

GAME NOTES

CLEMSON SOFTBALL

TEAM 4

GAME 54: CLEMSON (45-8, 18-6 ACC) VS NORTH CAROLINA

Thursday, May 11, 2023

Melissa Cook Stadium • Notre Dame, Ind.

THIS WEEK

• Thursday, May 11

- Clemson North Carolina: 7:30 p.m. | ACC Network
- **Where:** Melissa Cook Stadium | Notre Dame, Ind.
- **Live Stats** - ClemsonTigers.com/softball/schedule
- **Social Media** - [ClemsonSoftball](https://www.facebook.com/ClemsonSoftball)

CLEMSON OVERVIEW

- Clemson returns 17 letterwinners from the 2022 roster, including five players that were All-ACC selections, and added three graduate transfer to bolster the roster.
- The Tigers hold a .320 batting average led by Valerie Cagle (.468) and JoJo Hyatt (.365). The team holds a .543 slugging percentage led by Cagle (.917) and a .416 on-base percentage also led by Cagle (.554).
- Clemson's pitching staff maintains a 1.35 ERA through 338 innings pitched. They have struck out 284 batters and limited opponents to a .198 average.

NORTH CAROLINA OVERVIEW

- North Carolina is led by head coach Donna J. Papa.
- The Tarheels are batting .278 as a team led by Alex Brown (.406) with a .404 team slugging percentage.
- In the circle, the team posts a 3.04 ERA with 241 strikeouts through 361.2 innings. Lilli Backes leads the group with a 2.86 ERA through 173.2 innings.

QUICK HITS

- Clemson has outscored opponents 329-85.
- The Tigers have run-ruled 15 opponents: FIU, Georgia State, No. 14/11 Northwestern, Ohio State, Michigan State, Gardner-Webb, Syracuse, Mercer, Bryant, Jacksonville, Charlotte, Georgia Tech (twice), South Carolina, Boston College and Pitt.
- Clemson has 431 hits through 53 games, including posting 80 doubles and 70 home runs.
- The Tigers have 310 RBIs this season with Valerie Cagle (53), Alia Logoleo (46), Caroline Jacobsen (41) and McKenzie Clark (35) leading the way. A total of 10 players have double-digit RBIs.
- 11 Tigers have combined for 112 multi-hit games this season led by Cagle (23), Clark (16), Davenport (12), Jacobsen (12) and Logoleo (12).

THE NATIONALLY RANKED TIGERS

- Heading into week 14, Clemson continues to remain in the top 10, coming in at No. 10 on all major polls: NFCA Coaches, USA Today/ESPN, D1Softball and Softball America.
- The Tigers reached new heights climbing to No. 4 on the USA Today/NFCA and ESPN/USA Softball polls heading into week four. They remained in the fourth spot through week six in both polls.
- Clemson received its first single-digit ranking in program history clocking in at No. 9 on the ESPN/USA Softball poll during the third week of 2022.
- The Tigers received single-digit rankings by the NFCA in 11-consecutive weeks in 2023.

VALERIE CAGLE

- The Yorktown, Va., native is a two-time NFCA All-American (First Team in 2022, Second Team in 2021).
- She was the first softball player in the ACC to be

crowned both the ACC Freshman of the Year and Player of the Year earning the honor in 2021.

- This season, Cagle is batting .468 with a team-high 73 hits, including 14 doubles and 18 home runs with a .917 slugging percentage. She has tallied 53 RBIs and scored 46 runs.
- Being a dual threat, she also holds a 1.22 ERA through 32 appearances with seven solo shutout and three combined. She has struck out 165 batters in 161 innings of work while limiting opponents to a .180 average.
- On May 3, Cagle was named a USA Softball Top 10 Finalist for the second time of her career. She was announced as a Top 25 Finalist for the third-consecutive season on April 19.
- Cagle continues to etch her name in the record books throwing Clemson's first perfect game against Mercer. The 5.0 inning performance had Cagle facing 15 batters, striking out eight, while only throwing 51 total pitches (40 strikes), and never reached a three-ball count during the contest. During the performance, she eclipsed 600 career strikeouts. She became the eighth D1 player to throw a perfect game this season
- Against Georgia Tech, she threw an immaculate inning tossing only nine pitches to strikeout out all three GT batters on March 24 in the bottom of the second.
- In the sixth week of action, Cagle came forward with her injury report in her own words speaking about the shoulder surgery she had following the 2022 season. The full video can be watched at clemsonsoftball.com/2023-valerie-cagle/
- The redshirt junior continued to rake in the honors in 2023 being named the Louisville Slugger/NFCA Player of the Week, D1Softball Player of the Week and ACC Co-Player of the Week after her week seven performance against Georgia Tech.
- Cagle was named ACC Pitcher and Co-Player of the Week after the second week of action where she batted .529 with one double and four home runs and maintained a 1.65 ERA with three victories and a save while striking out 23 batters. She earned her second ACC Pitcher of the week honor after earning three wins against Charlotte and Virginia. She notched her third weekly pitcher honor after picking up three wins in the circle against South Carolina and Boston College. Her latest ACC weekly honor came after she tallied six hits including one double and four homers, 10 RBIs, scored six runs and had a 1.727 slugging percentage. She has six total ACC weekly honors this season (three pitcher, three co-player)
- After opening weekend, Cagle earned her first Top Performances by the NFCA of the season. She has been selected five times this season.
- During week 10, Cagle picked up the victory against South Carolina in the circle pitching 1.2 innings and hit a three-run go-ahead homer to seal the Palmetto Series, and tallied her 18th home run of the season with a homer at NC State to set a single-season program record.
- On her career, she has 228 hits, 178 RBI, 149 runs and a .386 average. In the circle she holds a 1.52 ERA through 628 innings with 695 strikeouts, 75 wins and 25 solo shutouts.

CLEMSON AT A GLANCE

Overall Record:	45-8
ACC Record:	18-6
Home Record:	25-3
Away Record:	14-4
Neutral Record:	6-1
Streak:	W1
Last 5 Games:	2-3
Last 10 Games:	6-4
Day Record:	32-7
Night Record:	13-1

HEAD COACH JOHN RITTMAN

Fourth Season at Clemson:	150-41
ACC Record:	63-12
22nd Year Overall:	900-392-3

CLEMSON HISTORY

All-Time:	150-41
All-Time Record, Home:	87-14
All-Time Record, Away:	41-17
All-Time Record, Neutral:	22-10

VS NORTH CAROLINA

All-Time:	7-0
Under Rittman:	7-0
Last Clemson Win:	4/3/22, Clemson 12, North Carolina 4 (5)
Last North Carolina Win:	N/A
Streak:	W7

*Note: A full 2023 schedule is available on the second page

*Note to media members: Credential requests for home games at McWhorter Stadium open on the preceeding Monday of each game. Requests can be made at ClemsonTigers.com/softball under Media Resources.

