	<b>W, 3-0</b>
<b>Fri., 12</b>	<b>WESTERN MICHIGAN*</b>	<b>L, 1-3</b>
<b>Sun., 14</b>	<b>BALL STATE*</b>	<b>L, 0-3</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