

1979-80 OAKLAND UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time
12-5	WESTERN MICHIGAN	7:00 p.m.
12-8	CENTRAL MICHIGAN	4:00 p.m.
12-10	UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN	7:00 p.m.
12-19	CLEVELAND STATE	7:00 p.m.
1-(2-5)	at the University of Las Vegas— Nevada Invitational Tourney	TBA
1-12	at Eastern Michigan	3:00 p.m.
1-17	AQUINAS	7:00 p.m.
1-19	at Saginaw Valley	4:00 p.m.
1-22	at Grand Valley	6:30 p.m.
1-24	UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT	7:00 p.m.
1-26	at Ferris State	12:00 a.m.
2-1	LAKE SUPERIOR STATE	7:00 p.m.
2-2	WAYNE STATE	4:00 p.m.
2-5	at Michigan State	8:00 p.m.
2-(7-9)	at the University of Texas Invitational	TBA
2-11	SAGINAW VALLEY	5:00 p.m.
2-13	at Lake Michigan	5:30 p.m.
2-16	GRAND VALLEY	2:00 p.m.
2-18	FERRIS STATE	5:00 p.m.
2-20	at Wayne State	7:00 p.m.
2-22	at Northern Michigan	5:00 p.m.
2-23	at Lake Superior State	5:30 p.m.
3-(3-5)	State Tournament at Michigan State	5:30 p.m.



All-American Helen Shereda



**OAKLAND
UNIVERSITY
1979-80
BASKETBALL**

OUTLOOK

Rebuilding?

The Oakland University women's basketball team will feature 11 freshmen and only one senior which would lead many people to say that it's a definite rebuilding year for the Pioneers. Others who know the situation better at Oakland University, however, would say maybe it's a rebuilding season because that one senior is All-American Helen Shereda, the 6-0 center from Free Soil, Michigan.

Shereda was named to the National Scouting Association All-America team after averaging 23.6 points and 15.8 rebounds in 31 games last season. The ambidextrous senior cager was named the Most Valuable Player in the Central Missouri State Tournament despite the team's sixth place finish in the eight-team field, when she scored 95 points and grabbed 50 rebounds in three games. She led the team in scoring 23 times and 29 times in rebounding last year and has scored 1,574 points and grabbed 1,121 rebounds in her career.

Basketball is not a one-woman game, however, and fourth-year head coach Rose Swidzinski is looking for help from guard Kellie Kossek, the lone junior on this year's squad, to complement Shereda. Kossek, plagued by nagging injuries most of last year, averaged 4.3 points in 20 games last season. Sophomores Lynn Yadach and Beth Brunn are also being heavily counted upon by Swidzinski. Yadach was one of only two players to participate in every game last winter. Yadach averaged 6.9 points and 6.5 rebounds last year but must stay out of foul trouble to be effective. Brunn scored at a 5.7 pace and garnered 4.8 rebounds per contest. Denise Moore is the other sophomore on this year's squad.

All-state guards Kelly Kenny and Anne Kish along with Shawn Fisher and Cathy McKinney should give the Pioneers some good backcourt players, while Linda Krawford, Cordella Donner, Connie Jordan and Teresa Vondrasek should see plenty of action in their "rookie" seasons on the front line. Linda Axsom, Gail Burger and Teresa Gonda complete the long list of 11 freshman cagers.

OAKLAND UNIVERSITY'S VIPs

ADMINISTRATION

Corey Van Fleet, <i>Director of Athletics</i>	377-3190
Bill Connellan, <i>Director of Public Relations</i>	377-3180
Jim Llewellyn, <i>Director of News Service</i>	377-3180
Greg Smith, <i>Sports Information Director</i>	377-3180
Nancy Hall, <i>Trainer</i>	377-3190
Ron Forbes, <i>Athletic Department's Business Manager</i>	377-3190
Jim Valliere, <i>Athletic Department's Building Supervisor</i>	377-3190
Bill Teeters, <i>Equipment Manager</i>	377-3192
Dr. James Huebner, <i>Team Physician</i>	651-3160

BASKETBALL

Rose Swidzinski, <i>Head Coach</i>	377-3190
Marcy Jodway, <i>Assistant Coach</i>	377-3190
Kathy Hewelt, <i>Assistant Coach</i>	377-3190

HEAD COACHES

Dirk Dieters, <i>Baseball</i>	377-3190
Lee Frederick, <i>M. Basketball</i>	377-3190
Jack Gebauer, <i>Wrestling</i>	377-3190
Steve Hebold, <i>Cross Country</i>	377-3190
Pete Hovland, <i>W. Swimming</i>	377-3190
Ernie Maglischo, <i>M. Swimming</i>	377-3190
Joel Mason, <i>M. and W. Golf</i>	377-3190
Shawn McCormick, <i>Diving</i>	377-3190
Brad Newman, <i>W. Tennis</i>	377-3190
Jan Peters, <i>W. Volleyball</i>	377-3190
Wayne Pirmann, <i>Soccer</i>	377-3190
Russ Smith, <i>M. Tennis</i>	377-3190
Rose Swidzinski, <i>W. Softball</i>	377-3190

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OAKLAND UNIVERSITY

Oakland University is a state-funded, four-year institution with an enrollment of more than 11,500 students. Located midway between Rochester and Pontiac, Michigan, the university is approximately 30 miles from all the cultural and entertainment opportunities of America's fifth largest city — Detroit.