WEEKLY POLLS

Date	W-L	2023			
		NFCA	ESPN	D1	SA
2/6	0-0	10	10	9	10
2/13	5-0	7	6	6	7
2/20	10-0	5	5	5	4
2/28	15-1	4	4	7	5
3/7	20-1	4	4	7	5
3/14	25-1	4	4	6	5
3/21	29-1	5	5	5	5
3/28	32-1	5	5	5	5
4/4	36-1	4	4	5	5
4/11	37-4	6	7	8	8
4/18	40-5	6	6	6	6
4/26	44-5	6	6	6	5
5/2	45-8	10	8	10	11
5/9	45-8	9	10	10	7

Note: Clemson's all-time rankings can be found in the Clemson softball record book.

ADDITIONAL MEDIA RESOURCES

- More information and a digital version of this set of game notes can be found by scanning the QR Code.



Stats and notes are updated going into series only

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2023 SCHEDULE

Date	Day	Opponent	Watch	Time/Result
2-9	Thu	\$ at FIU	N/A	W, 10-1 (5)
2-10	Fri	\$ Georgia State	N/A	W, 11-2
2-11	Sat	\$ Kansas City	N/A	W, 8-1
2-11	Sat	\$ Georgia State	N/A	W, 11-3 (6)
2-12	Sun	\$ at FIU	C-USA	W, 4-0
2-14	Tue	at Furman	ESPN+	W, 10-0
2-17	Fri	% (14) Northwestern	ACCNX	W, 15-2 (5)
2-18	Sat	% (14) Northwestern	ACCNX	W, 3-2
2-18	Sat	% Ohio State	ACCNX	W, 5-1
2-19	Sun	% Ohio State	ACCNX	W, 10-0 (5)
2-21	Tue	(17) Georgia	ACCNX	W, 7-1
2-23	Thu	# at USF	ESPN+	W, 6-0
2-24	Fri	# UIC	N/A	W, 9-2
2-25	Sat	# Michigan State	N/A	W, 4-1
2-25	Sat	# Tennessee	ACCNX	L, 0-1
2-26	Sun	# Michigan State	N/A	W, 8-0
3-1	Wed	Gardner-Webb	ACCNX	W, 8-0 (5)
3-1	Wed	Gardner-Webb	ACCNX	W, 4-1
3-11	Sat	* Syracuse	ACCNX	W, 4-1
3-4	Sat	* Syracuse	ACCNX	W, 8-0 (5)
3-5	Sun	* Syracuse	ACCNX	W, 1-0
3-8	Wed	Mercer	ACCNX	W, 18-0 (5)
3-10	Fri	! Bryant	ACCNX	W, 10-1 (5)
3-10	Fri	! UNCG	ACCNX	W, 3-0
3-11	Sat	! Jacksonville	ACCNX	W, 9-0 (5)
3-11	Sat	! UNCG	ACCNX	W, 6-1
3-15	Wed	Charlotte	ACCN	W, 9-1 (5)
3-18	Sat	* Virginia	ACCNX	W, 4-1
3-18	Sat	* Virginia	ACCNX	W, 1-0
3-19	Sun	* Virginia	ACCN	W, 2-0
3-24	Fri	* at Georgia Tech	ACCNX	W, 9-1 (5)
3-25	Sat	* at Georgia Tech	ACCN	W, 8-4
3-26	Sun	* at Georgia Tech	ACCNX	W, 13-0 (5)
3-28	Tue	South Carolina	ACCNX	W, 10-0 (5)
3-31	Fri	* at Boston College	ACCNX	W, 8-4
3-31	Fri	* at Boston College	ACCNX	W, 7-3
4-2	Sun	* at Boston College	ACCNX	W, 8-0 (5)
4-5	Wed	Furman	ACCN	W, 4-1
4-6	Thu	* Florida State	ACCNX	L, 0-7
4-6	Thu	* Florida State	ACCN	L, 1-4
4-7	Fri	* Florida State	ESPN2	L, 2-3
4-11	Tue	at South Carolina	SEC+	W, 4-3
4-14	Fri	* at NC State	ACCNX	W, 4-1 (8)
4-15	Sat	* at NC State	ACCNX	W, 6-3
4-16	Sun	* at NC State	ACCN	L, 5-7
4-18	Tue	Winthrop	ACCNX	W, 2-0
4-21	Fri	* Pitt	ACCNX	W, 3-2
4-22	Sat	* Pitt	ACCN	W, 2-0
4-23	Sun	* Pitt	ACCNX	W, 11-2 (6)
4-26	Wed	at Liberty	ESPN+	L, 4-5
4-28	Fri	* at Virginia Tech	ACCNX	L, 4-5
4-29	Sat	* at Virginia Tech	ACCNX	L, 1-3
4-30	Sun	* at Virginia Tech	ACCNX	W, 5-4
5-11	Thu	^ North Carolina	ACCN	7:30 p.m.
5-18 - 5-21		NCAA Regionals		
5-25 - 5-28		NCAA Super Regionals		
6-2 - 6-9		NCAA Women's College World Series		TBA

Note: Home games in **bold**; all times are Eastern

* - ACC regular-season game

\$ - FIU Tournament (Miami, Fla.)

% - ACC/Big 10 Challenge (Clemson, S.C.)

- USF Tournament (Tampa, Fla.)

! - Clemson Classic (Clemson, S.C.)

^ - ACC Championship (Notre Dame, Ind.)

CAGLE HOME RUNS/VICTORIES

- In her career, Valerie Cagle has earned 75 pitching victories and hit 58 home runs at Clemson. She has accomplished both 27 times in the same game.
- When she hits a home run and has the pitching decision, the Tigers are 27-4 (she has suffered only one loss each season).
- In 2023, she accomplished the feat four times in eight days (March 24-31)

CAGLE HOMERING IN WINS (2023)

Date	Opponent	IP	H	R	ER	BB	K
4/11	at South Carolina	1.2	2	1	1	0	0
3/31	at Boston College	5.0	2	0	0	0	3
3/28	South Carolina	5.0	1	0	0	1	5
3/26	at Georgia Tech	5.0	1	0	0	1	4
3/24	at Georgia Tech	4.0	2	1	1	3	9
3/4	Syracuse	7.0	3	1	0	1	8
2/18	Ohio State	7.0	3	1	1	1	7
2/14	at Furman	4.0	3	0	0	0	7
2/10	vs. Georgia State	5.0	3	2	0	1	3

PITCHING PROWESS

- Junior Millie Thompson has added the perfect 1-2 punch dynamic with Cagle to Clemson's pitching staff.
- The lefty was a Third Team All-ACC selection in 2022 after making the All-Freshman team in 2021.
- She threw two no-hitters in 2022, her first coming against Furman (April 6) in five-innings and her second against UNCW (May 20) in the Clemson Regional. The Bedford, Va., native finished the Clemson Regional with a five-inning shutout against Louisiana (May 22) with five strikeouts, one hit and one walk.
- This season, Thompson holds a 1.68 ERA with 13 wins and five solo shutouts throwing 83.1 innings with 68 strikeouts.
- On her career, she holds a 1.74 ERA through 64 appearances and 281.1 IP. She has struck out 248 batters and clocked 37 victories.
- Joining Cagle and Thompson have been junior Regan Spencer and sophomore Brooke McCubbin.
- Spencer has made 16 appearances (30.1 innings) with one solo shutout and 18 strikeouts while maintaining a 1.62 ERA with five wins and one save this season.
- McCubbin has appeared in 17 games (62.1 innings) and struck out 32 batters, including a career-high eight in the third week of action against Michigan State. She holds a 1.12 ERA with five victories.
- During week nine against Furman, McCubbin was one out away from throwing her first career no-hitter after going 6.2 innings before giving up a hit.

