

1986-87 MINNESOTA WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS

QUICK FACTS:

LOCATION: Minneapolis, Minn.
FOUNDED: 1851
ENROLLMENT: 45,000
NICKNAME: Golden Gophers
COLORS: Maroon & Gold
CONFERENCE: Big Ten
PRESIDENT: Kenneth H. Keller
ATHLETIC DIRECTOR: Merrily Dean Baker (612) 624-4044
HEAD COACH: Katalin Deli (612) 624-0514
ASSISTANT COACH: Gabor Deli (612) 624-0514
SPORTS INFORMATION DIR.: Karen Smith (612) 624-3335; Home 379-8223
LETTERWINNERS LOST: Two (2)
LETTERWINNERS RETURNING: Seven (7)
CLASS BREAKDOWN: 5 seniors, 2 juniors, 2 sophomores, 5 freshmen
HOME COURT: Williams Arena (17,000)

SEASON OUTLOOK

For three of the last four years Minnesota gymnasts have played the bridesmaid's role in the Big Ten, finishing second behind Ohio State. That trend in one of many that the team would like to reverse in the 1986-87 season. And everything points in the right direction for a Gopher Big Ten team title and team post-season competition.

A mix of experienced upperclassmen and talented newcomers give the women's team depth in all events and a legitimate shot to unseat four-time Big Ten champion Ohio State at the conference championship in March. Katalin Deli enters her 14th year as the Gophers' head coach with six returning letterwinners and six newcomers, including two Olympians.

Despite the loss of three-time Big Ten champion Laurie Kaiser, who elected to leave the team before the start of her senior season, Deli is confident that the 1986-87 Gophers will win their first Big Ten team title this year. The prospects for team post-season competition are also brighter this year, as Minnesota has been moved to the NCAA's Central Region where they are a pre-season pick to win the regional title. From 1984-86 the Gophers competed in the powerful Midwest Region along with six-time national champion Utah.

1985-86 RECAP -- The Gophers finished the 1985-86 season with a 13-7 overall record and a second-place finish at the Big Ten Championship. Although Ohio State won the team title 181.80-181.35, they had to come from behind to win as the host Gophers led through the first five rounds of competition. For the second straight year Minnesota failed to qualify as a team for regional competition, despite posting a 180.92 regional qualifying score in the perennially tough Midwest Region. Strong scores from other Midwest schools hurt the Gophers' chances to finish in the top seven even though they were ranked as high as fifth during the season. Nationally, Minnesota ended the year ranked 20th and were placed as high as 15th during the regular season.

OUTLOOK CONTINUED--

BROWN LEADS RETURNERS -- Minnesota's leading returner is 5-6 senior Shelley Brown (BLOOMINGTON, MN/Jefferson). Brown surprised the Big Ten and nation last year by winning the Big Ten all-around title and competing at the NCAA National Championships. Brown set three school records on the vault (9.60), balance beam (9.75) and all-around (37.45) and finished first on the balance beam and seventh all-around at the NCAA Midwest Regional Championship. Brown worked on upgrading her routines over the summer, and Deli is confident of Brown's chances for another record-breaking season.

Another strong all-around is 5-4 senior Candace Doell (SASKATOON, Canada). Doell was slowed by an injury in mid-season and never fully recovered, but she ranks as one of the Gophers' top vaulters and uneven bars workers. Doell underwent knee surgery early in the pre-season, but she should be ready for all-around competition by January.

Mary Jo Mastel (BLOOMINGTON, MN/Jefferson), is the team's top returner in the floor exercise and a leading balance beam and uneven bars performer. A 5-6 junior, Mastel tied the school floor exercise record (9.60) last year and earned All-Big Ten honors in the floor exercise.

TWO OLYMPIANS JOIN GOPHERS -- Five newcomers join the Gophers this year, including Marie Roethlisberger (HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA), a member of the 1984 Olympic team and daughter of Minnesota men's gymnastics coach Fred Roethlisberger. Marie Roethlisberger won the 1986 senior national uneven bars title in June and competed at the Goodwill Games in Moscow. She will be joined by a member of the Canadian Olympic team, Kathleen Finnegan (WINNEPEG, Canada). Finnegan is a strong all-arounder who created and patented a unique release move on the uneven bars -- the "Finnegan."

Junior Laura Hicks (CICERO, IL) has transferred to Minnesota after competing for two years at the University of Illinois, where she was the Illini's 1986 MVP. Two walk-ons, Julie Newman (LAKEVILLE, MN) and Michelle Wise (EDINA, MN), complete the recruiting class. Newman led her Lakeville High School to the 1986 Minnesota Class AA team title, while Wise was a two-time all-conference selection.

