



2024 U.S. WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM GAME NOTES

2024 IIHF WOMEN'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP | UTICA, NEW YORK | APRIL 5, 2024

USA (1-0-0-0) VS. CZECHIA (1-0-0-0) • PRELIMINARY ROUND • ADIRONDACK BANK CENTER • 7:00 P.M. ET

TONIGHT'S GAME

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7:00 p.m. ET

NHL Network

Cheryl Pounder, Kenzie Lalonde, Raegan Subban and Julia Tocheri

White Jerseys; Left Bench

2024 WWC SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME (LOCAL/ET)
WED., APRIL 3	SWITZERLAND <i>Preliminary Round</i>	W, 4-0
FRI., APRIL 5	CZECHIA <i>Adirondack Bank Center</i>	7 P.M./7 P.M. <i>NHL Network</i>
SAT., APRIL 6	FINLAND <i>Adirondack Bank Center</i>	7 P.M./7 P.M. <i>NHL Network</i>
MON., APRIL 8	CANADA <i>Adirondack Bank Center</i>	7 P.M./7 P.M. <i>NHL Network</i>
THURS., APRIL 11	QUARTERFINALS <i>Adirondack Bank Center</i>	8:30 P.M./8:30 P.M. <i>NHL Network</i>
SAT., APRIL 13	SEMIFINALS <i>Adirondack Bank Center</i>	3 P.M./3 P.M. <i>NHL Network</i>
SUN., APRIL 14	BRONZE MEDAL GAME <i>Adirondack Bank Center</i>	1 P.M./1 P.M. <i>NHL Network</i>
SUN., APRIL 14	GOLD MEDAL GAME <i>Adirondack Bank Center</i>	5 P.M./5 P.M. <i>NHL Network</i>

2024 IIHF WOMEN'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

The U.S. Women's National Team is one of 10 teams competing at the 2024 International Ice Hockey Federation Women's World Championship from April 3-14 in Utica, N.Y.

The event returns to U.S. soil for the first time since 2017, when USA Hockey Arena in Plymouth, Mich. hosted. It marked and will be the fifth time the championship has been staged in the U.S. overall. Team USA enters the tournament as defending gold medalists.

The tournament features ten teams divided into two groups of five. Team USA is competing in Group A alongside, Canada, Czechia, Switzerland and Finland. Group B includes Japan, Sweden, Germany, Denmark and China. Each group will play a single round-robin series before the playoff round.

WOMEN'S WORLDS SUCCESS

The U.S. has earned gold or silver in every IIHF Women's World Championship since the inception of the event in 1990. The U.S. has made the title game in all 22 tournaments staged.

2023, 2019, 2017, 2016, 2015, 2013, 2011, 2009, 2008, 2005

2022, 2021, 2012, 2007, 2004, 2001, 2000, 1999, 1997, 1994, 1992, 1990

MEDIA ACCESS

Team USA players and head coach John Wroblewski will be available for interviews in the mixed zone following games and non-gameday practices. The locker room is closed. All interviews must be coordinated through Melissa Katz of USA Hockey.

Information, including team bios, schedule, news and team history is available online at teamusa.usahockey.com.

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LAST TIME OUT

Behind two goals from **Haley Winn** and a three-point performance by **Hilary Knight**, the U.S. opened world championship play with a 4-0 shutout victory over Switzerland. After a scoreless first, Winn and **Kendall Coyne Schofield** gave Team USA a 2-0 lead heading into the final frame. In the third, Knight and Winn added two more for the U.S. to give the home team a 4-0 advantage. **Aerin Frankel** posted 11 saves in the shutout victory, her second in Women's Worlds play.

QUICK SHOTS

TONIGHT'S MATCH UP

Tonight's game marks Team USA's second preliminary round game at the 2024 IIHF Women's World Championship. It marks the first of back-to-back games for the U.S. Team USA sits at 1-0-0-0 (W-OTW-OTL-L) after shutting out Switzerland on Wednesday.

AGAINST CZECHIA

Tonight's game is the fourth all-time meeting between Team USA and Czechia at the Women's World Championship. The U.S. holds a perfect 3-0-0-0 (W-OTW-OTL-L) record against the Czechs, including a 25-4 goal advantage in those three games.

LAST TIME AGAINST CZECHIA

The U.S. and Czechia last met in the semifinals of the 2023 Women's World Championship, with the U.S. coming out with a 9-1 victory. **Hilary Knight**, **Amanda Kessel** and **Tessa Janecke** each scored twice in the winning effort.

