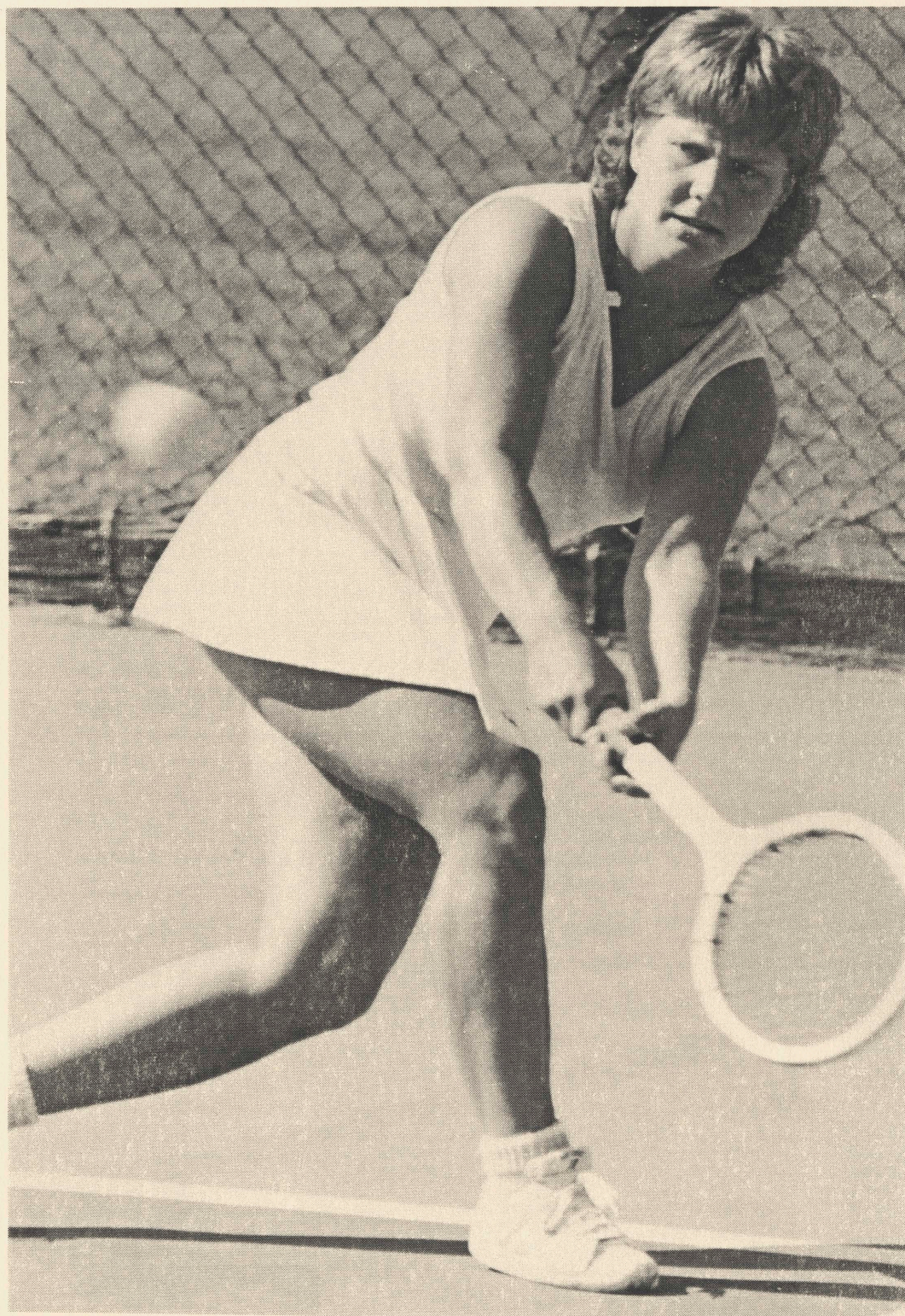


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OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY

Location: Corvallis, Oregon (41,000)
Enrollment: 17,000
Founded: 1868
School Colors: Orange & Black
Nickname: Beavers
Conference: Pacific-10 (men)
NorPac (women)

President: Dr. Robert MacVicar
Athletic Director: Dee Andros
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Head Tennis Coach: Don Megale
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Oregon State University is Oregon's oldest state-supported institution of higher learning. It uses October 27, 1868 as its Charter Day.