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UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA
1986-87 GYMNASTICS ROSTER

<u>Name</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Height</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Hometown/High School</u>
Marie Bandrowski	Sr.	5-2	A-A	Milford, MI/Milford
Linda Bednar	Sr.	5-5	A-A	Osseo, MN/Osseo
Shelley Brown *	Sr.	5-6	A-A	Bloomington, MN/Jefferson
Candace Doell *	Sr.	5-4	A-A	Saskatoon, Sask./E.D. Feehan
Kathleen Finnegan	Fr.	5-2	A-A	Winnipeg, Man./St. Mary's Academy
Laura Hicks	Jr.	5-2	A-A	Cicero, IL/J. Sterling Morton East
Karen Howe	So.	5-5 1/2	A-A	Traverse City, MI/Traverse City
Mary Jo Mastel	Jr.	5-6	A-A	Bloomington, MN/Jefferson
Julie Newman	Fr.	5-5	A-A	Burnsville, MN/Lakeville
Marie Roethlisberger	Fr.	5-0	A-A	Huntington Beach, CA/Marina
Linda Umhoefer	So.	5-1 1/2	A-A	Cedarburg, WI/West Bend East
Michelle Wise	Fr.	5-2	A-A	Edina, MN/Edina
Lisa Wittwer	Fr.	5-4	A-A	Eagan, MN/Rosemount

* co-captains

**UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA GYMNASTICS
1986-87 SCHEDULE**

DECEMBER

6 SAT. JAPANESE ALL STAR (CO-ED) 1:00 P.M.

JANUARY

16 Fri. Nebraska, Oklahoma State, Arizona
(Lincoln, NE)
19 Mon. Utah State (Logan, UT) 7:30 P.M. MST
25 SUN. IOWA 1:00 P.M.
30 Fri. Cactus Invitational (Arizona, UCLA,
Kentucky) (Tempe, AZ) 7:00 P.M. MST

FEBRUARY

1 Sun. New Mexico (Albuquerque, NM) 2:00 P.M. MST
7 Sat. Wisconsin (Madison, WI) 7:00 P.M.
9 MON. BRIGHAM YOUNG 7:30 P.M.
14 Sat. Red and White Invitational
(University, AL)
21 Sat. UCLA Invitational (Los Angeles, CA) 7:30 P.M. PST

MARCH

1 SUN. OHIO STATE 2:00 P.M.
27-28 Fri-Sat. Big Ten Championship (Madison, WI)

APRIL

4 SAT. NORTHERN ILLINOIS 2:00 P.M.
11 Sat. NCAA Regionals (Birmingham, AL)
24-25 Fri-Sat. NCAA Championship (Salt Lake City, UT)

ALL HOME MEETS IN CAPITAL/BOLD ARE AT WILLIAMS ARENA

Katalin Deli
Head Coach

In her 13 years as head coach, Katalin Deli has seen her Minnesota gymnastics program develop from a little-known intrasquad team into a consistent national force. The senior women's gymnastics coach in the Big Ten, Deli and her teams have earned national recognition and respect since intercollegiate competition was first sanctioned in 1975.

Deli's teams have finished among the top three in the Big Ten for four years, and nearly won their first team title in 1986. The host Gophers led through the first five rounds of competition before bowing to Ohio State, 181.80-181.35, in the closest team finish in six years. Individually, members of Deli's teams have won 13 event championships since 1978. Her gymnasts have won two of five "official" all-around titles: Robin Huebner in 1982 and Shelley Brown in 1986, and they are the only non-Ohio State gymnasts to win an official all-around title. In addition, Deli's gymnasts have won five of the last seven conference floor exercise titles, with three earned by Huebner and two by former standout Laurie Kaiser.

Consistently ranked among the best teams in the nation, Deli's 1986 team was ranked as high as 15th in the country and finished the year ranked 20th. Although the Gophers' regional qualifying score was 180.92, nearly one point better than their 1985 score, they finished seventh in the Midwest Region and missed team post-season competition for the second year. However, with a strong nucleus of returners, outstanding newcomers and reassignment to the NCAA's Central Region, Minnesota should advance to regional competition in 1987, as the team is a pre-season favorite in the Central Region.

Deli started coaching at Minnesota in 1973; since then, Gopher gymnasts have competed in national championships in 11 of 14 years. Her teams won four consecutive MAIAW state championships from 1976 through 1979, the AIAW Region 6 championship in 1980 and 1982 and finished seventh at the AIAW nationals in 1982.

Deli has coached three All-Americans, including 1982 team captain Robin Huebner, who captured the regional all-around title that year and finished second in two events at the national championships. Huebner held school records in three events and the all-around when she completed her career.