U.S. TOPS CZECHIA IN PRE-TOURNAMENT ACTION

The U.S. and Czechia met in a pre-tournament game in Lake Placid, N.Y. on March 30. **Hannah Bilka**, **Abbey Murphy**, **Tessa Janecke**, **Kirsten Simms**, **Grace Zumwinkle** and **Sydney Morrow** tallied goals as Team USA won 6-1. **Gwyneth Philips** made 15 saves in net.

COYNE AND KNIGHT APPROACH ALL-TIME WWC ASSIST RECORD

Kendall Coyne Schofield and **Hilary Knight** are rapidly approaching the all-time Women's Worlds assist record. Both have a career 42 assists in WWC competition. They need seven assists to tie and eight to break the record.

Hayley Wickenheiser (CAN)	49
Caroline Ouellette (CAN)	45
Jayna Hefford (CAN)	43
Kendall Coyne Schofield (USA)	42
Hilary Knight (USA)	42

WINN TABS FIRST NATIONAL TEAM GOAL

Haley Winn's second period goal against Switzerland, marked the defender's first goal as a member of the U.S. Women's National Team. Winn tallied a second goal later in the third period.

TEAM USA HITS 100 WWC WINS

Team USA's 4-0 victory against Switzerland on Wednesday marking the program's 100th all-time victory in Women's World Championship competition.

HISTORY FOR EDWARDS

Forward **Laila Edwards** became the first black player to skate for Team USA as a member of the U.S. Women's National Team at an IIHF Women's World Championship on Wednesday when she took the ice against the Swiss.

TEAM USA AT A GLANCE

ROSTER BREAKDOWN

The 2024 U.S. Women's National Team features 25 players, 15 forwards, seven defenders and three goaltenders, and features 18 returners from the gold medal-winning team that competed at the 2023 IIHF Women's World Championship. **Joy Dunne**, **Laila Edwards**, **Sydney Morrow**, **Kirsten Simms** and **Gwyneth Philips** will make their U.S. Women's National Team debut.

AYE AYE CAPTAINS

Hilary Knight (Sun Valley, Idaho) is the captain of Team USA for the 2024 IIHF Women's World Championship. **Alex Carpenter** (North Reading, Mass.) and **Megan Keller** (Farmington Hills, Mich.) are serving as alternate captains.

BEHIND THE BENCH

John Wroblewski is the head coach of the 2024 U.S. Women's National Team. **Shari Dickerman**, **Brent Hill** and **Josh Sciba** are serving as assistant coaches, while **Alli Altmann** is the team's goaltending coach.



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TODAY'S OPPONENT

CZECHIA



WWC Series vs. Czechia: 3-0-0-0-0 (W-OTW-OTL-L-T)

LAST WWC MEETING: APRIL 15, 2023 • USA 9, CZE 1: Hilary Knight, Amanda Kessel and Tessa Janecke each scored twice, while Cayla Barnes, Caroline Harvey and Taylor Heise combined for 9 assists with three apiece as the U.S. dominated Czechia, 9-1. Knight's first tally early in the second period stood as the game-winner, while Aerin Frankel made 14 saves in net.

UP NEXT...

FINLAND



WWC Series vs. Finland: 19-1-1-0-1 (W-OTW-OTL-L-T)

LAST WWC MEETING: AUGUST 27, 2022 • USA 6, FIN 1: Amanda Kessel recorded four points (two goals, two assists) as Team USA topped Finland, 6-1, in the second preliminary game of the 2022 Women's World Championship. Defender Jincy Dunne recorded her first goal as a member of the U.S. Women's National Team during the win. The U.S. outshot Finland 72-16, with Maddie Rooney making 15 saves.

WOMEN'S WORLDS IN THE U.S.

WELCOMING THE WORLD TO UTICA!

The ten best women's hockey teams from around the world have arrive in Utica for the 2024 IIHF Women's World Championship. It marks the fifth time overall and the first time since 2017 that the U.S. has hosted the top tournament. The state of New York last hosted the Women's World Championship back in 1994 in Lake Placid.

The greater Utica area also created hype with local children, distributing 13,000 activity books with games and information about all ten teams competing to 55 schools in the Oneida, Herkimer and Madison Counties. Additionally, 7,000 of those Utica-area elementary school students attending games throughout the tournament.

THE ADIRONDACK BANK CENTER

The tournament will take place at the Adirondack Bank Center, located in downtown Utica. The venue, known as the 'Aud,' was originally built in 1960 and seats around 4,000 fans. Known for its iconic ceiling design, its innovative cable suspended roof design resembles that of Madison Square Garden.