Oakland University was founded in 1957 when the late Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Wilson donated their 1,600-acre estate and \$2 million to Michigan State University to begin a new college in Oakland County. The university, named Michigan State-Oakland, enrolled its first students in 1959. In 1963 the name was changed to Oakland University and in 1970 the state legislature granted Oakland University its independence.

Since its inception, the University has been committed to offering a diverse set of academic programs. Anchored by a strong liberal arts program, the university is organized into a College of Arts and Sciences, and Schools of Economics and Management, Human and Educational Services, Performing Arts, Engineering, Nursing, a Center for General and Career Studies, and a Center for Health Sciences.

The athletic program strives for continued success in achieving its educational goal of providing total participation within a framework of excellence. Under the guidance of the Director of Athletics Corey Van Fleet, Oakland University's athletic department has grown to 14 sports and offers cardio-vascular rehabilitation and physiology laboratory programs including prescriptive exercises and stress testing.

The Hollie Lepley Sports Center houses a range of facilities for individual and team activities including: a swimming pool; courts for handball, paddleball, badminton, squash, basketball and volleyball; a wrestling room; and an updated weight room. There is also an 18-hole golf course, eight excellent outdoor tennis courts and several well-groomed playing fields. These facilities combined with the university's beautiful wooded landscape and rolling fields make the Oakland campus one of the most ideal environments for sports activities.

Oakland University is a member of the NCAA Division II and the AIAW Division I and the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference. Its academic programs are accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

OU Men's Sports

Basketball
Swimming
Tennis
Golf
Baseball
Soccer
Cross Country
Wrestling

OU Women's Sports

Basketball
Swimming
Tennis
Golf
Softball
Volleyball



COREY VAN FLEET

Director of Athletics

Corey Van Fleet was named director of athletics at Oakland University in 1972. Upon his arrival at OU in 1965, he was swimming coach for the Pioneers until this year when he stepped down to devote his full-time duties to the ever-increasing job of director of athletics.

He has, however, remained active in swimming on the high school level by serving as an official at high school meets. He also officiates for the Big Ten Conference, the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA), the Amateur Athletic Union (AAU) meets and the Olympic Trials.

A native of Battle Creek, Michigan, he received his B.S. degree (1959) and his M.S. degree (1971) in physical education from

Wayne State University. He also has completed course work in a doctoral program at Florida State University.

His recent honors include: the Matt Mann Swimming Coach Award from the Michigan High School Coaches Association; appointment to the board of directors, American Red Cross, U.S. Olympic Swimming Committee; the Master Coach Award from the Michigan Amateur Athletic Union, a member of the YMCA National Aquatics Board of Directors, a member of the Rochester Rotary Club, past president of the College Swimming Coaches of America, Inc., and an active member in the NCAA and AIAW governing bodies.

An associate professor of education with tenure, Van Fleet and his wife, Mary, have one son and live in Rochester.

GREG SMITH

Sports Information Director

Greg Smith is in his first year as sports information director at Oakland University after serving for two years as SID at Valparaiso University in Valparaiso, Indiana.

The 24-year-old SID received his B.S. degree in Public Relations Journalism in June, 1977 from Bowling Green State University (BGSU) in Bowling Green, Ohio. While a student at BGSU, he was a sports information assistant for four years, assistant sports editor for the *BG News*, the campus newspaper, and a sports writer for the Bowling Green *Sentinel-Tribune*. He was also president and founder of the Sports Information Club at BGSU. In addition, his experience includes sports writing for the *Findlay Courier*.

Smith is a bachelor and lives in Pontiac.





HEAD COACH

ROSE SWIDZINSKI

Rose Swidzinski begins her fourth season as head coach of the women's basketball team at Oakland University this year. With a 47-27 record in her first three campaigns, "Swid" has made a name for herself on both the college and high school levels.

Before coming to Oakland University, she was a successful high school coach for seven years, six of those years at Our Lady of Mercy High School in Farmington. Her Mercy teams accumulated a 111-21 record and won four division titles, two invitational championships, two state district titles and two state regional championships.

Her personal honors include being named Oakland County Basketball Coach of the Year and Catholic League Coach of the Year for basketball in 1974 and volleyball in 1975. In 1978 Swidzinski was also the first woman elected to the Dearborn Recreation Hall of Fame since its inception in 1957. In addition to her basketball duties she is also OU's softball coach.