A native of Hungary, Deli graduated from the Hungarian University of Physical Education in 1971. She was a member of the Hungarian National Gymnastics team for five years, competing in both national and international events before emigrating to the United States with her husband, Gabor, in 1971.

With her husband, Deli operates the Olympic Gymnastics Academy in Brooklyn Center, Minnesota. Through the academy, young athletes have earned state, national and international honors in United States Gymnastics Federation competition. During the summer the Delis operate the Olympic Gymnastics Camp in Duluth.

Gabor Deli
Assistant Coach

Assistant Coach Gabor Deli joined the Gopher staff in 1977, teaming with wife Katalin to form a unique coaching partnership and a nationally successful gymnastics program at Minnesota.

A native of Hungary, Deli received his bachelor's degree from the Hungarian University of Physical Education in 1970. He was a member of the Hungarian National Gymnastics Team for several years and represented Hungary at the 1968 Olympic Games in Mexico City.

After emigrating to the United States with his wife in 1971, Deli coached at Hopkins Lindbergh High School in suburban Minneapolis and at the Mini-Hops Gymnastics Club in Hopkins. He was selected to coach the United States team in the Champions All-International Invitational in 1977, in which Robin Huebner, at that time a future Gopher All-American, finished third all-around, behind first place Nadia Comaneci.

The formation of the Olympic Gymnastics Academy in Brooklyn Center, Minnesota, is a direct result of Deli's commitment to gymnastics. With his wife, Deli has coached many young gymnasts to state, national, and international honors in United States Gymnastics Federation competition, including Gopher freshman Lisa Wittwer. Wittwer qualified for the Grand Prix International Invitational in Rome in 1985, where she placed fourth all-around and first on the vault.

Deli also operates the summer Olympic Gymnastics Camp in Duluth. The Delis have two sons, Gabor, Jr., 15, and Gergely, 13.

Shelley Brown Co-Captain
 5-6 Senior
 Bloomington, Minnesota

College: 1986 Gopher MVP following outstanding junior season...competed as an individual all-rounder at the NCAA National Championships after placing seventh at NCAA Midwest Regional meet...also tied for first on the balance beam with school-record 9.75 score...37.45 all-around score from regions is new Minnesota record...Big Ten all-around champion, Minnesota's first conference all-around champion since 1982...only gymnast in the Big Ten to compete in all individual event finals; finished 2nd on vault, 3rd on beam, 4th on floor exercise and 6th on uneven bars...set new Minnesota vaulting record with 9.60 score in Big Ten prelims...Minnesota's top all-rounder in 6 of 10 meets...set or tied career best score on each event...scored over 37.00 in three meets, over 36.50 in seven meets...top Gopher averages of 9.27 on vault and 8.96 on bars...one of four regular all-rounders throughout 1985 season, averaging close to 9.00 in vault (8.98) and floor (8.99)...she tied for 10th all-around at 1984 Big Ten Championship...Deli calls her "one of the hardest workers on the team"...worked on upgrading her routines over the summer, should again be a top performer.

High School: Thomas Jefferson High School...holds all of the school gymnastics records at Jefferson...an all-state selection her senior season...second in the floor exercise at the state meet in 1983...three-time all-conference selection and MVP three consecutive years...third all-around at the state meet and sixth all-around in regional competition as a USGF Class I gymnast in 1983.

Personal: Born 2/24/65...fashion merchandising major...coached at Coach Deli's Olympic Gymnastics Camp in Duluth last summer...father Bill played football for the Vikings...daughter of Bill and Karen Brown.

SEASON AND CAREER AVERAGES AND BESTS -- Shelley Brown

	VAULT	UNEVEN BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	ALL-AROUND
1983-84 Season Ave.	8.92	8.30	8.50	8.92	34.71
Season Best	9.10	8.90	9.45	9.35	36.20
1984-85 Season Ave.	8.98	8.79	8.56	8.99	35.19
Season Best	9.20	9.25*	8.90	9.35	36.35
1985-86 Season Ave.	9.27	8.96	8.90	9.10	36.18
Season Best	9.60*	9.25*	9.75*	9.50*	37.45*
Career	9.06	8.68	8.65	9.00	35.36

*Career Best

Candace Doell Co-Captain
 5-4 Senior
 Saskatoon, Canada

College: Scored new career best on vault (9.45) last year...injured her heel before meet in February and did not compete all-around for three meets...scored 9.10 on bars vs. UCLA while injured, team's top bars score of meet...team's leading all-arounder at Florida Invitational (35.55)...averaged 9.18 on vault, one of five Gophers to average over 9.00...as a sophomore, competed in vaulting finals at Big Ten meet, finishing ninth...placed 12th all-around at 1985 Big Ten Championships...missed qualifying individually for NCAA Midwest Regionals by just .04...set new career bests in two events (9.20 on bars and 9.20 on floor) and set a new all-around mark of 36.60...named Most Improved Gymnast as sophomore...as a freshman in 1984, finished fourth at Big Ten championships in both the vault and balance beam; one of only two Gophers to qualify for the individual finals in more than one event...wrist injury early in her freshman season confined her to competition in beam and vault.