SUBARU CHAMPIONSHIP VILLAGE

Fans will have the opportunity to experience the Subaru World Championship Village. Free and open to everyone, the World Championship Village will be the hub of activity throughout the 12-day women's ice hockey tournament and festival. The space will be open from 3 p.m.-11 p.m. ET daily, with live music filling the indoor venue beginning at 4 p.m. each day of the tournament.

DEFENDING THEIR ICE

THE STORY OF THE U.S. WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM

Produced by USA Hockey and RightHand, *Defending Their Ice: The Story Of The U.S. Women's National Team*, gives viewers an inside look at how the top women's hockey players in the world prepare to defend their world championship title on home soil.

The breakout six-part series on NHL Network dives into different aspects of what it takes to succeed both on and off the ice at the national team level, and offers a behind-the-curtain look at Team USA throughout the entirety of the 2023-24 season, starting from puck drop on game one of the Rivalry Series all the way to the final whistle of the Women's World Championship in April.

Viewers can tune in to NHL Network after Team USA's game against Switzerland to watch episode five, which showcases how the team was constructed.

EPISODE	AIR DATE	TIME (ET)	NETWORK
Episode 1 - Trailblazers	Saturday, March 9	4:30 p.m.	NHL Network
Episode 2 - Gearing Up	Saturday, March 16	5:30 p.m.	NHL Network
Episode 3 - Icebreakers	Saturday, March 23	12 p.m.	NHL Network
Episode 4 - A Global Game	Saturday, March 30	5:30 p.m.	NHL Network
Episode 5 - The Chosen	Wednesday, April 3	9:30 p.m.	NHL Network
Episode 6 - On The Brink Of Glory	Saturday, April 20	5:30 p.m.	NHL Network

KEY TEAM USA WWC STATISTICS

ALL-TIME MEDALS AT WWC

Year	Medal	Coach	Result	Opp.
2023	Gold	John Wroblewski	W, 6-3	CAN
2022	Silver	John Wroblewski	L, 2-1	CAN
2021	Silver	Joel Johnson	OTL, 3-2	CAN
2019	Gold	Bob Corkum	SOW, 2-1	FIN
2017	Gold	Robb Stauber	OTW, 3-2	CAN
2016	Gold	Ken Klee	OTW, 1-0	CAN
2015	Gold	Ken Klee	W, 7-5	CAN
2013	Gold	Katey Stone	W, 3-2	CAN
2012	Silver	Katey Stone	OTL, 5-4	CAN
2011	Gold	Katey Stone	OTW, 3-2	CAN
2009	Gold	Mark Johnson	W, 4-1	CAN
2008	Gold	Jackie Barto	W, 4-3	CAN
2007	Silver	Mark Johnson	L, 5-1	CAN
2005	Gold	Ben Smith	W, 1-0	CAN
2004	Silver	Ben Smith	L, 2-0	CAN
2001	Silver	Ben Smith	L, 3-2	CAN
2000	Silver	Ben Smith	OTL, 3-2	CAN
1999	Silver	Ben Smith	L, 3-1	CAN
1997	Silver	Ben Smith	OTL, 4-3	CAN
1994	Silver	Karen Kay	L, 6-3	CAN
1992	Silver	Russ McCurdy	L, 8-0	CAN
1990	Silver	Don MacLeod	L, 5-2	CAN

PREVIOUS 10 WWCs

Year	Finish	Coach	Record*
2023	Gold	John Wroblewski	6-0-1-0
2022	Silver	John Wroblewski	6-0-0-1
2021	Silver	Joel Johnson	5-0-1-1
2019	Gold	Bob Corkum	6-1-0-0
2017	Gold	Robb Stauber	4-1-0-0
2016	Gold	Ken Klee	4-1-0-0
2015	Gold	Ken Klee	5-0-0-0
2013	Gold	Katey Stone	4-0-1-0
2012	Silver	Katey Stone	4-0-1-0
2011	Gold	Katey Stone	4-1-0-0

*W-OTW-OTL-L

ALL-TIME RECORD VS. OPPONENT

Opponent	GP	Record*	GF	GA
Canada	34	13-4-7-10-0	97	98
China	6	5-0-0-0-1	56	12
Czechia	3	3-0-0-0-0	25	4
Finland	22	19-1-1-0-1	99	28
Germany	7	7-0-0-0-0	74	2
Hungary	1	1-0-0-0-0	12	1
Japan	5	4-0-0-0-0	39	3
Kazakhstan	1	5-0-0-0-0	9	0
Norway	3	3-0-0-0-0	33	1
Russia	16	16-0-0-0-0	144	8
Slovakia	1	1-0-0-0-0	5	0
Sweden	8	8-0-0-0-0	66	12
Switzerland	12	12-0-0-0-0	103	6
TOTAL	119	95-5-8-10-2	762	175