An avid tennis and racquetball player, Swidzinski is single and lives in Mount Clemens.



MARCY JODWAY

Assistant Coach

Oakland University is extremely fortunate to have an experienced assistant coach like Marcy Jodway. A veteran coach with 20 years experience on both the high school and college levels, Jodway is also the head coach at Henry Ford II High School in Utica. Her Henry Ford team finished 22-2 in 1978 and won the district and league championships, a remarkable feat considering the women's team at Henry Ford had never had a winning season before Jodway's arrival.

Jodway will mainly be responsible for working with the forwards and centers along with recruiting. Being a high school coach and seeing as many games as she does throughout the course of a basketball season, can only help Oakland University's ever-growing women's basketball program. She coached Kelly Kenny, an OU freshman this year, at Henry Ford High School.

Jodway is single and lives in Mount Clemens.

KATHY HEWELT

Assistant Coach

Joining the Oakland University coaching staff this year is Kathy Hewelt. Hewelt averaged 14.7 points and led the Pioneers with 123 assists last year. She had three 26-point efforts last winter against the University of Detroit and twice against Lake Superior State College. An All-Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) first-team selection last season, Hewelt will be in charge of helping the guards, recruiting and scouting. She is listed among the Who's Who among American College students and was the first person to receive a basketball scholarship from Oakland University in 1975-76.

Hewelt is single and lives in Rochester.



1979-80

OAKLAND UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Yr.	Hometown/High School
10	Anne Kish	G	5-7	130	Fr.	Bloomfield Hills/Pontiac Catholic
11	Beth Brunn	F	5-8	130	So.	Utica/Utica
12	Denise Moore	F	5-7	140	So.	Detroit/Mumford
14	Teresa Gonda	G	5-9	120	Fr.	Northville/Redford Union
21	Cathy McKinney	G	5-6	145	Fr.	Ferndale/Ferndale
22	Kelly Kenny	G	5-5	135	Fr.	Utica/Henry Ford II
23	Shawn Fisher	G	5-5	120	Fr.	Detroit/St. Martin de Porres
24	Lynn Yadach	G	5-6	135	So.	Livonia/Our Lady of Mercy
25	Cordella Donner	C	6-0	145	Fr.	Detroit/Highland Park
30	Lynda Axsom	G-F	5-8	135	Fr.	Lake Orion/Lake Orion
31	Helen Shereda	C-F	6-0	145	Sr.	Free Soil/Free Soil
32	Linda Krawford	C	5-10	145	Fr.	Detroit/Lutheran West
33	Gail Burger	G	5-8	135	Fr.	Clio/Clio
35	Teresa Vondrasek	F-C	5-11	155	Fr.	Owosso/Owosso
40	Connie Jordan	F	6-0	150	Fr.	Flint/Northwestern
42	Kellie Kossek	G	5-6	140	Jr.	East Detroit/Regina



Helen Shereda

SHEREDA'S SUCCESS

Free Soil High School

1972-73	6-2	.750
1973-74	16-2	.889
1974-75	17-2	.895
1975-76	21-1	.955
TOTAL	60-7	.896

Oakland University

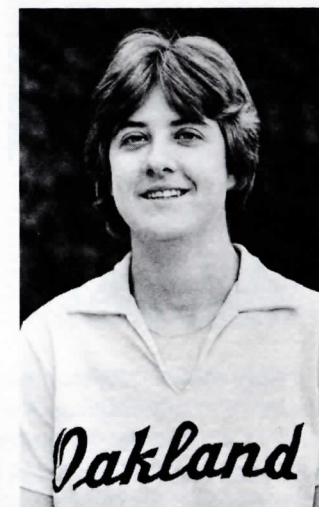
1976-77	15-5	.750
1977-78	16-6	.727
1978-79	16-16	.500
1979-80	?	?
TOTAL	47-27	.635
CAREER	107-34	.759

ALL-AMERICAN HELEN SHEREDA

C-F, 6-0, 145, Sr.