High School: E. D. Feenan High School...competed for the Canadian National Team during summer of 1983...received Award of Excellence (gold medal) in vaulting at Western Canada summer games...Saskatchewan Female Athlete of the Year in 1980, 1981 and 1982...first in vault in 1979, 1980 and 1981, and second in 1982, at Western Canadian Championships, and was fourth all-around...missed participating in 1983 World University Games in Edmonton because of knee surgery.

Personal: Born 4/27/65...child psychology major...former teammates compete at four Division I schools in U.S...daughter of Henry and Delina Doell.

SEASON AND CAREER AVERAGES AND BESTS -- Candace Doell

	VAULT	UNEVEN BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	ALL-AROUND
1983-84 Season Ave.	8.92	8.00	8.36	8.39	33.30
Season Best	9.30	8.00	9.30*	8.50	33.30
1984-85 Season Ave.	9.10	9.02	8.65	8.88	35.49
Season Best	9.30	9.20*	9.30*	9.20*	36.60*
1985-86 Season Ave.	9.18	8.71	8.44	8.83	35.06
Season Best	9.45*	9.10	8.90	9.00	36.10
Career	9.07	8.58	8.48	8.70	34.61

*Career Best

Marie Bandrowski
 5-2 Senior
 Milford, Michigan

College: Competed as an uneven bars and balance beam specialist in 1986...scored new career best on the bars, a 9.00 mark...ankle injury at mid-season hampered competition...missed the first part of 1985 season with an injured elbow...competed on the vault and balance beam, scoring the second best seasonal average on the beam (8.70)...finished third in the beam, with a career best 9.25, in a meet against #3 Cal.-State Fullerton and #8 UCLA as a sophomore...also started freshman season with an injured elbow, coming on at the end to finish eighth all-around at the Big Ten Championships...strong dancer...two-time Patty Berg Award winner for excellence in academics and athletics...selected the team's Scholar Gymnast in 1985 and 1986.

High School: Milford High School...competed for the Steve Whitlock School of Gymnastics (the "Acronauts") in Bloomfield Hills, Michigan...Mid-State Conference all-around champion in 1982 and third in 1983...led the Acronauts to the conference title in 1983...qualified for regional competition that year by placing third all-around, first in the vault, sixth on bars and fourth on the beam and floor at the state meet.

Personal: Born 9/2/65...majoring in sports and exercise science...likes to dance, swim and read...daughter of Michael and Marie Bandrowski.

SEASON AND CAREER AVERAGES AND BESTS -- Marie Bandrowski

	VAULT	UNEVEN BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	ALL-AROUND
1983-84 Season Ave.	8.82	8.24	8.72	8.70	34.33
Season Best	9.20*	8.70	9.20	9.05*	35.55*
1984-85 Season Ave.	8.88	--	8.70	8.90	--
Season Best	9.15	--	9.25*	8.90	--
1985-86 Season Ave.	--	8.42	8.40	8.60	--
Season Best	--	9.00*	8.85	8.60	--
Career Average	8.85	8.33	8.61	8.73	34.33

*Career Best

Linda Bednar
 5-5 Senior
 Maple Grove, Minnesota

College: Competed in vaulting finals at Big Ten Championships for second year...vault and floor exercise specialist during 1986 season...scored a new career best on the vault (9.35)...averaged 9.05 on the vault, one of five Gophers to average over 9.00 on the season...finished fourth in the floor exercise finals at the 1985 Big Ten Championships as a sophomore...scored a new career best in floor (9.30) and averaged 8.96 on the vault in 1985...competed primarily on the vault during freshman year and was the top Gopher in that event at the NCAA Regional Championships, scoring 9.15 for 14th place.

High School: Osseo High School...led Osseo to two consecutive Region 5AA titles...first in the region all-around, vault, floor and bars competition her senior year (1983)...finished third in state all-around...Osseo's MVP and an all-conference pick as a junior and senior...competed for Munsinger's Gymnastics Club...won the Class II state and regional all-around titles in 1977-78...Class I gymnast.

