

2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Butler Bulldogs

Mascot: Bulldogs

Location: Indianapolis

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Braden Albertson and Caleb Brackett

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

- Record:
- Tournament Rankings/Results:
- Notables:

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 6

Players to Watch: All of them

New additions: Aidan Smith, Malcolm Harper, Zac Hamilton, Nic Lynn-Toledo, Alec Ruback, Rashad Williams, Brock Danahey

Biggest Rival: Xavier

Best Player Nickname: All of our players are our best players, just depends on whos turn it is that day.

2022-23 Season Outlook: Chemistry is being built in practices with a new roster, strong guards and strong big men.

Head Coach Quote: 2022-2023 is looking extremely promising.



2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Central Michigan University

Mascot: Chippewas

Location: Mount Pleasnt, MI

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach:/, Captains: Tipp Baker, Lamaur Sanders

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: **4-6**

• Tournament Rankings/Results: 1-2

Notables:

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): (starters)- Tipp Baker,Lamaur Sanders,Drew Geiger, Marc Garland, Robert Johnson III (5 returners)- Tyler O'Connor, Ashton Stephens, Joeseph Eades, Edwin Bell, Eamon Gleason

Players to Watch: 6'2 Brian Brown, 6'0 Anthony (Tony) Mattson

New additions: Brian Brown, Tony mattson, Alex batalonga, Tyler Ozani, James

Breidenstein, Aaron Sowles

Biggest Rival: Western Michigan University

Best Player Nickname: Edwin Bell (AKA-Pep)

2022-23 Season Outlook: Lots of returning players that have a lot of chemestry and work well together. have some depth coming off the bench, and added a few big man. Lots of energy, lots of passion for the game with this group.



Head Coach Quote: Last Year was a learing expierence for the team. Getting the players back into organized basketball was tricky at the beginning, but over the time bonded and are ready to comeback stronger.



2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Creighton Club Basketball

Mascot: Bluejays

Location: Omaha, NE

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Captain: Conor Moore

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: 14-2

• Tournament Rankings/Results: N/A

• Notables: 2nd place in Lincoln Tournament, playoff appearance for NCBBA

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 8

Players to Watch: All

New additions: 6

Biggest Rival: Indiana

Best Player Nickname: Andrew "Cham" Chambers

2022-23 Season Outlook: We are retrunign with most of our old team ready to play and win with new additions who are looking to add a lot of talent and skill to the team.

Head Coach Quote: N/A



2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Dayton

Mascot: Flyers

Location: Dayton, OH

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Sean Loughran and Danny Grieve

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: **12-8**

Tournament Rankings/Results: Came in 4th for our conference
 Notables: Runner up of the Wright State tournament

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): Jared Becker, Joey Alf, Matt Adkins, Sean

Roberts

Players to Watch: John Milling and Chris Gomez

New additions: Matt Buschelman, Rob Thompson, Zach Duthenrage, and Danny Healy

Biggest Rival: Wright State

Best Player Nickname: Jbecks

2022-23 Season Outlook: Strong leadership from our returners. With solid play off the bench from our new guys. Play fast and up tempo game and have fun.



2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: DePaul University

Mascot: Blue Demon

Location: Chicago, IL

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach- Pat Montague, Captain- DJ Murrell

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: 17-8

- Tournament Rankings/Results: Bucky Classic Champions, 2nd Place Windy City Classic, 2nd place in Great Lakes North Region
- Notables: Lost to the eventual national champion Purdue by 1 in the Regional tournament.

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 6 Returners- Murrell, Watson, Owens, Loomis, Reyes, Landry (4 starters- Murrell, Watson, Owens, Loomis)

Players to Watch: 6-2 DJ Murrell, 6-2 Mason Ownes, 6-6 Charlie Loomis, 6-1 Logan baker, 6-7 Niles Arrington

New additions: Senior- Alban Shameti, Junior- (Transfer) Niles Arrignton, Calen Mckinney, Sophmore-Chibuikem Abogo-Ugwokegbe, Logan Baker, Lake Mackin, Oliver Thomas, Jackson Theriault, Freshman- Zach Ryza

Biggest Rival: Notre Dame

Best Player Nickname: Mason "Waveymase" Owens

2022-23 Season Outlook: Strong returning guard leadership (Murrell and Owens). have added depth at the guard and forward positions. Looking to get out and run, pressure the ball, and create havoc for a lot of teams.