TOP TRANSFERS

- Clemson added three transfers to the roster during the offseason in Reedy Davenport, Caroline Jacobsen and Ally Miklesh.
- Each one has added a missing piece to the Tiger lineup, and been a positive addition to the Clemson defense.
- Davenport has taken ownership of the hot corner making multiple quick reaction plays after being the 2021 ASUN Defensive Player of the Year and ASUN First Team honors to the Clemson to sure up the defense.
- Offensively this season, she holds a .298 average with 37 hits, 30 RBIs, 13 runs and a .468 slg. percentage. She has tallied 31 putouts with 100 assists on the year.
- Jacobsen, a Duke transfer, joined the Tigers and filled the vacant right field spot tallying 52 putouts and four assists this season.
- She adds power to the lineup maintaining a .316 average with 48 hits, including 12 doubles and 11 home runs for a .612 slg. percentage, with 41 RBIs and 35 runs. She has also added some speed to the lineup with seven stolen bases on the year.

- Jacobsen was recently the 20th overall selection of the 2023 WPF Draft after being drafted by USSSA Pride.
- Rounding out the transfer squad has been Ally Miklesh from Wisconsin. She joined the Tiger lineup as the starting left fielder tallying 42 putouts, joining Jacobsen and McKenzie Clark as three of the strongest outfielders in the country.
- Offensively, Miklesh holds a .331 average with 39 hits, 37 runs and 11 RBIs with a .466 on-base percentage and .407 slg. percentage. Her speed is an added bonus, as she has stolen 18 bases.
- D1Softball wrote a story on all-three transfers and their addition to the program that can be found at <https://d1softball.com/for-three-wcws-hopefuls-all-roads-lead-to-clemson/>.

EXPERIENCED LINEUP

- There is no question that Clemson amped up the lineup for the 2023 season after adding the three transfers, but the returners have loaded themselves with the right tools to take the next step both offensively and defensively.
- McKenzie "Pie" Clark has been Clemson's starting centerfielder since stepping onto campus in the fall of 2020. She has tallied 149 putouts with 14 assists and constantly shows opponents that they shouldn't test her arm from center throwing out multiple runners looking for extra bases or attempting to score.
- At the plate in 2023, Clark is batting .344 at the top of the lineup with 53 hits, including 11 doubles, one triple and 11 home runs, with 50 runs scored and 35 RBIs. She holds a .643 slg. percentage with 10 stolen bases.
- Joining Clark as a key returner is shortstop Alia Logoleo. Logoleo has played multiple positions (outfield and third base) before finding her home in the middle infield. She has clocked 172 putouts with 285 assists during her career.
- In 2023, Logoleo has a .293 average. She has 43 hits, 46 RBIs, 29 runs scored and a .510 slg. percentage while also stealing 10 bases.

SUPER SOPHOMORES

- Sophomores Maddie Moore and Aby Vieira have stepped up to the plate and taken the experience from the 2022 season to set the team up for success in 2023.
- Moore has taken over for former Tiger Cammy Pereira at second base and made it her own. In her new role, she has already tallied 73 putouts and 88 assists compared to 46 putouts and 94 assists in 2022.
- At the plate, Moore has shifted around the lineup, and is batting .273 with 41 hits, 31 RBIs and 45 runs scored. She has a .513 slg. percentage, .408 on-base percentage with 14 stolen bases. She also hit Clemson's first grand slam of 2023 against Pitt.
- Vieira is back behind the plate as one of two primary catchers for the Tigers. She has clocked 178 putouts, 20 assists and caught seven batters stealing.
- Offensively, Vieira is batting .326 with 28 hits, 17 RBIs and 11 runs scored. She has hit three home runs with five doubles for a .488 slg. percentage, while drawing eight walks for a .392 on-base percentage.
- Vieira sustained a left forearm injury during the South Carolina game and has not returned to the lineup.

NEED FOR SPEED

- The Tigers have been dynamic on the base paths in 2023 clocking 96 stolen bases through 53 games to average 1.81 per game.
- Pinch runner Julia Bomhardt leads the team this season with 19 stolen bases followed closely by Ally Miklesh stealing 18.
- In total, 11 Tigers have stolen at least one base this season (Cagle, Hyatt, Oda, Davenport, Clark, Jacobsen,

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Logoleo, Moore and Houston).

- During week three against UIC, the Tigers finished with seven stolen bases led by Clark (3), while Miklesh (2), Bomhardt (1) and Moore (1) rounded out the group - this tied a program record set earlier in the season against Ohio State where six Tigers stole a base.
- Against UIC, Clark's three stolen bases tied her personal and the individual record for most stolen bases in a single game that was set by Sam Russ (2022) and Clark (2021).

FIRST 200

- Clemson softball is rapidly approaching the 200th game in program history - being only nine games away.
- The softball program has placed itself in a position to have the best record through the first 200 games amongst Clemson sports (see chart below). The Tigers already paced themselves to tie with women's tennis for the most wins through 100 games (78 wins, 22 losses - .780 percentage).
- Clemson hit its 100th win in program history in 130 games - this is the second fastest program to reach the 100 win mark after women's tennis did it in 128 matches.

FIRST 200 GAMES - BY PROGRAM

Sport (1st Year)	Wins	Loss	Ties	Percentage
Softball (2020)	150	41	-	.785
Men's Soccer (1934)	151	37	12	.785
Women's Tennis (1976)	151	49	-	.755
Women's Soccer (1994)	139	55	6	.710
WBasketball (1975-76)	135	65	-	.675
Volleyball (1977)	128	72	-	.640
Baseball (1896)	110	85	5	.563
Football (1896)	104	79	17	.563
Men's Tennis (1921)	108	87	5	.553
MBasketball (1911-12)	82	117	1	.413

McWHORTER MADNESS

- Clemson fans continue to showcase why they are the best fans in the country.
- Through 27 home events (the Gardner-Webb double-header counts as one event), Clemson welcomed 51,056 fans into the stadium to average roughly 1,890 fans per game (previous attendance record was 1,616).
- Prior to the 2023 season, Clemson sold out of season tickets for the second consecutive year after previously selling out in 2022 (season tickets were not sold in 2021 due to COVID).