Personal: Born 6/30/65...individualized studies major with an emphasis in psychology...enjoys photography and coaching gymnastics in her free time...athletic career started with swimming, dancing and track before gymnastics...daughter of Robert and Barbara Bednar.

SEASON AND CAREER AVERAGES AND BESTS -- Linda Bednar

	Vault	Uneven Bars	Beam	Floor	All-around
1983-84 Season Ave.	8.92	7.77	7.18	7.70	31.20
Season Best	9.15	8.15	8.15	8.15	31.40
1984-85 Season Ave.	8.96	8.04	8.08	8.73	32.33
Season Best	9.15	8.80*	8.35*	9.30*	32.80*
1985-86 Season Ave.	9.05	--	--	8.77	--
Season Best	9.35*	--	--	9.20	--
Career Average	8.98	7.94	7.63	8.40	31.76

*Career Best

Mary Jo Mastel
 5-6 Junior
 Bloomington, Minnesota

College: Tied school record and set new Willams Arena record in floor exercise with a 9.60 score vs. Winona State...uneven bars, balance beam and floor exercise specialist last year...earned All-Big Ten honors after finishing fourth in floor exercise finals...also a finalist on balance beam at Big Tens after tying career best score (9.20) during prelims...improved her average scores in all events...qualified for the finals of the floor exercise competition at the Big Ten Championships as a freshman, finishing in a fifth place tie in the conference...showed steady improvement early in the season, competing all-around in the first six meets of the year and improving her score from 33.70 in her first meet to 35.70 in the fourth meet...graceful dancer??

High School: Thomas Jefferson High School...competed with KEGA Gymnastics Club of Edina during high school...competed at Class I level last five years -- qualifying for USGF nationals in 1983...also in 1983, won bars and beam state championships...in 1984 finished second all-around at USGF state meet and tenth all-around at USGF regional meet (covering a seven state area).

Personal: Born 2/2/66...sociology major...enjoys swimming when not training for gymnastics...daughter of Thomas and Kathy Mastel.

SEASON AND CAREER AVERAGES AND BESTS -- Mary Jo Mastel

	VAULT	UNEVEN BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	ALL-AROUND
1984-85 Season Ave.	8.69	8.45	8.66	8.96	34.69
Season Best	8.85*	9.05*	9.20*	9.25	35.70*
1985-86 Season Ave.	--	8.59	8.72	9.06	--
Season Best	--	8.90	9.20*	9.60*	--
Career	8.69	8.52	8.69	9.01	34.69

*Career Best

Linda Umhoefer
 5-1 1/2 Sophomore
 Cedarburg, Wisconsin

College: Trained in all four events and competed on uneven bars and vault...had top vault score of 9.00 at UCLA Invitational...early-season member of the uneven bars team...had an 8.65 top bars score at Georgia Invitational...Deli....

High School: West Bend High School...six-year team competitor at the North Shore Academy of Gymnastics...finished third on the vault at state USGF meet in 1983 and 1984...Class I gymnast.

Personal: Born 11/24/67...honors student in the College of Liberal Arts...biology major, interested in medicine...daughter of Marvin and Darlene Umhoefer of Cedarburg.

SEASON AND CAREER AVERAGES AND BESTS -- Linda Umhoefer

	VAULT	UNEVEN BARS	BEAM	FLOOR	ALL-AROUND
1985-86 Season Ave.	8.80	8.16	--	--	--
Season Best	9.00*	8.65*	--	--	--
Career Average	8.80	8.16	--	--	--

*Career Best

Karen Howe
 5-5 1/2 Sophomore
 Traverse City, Michigan

College: Competed on the vault at the 1986 Gopher Invitational and scored 8.65...also competed in exhibition events.

High School: Traverse City High School...three-time letterwinner...finished eighth nationally on the vault in 1985...honored as Athlete Scholar of her senior class...placed 16th nationally as a senior...highest state finish was eighth in 1984 and 1985...competed on diving team for three years, lettering twice.

Personal: Born 10/3/67...majoring in international relations...College of Liberal Arts honor student...daughter of Jon Howe of Mounds View and Eve Howe of Traverse City.

CAREER BESTS -- Karen Howe

Vault 8.65 vs. Winona State 2/23/86

Marie Roethlisberger

5-0 Freshman

Huntington Beach, California

Deli says:

High School: 1984 graduate of Marina High School in Huntington Beach...member of U.S. Senior National Team since 1982...competed for Southern California Acro Team (SCATS) since 1983...competed at Goodwill Games in Moscow last July...1986 senior national uneven bars champion...member of 1985 World Championship team after placing fourth in trials...ranked 17th in the world...injured during 1984 Olympics after placing 7th at trials...won all-around at 1985 USGF American Classic...trained and competed for Mid-American Twisters in Illinois from 1981-83...has also trained in St. Louis, Missouri, Omaha, Nebraska, and Minneapolis.