Head Coach Quote: "Championship or Bust"- Pat Montague



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Team Name: Indiana University

Mascot: Hoosiers

Location: Bloomington, Indiana

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Lajuan Whitney, Colin Walls, Tyler Zabrecky

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: 7-5

- Tournament Rankings/Results: Lost in Regional Semifinal vs. National Runner-up Notre Dame
- Notables: Split the regular season matchup 1-1 vs. National Runner-up Notre Dame; finished 2nd in Great Lakes South Conference behind National Champion Purdue

Number of Returning Players (Include starters):

Starters Returning: Colin Walls, Tyler Zabrecky, Andrew Rhodes, Luke Naas

Others Returning: Ryan Curran

Players to Watch: 6'3 Luke Naas & 6'4 Ryan Curran

New additions: Breece Walls, Michael Flynn, Henry Hamelberg

Biggest Rival: Purdue University

2022-23 Season Outlook: Added talented depth to complement a strong core of returning players. Good mixture of size and speed that'll make it tough for opponents to match up defensively.

Head Coach Quote: 2021-2022 was a solid season for our young team. We qualified for regionals and with a lot of returning players and a few great additions, we plan to build on the foundation from last year and grow with a more veteran team.

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Team Name: Iowa State

Mascot: Cyclones

Location: Ames, Iowa

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach: Trey Swanson, Captains: Carter Neuroth, Grahm Hertaus

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: 5-3 Overall, 4-2 conference

• Tournament Rankings/Results: **Great Lakes Regional, 1-1**

• Notables: Beat Mizzou, came close to beating Purdue in a back to back.

Number of Returning Players (Include starters):

4, Carter Neuroth, Trey Swanson, Grahm Hertaus, Aron Elliot. (2 starters - Swanson, Hertaus)

Players to Watch:

Noah Hernandez, Trey Swanson, Joel Burris, James Gninefou, Carter Neuroth

New additions:

Noah Hernandez, Joel Burris, James Gninefou, Zeke Lundquist, Alex Presthus, Deric Fitzgerald, Malichai Williams

Biggest Rival:

Creighton

Best Player Nickname:

Deric "Glizzy man" Fitzgerald

2022-23 Season Outlook: We have an entirely new look squad. We run 10 strong players deep, with returning hunger from the captains, and an incredible spark of new talent after promoting the club a bit harder, Iowa State looks ready to to make waves.



Head Coach Quote: Best of luck scoring on us...

Team Name: Mizzou Black

Mascot: tigers

Location: Columbia Missouri

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach - Bill Smith, Captains - Riley Suda, Brandon Titter,

2021-2022 Performance:

• Record: 7-7, 7-3 in conference

• Tournament Rankings/Results: 1st place in the great lakes west conference

Conference, #20 NCBBA Final Poll

• Notables: scored ovcer 1000 season points

Champion Virginia Tech at JMU invitational tournament.

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 3 returners: Suda, Hanson, Brandt

Players to Watch: 6-6 Junior Riley Suda, 6'8 Junior Will Goodin, 6'8 Freshman Kevin Hogan, Junior Decker hanson, Senior, Arron Brandt

New additions: Freshmen – 6 ft Freshman Howard Mullen, 6'2 Guard Alex Smith, 6'8 Freshman Kevin Hogan, Junior Joe Barret, Junior Logan Webb, Junior Guard Charlier Hirner, 6'8 G/C Will Goodin

Biggest Rival: University of Iowa State Best Player Nickname: Whole team is good

2022 Season Outlook: Strong leadership returning at the forward and guard positions (Brandt, Suda, Hanson) with a strong presence underneath led by big men Goodin and Hogan. Lots of depth at the guard position with a big emphasis on running the court and locking up defensively

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Head Coach Quote: no quote



2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Ohio State

Mascot: Buckeye

Location: Columbus, OH

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coaches - Eddie Days and Douglas Patterson, Assistant Coaches - Casev

Jones and Wilbert Mauser

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: **16-7**

• Tournament Rankings/Results: 1st in North Atlantic - West conference

Notables: Had two teams last year. Back to one team this year.