*W-OTW-OTL-L-T

ALL-TIME RECORD IN PLAYOFFS

Opponent	QF	SF	GM
Canada	--	1-1	9-12
China	--	1-0-1	--
Czechia	--	2-0	--
Finland	--	3-0	1-0
Germany	1-0	--	--
Hungary	1-0	--	--
Japan	2-0	--	--
Russia	--	5-0	--
Sweden	--	4-0	--
Switzerland	--	1-0	--
Total	4-0	17-1-1	10-12



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TEAM TIDBITS

2023 WOMEN'S WORLDS RETURNEES

The 2024 U.S. Women's National Team returns 18 players from the 2023 edition of the team that won gold in Brampton last April, including **Cayla Barnes**, **Hannah Bilka**, **Alex Carpenter**, **Britta Curl**, **Lacey Eden**, **Aerin Frankel**, **Rory Guilday**, **Savannah Harmon**, **Caroline Harvey**, **Taylor Heise**, **Nicole Hensley**, **Tessa Janecke**, **Megan Keller**, **Hilary Knight**, **Abbey Murphy**, **Kelly Pannek**, **Hayley Scamurra** and **Haley Winn**.

2022 U.S. OLYMPIC TEAM RETURNEES

In total, 12 players on this year's team were members of the 2022 U.S. Olympic Team that took home silver in Beijing in February 2022. Olympians include, **Cayla Barnes**, **Alex Carpenter**, **Kendall Coyne Schofield**, **Savannah Harmon**, **Caroline Harvey**, **Nicole Hensley**, **Megan Keller**, **Hilary Knight**, **Abbey Murphy**, **Kelly Pannek**, **Hayley Scamurra** and **Grace Zumwinkle**.

WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM NEWCOMERS

Joy Dunne, **Laila Edwards**, **Sydney Morrow**, **Kirsten Simms** and **Gwyneth Philips** were named to the U.S. Women's National Team for the first time in IIHF competition and will be making their debuts in Utica. Edwards and Simms played for Team USA in the 2023-24 Rivalry Series.

FOURTEENTH GO AROUND

Forward **Hilary Knight** is appearing in her record 14th IIHF Women's World Championship, the most in USA Hockey history. Knight has led Team USA to gold nine times (2008, 2009, 2011, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019, 2023) and silver four times (2007, 2012, 2021, 2022). She owns the IIHF record for all-time WWC points (101) and goals (61).

TENTH APPEARANCE FOR CARPENTER

Forward **Kendall Coyne Schofield** is playing in her tenth IIHF Women's World Championship, tying **Jenny Potter** and **Angela Ruggiero** for second-most in USA Hockey history. Coyne Schofield has won six golds (2011, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019) and three silvers (2012, 2021, 2022). She is returning to the national team following maternity leave that kept her out of the 2023 tournament.

YOUTH MOVEMENT

Fourteen of the 25 players on the roster are still currently playing college hockey, with the same amount of players having a birth year of 2000 or later.

TWO GENERATIONS

The age gap between the oldest player on Team USA and the youngest player on the U.S. squad is 16 years. **Hilary Knight**, 34, born July 12, 1989 is the oldest player on the roster, while **Joy Dunne**, 18, born June 13, 2005 is the youngest player on the roster.

HISTORY FOR EDWARDS

Forward **Laila Edwards** is the first black player to skate for Team USA as a member of the U.S. Women's National Team at an IIHF Women's World Championship.

COLLEGE CONNECTION

All 25 athletes on the Team USA roster have competed or are currently competing as women's hockey student-athletes at a U.S. college or university. The University of Wisconsin leads the way with six athletes, while Northeastern and the University of Minnesota have four representatives. Ohio State University has three, while Boston College and Clarkson have two. Colgate University, Cornell University, Lindenwood University and Penn State University all have one athlete on the national team. In total, 10 different schools have representation on the team.

PATTY KAZMAIER MEMORIAL AWARD HONOREES

Four members of the team have been honored with the Patty Kazmaier Memorial Award, bestowed annually to the best women's player in NCAA Division I college hockey: **Taylor Heise** (2022), **Aerin Frankel** (2021), **Kendall Coyne Schofield** (2016) and **Alex Carpenter** (2015).