Personal: Born 5/12/66...engineering major...enrolled in the Institute of Technology...father Fred is the Minnesota men's gymnastics coach and 1968 Olympic gymnast...former teammates include four NCAA All-Americans, including 1986 NCAA uneven bars champion Lucy Wener of Georgia...daughter of Fred Roethlisberger of Afton and Frances Wells of Huntington Beach.

Lisa Wittwer

5-4 Freshman

Eagan, Minnesota

Deli says: Will red-shirt the 1986-87 season...underwent reconstructive knee surgery during pre-season training...complete recovery is expected...

High School: Rosemount High School...member of the U.S. Senior National Team since 1983...competed for the Deli's Olympic Gymnastics Academy...placed 7th at the 1985 World Championships Trials...second all-around at 1985 Elite Nationals...first on vault and sixth all-around at 1985 Grand Prix International Invitational in Rome...first all-around at 1984 Pacific Alliance Championships...first on floor exercise at 1984 TBS Cup in Japan...member of 1983 Pan American Games team, placed second on uneven bars and third all-around...1982 USGF Class I floor exercise champion.

Personal: Born 8/31/68...undecided on college major...enjoys outdoor activities, reading and collecting spoons...daughter of Larry and Linda Wittwer.

Kathleen Finnegan

5-4 1/2 Freshman

Winnipeg, Canada

Deli says:

High School: St. Mary's Academy...member of Canadian National Team since 1982...trained and competed at the Winnipeg Gymnastics Center ("Winnettes")...alternate to Canada's 1984 Olympic team...National Elite III gymnast...three-time provincial champion.

Personal: Born 5/9/68...enrolled in the College of Liberal Arts...daughter of Robert and Joan Finnegan.

Laura Hicks
5-2 Junior
Cicero, Illinois

College: Transfer from the University of Illinois...one of Illinois' top all-arounders and 1985-86 MVP...9th all-around at Big Tens as freshman, just missed qualifying for uneven bars final, Ill's top all-arounder at Big Tens

High School: Morton East High School...four-year letterwinner...competed for the Mid-America Twisters...led club team to Eastern Regional Championships as senior...former club teammate of Gopher freshman Marie Roethlisberger...

Personal: Born 8/5/66...majoring in physical therapy...daughter of William Hicks.

Julie Newman
5-5 Freshman
Lakeville, Minnesota

Deli says:

High School: Lakeville High School...led team to 1986 Minnesota AA team title...three-time MVP of high school team...conference and region vaulting champion in 1985...placed fifth on vault at 1985 and 1986 state championships and third on uneven bars in 1984...trained at the Olympic Club in Brussels, Belgium from 1979-1981.

Personal: Born 8/14/68...interested in majoring in psychology...likes to waterski and play tennis...daughter of Donald and Arlene Newman.

Michelle Wise
5-2 Freshman
Edina, Minnesota

Deli says:

High School: Edina High School...1985 and 1986 all-conference selection...two-year letterwinner.

Personal: Born 9/20/67...undecided on college major...daughter of Eugene and Beverly Wise.

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS SUMMARY 1985-86

FINAL

RECORD:	Overall	13-7	Dual	5-0	Invitationals	8-7	Home	9-1	Away	4-6	
DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE	MINN	MN V	OPP V	MN UB	OPP UB	MN BB	OPP BB	MN FX	OPP FX
1/10	WI-Oshkosh	160.20	173.20	45.55	42.80	41.10	40.15	41.60	34.65	44.95	42.60
1/14	WI-STOUT	135.25	178.20	45.60	40.70	44.20	29.40	42.90	31.10	45.50	34.05
1/31	Fla. Inv.		173.85	46.50		40.90		43.15		43.30	
	Florida	181.70			47.00		43.75		44.90		46.05
	Nebraska	177.70			46.60		44.00		42.85		44.25
	W. Virginia	173.50			45.00		42.10		42.85		43.55
2/3	Georgia Inv.		179.30	45.55		43.80		45.40		44.55	
	Georgia	185.25			46.90		46.40		44.75		47.20
	Nebraska	179.70			46.30		43.95		43.70		45.75
2/8	WISCONSIN	173.85	180.60	46.40	43.30	44.00	41.35	44.55	44.40	45.65	44.80
2/23	GOPH. INV.		182.05	46.20		45.20		43.65		47.00	
	Winona St.	163.40			43.85		41.10		37.00		41.45
3/1	UCLA Inv.		178.90	45.45		44.75		43.25		45.45	
	UCLA	186.35			46.85		46.70		46.40		46.40
	UCSB	170.85			43.40		41.55		42.50		43.20
3/15	BYU Inv.		180.90	46.15		45.05		44.80		44.90	
	Utah St.	181.20			46.50		45.40		43.55		45.75
	BYU	177.65			45.55		42.95		43.30		45.85
3/21-22	BIG TENS		181.35	46.00		44.75		45.20		45.40	
	Ohio St.	181.80			46.95		44.15		45.90		44.80
	Mich. St.	179.65			44.75		44.90		44.85		45.15
	Wisc.	175.65			44.10		44.25		44.00		43.25
	Ill.	174.55			44.30		43.60		43.15		43.50
	Mich.	169.95			44.30		40.80		41.75		43.10
	Iowa	161.00			41.75		40.75		37.40		41.10
3/29	IOWA STATE	149.20	181.00	45.60	43.75	45.10	22.50	44.10	39.20	46.20	43.75
Average		171.92	178.94	45.90	44.73	43.89	41.49	43.86	41.91	45.29	43.78