IN THE ACC

- Clemson finished the regular season with an 18-6 record, which trailed on Florida State and Duke.
- The Tigers were predicted to finish third among Atlantic Coast Conference schools behind Florida State and Virginia Tech.
- Redshirt junior Valerie Cagle was once again selected to the Preseason All-ACC Softball Team. This marks her third Preseason All-ACC selection (2021 & 2022).
- Junior McKenzie Clark back-to-back Preseason All-ACC honors after garnering it before the 2022 season.
- Redshirt junior Alia Logoleo earns her first Preseason All-ACC selection.

ACC & NCAA RANKINGS

- As a team, the Tigers sit at the top of multiple stat categories in both the ACC and NCAA.
- In the ACC alone, Clemson holds the top spot in five categories, the second spot in seven categories and the third spot in five. The only area Clemson isn't in the top four is triples per game.
- See chart for top rankings in ACC for team/individual

ACC LEADERS

Player/Team	Category	ACC/NCAA	Value
Team	Double Plays/PG	1/10	.510
Team	ERA	1/2	1.35
Team	Fielding Percentage	1/5	.982
Team	On-base Percentage	1/9	.416
Team	Shutouts	1/9	18
Valerie Cagle	Batting Average	1/4	.468
Valerie Cagle	Hits	1/8	73
Valerie Cagle	On-Base Percentage	1/11	.554
Valerie Cagle	Shutouts	1/16	7
Valerie Cagle	Slugging Percentage	1/6	.917
Valerie Cagle	Total Bases	1/1	143
Valerie Cagle	Victories	1/9	22

900 CAREER VICTORIES

- Head coach John Rittman reached the 900-win mark in the 2023 regular-season finale at Virginia Tech - this also was Clemson's 150th victory as a program.
- He is paced himself to be the 44th head coach to reach the 900 win milestone in NCAA Division I history.
- Rittman has been a head coach for 22 seasons, starting in 1996-97 at Stanford, where he spent 18 season and tallied a 750-351-3 overall record.
- Rittman reached the 800th win milestone on April 17, 2021 with a 4-3 extra-inning victory against Boston College

THE FIRST FIVE, THE NEXT FIVE

- Clemson softball was announced in March 2017 with the hiring of head coach John Rittman on Nov. 3, 2017.
- On June 21, 2022, Coach Rittman and Clemson reached a new five-year contract agreement keeping him at Clemson through the 2027 season.
- On Nov. 3, 2022, Coach Rittman celebrated five years at the helm of the softball program and looks ahead at what the next five years has in store for it.
- Read the complete "The First Five, The Next Five" feature story on Coach Rittman's journey at ClemsonTigers.com/Softball.

HOME RUNS

#	Player (#)	Opponent (Date)	OB	Inn.	Outs
1.	Clark (1)	at FIU (2/9)	1	2	1
2.	Miklesh (1)	at FIU (2/9)	0	3	0
3.	Cagle (1)	at FIU (2/9)	0	4	0
4.	Jacobsen (1)	at FIU (2/9)	0	4	0
5.	Clark (2)	vs. Georgia State (2/10)	0	1	0
6.	Jacobsen (2)	vs. Georgia State (2/10)	1	1	1
7.	Cagle (2)	vs. Georgia State (2/10)	0	4	0
8.	Jacobsen (3)	vs. Georgia State (2/10)	0	4	0
9.	Moore (1)	vs. Kansas City (2/11)	2	3	0
10.	Moore (2)	at Furman (2/14)	0	3	0
11.	Logoleo (1)	at Furman (2/14)	0	5	0
12.	Cagle (3)	at Furman (2/14)	1	7	2
13.	Clark (3)	Northwestern (2/17)	0	1	0
14.	Vieira (1)	Northwestern (2/17)	1	1	2
15.	Davenport (1)	Northwestern (2/17)	0	2	0
16.	Cagle (4)	Northwestern (2/18)	1	1	1
17.	Cagle (5)	Ohio State (2/18)	2	4	1
18.	Clark (4)	Ohio State (2/18)	0	1	0
19.	Cagle (6)	Ohio State (2/18)	1	1	0
20.	Jacobsen (4)	Ohio State (2/18)	0	1	0
21.	Moore (3)	Ohio State (2/18)	2	5	1
22.	Clark (5)	Georgia (2/21)	0	1	0
23.	Cagle (7)	at USF (2/24)	1	1	1
24.	Logoleo (2)	at USF (2/24)	0	6	0
25.	Jacobsen (5)	vs. Michigan State (2/26)	0	3	1
26.	Jacobsen (6)	Gardner-Webb (3/1)	1	1	2
27.	Moore (4)	* Syracuse (3/4)	0	3	1
28.	Cagle (8)	* Syracuse (3/4)	0	3	1
29.	Moore (5)	Mercer (3/8)	0	1	1
30.	Moore (6)	Mercer (3/8)	1	2	0
31.	Logoleo (3)	Mercer (3/8)	1	4	1
32.	Clark (6)	Bryant (3/10)	1	2	0
33.	Houston (1)	Bryant (3/10)	1	4	2
34.	Vieira (2)	UNCG (3/10)	0	6	1
35.	Clark (7)	Jacksonville (3/11)	2	1	1
36.	Clark (8)	Charlotte (3/15)	1	5	0
37.	Oda (1)	Charlotte (3/15)	1	5	1
38.	Cagle (9)	* at Georgia Tech (3/24)	1	1	1
39.	Logoleo (4)	* at Georgia Tech (3/24)	1	1	1
40.	Moore (7)	* at Georgia Tech (3/24)	0	2	1
41.	Cagle (10)	* at Georgia Tech (3/25)	0	3	0
42.	Jacobsen (7)	* at Georgia Tech (3/25)	0	3	0
43.	Davenport (2)	* at Georgia Tech (3/25)	1	6	1
44.	Jacobsen (8)	* at Georgia Tech (3/25)	0	7	1
45.	Jacobsen (9)	* at Georgia Tech (3/26)	1	1	2
46.	Logoleo (5)	* at Georgia Tech (3/26)	2	3	1
47.	Cagle (11)	* at Georgia Tech (3/26)	1	5	2
48.	Cagle (12)	South Carolina (3/28)	0	3	1
49.	Logoleo (6)	South Carolina (3/28)	2	4	2
50.	Cagle (13)	* at Boston College (3/31)	1	6	1
51.	Vieira (3)	* at Boston College (3/31)	2	6	1
52.	Clark (9)	* at Boston College (3/31)	2	6	1
53.	Davenport (3)	* at Boston College (4/2)	0	5	1
54.	Cagle (14)	* Florida State (4/6)	0	4	0
55.	Cagle (15)	at South Carolina (4/11)	2	7	2
56.	Cagle (16)	* at NC State (4/15)	1	1	0
57.	Jacobsen (10)	* at NC State (4/15)	2	5	2
58.	Cagle (17)	* at NC State (4/15)	0	7	0
59.	Cagle (18)	* at NC State (4/16)	2	3	0
60.	Clark (10)	* Pitt (4/22)	1	3	1
61.	Clark (11)	* Pitt (4/23)	0	1	0
62.	Moore (8)	* Pitt (4/23)	3	2	1
63.	Logoleo (7)	* Pitt (4/23)	2	6	1
64.	Jacobsen (11)	* at Virginia Tech (4/28)	0	3	2
65.	Davenport (4)	* at Virginia Tech (4/28)	0	4	1
66.	Moore (9)	* at Virginia Tech (4/28)	1	5	2
67.	Ruszkowski (1)	* at Virginia Tech (4/29)	0	5	1
68.	Logoleo (8)	* at Virginia Tech (4/30)	0	2	0
69.	Ruszkowski (2)	* at Virginia Tech (4/30)	0	6	1
70.	Davenport (5)	* at Virginia Tech (4/30)	1	6	1