U18 WOMEN'S WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP ALUMNI

A total of 19 players on the 2024 U.S. Women's National Team represented the U.S. at an IIHF Under-18 Women's World Championship, including **Cayla Barnes**, **Hannah Bilka**, **Alex Carpenter**, **Kendall Coyne Schofield**, **Britta Curl**, **Joy Dunne**, **Lacey Eden**, **Laila Edwards**, **Rory Guilday**, **Caroline Harvey**, **Taylor Heise**, **Tessa Janecke**, **Megan Keller**, **Sydney Morrow**, **Abbey Murphy**, **Kelly Pannek**, **Kirsten Simms**, **Haley Winn** and **Grace Zumwinkle**. Dunne was most recently on the U18 team in 2023.

WNT ALUMNI TAKE DEVELOPMENT ROLES

U.S. Women's National Team alumni **Ellen Hughes** and **Haley Skarupa** have joined the team staff in a development capacity this season. Hughes is the team's player development consultant, while Skarupa is the team scout. Hughes played on the 1992 U.S. Women's National Team, while Skarupa won gold with Team USA at the 2018 Olympic Winter Games.

2020 U18 TEAM LEAVES A MARK

Six players and two members of the coaching staff from the 2020 U.S. Under-18 Women's National Team are currently on the roster or staff of the national team. **Lacey Eden**, **Rory Guilday**, **Caroline Harvey**, **Abbey Murphy**, **Kirsten Simms** and **Haley Winn** were a part of the gold medal-winning 2020 U18 squad that now compete at the senior level. Assistant coach **Josh Sciba** and goaltending coach **Alli Altmann** both held the same roles they currently hold, on the 2020 team.

AROUND USA HOCKEY

MAKING THE 2024 U.S. WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM

The 25-player 2024 U.S. Women's National Team was selected following a five-day evaluation camp in Lake Placid, N.Y. The team was selected from a pool of the top 39 players in the country.

2024 PATTY KAZMAIER MEMORIAL AWARD

The 2024 Patty Kazmaier Memorial Award was presented to **Izzy Daniel** of Cornell University as part 'Saturday at the Women's Frozen Four' on March 23 in Durham, N.H. Daniel was the first Cornell player to take home the honor. The Patty Kazmaier Memorial Award, an award by The USA Hockey Foundation, is given annually to the top women's hockey player in division I college hockey. Daniel, along with the University of Wisconsin's **Casey O'Brien** and **Kirsten Simms** were honored as top-three finalists.

2024 U.S. UNDER-18 WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM WINS GOLD

The 2024 U.S. Under-18 Women's National Team won gold at the 2024 IIHF Under-18 Women's World Championship in January, defeating Czechia, 5-1 in the gold medal game. Team USA was a perfect 6-0-0-0 in the tournament. It marked the ninth overall time the U.S. has won the tournament and the first time since 2020.

THE BRIANNA DECKER ENDOWMENT FOR GIRLS HOCKEY

The Brianna Decker Endowment for Girls Hockey is going national. Started in 2018 by three-time Olympian **Brianna Decker** (Dousman, Wis.), and in conjunction with the USA Hockey Foundation, the endowment aims to provide grants to girls hockey organizations to increase female youth participation in hockey by alleviating costs around ice and equipment, advertising and marketing, and overall development. 2024 grants are open to all girls programs across the nation. For more information, visit usahockeyfoundation.com.

2024 USA HOCKEY PLAYER DEVELOPMENT CAMPS

Throughout the summer, USA Hockey will host eight different player development camps for both boys, girls and sled players as a talent evaluation and development opportunity.

Boys National 17 Festival)	June 25 - July 1	Amherst, N.Y.
Boys National 16 Camp	July 9-15	Amherst, N.Y.
Boys National 15 Camp	July 17-22	Amherst, N.Y.
Girls National Training Camp	July 19-22	Oxford, Ohio
Girls National 16/17 Camp	July 19-24	Oxford, Ohio
Girls National 15 Camp	July 25-30	Oxford, Ohio
Girls Under-18 Select Camp	Aug. 4-9	Lake Placid, N.Y.
Sled Hockey Dev. Camp	July 21-26	Voorhees, N.J.