Like many of the leading public universities in the United States, Oregon State was established as a Land Grant or "people's college" under the historic Morrill Act signed by President Abraham Lincoln. The act provided grants of lands to the various states to start public colleges that would extend educational opportunities to all who had the will and ability to learn.

In its early years, the school was located in "downtown Corvallis." A 35-acre farm was purchased in 1870 for a new college campus west of town. The first building, Benton Hall, was completed in 1888.

In the beginning, the curriculum was typical of the colleges of the period. There was a classical course leading to the Bachelor of Arts degree and a scientific course leading to the Bachelor of Science.

Agriculture was added in 1869 under the impetus of the Land Grant Act. Commerce household economy and engineering courses came soon too and in 1908, four professional schools were established: Agriculture, Commerce, Engineering, and Home Economics.

With 17,000 students now, Oregon State offers a complete university curriculum. The College of Science and the College of Liberal Arts are the largest academic units. Schools include Agriculture, Business and Technology, Education, Engineering, Forestry, Home Economics, Oceanography, Pharmacy, and a Division of Health and Physical Education.

OSU's 400-acre, tree-lined campus now has about 100 building and research laboratories. Classroom buildings, the library, and student activity areas are located in the center. Residence halls and research areas are on the edges.

In September 1971, Oregon State was designated by the U.S. Commerce Department as one of the nation's first four Sea Grant colleges as well. As such, it is charged with leadership in the wise development of marine resources.

Oregon State's ocean research vessels (four) are docked at Newport on the Oregon coast, just 55 miles from campus. The university's Marine Science Center there has become one of the top tourist attractions in the Northwest.

1983 TENNIS SCHEDULE

<u>DATE</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>	<u>PLACE</u>	<u>TIME</u>
MAR. 1	TUE.	PACIFIC UNIVERSITY	CORVALLIS	3:00 p.m.
MAR. 4	FRI.	WILLAMETTE UNIVERSITY	CORVALLIS	3:00 p.m.
MAR. 5	SAT.	UNIVERSITY OF PUGET SOUND	CORVALLIS	3:00 p.m.
Mar. 8	Tue.	University of Oregon	Eugene	3:30 p.m.
MAR. 31	THU.	LINFIELD	CORVALLIS	2:30 p.m.
Apr. 4	Mon.	Linfield	McMinnville	3:30 p.m.
APR. 6	WED.	UNIVERSITY OF PORTLAND	CORVALLIS	3:30 p.m.
APR. 10	SUN.	PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY	CORVALLIS	11:00 a.m.
APR. 12	TUE.	MT. HOOD COMMUNITY COLLEGE	CORVALLIS	3:30 p.m.
APR. 14	THU.	UNIVERSITY OF OREGON	CORVALLIS	3:30 p.m.
APR. 16	SAT.	WHITWORTH COLLEGE	CORVALLIS	2:00 p.m.
Apr. 22-23	F-S.	NorPac Invitational	Seattle, WA	All Day
Apr. 28	Thu.	University of Portland	Portland	2:00 p.m.
May 1	Sun.	Bellevue Community College	Bellevue, WA	10:00 a.m.
May 3	Tue.	Portland State University	Portland	2:00 p.m.
May 6-7	F-S.	NorPac Championships	Santa Clara, CA	All Day
MAY 12	THU.	CLACKAMAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE	Corvallis	3:30 p.m.
May 15-22	S-S.	NCAA Championships	TBA	TBA