NOTES

TIGER TIDBITS

Category	Record
Record	45-8
ACC Record	18-6
Non-Conference Record	27-2
Versus Top 25 (NFCA)	4-6
Versus Top 10 (NFCA)	0-3
Versus Top 5 (NFCA)	0-0
In February	15-1
In March	20-0
In April	10-7
In May	0-0
On Monday	0-0
On Tuesday	5-0
On Wednesday	5-1
On Thursday	2-2
On Friday	10-2
On Saturday	14-2
On Sunday	9-1
In Day Games	32-7
In Night Games	13-1
In 1-Run Games	6-4
In 2-Run Games	3-2
In 5+ Run Games	23-1
After a Loss	4-4
After a Win	40-4
In Extra Innings	1-0
Shutouts	18-2
Scoring First	37-3
Scoring in the 1st Innings	23-2
Leading After 4	38-3
Trailing After 4	5-2
Tied After 4	2-3
Leading After 5	25-2
Trailing After 5	3-5
Tied After 5	3-1
Leading After 6	26-2
Trailing After 6	2-6
Tied After 6	1-0
Scoring 5 or More Runs	28-1
Allowing 5 or More	0-4
Out-hit opponent	37-0
Opponent out-hit	6-8
Hits are equal	2-0
Make 0 errors	26-6
Make 1 error	16-1
Make 2+ error	3-1
Opp. makes 0 errors	19-4
Opp. makes 1 error	19-2
Opp. makes 2+ errors	7-2

LAST TIME..

OFFENSE	
Hit two HRs in a game	Valerie Cagle (at NC State, 4/15/23)
Hit three HRs in a game	McKenzie Clark (at Florida State, 4/22/22)
Hit two HRs in an inning	N/A
Hit grand slam	Maddie Moore (Pitt, 4/23/23)
Leadoff HR [inning]	Alia Logoleo (at Virginia Tech 4/30/23)
Walkoff HR	Alia Logoleo (Pitt, 4/23/23)
Walkoff HR [run rule]	Alia Logoleo (Pitt, 4/23/23)
Pinch-hit HR	Ansley Houston (UNCG, 3/10/23)
Inside the Park HR	McKenzie Clark (Akron, 2/26/22)
HR in back-to-back games	Jadeyn Ruszkowski (Virginia Tech 4/29/23 & Virginia Tech 4/30/23)
Back-to-back HRs	Valerie Cagle & Caroline Jacobsen (at GT, 3/25/23)
Two doubles in a game	Maddie Moore (at Georgia Tech, 3/26/23)
Three doubles in a game	N/A
Two triples in a game	N/A
Hit for the cycle	N/A
Four hits in a game	Valerie Cagle (Ohio State 2/19/23)
Drove in five runs	Marissa Guimbarda (at North Carolina, 4/2/22)
Drove in six runs	Valerie Cagle (at FGCU, 2/10/22)
Drove in seven runs	JoJo Hyatt (vs. Georgia State, 2/11/23)
Drove in eight runs	Alia Logoleo (at North Carolina, 4/1/22)
Drove in 10 runs	Alia Logoleo (at Syracuse, 5/9/21)
Scored four runs	Alia Logoleo (at Syracuse, 5/9/21)
Walkoff hit [non-HR]	JoJo Hyatt (vs. Georgia State, 2/11/23 -- double)
Walkoff [non-hit]	Valerie Cagle (Notre Dame, 4/14/22 -- fielder's choice)
Walkoff [pinch hitter]	Kyah Keller (Liberty, 3/13/22 -- single)
PITCHING	
Threw a no-hitter	Valerie Cagle (5.0 IP, Mercer, 3/8/23)
Threw a combined no-hitter	Regan Spencer & Millie Thompson (5.0 IP, vs. Kent State, 2/11/22)
Threw a perfect game	Valerie Cagle (5.0 IP, Mercer, 3/8/23)
Threw a solo shutout	Millie Thompson (7.0 IP, Pitt, 4/22/23)
Had 14 strikeouts	Valerie Cagle (Georgia Tech, 5/13/21)
Had 13 strikeouts	Valerie Cagle (vs Tennessee, 2/18/22)
Had 12 strikeouts	Valerie Cagle (at North Carolina, 4/1/22)
Had 11 strikeouts	Valerie Cagle (at FIU, 2/12/23)
Had 10 strikeouts	Valerie Cagle (Georgia Tech, 4/30/22)
Pitched >7 innings	Valerie Cagle (8.0 IP, at NC State, 4/14/23)
TEAM	
Won 10 straight games	2023 (23: Feb. 26 - Apr. 5, 2023)
Won 15 straight games	2023 (23: Feb. 26 - Apr. 5, 2023)
Won 20 straight games	2023 (23: Feb. 26 - Apr. 5, 2023)
Extra-Innings victory	4/14/23, No. 6 Clemson 4, NC State 1 (8 Inn.)
Extra-Innings loss	3/27/22, No. 16 Clemson 2, Louisville 4 (8 Inn.)
Played 11 innings	3/19/21, No. 23 Clemson 4, at Louisville 0
Played 10 innings	N/A
Played nine innings	2/18/22, No. 15 Clemson 4, No. 18 Tennessee 3
Played eight innings	4/15/23, No. 7 Clemson 4, NC State 1
Was no-hit	4/15/22, No. 16 Clemson 0, No. 23 Notre Dame 4
Was shut out	4/6/23, No. 4 Clemson 0, No. 6 Florida State 7
Beat a ranked opp.	4/30/23, No. 6 Clemson 5, No. 24 Virginia Tech 4
Beat a top-10 opp.	5/13/22, No. 15 Clemson 4, No. 2 Virginia Tech 1
Beat top-10 ACC opp.	5/13/22, No. 15 Clemson 4, No. 2 Virginia Tech 1
Run-ruled a ranked opp.	2/17/23, No. 7 Clemson 15, No. 11 Northwestern 2
Tied an opp.	N/A

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WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA

Up-to-date stats, notes, stories and box scores can be found on Clemson's official website (ClemsonTigers.com). Live online video, live audio and live stats can be accessed on the ClemsonTigers.com/softball schedule page. Fans can also follow ClemsonSoftball on Twitter, Instagram and Facebook.