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2024 U.S. WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM ROSTER

NO.	NAME	HT (CM)	WT (KG)	BIRTHDATE	S/C	HOMETOWN	MOST RECENT TEAM (LEAGUE)
GOALTENDERS (3)							
29	Nicole Hensley	5-6 (168)	155 (70)	06/23/94	L	Lakewood, Colo.	PWHL Minnesota
31	Aerin Frankel	5-5 (165)	150 (68)	05/24/99	L	Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.	PWHL Boston
33	Gwyneth Philips	5-6 (168)	140 (64)	09/17/00	R	Athens, Ohio	Northeastern University (HEA)
DEFENSE (7)							
3	Cayla Barnes	5-2 (157)	138 (63)	01/07/99	R	Eastvale, Calif.	Ohio State University (WCHA)
4	Caroline Harvey	5-7 (170)	145 (66)	10/14/02	L	Salem, N.H.	University of Wisconsin (WCHA)
5	Megan Keller	5-11 (180)	165 (75)	05/01/96	L	Farmington Hills, Mich.	PWHL Boston
6	Rory Guilday	5-11 (180)	185 (84)	09/07/02	L	Minnetonka, Minn.	Cornell University (ECAC)
8	Haley Winn	5-6 (168)	145 (66)	07/14/03	R	Rochester, N.Y.	Clarkson University (ECAC)
15	Savannah Harmon	5-3 (160)	148 (67)	10/27/95	L	Downers Grove, Ill.	PWHL Ottawa
43	Sydney Morrow	5-7 (171)	165 (75)	04/12/04	R	Darien, Conn.	Colgate University (ECAC)
FORWARDS (15)							
7	Lacey Eden	5-8 (173)	155 (70)	05/02/02	R	Annapolis, Md.	University of Wisconsin (WCHA)
9	Kirsten Simms	5-5 (165)	150 (68)	08/31/04	R	Plymouth, Mich.	University of Wisconsin (WCHA)
12	Kelly Pannek	5-8 (173)	165 (75)	12/29/95	R	Plymouth, Minn.	PWHL Minnesota
13	Grace Zumwinkle	5-9 (175)	165 (75)	04/23/99	R	Excelsior, Minn.	PWHL Minnesota
14	Laila Edwards	6-1 (185)	190 (86)	01/25/04	R	Cleveland, Ohio	University of Wisconsin (WCHA)
16	Hayley Scamurra	5-8 (173)	161 (73)	12/14/94	L	Getzville, N.Y.	PWHL Ottawa
17	Britta Curl	5-9 (175)	170 (77)	03/20/00	L	Bismarck, N.D.	University of Wisconsin (WCHA)
21	Hilary Knight	5-11 (180)	172 (78)	07/12/89	R	Sun Valley, Idaho	PWHL Boston
22	Tessa Janecke	5-8 (173)	160 (73)	05/12/04	L	Orangeville, Ill.	Penn State University (CHA)
23	Hannah Bilka	5-5 (165)	145 (66)	03/24/01	L	Coppell, Texas	Ohio State University (WCHA)
24	Joy Dunne	5-11 (181)	180 (82)	06/13/05	L	O'Fallon, Mo.	Ohio State University (WCHA)
25	Alex Carpenter	5-7 (170)	155 (70)	04/13/94	L	North Reading, Mass.	PWHL New York
26	Kendall Coyne Schofield	5-2 (157)	125 (57)	05/25/92	L	Palos Heights, Ill.	PWHL Minnesota
27	Taylor Heise	5-10 (178)	168 (78)	03/17/00	R	Lake City, Minn.	PWHL Minnesota
37	Abbey Murphy	5-5 (165)	145 (66)	04/14/02	R	Evergreen Park, Ill.	University of Minnesota (WCHA)

BY THE NUMBERS

TALLEST	Edwards (6ft. 1 in.)
SHORTEST	Barnes/Coyne Schofield (5ft. 2 in.)
SHOOT/CATCH	Left: 13 Right: 12
YOUNGEST	Dunne (18)
OLDEST	Knight (34)

HOME STATES (15)

Minnesota	4
Illinois	4
New York	3
Michigan	2
Ohio	2
California	1
Colorado	1
Connecticut	1
Idaho	1
Maryland	1
Massachusetts	1
Missouri	1
New Hampshire	1
North Dakota	1
Texas	1

COLLEGE HOCKEY (10)

University of Wisconsin	6
Northeastern University	4
University of Minnesota	4
Ohio State University	3
Boston College	2
Clarkson University	2
Colgate University	1
Cornell University	1
Lindenwood University	1
Penn State University	1

ROSTER (25)