Free Soil, Michigan

First woman in Oakland University athletic history to receive All-American status . . . Named to the National Scouting Association All-America squad . . . Averaged 23.6 points and 15.8 rebounds last year . . . Played in 31 of 32 games contests last season . . . Missed the only contest in her 73-game career against Fordham in the Queens Invitational Tournament because of the flu and a 104-degree temperature . . . Named the Most Valuable Player last year in the Central Missouri State Tournament, despite the team's sixth-place finish in the eight-team field . . . Broke scoring and rebounding marks in the tournament by scoring 95 points and grabbing 50 rebounds in three games . . . Has scored 1,574 points and grabbed 1,121 rebounds in her first three seasons . . . Personal goal this season is to achieve what few other collegiate women basketball players have ever done — score more than 2,000 points and grab more than 1,500 rebounds . . . Leading scorer and rebounder in the state of Michigan last year . . . Selected to the Kodak All-Regional team last year . . . Also picked for the All-Michigan College Basketball Squad . . . Three-time selection to the first-team Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference (GLIAC) unit . . . Was also named to the first-team All-GLIAC softball team as a pitcher in 1978 . . . Led the team in scoring 23 times last year and 29 times in rebounding . . . Ambidextrous . . . Capable of scoring anywhere within 20 feet from the basket . . . Excellent ball-handler . . . Had a career-high 39 points against Central Michigan University last year . . . Had a career-high 28 rebounds against Lake Superior State College during her sophomore campaign . . . Has scored more than 30 points in a game six times in her OU career — 39 vs. Central Michigan; 37 vs. the University of Northern Colorado; 34 vs. Memphis State University; 33 vs. Ferris State College; 31 vs. the University of Toledo; and 30 vs. the University of Michigan . . . Made the 1977 United States 19-and-under National Select team that travelled to China . . . Also chosen as an alternate to the United States World University Games squad . . . Attended Free Soil High School, where she led her basketball team to a 60-7 record . . . Scored 1,652 points in high school . . . Selected to Sports Illustrated's "Faces in the Crowd" in 1976 . . . Unanimous first-team all-conference basketball player for three consecutive years in high school . . . Also made the first-team all-conference team in softball her junior and senior seasons . . . Has two brothers and one sister . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shereda.



Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.	PF	A	TO
1976-77	20	185- 315	.587	65- 99	.656	312	15.6	435	21.8	55	—	—
1977-78	22	160- 370	.432	77-107	.720	320	14.5	397	18.0	65	26	42
1978-79	31	325- 765	.425	92-150	.613	489	15.8	742	23.6	72	73	79
Total	73	670-1450	.462	234-356	.657	1,121	15.4	1,574	21.6	192	99	121



LYNDA AXSOM
G-F, 5-8, 135, Fr.
Lake Orion, Michigan

Aggressive, physical player . . . Good inside moves . . . Very durable player . . . Good outside shooter . . . Will probably see most of her playing time at small forward but can play guard as well . . . Played basketball, volleyball, softball and track at Lake Orion High School . . . Credits her high school coach and her sister as being the biggest influence in her athletic career . . . Has two brothers and one sister . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Axsom.

BETH BRUNN
F, 5-8, 130, So.
Utica, Michigan



Excellent speed and quickness . . . Superior leaping ability . . . Won the state high jump event at Utica High School . . . Once called the "Princess of mid-air" by Detroit Free Press writer Mick McCabe . . . Potential to be one of the team's outstanding players . . . Saw action in 28 games last year as a freshman for the Pioneers . . . Averaged 5.7 points and 4.8 rebounds . . . Shot 45.3 percent from the field and 60.5 percent from the free throw line . . . Was named the MVP of her high school basketball team . . . Has two brothers and two sisters . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Brunn.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.	PF	A	TO
1978-79	28	68-150	.453	23-38	.605	135	4.8	159	5.7	66	13	40
Total	28	68-150	.453	23-38	.605	135	4.8	159	5.7	66	13	40



GAIL BURGER
G, 5-8, 135, Fr.
Clio, Michigan

Walk-on . . . Moves to the basket well . . . Should see plenty of playing time at the big forward . . . Good passing ability . . . Chose Oakland University because of the fine journalism program . . . Played basketball, volleyball and softball at Clio High School . . . Made the all-conference team for high school coach Jean Stockford in basketball . . . Has two brothers and two sisters . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burger.



CORDELLA DONNER
C, 6-0, 145, Fr.
Detroit, Michigan

Strong rebounder, who has good size and leaping ability . . . Good quickness for her size . . . Effective pivot player . . . Walk-on, who has been a pleasant surprise in pre-season practice . . . One of 11 freshmen on this year's Pioneer team . . . Went to Highland Park High School, where she played basketball . . . Has two brothers and one sister . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Donner.



SHAWN FISHER
G, 5-5, 120, Fr.
Detroit, Michigan

Excellent anticipation . . . Very good quickness . . . Walk-on, who has gained the respect of her teammates for her leadership ability . . . Controls the tempo of the game when she plays . . . Will see plenty of action at the point guard spot . . . Played softball and basketball at St. Martin de Porres . . . Chose Oakland University because of the computer science program . . . Has one brother and one sister . . . Daughter of Mrs. Sue Fisher.



TERESA GONDA
G, 5-9, 120, Fr.
Northville, Michigan

Excellent jumper . . . Very good quickness . . . A good rebounder for her size . . . Sound defensively . . . Excellent attitude . . . One of 11 freshmen of this year's team . . . Went to Redford Union High School, where she participated in basketball and track . . . Will major in chemistry . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gonda.