TEAM SUPERLATIVES

OFFENSE	
At bats	37, vs. Georgia State (Feb. 10)
Runs scored	18, Mercer (March 8)
Hits	19, vs. Georgia State (Feb. 10)
RBI	17, Mercer (March 8)
Doubles	6, Northwestern (Feb. 17)
Triples	1, 5 times
Home runs	4, 4 times
Walks	10, at Boston College (March 31)
Strikeouts	11, 2x, Virginia (March 18)
Sac flies	2, at FIU (Feb. 9)
Stolen bases	7, 2x, vs. UIC (Feb. 24)
Hit by pitch	3, 2x, South Carolina (March 18)
FIELDING	
Putouts	24, at NC State (April 14)
Assists	14, 3x, Florida State (April 7)
Errors	3, 2x, Florida State (April 6)
DPs turned	3, at South Carolina (April 11)
PITCHING	
Innings pitched	8.0, at NC State (April 14)
Runs allowed	7, 2x, at NC State (April 14)
Earned runs	7, at NC State (April 14)
Walks allowed	5, 2x, Florida State (April 7)
Strikeouts	11, 2x, at Boston College (March 31)
Hits allowed	10, 2x, at Virginia Tech (April 28)

PLAYER SUPERLATIVES

OFFENSE	
At bats	5, 3x, Caroline Jacobsen (at NC State - April 14)
Runs scored	3, 13 times
Hits	4, 2x, Valerie Cagle (Ohio State - Feb. 19)
RBI	7, JoJo Hyatt (vs. Georgia State - Feb. 11)
Doubles	2, 5 times
Triples	1, 5 times
Home runs	2, 4 times
Walks	3, 4 times
Strikeouts	3, Aby Vieira (Ohio State - Feb. 18)
Sac flies	1, 15 times
Stolen bases	3, McKenzie Clark (vs. UIC - Feb. 24)
Hit by pitch	1, 30 times
FIELDING	
Putouts	12, 4 times
Assists	6, 2x, Alia Logoleo (Pitt - April 21)
Errors	2, Madison May (Florida State - April 6)
PITCHING	
Innings pitched	8.0, Valerie Cagle (at NC State - April 14)
Runs allowed	7, Valerie Cagle (Florida State - April 6)
Earned runs	5, 2x, Valerie Cagle (at Virginia Tech - April 28)
Walks allowed	5, Valerie Cagle (Florida State - April 7)
Strikeouts	11, Valerie Cagle (at FIU - Feb. 12)
Hits allowed	10, Valerie Cagle (at Virginia Tech - April 28)

ROSTER

NUMERICAL

#	Player	Pos.	B/T	Yr.	Ht.	Hometown	Previous School / High School
00	Marena Knowles	1B/OF	R-R	Fr.	5-10	Hawkinsville, Ga.	Westfield HS
1	Rachel Gibson	RHP	R-R	So.	5-9	Ringgold, Ga.	Heritage HS
2	Brooke McCubbin	RHP/INF	R-R	So.	5-10	Locust Grove, Ga.	Locust Grove HS
3	Reedy Davenport	INF	R-R	Gr.	5-6	St. Johns, Fla.	Bertram Trail HS / FGCU
4	Aby Vieira	C/UTL	L-R	So.	5-9	Mission Viejo, Calif.	Mission Viejo HS
5	Ansley Houston	INF	R-R	Jr.	5-6	Grantville, Ga.	Newnan HS
6	Julia Bomhardt	OF	L-R	Sr.	5-8	Dagsboro, Del.	Indian River HS / Newbury College
7	McKenzie Clark	OF	R-R	Jr.	5-5	Myakka City, Fla.	Lakewood Ranch HS
8	Grace Hiller	INF	R-R	*Fr.	5-9	Macon, Ga.	Tattnall Square Academy
9	Sarah Howell	C/UTL	R-R	*So.	5-4	Oxford, Ala.	Oxford HS
10	Caroline Jacobsen	OF	R-R	Gr.	5-8	Tallahassee, Fla.	Lawton Chiles / Duke
11	Haylee Whitesides	RHP/INF	R-R	*Fr.	5-5	Duncan, S.C.	Byrnes HS
13	Abi Stuart	C/UTL	R-R	**So.	5-9	Snow Camp, N.C.	Southern Alamance HS
15	Madison May	OF/INF	R-R	*Jr.	5-9	Valdosta, Ga.	Lowndes HS
16	Alia Logoleo	INF/OF	R-R	*Jr.	5-8	Nashville, Tenn.	Hillsboro HS
17	Ally Miklesh	OF	L-R	Gr.	5-6	Stevens Point, Wis.	Stevens Point HS / Wisconsin
19	Regan Spencer	RHP	R-R	So.	5-11	Lexington, N.C.	North Davidson HS
21	Jadeyn Ruszkowski	INF	L-L	*Fr.	5-8	Lithia, Fla.	Newsome HS
23	JoJo Hyatt	C	R-R	**Jr.	5-8	Buford, Ga.	Buford HS
24	Arielle Oda	OF/INF	L-R	**Jr.	5-4	Buford, Ga.	Buford HS
28	Maddie Moore	INF	R-R	So.	5-7	Loomis, Calif.	Del Oro HS
42	Morgan Johnson	OF	R-R	**So.	6-1	Evans, Ga.	Evans HS
58	Kyah Keller	INF	R-R	*Jr.	6-0	Hollywood, Ala.	Battle Ground Academy
72	Valerie Cagle	P/UTL	L-R	*Jr.	5-9	Yorktown, Va.	Homeschooled
87	Millie Thompson	LHP/INF	L-L	Jr.	5-7	Bedford, Va.	Liberty HS

Head Coach:

John Rittman (4th season • New Mexico State '86)

Associate Head Coach:

Kyle Jamieson (4th season • Brock University '97, Nipissing University '98)

Assistant Coach:

Courtney Breault (4th season • Nebraska '13, Clemson '21)

Volunteer Assistant Coach:

Jessie Harper (1st season • Arizona '20, '22)

Graduate Assistant Coach:

Alyssa Bilodeau (2nd season • Jacksonville '21)

Director of Operations:

Jeannie Murphy (3rd season • Oklahoma '10, Concordia University Irvine '14)

Student Manager:

Olivia Turpin (2nd season)

Student Manager:

Delaini Daughenbaugh (1st season)

Student Manager:

Macadam McLaughlin (1st season)

Associate AD/Sport Supervisor:

Natalie Honnen (4th season • University of Florida '03 & '05)

Athletic Trainer:

Katie Rovtar (4th season • University of Toledo '06, Virginia Tech '08)

Strength & Conditioning Coach:

Travis Koon (1st season • Oregon State '15)

Athletic Communications Contact:

Valerie Johnson (2nd season • Central Michigan '18)

* - one redshirt; + - transfer using extra year of eligibility granted due to Covid-19; Note: "Gr." denotes senior unless otherwise noted.