1983 TENNIS ROSTER

<u>NAME</u>	<u>HGT.</u>	<u>WGT.</u>	<u>BIRTHDATE</u>	<u>YR.</u>	<u>EXP.</u>	<u>HOMETOWN (High School)</u>
Patty Basham	5-4	125	9/26/64	Fr.	HS	Sweet Home (Sweet Home)
Karen Erickson	5-7	128	7/2/63	So.	HS	Coos Bay (Marshfield)
Lisa Jipp	5-3	115	3/31/64	Fr.	HS	Turner (Cascade)
Molly Nelson	5-5	125	9/11/64	Fr.	HS	Independence (Central)
Jennifer Offerdahl	5-10	160	8/11/64	Fr.	HS	Aloha (Aloha)
Margie Powell	5-6	127	10/7/63	So.	TR	Myrtle Creek (South Umpqua)
Katie Reeder	5-4	113	8/2/64	Fr.	HS	Medford (St. Mary's)
Pam Riley	5-2	120	10/12/62	So.	1V	Corvallis (Crescent Valley)
Lisa Todd	5-5	120	2/5/63	So.	1V	Lake Oswego (Lakeridge)
Lori Wray	5-1	100	4/13/61	Sr.	1V	The Dalles (The Dalles)

HEAD COACH: DON MEGALE, 1st year
 ASST. COACH: MIKE ROSSBACHER

THE OSU COACHES

HEAD COACH -- DON MEGALE Oregon State, 1952

Don Megale, an Associate Professor of Physical Education at Oregon State, was named the Beavers' head women's tennis coach January 4, 1983.

Megale, who turns 53 on April 16, graduated from Oregon State in 1952, where he competed on the tennis team three years. He was the number one singles player his junior and senior years.

Before his OSU career, Megale attended Marshfield High School in Coos Bay. While in high school, he competed in four years of tennis and three years of basketball, winning state championships in both sports.

Megale took his first coaching job at Klamath Union High School, where he coached tennis in 1957 and 1958, and basketball in 1958. He coached both squads to state AAA high school championships.

In 1962, Megale returned to Oregon State to coach the men's tennis team. The Beavers won Northern Division championships in 1966 and 1967 under his guidance. After the 1968 season, Megale left his post to further his education at the University of Utah.

Megale and his wife, Mary Anne, have six children.

ASSISTANT COACH - MIKE ROSSBACHER Junior at Oregon State

Mike Rossbacher, a junior at Oregon State, is assisting head coach Don Megale in his first season as women's tennis coach.

Born in Riverside, Calif. on Sept. 4, 1961, Rossbacher graduated from Corvallis High School in 1979. While at Corvallis, he won four letters in tennis and four letters in soccer.

1983 SEASON OUTLOOK

In his inaugural season as Oregon State women's tennis coach Don Megale is anxious to build a competitive program.

"I'm looking forward to a real fun season, and I'm hoping to see some improvement and some real good play," said Megale.

The Beavers face a season of discovery as the new coach pieces together a team built around youth and inexperience. OSU will attempt to regroup with a trio of returnees and some untested but impressive talent. A strong early schedule featuring the likes of the University of Puget Sound and Oregon should help prepare the Beavers for a rugged NorPac tournament, which will be played April 22-23 in Seattle, Wash.

Megale knows he will have trouble with his walk-on program trying to compete on an even level with more experienced, scholarship programs, but feels that the team is doing well so far.

"We're doing the best job that we can to represent Oregon State," Megale said. "and so far we've been really pleased. We've got some real good play from some of the team members."

This year's team has only three people back from last year's squad, and each of the returning players has only one year of experience with the team. The veterans are led by Pam Riley, a sophomore out of Corvallis' Crescent Valley High School. Riley, daughter of OSU baseball coach Jack Riley, is the only returning player in the OSU top six of a year ago, and has been playing in the number two singles position this season.

With only three returning players, the OSU roster has a good number of incoming players. Heading up that list is Patty Basham, the Beaver's number one singles player this season. A freshman out of Sweet Home, Basham was team captain, outstanding player, and first team all-league all four years in high school. She was also half of a state champion doubles team her junior year.

Another new item for the OSU tennis team this season is the courts. The Beavers play their home matches on the courts on the north side of Gill Coliseum on the OSU campus, and the west courts have been resurfaced and covered, giving the Beavers a fine playing and practice area in any kind of weather.