CONNIE JORDAN
F, 6-0, 150, Fr.
Flint, Michigan

Excellent jumper . . . Strong, physical type of player . . . Good outside shot . . . Is expected to play both pivot and power forward . . . Good rebounder . . . Attended Flint Northwestern High School, where she played basketball for Coach Roger Zoll's Wildcats . . . Has six brothers and three sisters . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Jordan.



KELLY KENNY
G, 5-5, 135, Fr.
Utica, Michigan

One of this year's top recruits . . . Was named to the first-team all-state squad . . . Played for OU assistant coach Marcy Jodway at Utica Henry Ford II High School last year . . . Great anticipation . . . Good outside shot . . . Excellent leadership qualities . . . Expect a lot of great things from her this year despite her freshman status . . . Also played volleyball and softball at Henry Ford II High School . . . Was MVP on her volleyball team . . . Has four brothers and one sister . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Kelly.

HOLLIE L. LEPLEY Sports Center



First Row: Anne Kish, Cathy McKinney, Kellie Kossek, Kelly Kenny, Shawn Fisher, Teresa Gonda. **Second Row:** Denise Moore, Gail Burger, Linda Krawford, Beth Brunn, Lynda Axsom, Head Coach Rose Swidzinski. **Third Row:** Assistant Coach Kathy Hewelt, Assistant Coach Marcy Jodway, Cordella Donner, Helen Shereda, Connie Jordan, Teresa Vondrasek. Missing Lynn Yadach.



ANNE KISH
G, 5-7, 130, Fr.
Bloomfield Hills, Michigan

All-State performer from Pontiac Central High School . . . Excellent outside shooter . . . Good speed . . . Goes to the basket well . . . Also played softball, golf and volleyball in high school . . . Chose Oakland University because of the fine athletic and academic qualities . . . Credits her family as having the biggest influence in her athletic career . . . Has three brothers and one sister . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kish.

KELLIE KOSSEK
G, 5-6, 140, Jr.
East Detroit, Michigan



Very dedicated, hard-working player, who doesn't know the meaning of the word "quit" . . . Great attitude . . . Plagued with injuries last year, which limited her to playing in only 20 games . . . Excellent shooter . . . Good ball-handling ability . . . All-state performer in high school . . . Played basketball, volleyball and track at Regina High School . . . Was the MVP for the basketball and volleyball squads . . . Credits her family as having the biggest influence in her athletic career . . . Has two sisters and one brother . . . Younger sister Karrie is a high school standout basketball player . . . Nicknamed "Special K" . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kossek.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.	PF	A	TO
1977-78	12	14- 42	.333	7-10	.700	13	1.2	35	2.9	4	8	6
1978-79	20	39- 87	.448	9-11	.818	23	1.2	87	4.3	31	20	27
Total	32	53-129	.411	16-21	.762	36	1.2	122	3.8	35	28	33



LINDA KRAWFORD
C, 5-10, 145, Fr.
Detroit, Michigan

One of this year's top recruits . . . Exceptionally quick . . . Good court sense . . . Good leaping ability . . . Real competitor . . . Good outside shot, enable her to play both the pivot and the power forward . . . Excellent rebounder . . . Credits her high school coach Prinz Dankert as having the biggest influence in her athletic career . . . Also ran track at Lutheran West High School . . . Only child . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Krawford.



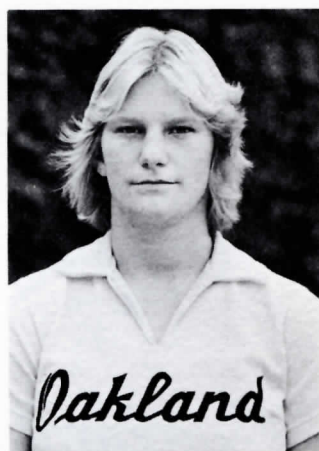
CATHY McKINNEY
G, 5-6, 145, Fr.
Ferndale, Michigan

Walk-on . . . One of the quickest first steps . . . Deceptive for her size . . . Aggressive player . . . Credits her family as having the biggest influence in her athletic career . . . Attended Ferndale High School and played basketball for coach Mike Kownacki's Eagles . . . Has two brothers and one sister . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt McKinney.



DENISE MOORE
F, 5-7, 140, So.
Detroit, Michigan

Walk-on . . . One of 12 newcomers on this year's Pioneer team . . . Good jumping ability . . . Attended Mumford High School, where she played basketball, softball and track . . . Won all-city recognition in track . . . Credits her family as having the biggest influence in her athletic career . . . Has two brothers . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Early Moore.



TERESA VONDRASEK
F-C, 5-11, 155, Fr.
Owosso, Michigan

Strongest player on the team . . . One of this year's top recruits . . . Excellent rebounder . . . Should play the pivot or power forward this season . . . Very physical, aggressive player . . . Excellent quickness . . . National judo champion . . . Played basketball, softball and volleyball at Owosso High School . . . Chose Oakland University to play basketball and pursue a career in elementary education . . . Has two brothers and three sisters . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Vondrasek.

