1988-89 Lady Kats Basketball

KENTUCKY LADY KATS (11-13, 2-5) vs. ALABAMA (13-11, 1-5)

Friday, February 17, 1989 Memorial Coliseum, Lexington, Ky., 7:30p.m.

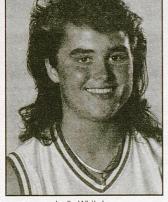
The Kentucky Lady Kats play host to Alabama tonight with a possible first-round bye in the Southeastern Conference tournament at stake. The Lady Kats are 11-13 overall and 2-5 in conference action after an 86-72 loss at LSU Tuesday night, but could still finish as high as a tie for sixth in league play. The tournament is scheduled for March 3-6 in Albany, Ga., with the bottom four seeds playing on the first

The Lady Tide is 13-11 overall, but 1-5 in the SEC, and Coach Lois Myers' squad still has games left with No. 1 Auburn and No. 3 Tennessee. Kentucky will have

> to face Auburn on Feb. 25 in its final SEC game.

Alabama has won two of the last three meetings with Kentucky, including last 74-54 season's drubbing in Tuscaloosa. Alabama leads the series 5-4.

Kentucky has lost seven of its last eight games, and five straight on the road. But the Lady Kats have played well in their last two games, including



Jodie Whitaker

last Saturday's 97-90 upset over Florida in the Coliseum. Against LSU, which is ranked 20th in the country, Kentucky led much of the first half, and stayed within striking distance of the powerful Tigers until the final two minutes of the game. Ruth Mountain led the Lady Kats with 19 points, one shy of her career high 20, including nine-straight points in a late run that cut the margin to eight points with 3:24 left.

Senior Lady Kat guard Jodie Whitaker continues to lead the team in scoring with an average of 12.7 points per game. The Austin, Ind. native was recently named SEC Player of the Week after her offensive attack against Tennessee Tech and conference rival Florida. In addition to being recognized as player of the week, Whitaker also moved into fifth place on UK's all-time scoring leader list in the game against Florida.

Whitaker scored 16 points and pulled in four rebounds against Tech, then continued her scoring drive by contributing 28 points and six rebounds in UK's win over the Lady Gators. Against LSU, Whitaker chipped in 17 points during 34 minutes of play.

Whitaker and the Lady Kats hope to pull a win against the Lady Tide team. Alabama has alternated wins and losses in 13 straight contests and is coming off a 56-55 loss to Georgia. The Tide is led in scoring and rebounding by forward Laura (12.5, Heart 10.1).

SEC STANDINGS

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Auburn		5-0
Tennessee		6-1
Georgia		5-1
Ole Miss		4-4
LSU		3-3
Vanderbilt		3-4
Mississippi State		3-5
Kentucky		2-5
Florida		1-5
Alabama		1-5

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Front row, left to right: Kris Miller, Malinka Salhi, Theresa Stewart, Jodie Whitaker, Ruth Mountain, Kristi Cushenberry and Tracye Davis. Back row, left to right: Asst. Sports Information Director Rena Vicini, Manager Jenn Holman, Asst. Coach Andy Barnes, Asst. Coach Cindy Noble-Hauserman, Mary Custard, Pam Shrum, Angel Stevens, Lora Spencer, Vanessa Foster-Sutton, Jamie Hobgood, Stacy McIntyre, Coach Sharon Fanning, Trainer Sue Stanley, Graduate Assistant Jane Dalton, Head Manager Sharon McCauley.

1988-89 UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY LADY KATS

Numerical Roster

NO.	NAME	HT	POS	CLASS	HOMETOWN/SCHOOL
3	Lora Spencer	6-1	С	JR	Russellville / Logan County HS
4	Ruth Ann Mountain	5-8	G-F	JR	Columbus, Ohio / Lees JC
5	Theresa Stewart	5-4	G	JR	Columbus, Ohio / Lees JC
10	Stacy McIntyre	5-8	F	FR	Georgetown / Scott County HS
11	Malinka Salhi	5-4	G	JR	Mons, Belgium / Independence (Kansas) JC
12	Kristi Cushenberry	5-9	G-F	FR	Hendersonville, Tenn. / Beech HS
14	Jamie Hobgood	5-9	G-F	FR	Madisonville / North Hopkins HS
15	Jodie Whitaker	5-7	G	SR	Austin, Ind. / Austin HS
21	Tracye Davis	5-8	G	SO	Lexington / Henry Clay HS
23	Mary Custard	5-10	F-C	JR	Cynthiana / Lees JC
24	Vanessa Foster-Sutton	6-0	C	JR	Chickamauga, Ga. / Truett-McConnell JC
32	Kris Miller	5-4	G	JR	Owensboro / Owensboro Catholic
34	Pam Shrum	6-0	F-C	SR	Monticello / Monticello HS
55	Angel Stevens	6-1	C	SO	Jackson / Breathitt County HS