OREGON STATE PLAYER PROFILES

PATTY BASHAM, 5-4, Fr., 18, Sweet Home (Sweet Home)

Basham is coach Don Megale's top newcomer this season, stepping into the top singles spot while teaming with sophomore Pam Riley to form what Megale calls "one of the best doubles teams in the Northwest." A freshman in Dental Hygiene, Basham graduated from Sweet Home High with a 3.45 grade point average. While at Sweet Home, she was captain of the tennis team, the team's outstanding player, and first team all-league all four years. She was also half of a state champion doubles team her junior year at Sweet Home.

KAREN ERICKSON, 5-7, So., 19, Coos Bay (Marshfield)

In her second year at Oregon State, this is Erickson's first year on the tennis squad. At Marshfield High, she competed on the tennis team for two years, making the first doubles team her senior year. Erickson is a sophomore in Pre-Nursing.

LISA JIPP, 5-3, Fr., 18, Turner (Cascade)

After playing in the number one singles spot during her four years at Cascade High, Jipp moves to OSU, where she settles into the third singles position. She was her district champion her first three years at Cascade, taking runner-up her senior year. She was also second in the state AA championships her sophomore and junior years, losing in the semifinals in her freshman and senior years. Jipp is a freshman in Business.

MOLLY NELSON, 5-5, Fr., 18, Independence (Central)

Nelson lettered in tennis all four years at Central High, and was top player on the team her junior and senior years. She also lettered in basketball two years at Cascade. A freshman in Physical Education, Nelson is one of coach Megale's top six singles players.

JENNIFER OFFERDAHL, 5-10, Fr., 18, Aloha (Aloha)

Offerdahl collected five letters during her career at Aloha, two each in tennis and volleyball and one in basketball. She was named honorable mention All-Metro in volleyball while at Aloha. Offerdahl is a freshman in International Business at Oregon State.

MARGIE POWELL, 5-6, So., 19, Myrtle Creek (South Umpqua-Umpqua Community College)

Powell was the number three singles player on last year's Umpqua CC tennis team before transferring to OSU for her sophomore year. She was also named the most improved player on the UCC volleyball team in 1981. Powell competed in volleyball and basketball while in high school at South Umpqua. She is a home Economics major at Oregon State.

KATIE REEDER, 5-4, Fr., 18, Medford (St. Mary's)

Reeder comes to Oregon State this year after an active athletic career at Medford's St. Mary's High, where she was named the top female athlete of 1982. She competed in volleyball, basketball, and tennis while at St. Mary's. Reeder is a freshman in Business at OSU.

PAM RILEY, 5-2, So., 20, Corvallis (Crescent Valley)

Riley is Coach Megale's best returning player this year, having gone 10-6 in the fourth singles position her freshman year. She was also named most inspirational on the team last season. Riley competed in basketball and tennis all four years at Crescent Valley High, being named the MVP and captain of the basketball team her junior and senior years. She also competed in two years of volleyball and a year of cross country at Crescent Valley, being named MVP of the softball team her sophomore year. Daughter of OSU baseball coach Jack Riley and brother of Beaver second baseman Mickey Riley, Pam is a Graphic Design major at Oregon State.

LISA TODD, 5-5, So., 19, Lake Oswego (Lakeridge)

As a freshman last season, Todd accumulated a 3-1 record in limited action. Todd lettered four years in tennis while at Lakeridge, acting as team captain her junior and senior years. A sophomore in English at OSU, Todd is seeing action at the third and fourth singles positions for the Beavers.

LORI WRAY, 5-1, Sr., 21, The Dalles (The Dalles)

In her first year of competition last year, Wray was victorious in her only singles match. In high school at The Dalles, she won three letters in tennis, being named the most improved player her senior year. Wray is a senior in Sociology at Oregon State, the only senior on this year's OSU squad.

1982 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Singles: Shannon Miller 7-9; Jennifer Bauman 6-9; Mary Ivancie 11-5; Beth Nibler 3-8; PAM RILEY 10-6; Jeanne Nibler 6-5; Cindy Geisler 0-1; Suzanne Smith 5-2; LISA TODD 3-1; Penny Kingsbury 0-3; LORI WRAY 1-0.