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 7 (Nick Close, Carson Felicetty, Gabriel Greening, Julius Jofferion, Alec Owen, Max Schulman, Conor Stolly)

Players to Watch: Gabriel Greening (especially in the spring semester)

New additions: Chris Blauman, Owen Licht, Ethan McQuate, Alex Morton, Eric Rakestraw, Jack Taylor

Biggest Rival: University of Michigan

Best Player Nickname: Conor "Macking" Stolly

2022-23 Season Outlook: Veteran returners along with new mature underclassmen

Head Coach Quote: "Let's play dodgeball"



2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Purdue University

Mascot: Boilermakers

Location: West Lafayette, IN

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Coaches: None

Captains: Max Otterbacher, Matt Pearce, Gunnar Reffeitt

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: 24-2

- Tournament Rankings/Results: 2022 NCBBA National Champions, Finished #1 in NCBBA Poll
- Notables: NCBBA National Champions, Great Lakes Regional Champions, Great Lakes East Conference Champions, NIRSA Midwest Regional Champions, #1 National Ranking, 3 All-Americans, 5 First Team All-Region Selections

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 9 (2 starters)

Players to Watch: Gunnar Reffeitt: Second Team All-American; First Team All-Region; NIRSA Midwest Regional All-Tournament Team; 3rd in country in total 3 pointers made; 5th in country in total points last season; 6 20+ point games; Hit 11 three pointers in a two game series vs Bellarmine and scored 41 points to lead the team in the Great Lakes Regional Tournament

Matt Pearce: First Team All Region Selection; Led Nation in FT percentage (100%); 6th in country in total 3 pointers made; 3rd on team in scoring last season; NIRSA Midwest Region 3 point Champ; Scored 26 on eventual National Runner-Up Notre Dame in second week of season

Grant Johnson: Scored a career-high 17 points against Bellarmine to close out the regular season; 8 huge points in National Championship vs Notre Dame



New additions: Jake Tarnow: Played 1 year at NCAA Division III Wabash College before transferring to Purdue; IBCA Top 100 senior in state of Indiana; Named to All-Laporte County First Team as a senior; Named All-Area by Northwest Indiana Times as junior and senior

Ehssan Aksar: Four-year standout at Foothill High School in Pleasanton, California; Multiple double-digit scoring games

Will Lasater: Played 1 year at NCAA Division III Grinnell College before transferring to Purdue; Appeared in 23 games for the Pioneers with 3 starts; Averaged 4 points per game while shooting 32% from three point range

Tommy Hoy: Member of Purdue University Women's Basketball Practice Squad; Lights out 3 point shooter

Zane Barker: Four-year player at Goshen High School in Goshen, Indiana; Will join his brother Zack as one of Purdue's prominent forwards for the season

Biggest Rival: Indiana University

Best Player Nickname: Gunnar Reffeitt—"The Key"

2022-23 Season Outlook: After an incredibly successful 2021-22 campaign, Purdue looks to "run it back" with the return of several key pieces from last year's national championship team. While All-American center and NCBBA MVP Emerson Halbleib and All-American point guard Zack Hodgin will be tough to replace, the Boilermakers' depth and experience should keep them in the thick of the NCBBA title race yet again. Returning All-American Gunnar Reffeitt will headline the Boilermaker offense with his ability to score at all 3 levels. Shooting should be one of Purdue's strong suits this season as Reffeitt, Pearce, and Hoy can all get hot at any given time. Moving to the frontcourt, forwards Max Otterbacher, Zack Barker, and Grant Johnson all return from last season and will each play a significant role in the 10-man rotation. Senior Drew Hayden will look to fill the role of point guard for this season and should see a significant uptake in minutes compared to last year. Purdue's newcomers are headlined by Division III transfers Jake Tarnow and Will Lasater, as well as big men Ehssan Aksar and Zane Barker who will provide depth behind Johnson and Otterbacher.