ALPHABETICAL

#	Player	Pos.	Cl.
6	Julia Bomhardt	OF	Sr.
72	Valerie Cagle	RHP/UTL	*Jr.
7	McKenzie Clark	OF	Jr.
3	Reedy Davenport	INF	Gr.
1	Rachel Gibson	RHP	So.
8	Grace Hiller	INF/OF	*Fr.
5	Ansley Houston	INF	Jr.
9	Sarah Howell	C/UTL	*So.
23	JoJo Hyatt	C	**Jr.
10	Caroline Jacobsen	OF	Gr.
42	Morgan Johnson	OF	**So.
58	Kyah Keller	INF	*Jr.
00	Marena Knowles	1B/OF	Fr.
16	Alia Logoleo	OF	*Jr.
15	Madison May	INF/OF	*Jr.
2	Brooke McCubbin	RHP/INF	So.
17	Ally Miklesh	OF	Gr.
28	Maddie Moore	INF	So.
24	Arielle Oda	INF/OF	**Jr.
29	Jaden Ruszkowski	INF	*Fr.
19	Regan Spencer	RHP	Jr.
13	Abi Stuart	C/UTL	*So.
87	Millie Thompson	LHP/INF	Jr.
4	Aby Vieira	C/UTL	So.
11	Haylee Whitesides	RHP/INF	*Fr.

PRONUNCIATIONS

#	Name	Pronunciation
00	Marena Knowles	mar-EE-na
4	Aby Vieira	Abby vee-AIR-uh
6	Julia Bomhardt	BOMB-hart
16	Alia Logoleo	lo-guh-LAY-oh
17	Ally Miklesh	MICK-lesh
21	Jadeyn Ruszkowski	russ-COW-ski
24	Arielle Oda	OH-duh
87	Millie Thompson	MILL-ee
	Kyle Jamieson	pronounced like, "Jamison"
	Courtney Breault	BREE-ahlt
	Katie Rovtar	ROHV-tahr

HONORS

#3 REEDY DAVENPORT • INF • GR.

- NFCA Selected Top Performance (March 14 - Week 5)

#7 MCKENZIE CLARK • OF • JR.

- NFCA Selected Top Performance (March 14 - Week 5)
- Preseason All-ACC
- No. 12 Preseason D1Softball Top 25 Outfielder List
- No. 43 Preseason Extra Inning Softball's Top 100 List
- No. 48 Preseason D1Softball D100 Player Rankings
- No. 60 Softball America's 2023 Preseason Top 100 Rankings

#10 CAROLINE JACOBSEN • OF • *GR.

- Selected No. 20 in the WPF Draft (Fifth Round)

#16 ALIA LOGOLEO • INF • *JR.

- Preseason All-ACC
- SportsCenter Top 10 play (No. 8 - March 5)

#17 ALLY MIKLESH • OF • GR.

- SportsCenter Top 10 play (No. 10 - February 22)
- NFCA Selected Top Performance (April 4 - Week 8)

#23 JOJO HYATT • C • *JR.

- NFCA Selected Top Performance (Feb. 14 - Week 1)

#24 ARIELLE ODA • OF • *JR.

- SportsCenter Top 10 play (No. 10 - March 2)

HONORS

#72 VALERIE CAGLE • RHP/UT • *JR.

- USA Softball Top 10 Finalist (May 3)
- USA Softball Top 25 Selection (April 19)
- Louisville Slugger/NFCA National Player of the Week (March 28)
- D1Softball Player of the Week (March 28)
- ACC Co-Player of the Week (April 18)
- ACC Pitcher of the Week (April 4)
- ACC Co-Player of the Week (March 28)
- ACC Pitcher of the Week (March 21)
- ACC Pitcher and Co-Player of the Week (Feb. 21)
- No. 1 Pitcher and First Baseman by D1Softball (March 28)
- No. 2 Pitcher and First Baseman by D1Softball (March 14)
- NFCA Selected Top Performance (Feb. 14 - Week 1)
- NFCA Selected Top Performance (Feb. 21 - Week 2)
- NFCA Selected Top Performance (March 14 - Week 5)
- NFCA Selected Top Performance (April 4 - Week 8)
- NFCA Selected Top Performance (April 18 - Week 10)
- Preseason All-ACC
- D1Softball Preseason Second Team All-American
- Softball America Preseason All-American
- No. 1 Preseason Extra Inning Softball's Best Two-Way Player
- No. 5 Preseason Extra Inning Softball's Best Pitchers
- No. 7 Preseason D1Softball Top 25 Pitcher List
- No. 9 Preseason Extra Inning Softball's Top 100 List
- No. 11 Softball America's 2023 Preseason Top 100 Rankings
- No. 17 Preseason D1Softball D100 Player Rankings

HONORS

#87 MILLIE THOMPSON • LHP • JR.

- No. 19 Preseason D1Softball Top 25 Pitcher List
- No. 19 Preseason Extra Inning Softball's Best Pitchers
- No. 65 Preseason Extra Inning Softball's Top 100 List
- No. 66 Softball America's 2023 Preseason Top 100 Rankings
- No. 69 Preseason D1Softball D100 Player Rankings

HEAD COACH JOHN RITTMAN



John Rittman, a longtime head coach and member of the USA Softball Women's National Team coaching pool, was named the first Head Coach of Clemson Softball on Nov. 3, 2017. Rittman came to Clemson after serving as the Associate Head Coach at the University of Kansas from 2015-17. Rittman joined the Jayhawks after 18 seasons as the Head Coach at Stanford University and 10 years on the United States National Team coaching staff (2001-08, 2016-18).

In the third year of the Clemson program, Rittman continued to guide Clemson to new heights by making the program's first Super Regional appearance after earning the program's first national seed and hosting a Regional. Early in the season, the Tigers upset then-No. 6 Washington, 2-0, at the St. Pete/Clearwater Elite Invitational for the program's first top-10 win. Clemson followed that by playing its 100th game in program history against Illinois on March 13. The Tigers won with a 4-0 victory to tie Clemson women's tennis for the most wins through a program's first 100 games with a 78-22 record. With that record, Rittman solidified himself as the winningest coach among active head coaches at Clemson surpassing Dabo Swinney (football), who held a 74-26 record. The Tigers continued to reach new levels by winning their 100th game in only 130 games on May 1 with a 3-2 win against Georgia Tech on Senior Day to become the second-fastest program at Clemson to reach 100 wins trailing only women's tennis (128). The Tigers were ACC Tournament Runner-Ups. The upset win over Virginia Tech marks Clemson softball's highest victory over a ranked opponent in program history. The hot streak continued for Clemson entering postseason as the Tigers earned the No. 10 national seed for the NCAA softball tournament. The No. 10 Tigers welcomed No. 17 Auburn, Louisiana and UNCW for the Clemson Regional and made a clean sweep in three games by shutting out all three programs and run-ruling UNCW and Louisiana to advance to the Stillwater Super Regional. Clemson finished the year with five All-ACC team selections, and Valerie Cagle was named an NFCA First Team All-American, the second NFCA All-America honor of her career. Behind Rittman's efforts, Clemson climbed as high as No. 14 in the NFCA national rankings and earned its first single digit ranking from ESPN/USA Softball rankings coming in at No. 9 for two weeks. Off the field, graduate Sam Russ was named to CoSIDA's Academic All-America Third Team to become softball's first Academic All-American.