LYNN YADACH
G, 5-6, 135, So.
Livonia, Michigan



Good all-around basketball player . . . Real competitor . . . Played forward last year but is expected to be switched to her natural position of guard this year because of the banner recruiting year of big players . . . Third-leading scorer last year with 222 points in 32 games . . . One of two players to participate in every game last winter . . . Averaged 6.5 rebounds last year . . . Shot 40.4 percent from the field and 49.2 percent from the foul line . . . Credits her parents and Coach Rose Swidzinski as having the biggest influence in her athletic career . . . Played basketball and track at Our Lady of Mercy High School . . . Has one brother . . . Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Yadach.

Year	G	FG-FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Reb.	Avg.	Pts.	Avg.	PF	A	TO
1978-79	32	95-235	.404	32-65	.492	207	6.5	222	6.9	114	83	89
Total	32	95-235	.404	32-65	.492	207	6.5	222	6.9	114	83	89

FINAL 1978-79 OAKLAND UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S BASKETBALL STATISTICS

RECORD: Won 16; Lost 16

GLIAC: Won 5; Lost 5

Name	GP	FG-FGA	Avg.	FT-FTA	Avg.	Reb.	Avg.	TP	Avg.	PF	A	TO
Helen Shereda	31	325-765	.425	92-150	.613	489	15.8	742	23.6	72	73	79
Kathy Hewelt	31	191-600	.318	73-116	.629	54	1.7	455	14.7	87	129	133
Lynn Yadach	32	95-235	.404	32- 65	.492	207	6.5	222	6.9	114	83	89
Cathy Eghotz	29	81-226	.358	22- 33	.667	80	2.7	184	6.3	55	68	55
Jean Fisher	32	57-159	.358	50- 76	.658	183	5.7	164	5.1	79	30	64
Beth Brunn	28	68-150	.453	23- 23	.605	135	4.8	159	5.7	66	13	40
Robin Lussier	23	50-126	.397	20- 33	.606	56	2.4	120	5.2	26	18	19
K. D. Harte	8	41-132	.311	21- 27	.778	25	3.1	103	12.9	14	34	32
Kellie Kossek	20	39- 87	.448	9- 11	.818	23	1.2	87	4.3	31	20	27
Tamara Jones	28	30- 63	.476	10- 31	.323	63	2.3	70	2.5	20	21	16
Nancy Sheridan	8	1- 11	.091	0- 0	.000	5	0.6	2	0.2	6	5	4
Others	5	2- 8	.250	0- 1	.000	8	1.6	4	0.8	5	8	6
OU Totals	32	980-2562	.383	352-581	.606	1328	41.5	2312	72.3	575	502	564

1978-79 OAKLAND UNIVERSITY BASKETBALL RESULTS

Date	W-L	Opponent	Score	Hi Scorer	Hi Rebounder
11/21	W	U of W. Ontario (A)	69-59	Harte 17	Shereda 10
11/29	W	U of Windsor (H)	86-30	Hewelt 13	Shereda 4
12/6	L	Western Mich. (A)	59-78	Shereda 25	Shereda 15
12/12	W	Lake Michigan (H)	78-54	Shereda 16	Shereda 16
12/27-29	Queens Invitational				
	L	Rutgers (A)	62-109	Harte 23	Shereda 7
	W	Laurentian (A)	66-61	Shereda 27	Shereda 11
	L	Fordham (A)	42-79	Harte 10	Yadach 6
1/11-13	C. Missouri State Invitational				
	L	Memphis State (A)	74-94	Shereda 34	Shereda 20
	W	Northern Colo. (A)	92-59	Shereda 37	Shereda 15
	L	Temple (A)	72-88	Shereda 24	Shereda 15
1/18	W	Delta State (H)	102-29	Shereda 25	Shereda 20
1/20	W	Saginaw Valley (H)*	71-46	Shereda 17	Shereda 27
1/22	L	Grand Valley (A)*	67-74	Shereda 19	Shereda 15
1/25	L	Wayne State (H)*	70-74	Shereda 27	Shereda 19
1/27	W	Ferris State (H)*	82-63	Shereda 26	Shereda 23
1/29	L	U of Detroit (A)	61-87	Hewelt 26	Shereda 10
2/2	W	Eastern Illinois (H)	75-64	Shereda 24	Shereda 11
2/3	L	Wayne State (A)*	59-76	Shereda 21	Shereda 11
2/5	W	Lake Superior (H)*	87-59	Hewelt 26	Yadach 14
2/8-10	Illinois State Invitational				
	L	Illinois State (A)	71-79	Shereda 24	Shereda 10
	L	Southern Illinois (A)	62-82	Hewelt 22	Shereda 10
	L	Western Mich. (A)	69-77	Shereda 24	Shereda 14
2/12	L	Saginaw Valley (A)*	61-62	Shereda 26	Fisher/Yadach 10
2/13	W	Michigan State (H)	59-55	Shereda 25	Shereda 19
2/15	W	Toledo (H)	95-54	Shereda 31	Shereda 19
2/17	L	Grand Valley (H)*	78-79	Hewelt 26	Shereda 15
2/19	W	Ferris State (A)*	45-41	Shereda 22	Shereda 24
2/21	L	Central Mich. (A)	63-84	Shereda 39	Shereda 11
2/22	W	Lake Superior (A)*	102-75	Hewelt 26	Shereda 21
2/24	W	U of Michigan (A)	77-65	Shereda 30	Shereda 12
3/1-3	MAIAW Tournament				
	W	Ferris State	90-66	Shereda 28	Shereda 15
	L	Western Michigan	66-85	Shereda 26	Shereda 17