Barnes, Cayla
 Bilka, Hannah
 Carpenter, Alex
 Coyne Schofield, Kendall
 Curl, Britta
 Dunne, Joy
 Eden, Lacey
 Edwards, Laila
 Frankel, Aerin
 Guilday, Rory
 Janecke, Tessa
 Harmon, Savannah
 Harvey, Caroline
 Heise, Taylor
 Hensley, Nicole
 Keller, Megan
 Knight, Hilary
 Morrow, Sydney
 Murphy, Abbey
 Pannek, Kelly
 Philips, Gwyneth
 Scamurra, Hayley
 Simms, Kirsten
 Winn, Haley
 Zumwinkle, Grace

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PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

KAY-luh BARNs
 HAN-uh BILL-kuh
 AL-ehx CAR-pin-ter
 KEN-duhl COIN SKO-field
 BRIT-tuh KURL
 JOY DUHN
 LAY-see EE-dehn
 LAY-luh EHD-wards
 AIR-uhn FRANK-uhl
 roar-EE gill-day
 TESS-uh JAYN-icky
 Sah-VAN-ah HAR-muhn
 KEH-ruh-line HAR-vee
 TAIL-oar HI-zee
 NIH-kohl HENZ-lee
 MEH-guhn KEHL-er
 HILL-uh-ree NIGHT
 SHID-nee MOHR-oh
 AB-EE MUHR-fee
 KEHL-lee PAN-nick
 GWEHN-ith FHIL-ihps
 HAY-lee SKUH-MORE-uh
 KER-stun SIMS
 HAY-lee WIN
 GRACE ZUHM-wink-uhl

JAWN ROHB-leh-skee
 JAWSH SKEE-buh
 SHAR-ee dick-er-man
 BRENT HILL
 AHL-ee ALT-MAN



2024 U.S. WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM GAME NOTES

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2024 U.S. WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM GAME-BY-GAME SCORING

NO	NAME	POS.	SUI	CZE	FIN	CAN	QF	SF	MEDAL	TOTAL
			W, 4-0 4/3	7 P.M. ET 4/5	7 P.M. ET 4/6	7 P.M. ET 4/8	8:30 P.M. ET 4/11	3 P.M. ET 4/13	TBD 4/14	
3	Cayla Barnes	D	A							0-1 (1)
4	Caroline Harvey	D	A							0-1 (1)
5	Megan Keller	D	--							0-0 (0)
6	Rory Guilday	D	--							0-0 (0)
7	Lacey Eden	F	--							0-0 (0)
8	Haley Winn	D	W							1-0 (1)
9	Kirsten Simms	F	--							0-0 (0)
12	Kelly Pannek	F	--							0-0 (0)
13	Grace Zumwinkle	F	DND							0-0 (0)
14	Laila Edwards	F	--							0-0 (0)
15	Savannah Harmon	D	A*							0-1 (1)
16	Hayley Scamurra	F	A*							0-1 (1)
17	Britta Curl	F	--							0-0 (0)
21	Hilary Knight	F	APA							1-2 (3)
22	Tessa Janecke	F	--							0-0 (0)
23	Hannah Bilka	F	--							0-0 (0)
24	Joy Dunne	F	--							0-0 (0)
25	Alex Carpenter	F	A							0-1 (1)
26	Kendall Coyne Schofield	F	GA							1-1 (2)
27	Taylor Heise	F	--							0-0 (0)
37	Abbey Murphy	F	--							0-0 (0)
43	Sydney Morrow	D	DND							0-0 (0)
29	Nicole Hensley	G	--							0-0 (W-L) 0.00 GAA
31	Aerin Frankel	G	11/11 1.00 SV%							1-0 (W-L) 0.00 GAA
33	Gwyneth Philips	G	DND							0-0 (W-L) 0.00 GAA

KEY

G - GOAL
A* - ASSIST ON GWG

A - ASSIST
P - POWER-PLAY GOAL

W - GAME-WINNING GOAL
S - SHORTHANDED GOAL

P* - PENALTY SHOT GOAL
DND - DID NOT DRESS

U - UNASSISTED GOAL
W* - SHOOTOUT GWG

WWC - GAME SUMMARIES

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USA	0	2	2	-	4
SUI	0	0	0	-	0

1ST: No Scoring

2ND: USA - Winn (Harmon, Scamurra), 25:23

USA - Coyne Schofield (Carpenter, Knight), 36:00

3RD: USA - Knight (Barnes, Harvey), PPG, 50:47

USA - Winn (Coyne Schofield, Knight), 54:41

PENALTIES: USA 2-4, SUI 3-6 POWER PLAY: USA 1-3, SUI 0-2

SHOTS: USA 14-21-20-55; SUI 4-4-3-11

SAVES: USA (Frankel, 11); SUI (Braendli, 55)



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2024 U.S. WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM STAFF



JOHN WROBLEWSKI, HEAD COACH

John Wroblewski is serving as the head coach of the U.S. Women's National Team for the 2023-24 season after leading Team USA to a gold medal at the 2023 IIHF Women's World Championship and silver at the 2022 WWC.

