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1988-89 Lady Kats Basketball **KENTUCKY**

KENTUCKY (7-6) VS. MARSHALL UNIVERSITY (7-5)

Friday, January 13, 1989

Memorial Coliseum, Lexington, Ky. 7:30 p.m.

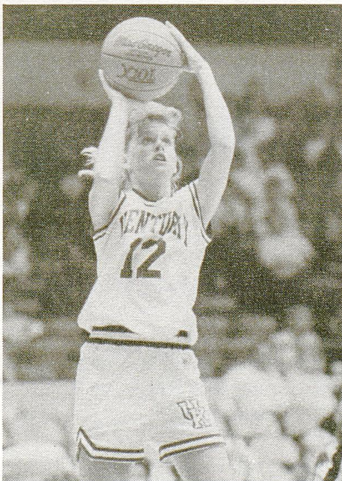
The Kentucky Lady Kats have the opportunity tonight to extend their winning streak to four games, which would rank as the second-longest string of victories since Sharon Fanning became head coach at Kentucky in 1987.

The longest streak stands at five, which was accomplished at the outset of Fanning's UK career as the Kats won their first five games under the young coach. Since then, however, they have won no more than three in a row.

But while the Lady Kats have re-discovered that wonderful winning formula, they have also adopted a not-so-endearing habit: waiting until the last

seconds to capture the coveted "W".

UK's last win — 83-77 at Eastern Kentucky Wednesday night — came in over-time and after Kentucky trailed by five with only three minutes left. In their other two recent wins, the Lady Kats were even harder on their fans and coach. In both the 74-68 upset over Vanderbilt and the 68-66 surprise at Middle Tennessee,



Freshman Kriste Cushenberry will play despite injuries.

the "Heart-Attack Kats" had to erase 16-point deficits in the final 11 minutes before winning.

But, as Coach Fanning would be quick to point out, "winning" is the key word here. Prior to the current streak, her squad had lost six of its last eight contests.

One reason for the recent surge has been the addition of 6-foot-6 center Lisa Ellis to the Lady Kats roster. Ellis, a junior and the sister of Wildcats center LeRon Ellis, joined the team after graduating from Lexington Community College in December. She joined the team in the middle of a road trip at Cincinnati, but made only a two-minute appearance in that game. At that point, Kentucky was 3-5. Since then, with Ellis gaining more-and-more playing time, the Kats are 4-1.

In each of the last three games, Ellis has logged more than 20 minutes and given Kentucky an intimidating defensive weapon as well as a new rebounding tool on both ends of the court. With her improvement evident in each game, she now averages 5.8 points and five rebounds.

Still leading UK in scoring is senior guard Jodie Whitaker, who appears to be "back" after suffering through a December slump. She averages 13.2 points and 4.7 rebounds. Kristi Cushenberry adds 12.8 points and 4.5 rebounds. The freshman standout has been hobbled the last two games by a deep thigh bruise and a sprained right thumb, and will not be full strength tonight.

Kentucky will also be at home Monday night against Kentucky State University. Tipoff is 7:30.

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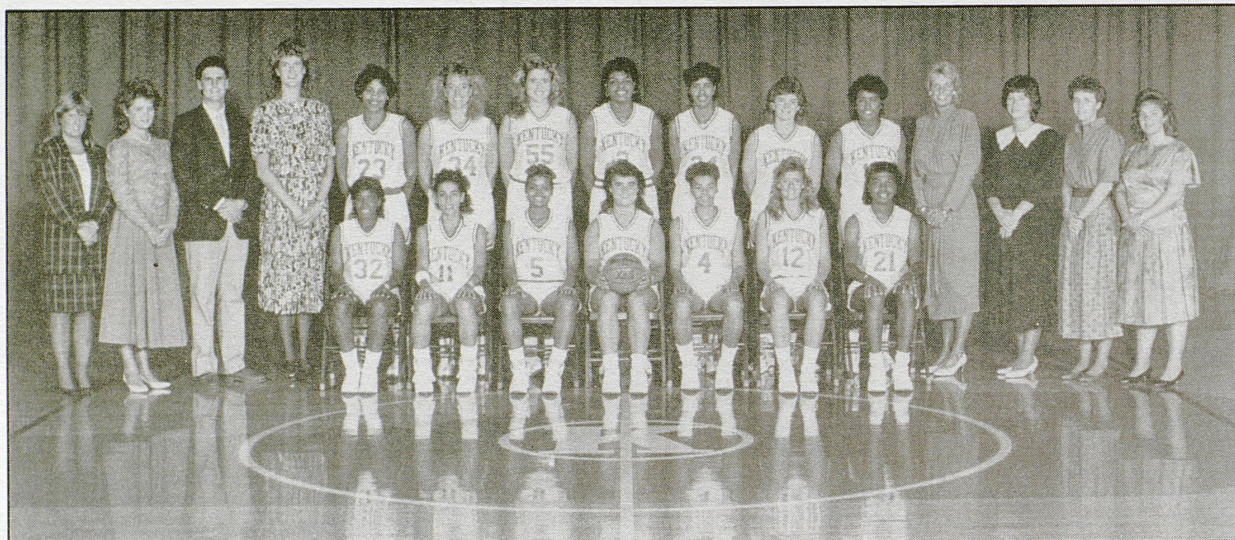
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Front row, left to right: Kris Miller, Malinka Salhi, Theresa Stewart, Jodie Whitaker, Ruth Mountain, Kristi Cushenberry and Tracye Davis. Back row, left to right: Asst. Sports Information Director Rena Vicini, Manager Jenn Holman, Asst. Coach Andy 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	C	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)

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No.	Name	HT	POS	Class	Hometown/School
10	Jenelle Stephenson	4-11	G	Jr.	Charles Town, W.Va./Jefferson County HS
14	Lea Ann Parsley	5-8	F	Jr.	Granville, Ohio/Granville HS
20	Lynelle Richer	5-7	G	Fr.	Wauseon, Ohio/Pettisville HS
21	Kristi Huff	5-8	F	Fr.	Salem, Ind./Salem HS
22	Heather Brown	6-0	F/G	Fr.	Wellsburg, W.Va./Brooke HS
23	Sheila Johnson	5-8	F	So.	Louisville, Ky./Doss HS
32	Tina Jones	5-6	G	So.	St. Albans, W.Va./St. Albans HS
33	Jill McElhinny	5-5	G	Fr.	Homestead, Pa./Serra HS
40	Jenny Leavitt	5-10	F/C	Sr.	Parkersburg, W.Va./Parkersburg South HS
42	Lolli Shipp	6-1	C	Sr.	Carmichael, Calif./American River College
45	Sharon Deal	6-1	F/C	Sr.	Omaha, Neb./Southeast Community College

Head Coach: Judy Southard

Assistant Coaches: Bob Starkey, Dora Post

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY LADY KATS

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13	Lisa Ellis,6-6,Jr.,C			111111111111	12345				
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