*Great Lakes Conference Game

1979-80 OPPONENTS

AQUINAS COLLEGE

January 17, at Lepley Sports Center, 7:00 p.m.

Location: Grand Rapids, Michigan	Nickname: Saints
Enrollment: 1,100	Arena: Assembly Building (2,000)
Athletic Director: Terry Bocian	SID: Marcia Clapp
Coach: Patti Tibaldi	Conference: Independent
Lettermen Returning: 4	Lettermen Lost: 1
1978-79 Record: 8-8	
Players to Watch: Mary Ann Gumowski, Karen Myszk, Patti Bouwhuis	

CENTRAL MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

December 8, at Lepley Sports Center, 4:00 p.m.

Location: Mt. Pleasant, Michigan	Nickname: Chippewas
Enrollment: 16,000	Arena: Finch Fieldhouse (1,500)
Athletic Director: Ted Kjolhede	SID: Jere Craig
Coach: Ro DiBrezza	Conference: Mid-American
Lettermen Returning: 9	Lettermen Lost: 3
1978-79 Record: 10-7	
Players to Watch: Julie Roberts, Susie Brown, Chris Pohl	

CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY

December 19, at Lepley Sports Center, 7:00 p.m.

Location: Cleveland, Ohio	Nickname: Vikings
Enrollment: 17,300	Arena: Woodling Gym (2,600)
Athletic Director: Robert F. Busbey	SID: Merle Levin
Coach: Louise Furjanic	Conference: Independent
Lettermen Returning: 5	Lettermen Lost: 7
1978-79 Record: 11-9	
Players to Watch: Laura Englehart, Kathy Costello, Linda Smith	

UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT

January 24, at Lepley Sports Center, 7:00 p.m.

Location: Detroit, Michigan	Nickname: Titans
Enrollment: 8,300	Arena: Calihan Hall (8,837)
Athletic Director: Lawrence Geraciotti	SID: Ken Hoffman
Coach: Sue Kruszewski	Conference: Independent
Lettermen Returning: 7	Lettermen Lost: 2
1978-79 Record: 27-4	
Players to Watch: Lisa Blackburn, Lydia Johnson, Terri East	

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

January 12, at Bowen Field House, 3:00 p.m.

Location: Ypsilanti, Michigan	Nickname: Hurons
Enrollment: 18,000	Arena: Bowen Field House (5,500)
Athletic Director: Alex Agase	SID: Jim Streeter
Coach: Kathy Hart	Conference: Mid-American
Lettermen Returning: 5	Lettermen Lost: 3
1978-79 Record: 11-11	
Players to Watch: Laurie Byrd, Denise Allen, Sheryl Mullice	

FERRIS STATE COLLEGE

January 26, at FSC Fieldhouse, 12:00 noon
February 18, at Lepley Sports Center, 5:00 p.m.

Location: Big Rapids, Michigan	Nickname: Bulldogs
Enrollment: 10,200	Arena: FSC Fieldhouse (6,000)
Athletic Director: Dean Davenport	SID: Tim Pendell
Coach: Pat Dolan	Conference: GLIAC
Lettermen Returning: 8	Lettermen Lost: 3
1978-79 Record: 6-14	
Players to Watch: Tracy Richardson, Terri Fraser, Marlene Peldys	

GRAND VALLEY STATE COLLEGE

January 22, Allendale High School, 6:30 p.m.
February 16, at Lepley Sports Center, 2:00 p.m.

Location: Allendale, Michigan	Nickname: Lakers
Enrollment: 7,540	Arena: Allendale H.S. (1,000)
Athletic Director: George MacDonald	SID: Don Thomas
Coach: Pat Baker	Conference: GLIAC
Lettermen Returning: 6	Lettermen Lost: 4
1978-68 Record: 21-7	
Players to Watch: Faith Heikkila, Pam VanderKolk, Cindy Daines	

LAKE MICHIGAN

February 13, at Lake Michigan Gymnasium, 5:30 p.m.