Wroblewski joined the U.S. Women's National Team following two years (2020-22) as the head coach of the Ontario (Calif.) Reign, the AHL affiliate of the LA Kings, and four seasons (2016-20) as the bench boss of the USA Hockey National Team Development Program.

Over his four years with the NTDP, the program reached its first USHL playoff berth since 2012 and finished top-three in all 12 international tournaments played. He led his team to 33-consecutive international victories from 2016-18, and also oversaw the development of 29 NHL Draft picks, including Jack Hughes, who was selected first overall by the New Jersey Devils in 2019.

At the IIHF level, Wroblewski guided the U.S. Under-18 Men's National Team twice, resulting in a gold in 2017 and bronze in 2019.

The Neenah, Wisconsin, native began his coaching career as an intern assistant coach with the NTDP and was promoted to a full-time assistant coach the following season, a position he held from 2008-10.

Wroblewski, a player on the inaugural NTDP roster in 1997, skated four years with the University of Notre Dame (1999-2003). He went on to play four years (2003-07) professionally with the ECHL's Fresno Falcons, recording 125 points (65-60) in 273 career games.

JOSH SCIBA, ASSISTANT COACH

Josh Sciba is reprising his role on the U.S. Women's National Team staff during the 2023-24 season, after serving in the same capacity during the 2022-23 season.

As an assistant coach, Sciba helped lead the U.S. Under-18 Women's National Team to a gold medal at the 2022 IIHF Under-18 Women's World Championship, after serving in the same capacity for the 2019 U.S. Under-18 Women's National Team.

Sciba is currently the head coach of the Union College women's ice hockey team, a role he has served in for the past six seasons.

As a player, Sciba was a member of the USA Hockey National Team Development Program from 2001-03, prior to playing four years at the University of Notre Dame.

BRENT HILL, ASSISTANT COACH

Brent Hill is returning as an assistant coach for the U.S. Women's National Team during the 2023-24 season, after serving in the same capacity during the 2022-23 season.

Hill is currently serving as an assistant coach of the Quinnipiac Women's Ice Hockey team, a role he's held for the last two seasons.

Hill was on the bench as an assistant coach for the 2015 U.S. Under-18 Women's World Championship, leading the squad to a gold medal at the 2015 IIHF Under-18 Women's World Championship.

Prior to Quinnipiac, Hill spent four seasons at the helm of Bishop Kearny Selects Academy, following a season as an assistant coach at Merrimack University and four seasons as an assistant coach at RPI.

SHARI DICKERMAN, ASSISTANT COACH

Shari Dickerman is returning as an assistant coach for the U.S. Women's National Team during the 2023-24 season, after serving in the same capacity during the 2022-23 season.

Dickerman, an assistant coach at Minnesota State University, previously served as assistant coach of the 2022 U.S. Collegiate Women's Select Team, that competed at the 2022 Collegiate Series against Canada in August.

Prior to her appointment to the USA Hockey staff, Dickerman served as an evaluator at numerous USA Hockey camps.

A member of the Mavericks staff since 2009, Dickerman has helped lead Minnesota State for the last 13 seasons.

As a player, Dickerman was an All-American goaltender for the Mavericks.

ALLI ALTMANN, GOALTENDING COACH

Alli Altmann returns as the goaltending coach of the U.S. Women's National Team after serving on the staff of the 2021, 2022 and 2023 U.S. Women's National Team.

Altmann also guided the U.S. Under-18 Women's National Team for four seasons, having served in the goaltending coach role from 2017-22. She guided the U.S. to two golds and two silvers during that time.

Altmann is currently the co-owner and vice president of DEVENIR Goaltenders. She played four seasons for Minnesota State University, recording a career .901 save percentage.

TEAM SUPPORT STAFF

GENERAL MANAGER:
HEAD SCOUT:
PLAYER DEVELOPMENT:
HOCKEY OPERATIONS:
VIDEO COACH:
TEAM SERVICES:
STRENGTH & CONDITIONING:
STRENGTH & CONDITIONING:

Katie Million
Haley Skarupa
Ellen Hughes
Nick Bryant
Melissa Piacentini
Emily Ach
Cal Dietz
Jess Burlingame

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ATHLETIC TRAINER:
ATHLETIC TRAINER:
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NUTRITIONIST:
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