



OKLAHOMA BASKETBALL

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TEAM NOTES

- No. 16/16 Oklahoma won its final regular-season road game by topping TCU, 73-64, on Saturday inside Schollmaier Arena. Three Sooners scored in double figures as OU improved to 6-5 on the road this season. The Sooners are 22-7 overall and 13-4 in Big 12 play this season, while TCU fell to 12-16 overall and 4-13 against league foes. The Sooners have won at least 13 conference games eight times in the Big 12 era. The Sooners' 22 regular-season victories are the most by an OU team since the 2008-09 squad finished the regular season with a 25-3 record.
- OU held TCU to just 64 points during Saturday night's game, the fewest allowed by the Sooners in series history against the Horned Frogs. The Sooners are 18-0 this season when holding their opponent to 70 points or fewer.
- The Sooners won the rebounding battle, 50-39, against the Horned Frogs as Gioya Carter, Maddie Manning and Gabbi Ortiz pulled down seven boards apiece. OU's 50 rebounds are tied for the second-most against a Big 12 foe this season by the Sooners. OU is 13-1 and have won nine straight games when it outrebounds its opponent.
- Oklahoma recorded five blocks in Saturday's win over TCU and now has 170 rejections this season, which ranks fifth in school single-season history. The Sooners need 20 more blocked shots to move into fourth place. Nancy Mulkey (59) and Vionise Pierre-Louis (58) have recorded 117 of OU's 170 blocks this year.
- The Sooners finished with a season-high .545 (6-of-11) 3-point shooting percentage. Manning was a perfect 3-for-3 from beyond the arc.
- T'ona Edwards' steal and lay-in at the buzzer game OU a 32-31 halftime lead. The Sooners are 15-2 this season and have won 11 consecutive contests when leading at intermission.
- Oklahoma improved to 6-0 this season and has won 12 consecutive games dating back to the 2015-16 season when playing on Saturday.
- OU has won six straight meetings against TCU and leads the all-time series, 21-4. OU is 9-1 against the Horned Frogs since TCU joined the Big 12 Conference.
- Oklahoma head coach Sherri Coale is now 464-224 in her 21 seasons with the Sooners. She is 225-112 against Big 12 teams during the regular season at OU. Coale's 225 league victories during the regular season are the most by a Big 12 head coach in league history.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

PEYTON LITTLE

- Has 1,146 points during her career at Oklahoma and needs just two more to pass Mandy Wade (1,148, 1992-95) for 28th on OU's all-time scoring chart.
- Hit a 3-pointer for her third consecutive game with at least one trey. Little ranks seventh in school history with 155 career 3-pointers and needs 10 more triples to pass Whitney Hand (164, 2009-13) for sixth in school history.

MADDIE MANNING

- Made her first start since Feb. 4 and scored in double figures for the 18th time this season with 15 points on 6-of-10 shooting. OU is 16-2 this season when Manning finishes with at least 10-plus points. She also tied for the team lead with seven rebounds and recorded three assists.
- Was 3-of-3 from beyond the arc and has hit at least one 3-pointer in eight consecutive games. Manning ranks fourth in the Big 12 with a .413 3-point field goal percentage this season. She is third in Big 12 play with a .467 clip from deep.

NANCY MULKEY

- Finished with one block and moved into seventh place in OU single-season history with 59 blocked shots, passing Nicole Griffiin (58, 2012-13). Mulkey's 59 blocks are the third-most ever by an OU freshman in program history. The freshman also added in six points and six rebounds in 19 minutes of action.

GABBI ORTIZ

- Finished in double figures for the 12th time in 17 Big 12 games by scoring 13 points on 3-of-9 shooting from the field, while finishing 5-of-5 at the free throw line. Ortiz is averaging 11.4 points per game in conference play.
- Tied her career high for the second straight games with eight assists. The junior has led the Sooners in assists 17 times in 29 contests. OU is 13-4 in such games.
- Leads Oklahoma with 107 assists this season. It is the second time in her three years at OU that Ortiz has tallied 100-plus assists in one season.
- Hit a 3-pointer for the fourth straight game and ranks second on the team with .384 3-point field goal percentage in conference play.
- Has led the Sooners in assists in five straight games and is averaging 5.6 assists per game over the last five contests.

VIONISE PIERRE-LOUIS

- Led all scorers with 18 points on 6-of-9 shooting at TCU for her fifth straight double-figure scoring game. Despite early foul trouble, Pierre-Louis scored 16 of her 18 points in the second half. She picked up four rebounds, four blocks and one steal in 14 minutes of action off the bench.
- Finished with the team lead in points scored for the fourth time in the last five games.
- Is averaging 20.6 points, 9.2 rebounds and 2.6 blocks per game over the last five contests. Pierre-Louis is shooting .588 from the field in the last five games.
- Tied her season high for the second straight game with four blocks. Pierre-Louis now has 58 blocks this season, which is tied for the eighth-most in OU single-season history.
- Led the Sooners in scoring for the eighth time this season. OU is 6-2 in 2016-17 when Pierre-Louis leads the Sooners in scoring (10-3 in her career).