Overall, Purdue looks poised to make a run at their 3rd National Championship in 7 seasons. Despite the losses of four significant contributors to last year's title winning squad, Purdue's returning depth and new additions leave them in a great position to be successful this season.

Head Coach Quote: "Our team is certainly going to look different than it did last year but I love how our team is coming together. We've practiced hard, are settling into our roles, and are playing better team basketball than we were at this point last season. We'll certainly be tested out of the gate with a tournament at USC in November and a match-up vs NCAA Division III Denison University in December, but I'm excited to see how we adapt and handle these challenges. As always, the goal around here is a National Championship and we're going to do everything possible to make that happen."

—Team President Max Otterbacher



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Team Name: Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville (SIUE)

Mascot: Cougars

Location: Edwardsville, IL

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Jackson Best/Gabe Van Ryn

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: **6 - 11**

• Tournament Rankings/Results:

Notables:

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): Jackson Best, Dhruv Gheewala, Ian Richardson, Jake Ridgeway, Matt McGowan, Christian Shabani (6 returners, 4 starters)

Players to Watch: Cyree Johnson's playmaking, Hayden Marquardt's athleticism, Amir Lewis' defense, Sam Thompson's hustle

New additions: Whole new bench mob made up of Marquardt, Lewis, Nick Graf, Carson Dell and

others

Biggest Rival: Mizzou

Best Player Nickname: Jackson "Jeremiah Tillman" Best



2022-23 Season Outlook: Starting lineup returning but virtually the rest of the team is new to club this year. This means there's a lot of potential but also a lot of work to do. Eyes are on the national tourney.

Head Coach Quote: The sky's the limit this year. We've got a lot of young talent on the roster and we've been instituting a lot of new structure that will lead to a lot of positive growth down the road. We'll just have to wait and see how quickly this culture shift translates to success on the court this season.



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2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: UM Flint Wolverines

Mascot: N/A

Location: Flint, MI

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Coach: Alex Green Captain: Isaiah Johnson Treasurer: Ahnaf Wajeeh

Officer: Bilal Daassa

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: N/A

• Tournament Rankings/Results: N/ A

Notables:

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): Isaiah Johnson and Ronnie Elbert

Players to Watch: 6-1 Isaiah Johnson, 6-2 Ronnie Elbert, 6-1 Justin Raleigh, 5-9 Jerrall Barnett

New additions:

Justin Raleigh, Jerrall Barnett, Ahnaf Wajeeh, Omran Daaboul, Jeremy Saprong, Connor Bratt, Bilal Daassa, Graham Howard

Biggest Rival: UM Ann Arbor

Best Player Nickname:

Justin "The Professor" Raleigh, Jerrall "Ice Jay" Barnett

2022-23 Season Outlook:



Completely different team with a very high ceiling. Sky is the limit with all the new talent we have. Ready for another competitive year!

Head Coach Quote:

"No one is perfect, but as long as we try our hardest and do the best we can, we have a chance to win. Never give up on yourself, trust the process and your teammates. We will compete until the bitter end, but most importantly, have fun while doing it."