Doubles: MILLER-RILEY 8-8; Bauman-B. Nibler 6-5; Ivancie-J. Nibler 4-2; Ivancie-Smith 4-3; Bauman-Ivancie 1-1; Smith-J. Nibler 1-1; TODD-WRAY 0-1; B. Nibler-Kingsbury 1-0; WRAY-J. NIBLER 1-0; SMITH-TODD 0-1.

1982 REGIONAL RESULTS

(Team Results)

- 1) Washington
- 2) Oregon
- 3) Montana State
- 4) Oregon State
- 5) Washington State
- 6) Montana
(forfeited all matches)

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS (1978-82)

1978 (6-6) Coach Patty Nevue

OSU vs. OPPONENTS

8-1 vs. Portland State	1-8 vs. Southern Oregon
0-9 vs. Washington	9-0 vs. Oregon College
3-6 vs. Lewis and Clark	0-9 vs. Washington
0-9 vs. Oregon	2-7 vs. Oregon
8-1 vs. Portland State	7-2 vs. Pacific Lutheran
7-2 vs. Puget Sound	8-2 vs. Oregon College

1979 (9-6) Coach Patty Nevue

OSU vs. OPPONENTS

9-0 vs. Portland State	1-8 vs. San Jose State
5-4 vs. Pacific Lutheran	4-5 vs. Santa Clara
4-5 vs. Washington	9-0 vs. Lewis and Clark
5-4 vs. Washington State	9-0 vs. Lane Community College
9-0 vs. Oregon College	9-0 vs. Oregon College
1-8 vs. Washington	6-3 vs. Oregon
3-6 vs. Oregon	3-6 Montana State
8-1 vs. San Francisco	

1980 (16-5) Coach Patty Nevue

OSU vs. OPPONENTS

4-5 vs. Montana	6-3 vs. San Francisco State
8-1 vs. Pacific Lutheran	4-5 vs. Oregon
8-1 vs. Puget Sound	9-0 vs. Oregon College
1-8 vs. San Francisco	9-0 vs. Oregon College
9-0 vs. Diablo Valley CC	0-9 vs. Washington
9-0 vs. Linfield College	5-4 vs. Idaho
7-2 vs. Washington State	6-3 vs. WWSC
9-0 vs. Southern Oregon	9-0 vs. Lewis and Clark
5-4 vs. Washington State	4-5 vs. Oregon
0-9 vs. UC-Davis	5-4 vs. Montana State
5-4 vs. Humboldt State	

1981 (17-9) Coach Patty Nevue

OSU vs. OPPONENTS

6-3 vs. Oregon	0-9 vs. Washington
6-3 vs. Montana	6-3 vs. Oregon
8-1 vs. Puget Sound	9-0 vs. Portland State
3-6 vs. Nevada-Reno	8-1 vs. Portland
4-5 vs. Chico State	9-0 vs. Oregon College
1-8 vs. San Francisco State	0-9 vs. Washington
5-4 vs. Chabot	1-8 vs. Idaho
3-6 vs. Oregon	9-0 vs. Seattle Pacific
7-0 vs. Portland State	7-2 vs. Western Washington
4-5 vs. Sacramento State	5-4 vs. Oregon
9-0 vs. Southern Oregon	8-1 vs. Southern Oregon
9-0 vs. Linn-Benton CC	5-4 vs. Montana State
9-0 vs. Lewis and Clark	0-9 vs. Washington

1982 (10-9) Coach Patty Nevue

OSU vs. OPPONENTS

2-7 vs. Nevada-Reno

8-1 vs. Puget Sound

2-7 vs. Cal St-Los Angeles

4-5 vs. Airforce Academy

6-3 vs. Principia of Illinois

8-1 vs. Puget Sound

9-0 vs. Southern Oregon

3-6 vs. Oregon

8-1 vs. Portland State

6-3 vs. Portland

0-9 vs. Washington

9-0 vs. U. of Seattle

5-4 vs. Washington State

0-9 vs. Oregon

9-0 vs. Lewis and Clark

1-8 vs. Idaho

2-7 vs. Montana State

6-3 vs. Washington State

0-9 vs. Oregon