Head Coach: Sharon Fanning (Tennessee-Chattanooga, 1975) 203-144 career (12 seasons) 14-15 at UK (1 year)

Assistant Coaches: Andy Barnes (East Tennessee, 1980)

Cindy Noble Hauserman (Tennessee, 1983)

Graduate Assistant: Jane Dalton (Appalachian State, 1988)

1988-89 Lady Crimson Tide



Seated, L to R: Kendra Willis, Jennifer Day, Stephanie Meier, Sissy Braden, Amy Lannom, Julie Beaty, Latasha Bethel, Stacey Franklin, Beverly Lee. Back: Karen Robinson, promotions; Sherri Smelser, Asst. Coach; Sherry Kimbro, Trainer; Celia Slater, Grad. Asst. Coach; Terry Jones, Strength Coach; Cynthia McDougle, Tracy Bowden, Michelle Smith, Laura Vaughn, Laura Heard, Head Coach Lois Myers, Tori Harrison, Asst. Coach; Johna Williams, Student Asst. Coach; Delynne Wilcox, Head Manager.

No	Name	Ht	Pos	Class	Hometown/School
10	Amy Lannom	5-5	G	Fr	Gallatin, Tenn./Gallatin
12	Beverly Lee	5-7	G	Fr	Smyrna, Ga.,/Campbell
20	Latasha Bethel	5-10	F	Jr	Decatur, Ga.,/Pensacola JC
22	Julie Beaty	5-7	G	Jr	Heneger/Ider
23	Laura Heard	5-9	F	Jr	Elberton, Ga/Elbert Co.
24	Sissy Braden	5-11	F	Jr	Lewisburg, Tenn.,/Marshall Co.
30	Stephanie Meier	5-9	G	Jr	Wilmington, Del.,/Ursuline Academy
34	Michelle Smith	6-3	С	So	Tuscaloosa, Ala.,/Central
35	Tracy Bowden	6-3	С	So	Rush Springs, Okla.,/Rush Springs
40	Kendra Willis	6-0	F	So	Griffin, Ga.,/Griffin
44	Cynthia McDougle	6-0	⊷ F	Sr	Waynesboro, Miss./Waynesboro Central
45	Laura Vaughn	6-1	F	So	Kingsport, Tenn.,/Sullivan North
50	Stacey Franklin	5-10	F	Fr	Smyrna, Ga.,/Campbell

Head Coach: Lois Myers (Georgia Southern, 1975)

57-29 career (3 seasons) 57-29 at UA (3 seasons)

Assistant Coaches: Sherri Smelser (Univ. of North Alabama, 1982)

Tori Harrison (Louisiana Tech, 1987)

Graduate Assistant: Celia Slater (Florida State, 1985)

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Coach: Sharon Fanning Assistants: Cindy Hauserman, Andy Barnes, Jane Dalton

No. Player Position	Field Goals	Free Throws	Fouls			Totals	
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4 Ruth Ann Mountain,5-8,Jr.,G/F		111111111111	12345				
5 Theresa Stewart, 5-4, Jr., G		1111111111111	12345				
10 Stacy McIntyre,5-8,Fr.,F		111111111111	12345				
11 Malinka Salhi,5-4,Jr.,G		111111111111	12345				
12 Kristi Cushenberry, 5-9, Fr., G/F		111111111111	12345				
13 Lisa Ellis, 6-6,Jr.,C		111111111111	12345				
14 Jamie Hobgood,5-9,Fr.,G/F		111111111111	12345				
15 Jodie Whitaker, 5-7, Sr., G		111111111111	12345				
21 Tracye Davis,5-8,So.,G		111111111111	12345				
24 Vanessa Foster-Sutton, 6-0, Jr., C		111111111111	12345				
32 Kris Miller,5-4,Jr.,G		111111111111	12345				
34 Pam Shrum, 6-0,Sr.,F/C		111111111111	12345				
55 Angel Stevens,6-1,So.,C		1111111111111	12345				

University of Kentucky Lady Kats

VS

University of Alabama Saturday, February 11, 1989 7:30 p.m. Memorial Coliseum

UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA

Coach: Lois Myers Assistants: Sherri Smelser, Toni Harrison Graduate Asst: Celia Slater

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12 Beverly Lee,5-7,Fr.,G		111111111111	12345					
20 Latasha Bethel,5-10,Jr.,F		1111111111111	12345					
22 Julie Beaty,5-7,Jr.,G		111111111111	12345					
24 Sissy Braden,5-11,Jr.,F		1111111111111	12345					
30 Stephanie Meier, 5-9, Jr., G		1111111111111	12345					
34 Michelle Smith, 6-3, So., C		1111111111111	12345					
35 Tracy Bowden,6-3,So,C		1111111111111	12345					
40 Kendra Willis, 6-0, So., F		111111111111	12345					
44 Cynthia McDougle, 6-0, Sr., F		111111111111	12345					
45 Laura Vaughn,6-1,So.,F		111111111111	12345					
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