2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Western Illinois

Mascot: Bulldog (Leathernecks)

Location: Macomb, Illinois

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Caleb Moore, KJ Smith

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: **0-0**

• Tournament Rankings/Results:

• Notables:

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): New team.. Starters Dwayne Walton (6'2), Cal Engebretson (6'2), Caleb Moore (6'3), KJ Smith (6'4), Anneas Davenport (6'6)

Players to Watch: 6'3 - Caleb Moore, 6'4 KJ Smith, 6'2 Dwayne Walton

New additions: Whole Team

Biggest Rival: Bradley University

Best Player Nickname: KJ "High Flyer" Smith

2022-23 Season Outlook: Very athletic, smart team, solid size, two good point guards (Dwayne and Naiji), Shooter after Shooter, Lock down defenders. This team has GRIT

Head Coach Quote: This team has begun to gell and looks to do something special this year. These boys all played high level basketball in high school and are ready to get back out there and show how much they have grown and matured since high school. The sky is the limit for these young men.



2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Wright State

Mascot: Raiders

Location: Dayton, OH

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Head Coach - Cameron Sterrett

Captain- Ryan Seltsam

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: 11-10 (8-6)

• Tournament Rankings/Results: N/A

• Notables: 5-1 (3-1) against rivals Dayton A and Xavier

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): Starters - SG Mitchell Foland, PF/C Preston Menke (Erskine College)

Reserves- PG Ryan Seltsam, PF Cody Moore, SG/SF Jake Deason

Players to Watch: SG Mitchell Foland, PG Yousef Saleh, SF Siloam Baldwin, C Tre Johnson

New additions: PG Yousef Saleh (Hocking College), SF Siloam Baldwin (Wilmington College), C Tre Johnson (Wittenberg University), SF/PF Jalen Orwig, PG/SG Jordan Feld, SG/SF Justin Morah, PF/C Markeese Coleman, SG Nathan Lynn

Biggest Rival: University of Dayton A

Xavier

Best Player Nickname: "Moneybag" Mitchell Foland

2022-23 Season Outlook: There will be no shortage of offensive firepower on this Wright State team. The key will be locking down defensively and using strong guard play to limit turnovers.



Head Coach Quote: We return the nation's leading scorer and 1st Team All-American SG Mitchell Foland (27.33 ppg) and now surround him with four former college players to round out the starting lineup in 6'0" PG Yousef Saleh, 6'4" SF Siloam Baldwin, 6'6" PF/C Preston Menke, and 6'8" C Tre Johnson. After our first season in the league we had increased interest at tryouts and were able to put together a team with a lot of depth on the bench. We fully expect to be at the Great Lakes Regional tournament and compete to be a top ranked team nationally.



2022-23 NCBBA-M TEAM PREVIEW GUIDE

Team Name: Xavier

Mascot: Musketeers

Location: Cincinnati, OH

Captain(s)/Coach(s): Captains: Robert Goldsberry, Zayvion Eusebe Head Coach: Jacob Tarter

2021-2022 Performance (If applicable):

• Record: 8-6

• Tournament Rankings/Results: N/A

Notables: N/A

Number of Returning Players (Include starters): 6 Returners: Robert Goldsberry (Starter), Zayvion Eusebe (Starter), Chase Sandefur, Connor Maddalon, Josh Bielski, and Brandon Simms

Players to Watch: 6-2 Robert Goldsberry, 6-3 Zayvion Eusebe, 6-5 Marcus Montagnino

New additions: 10 New Additions: Adam Fowler, Khi Horton, Nate Jeffer, Da'Von Jones, Jens Peterson, Zach Jacque, Kofi Kessey, Phil Olsen, Ant Sagoe, and former varsity walk-on Marcus Montagnino

Biggest Rival: Wright State and Ohio State

Best Player Nickname:

2022-23 Season Outlook: Strong upperclass leadership returning in the starting guard positions, (Goldsberry and Eusebe) with a revamped supporting cast and tons of depth off the bench. Look for Marcus Montagnino to make an immediate impact to an already stack offense

Head Coach Quote: We learned what it was like to compete in club basketball games last year it being our first year as a club team and are looking to build off our mediocre 8-6 season from last year. We plan



on using what we learned and our newly added depth off the bench, to make our presence known throughout the country. Look for us to have a breakout season and to make a run at a conference and national championship.