Location: Benton Harbor, Michigan	Nickname: Indians
Enrollment: 1,900	Arena: Lake Mich. Gym (1,500)
Athletic Director: Liz Miller	SID: None
Coach: Jill Claeys	Conference: Western
Lettermen Returning: 3	Lettermen Lost: 9
1978-79 Record: 21-7	
Players to Watch: Maria Sarno, Shelly Schmid, Teresa Duncan	

LAKE SUPERIOR STATE COLLEGE

February 1, at Lepley Sports Center, 7:00 p.m.
February 23, at James Norris Physical Education Center, 5:30 p.m.

Location: Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan	Nickname: Lakers
Enrollment: 2,500	Arena: J. Norris Phy. Ed. Ctr. (2,500)
Athletic Director: Ronald B. Cooper	SID: Dennis McPherson
Coach: Gunile Myers	Conference: GLIAC
Lettermen Returning: 2	Lettermen Lost: 3
1978-79 Record: 7-19	
Players to Watch: Sue Elzinga, Margaret Olson, Julie Vincent	

1979-80 TOURNAMENT TRAIL

UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA—LAS VEGAS ROUND ROBIN TOURNAMENT

The Oakland University Pioneers will participate in the second annual University of Nevada—Las Vegas Round Robin Basketball Tournament on January 2-5, in Las Vegas.

Host school and defending champion, the University of Nevada—Las Vegas will join OU in the five-team field along with Utah State University, Baylor University and Seattle University.

UNLV, 24-4 in 1978-79, is lead by senior forward Teresa Willis. Willis paced the Lady Rebels last season with a 24.8 scoring average while pulling down 11.9 rebounds a game. Guard Sandra Hamilton added 16.2 points a game as a freshman. UNLV is coached by Dan Ayala.

The Aggies of Utah State will be looking to senior center Jerri McGahan for both scoring and rebounding after averaging 16.2 points and 9.9 rebounds for coach Cindy Perkins. Junior guard Dorlinda Carey was second in team scoring with a 10.8 average last year.

Junior center Ginger Thornton lead the Baylor Bearettes to a 17-13 record last year, averaging 18.8 points and 10.1 rebounds. Christie Capp, a sophomore forward, added 13.6 points a game for coach Pam Davis.

The Seattle University Chieftains' 23-9 record in 1978-79 was due largely to the play of junior forward C. J. Sealey and junior center Sue Turina. Sealey averaged 17.5 points and Turina 12.8 for coach Cathy Benedette.

UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON INVITATIONAL

The Pioneers will participate in the first annual University of Houston Invitational on February 7-9 in Houston, Texas.

Joining the Oakland University squad in the eight-team tournament will be McNeese State University, Nicholls State University, Oklahoma State University, Baylor University, Rice University, Northwestern State University and host school the University of Houston.

Coach Margie Hinton's McNeese State University squad posted a 17-11 mark last year. Tammy Premeau, a 6-0 senior center, who averaged 17.4 points and 10.6 rebounds, will be the team leader. Nicholls State University will be trying to improve on last year's 14-19 mark for coach Kathryn Saichuk. Liz Candilora averaged 14.5 points and nine rebounds last year for Nicholls State University.

Oklahoma State University, under the direction of coach Judy Bugher, will be led by senior forward Rhonda Kite Stunkard. Stunkard averaged 16.9 points and nine rebounds leading the Big Eight Conference school to a 17-10 mark. Baylor University, who also participate in the University of Nevada—Las Vegas Round Robin Tournament with the Pioneers, will be led by Ginger Thornton and Christie Capp. Thornton averaged 18.8 points and 10.1 rebounds, while Capp scored at a 13.6 pace to lead the Bearettes to a 17-13 record.

Coach Linda Tucker's Rice University squad and Coach Pat Nolen's Northwestern State University team will close out the eight-team field along with the University of Houston. Houston posted a 17-13 slate in the 1978-79 season. Sharion Higgins (17.2), Kip Anderson (14.9), Cheryl Gardley (13.0) and Brenda Lee (10.4) all averaged in double figures for the Cougars last season.

STATE TOURNAMENT

This year's Michigan state basketball tournament will be held in East Lansing on the campus of Michigan State University. Michigan's eight Division I teams will participate in the tourney. They are: the University of Detroit, Central Michigan University, Eastern Michigan University, Michigan State University, Oakland University, the University of Michigan, Western Michigan University and Wayne State University.

1979-80 OAKLAND UNIVERSITY MEDIA OUTLETS

WIRE SERVICES

Associated Press	965-9500
United Press International	965-7950
Western Union	223-6035

NEWSPAPERS

The Daily Tribune	541-4870
The Detroit Free Press	222-6660
The Detroit News	222-2260
The Oakland Press	333-7117(8)
Pontiac-Waterford Times	338-4083
Rochester Clarion	651-4321
Rochester Eccentric	651-7575

TELEVISION

WJBK-TV — Channel 2	557-9000
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