Regional Qualifying Score*: 180.92 (7th in the Midwest Region)

*The Regional Qualifying Score equals the average of the best five team scores of the season, and must include two home and two away scores. Six teams qualify for the regional.

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS BY EVENT —

VAULT	BALL	BEDNAR	BROWN	DOELL	DORSEY	GALLAGHER	KAISER	UMHOEFER	HOWE
Oshkosh	--	8.70	8.25	9.30	9.20	8.90	9.45	--	--
WI-STOUT	--	8.80	9.10	9.25	9.05	8.85	9.35	--	--
Fla. Invite	--	9.15	9.55	9.45	9.00	9.00	9.35	--	--
Ga. Invite	--	9.05	9.35	9.20	9.10	8.85	8.70	--	--
WISCONSIN	--	9.10	9.30	9.45	9.20	8.50	9.35	--	--
GOPH. INVITE	--	9.30	9.45	--	9.20	8.95	9.30	--	8.65
UCLA Invite	--	9.20	9.20	--	9.05	8.80	9.00	9.00	--
BYU Invite	--	9.35	9.40	--	9.20	9.00	9.20	8.60	--
Big Tens	--	9.15	9.60	8.55	9.15	8.95	9.15	--	--
Finals		8.95	9.45		9.20		9.20	--	--
IOWA STATE	8.95	8.85	9.45	9.05	9.05	--	9.10	--	--
NCAA Regional			9.40				9.35		
NCAA National			9.05						
Average	8.95	9.05	9.27	9.18	9.13	8.87	9.21	8.80	8.65

Minnesota Women's Gymnastics Summary 2-2-2

	BANDROWSKI	BEDNAR	BROWN	DOELL	DORSEY	GALLAGHER	KAISER	MASTEL	UMHOEFER	BALL
BARS										
Oshkosh	--	--	8.35	8.35	7.50	--	8.20	8.20	8.00	
WI-STOUT	8.80	--	9.20	8.60	8.70	--	--	8.90	8.50	
Fla. Invite	6.25	--	8.10	8.60	8.65	--	--	8.35	7.20	
Ga. Invite	8.70	--	8.80	8.50	8.95	--	--	8.70	8.65	
WISCONSIN	8.35	--	9.00	8.85	8.95	--	7.80	8.90	--	
GOPH. INVITE	9.00	--	9.15	--	9.15	--	9.00	8.90	8.45	
UCLA Invite	8.10	--	9.25	9.10	8.95	--	8.70	8.75	--	
BYU Invite	9.00	--	9.25	8.95	8.65	--	9.20	7.65	--	
Big Tens	8.65	--	9.20	8.55	9.05	--	9.15	8.70	--	
Finals		--	9.00		8.90	--	9.20		--	
IOWA STATE	8.90	--	9.15	8.90	8.70	--	9.35	8.80	--	
NCAA Regional			9.20				9.20			
NCAA National			8.85							
Average	8.42	--	8.96	8.71	8.74	--	8.87	8.59	8.16	
BEAM										
Oshkosh	7.70	--	8.30	7.60	8.35	--	8.70	8.55	--	--
WI-STOUT	8.50	--	8.00	8.50	8.00	--	8.85	9.05	--	--
Fla. Invite	8.25	--	8.65	8.75	8.70	--	8.70	8.45	--	--
Ga. Invite	8.00	--	9.40	8.65	8.75	--	9.50	9.10	--	--
WISCONSIN	8.50	--	8.30	8.90	9.00	--	9.25	8.90	--	--
GOPH. INVITE	8.85	--	9.05	--	8.85	--	9.15	7.75	--	7.60
UCLA Invite	8.65	--	8.90	--	8.10	--	9.10	8.50	--	7.05
BYU Invite	8.50	--	9.15	--	9.45	--	8.65	9.05	--	8.40
Big Tens	8.50	--	9.30	8.60	9.20	--	8.90	9.20	--	--
Finals		--	9.20		8.50	--		8.65	--	--
IOWA STATE	8.50	--	8.70	8.05	9.00	--	9.20	8.70	--	--
NCAA Regional			9.75				8.45			
NCAA National			9.00							
Average	8.40	--	8.90	8.44	8.72	--	8.95	8.72	--	7.68
FLOOR										
Oshkosh	--	8.30	9.30	8.90	9.15	--	9.05	8.55	--	
WI-STOUT	--	8.25	9.15	9.00	9.10	--	8.85	9.40	--	
Fla. Invite	--	8.40	8.95	8.75	8.60	--	8.60	8.35	--	
Ga. Invite	--	8.35	9.15	8.60	8.70	--	9.20	8.90	--	
WISCONSIN	--	8.95	8.85	8.90	9.20	--	9.40	9.20	--	
GOPH. INVITE	--	9.20	9.50	--	9.15	8.95	9.55	9.60	--	
UCLA Invite	--	9.00	9.30	--	9.05	8.95	9.10	9.00	--	
BYU Invite	--	9.05	8.95	--	8.80	8.55	8.85	9.05	--	
Big Tens	--	8.95	9.25	8.65	8.65	--	9.30	9.25	--	
Finals	--		9.20			--	9.35	9.20	--	
IOWA STATE	--	9.20	9.40	9.00	9.10	--	9.30	9.20	--	
NCAA Regional			9.10				9.25			
NCAA National			8.15							
Average	--	8.77	9.10	8.83	8.95	8.82	9.15	9.06	--	

Minnesota Women's Gymnastics Summary 3-3-3

	BROWN	DOELL	DORSEY	KAISER
ALL-AROUND				
Oshkosh	34.20	34.15	34.20	35.40
WI-STOUT	35.45	35.35	34.85	--
Fla. Invite	35.25	35.55	34.85	--
Ga. Invite	36.70	34.95	35.50	--
WISCONSIN	35.45	36.10	36.35	35.80
GOPH. INVITE	37.15	--	36.35	37.00
UCLA Invite	36.65	--	35.15	35.90
BYU Invite	36.75	--	36.10	35.90
Big Tens	37.35	34.35	36.05	36.50
IOWA STATE	36.70	35.00	35.85	36.95
NCAA Regional	37.45			36.25
NCAA National	35.05			
Average	36.18	35.06	35.53	36.21
Regional Average:	36.93	35.39	36.07	36.45

Brown and Kaiser qualify for regional competition as individuals
 Brown qualifies for the NCAA National Championship as an individual

INDIVIDUAL BESTS BY EVENT THIS SEASON --

	V	UB	BB	FX	AA
BALL	8.95	--	8.40	--	--
BANDROWSKI	--	9.00	8.85	8.60!	--
BEDNAR	9.35	--	--	9.20	--
BROWN	9.60	9.25	9.75	9.50	37.45
DOELL	9.45	9.10	8.90	9.00	36.10
DORSEY	9.20	9.15	9.45	9.20	36.35
GALLAGHER	9.00	--	--	8.95	--
HOME	8.65	--	--	--	--
KAISER	9.45	9.35	9.50	9.55	37.00
MASTEL	--	8.90	9.20	9.60	--
UMHDEFER	9.00	8.65	--	--	--

!scored at Japanese meet (exhibition)

TEAM HIGHS BY EVENT --

VAULT-----	Shelley Brown	9.60*	at Big Tens	3/21/86
UNEVEN BARS-----	Laurie Kaiser	9.35	vs. Iowa State	3/29/86
BALANCE BEAM-----	Shelley Brown	9.75*	at NCAA Regionals	4/5/86
FLOOR EXERCISE-----	Mary Jo Mastel	9.60#%	vs. Winona State	2/23/86
ALL-AROUND-----	Shelley Brown	37.45*	at NCAA Regionals	4/5/86
VAULT-----	46.50*		at Florida Invite	1/31/86
UNEVEN BARS-----	45.20		vs. Winona State	2/23/86
BALANCE BEAM-----	45.40		at Georgia Invite	2/3/86
FLOOR EXERCISE-----	47.00*%		vs. Winona State	2/23/86
ALL-AROUND-----	182.05*		vs. Winona State	2/23/86

* New School Record
 # Ties School Record

% New Williams Arena Record
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