During the second season and first complete year, Rittman propelled Clemson to even higher heights by becoming the ACC Regular Season Champions after posting a 29-5 ACC record and winning seven ACC series, including six series sweeps. The Tigers were ACC Tournament Runner-Ups. The Tigers finished the season with a 44-8 record and the sixth-best WL Percentage in the NCAA (.846). Rittman was named ACC Coach of the Year and guided Cagle to being the first softball player in league history to be named both the ACC Freshman and Player of the Year in the same season. Clemson finished with six individuals earning nine All-ACC team selections following the regular season, including three on the first team. Cagle and freshman McKenzie Clark were

named to the NFCA All-Region team. The honors continued to roll in for Cagle as she became the first Clemson softball All-American garnering second team honors from the NFCA, was a JWOS First Team All-American, a Top-Three Finalist for the NFCA's National Freshman of the Year and a Top-10 Finalist for USA Softball's Collegiate Player of the Year. Behind Rittman's efforts, Clemson climbed as high as No. 13 in the NFCA national rankings and No. 10 in the ESPN/USA Softball rankings before finishing the season at No. 18 in the NFCA poll. Rittman led the Tigers to their first postseason appearance traveling to the Tuscaloosa Regional to defeat Troy twice, including a five-inning run-rule victory in the opening game that capped off a historic second season.

In its inaugural season, Rittman transcended Clemson into a nationally-respected program. Rittman guided Clemson, which was predicted to finish in 10th in the conference, according to the 2020 ACC preseason poll, to a 19-8 overall record, including 5-1 in ACC play. The Tigers, who won both of their ACC series against Virginia and Pitt, won 11 of their final 12 games before the 2020 season was cut short due to the coronavirus pandemic (COVID-19). Additionally, Clemson went 14-2 at Clemson Softball Stadium (now McWhorter Stadium), which included a 13-game home win streak that spanned 25 days. Rittman and the Tigers generated plenty of enthusiasm among the Clemson faithful as the first-year program ranked fourth nationally in attendance (24,860) and fifth in average attendance (1,544/game) in 2020.

At Stanford, Rittman and the Cardinals recorded 18-consecutive winning seasons, made 16-straight NCAA appearances, notched 13 40-win seasons and produced at least one All-American in 15 of his last 17 seasons. As head coach, Rittman accumulated a 750-351-3 overall mark, coached a national player of the year, 16 All-Americans, earned five Super Regional appearances, two Women's College World Series appearances and maintained a spot in every regular-season NFCA top-25 poll for more than a decade.

Rittman served on the staff of the USA Softball team which won gold at both the 2016 Women's Softball World Championship and the 2017 Pan Am Qualifier. He also worked with Team USA from 2001-08, coaching the 2004 Olympic gold medal winners in Athens and the 2008 silver medalists in Beijing. Team USA also won gold medals at the 2002 and 2006 World Championship and the 2003 and 2007 Pan Am Games.

Rittman graduated from New Mexico State with a degree in journalism in 1986. He was a three-year letterwinner in baseball as an outfielder at NMSU after transferring from Yavapai Junior College in Prescott, Arizona.

Rittman and his wife, Lorie, a former softball player at the University of Oklahoma, are the parents of Justin, a UCLA graduate and former fullback for the Bruins, and Jake, a Notre Dame graduate and former punter for the Fighting Irish.

Read Coach Rittman's full bio at ClemsonTigers.com

HEAD COACH JOHN RITTMAN

Education: Bachelor's degree in journalism at New Mexico State (1986).

Playing Experience: Three-year letterman at New Mexico State (1984-86).

Coaching Experience: Assistant Coach at Oregon (1988-90) ... Assistant Coach at Minnesota (1991-92) ... Assistant Coach at Washington (1993-96) ... Head Coach at Stanford (1997-2014) ... Associate Head Coach at Kansas (2015, 2017) ... Head Coach at Clemson (2020-present).

Family: Wife, Lorie Rittman ... sons, Justin and Jake.



RITTMAN'S HEAD COACHING RECORD

Year	School	W-L	NCAA
1997	Stanford	31-27-1	
1998	Stanford	41-18	Regionals
1999	Stanford	40-25	Regionals
2000	Stanford	45-18	Regionals
2001	Stanford	54-16-1	World Series
2002	Stanford	44-20	Regionals
2003	Stanford	41-26	Regionals
2004	Stanford	49-19	World Series
2005*	Stanford	43-16	Super Regionals
2006	Stanford	42-18	Super Regionals
2007	Stanford	35-21-1	Regionals
2008	Stanford	49-15	Super Regionals
2009	Stanford	48-11	Super Regionals
2010	Stanford	37-19	Regionals
2011	Stanford	42-17	Super Regionals
2012	Stanford	40-19	Regionals
2013	Stanford	39-21	Regionals
2014	Stanford	30-25	
2020^	Clemson	19-8	N/A
2021*	Clemson	44-8	Regionals
2022	Clemson	42-15	Super Regionals
2023	Clemson	45-8	

* - conference champion; ^ - season suspended March 12 and later canceled due to a coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic

RITTMAN'S HEAD COACHING RECORD

School	Seasons	Years	W-L	Win %
Stanford	18	1997-2014	750-351-3	.681
Clemson	4	2020-23	150-41	.785
Totals	22	1997-2014, 2020-23	900-342-3	.696

RITTMAN VS. ACC AS CLEMSON HEAD COACH

Team	Overall	Home	Away	Neutral
Boston College	7-0	4-0	3-0	0-0
Duke	3-6	2-2	1-2	0-2
Florida State	0-7	0-3	0-3	0-1
Georgia Tech	10-0	3-0	6-0	1-0
Louisville	6-1	2-1	4-0	0-0
North Carolina	7-0	4-0	3-0	0-0
NC State	6-1	4-0	2-1	0-0
Notre Dame	3-1	2-1	0-0	1-0
Pittsburgh	8-1	5-1	3-0	0-0
Syracuse	6-1	3-0	3-1	0-0
Virginia	10-0	6-0	4-0	0-0
Virginia Tech	4-7	1-5	1-2	2-0
Totals	70-25	36-13	30-9	4-3

Note: Clemson's neutral-site games against Duke (Feb. 7, 2020) was not considered an ACC contest

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MARENA KNOWLES (MAR-EE-NA)

Fr. • OF/1B • 5-9 • Hawkinsville, Ga. • Westfield HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.269	26	2	7	5	4	0
Career	.280	26	2	7	5	4	0

Season Highs: 2 Hit, 2 RBI (2x), 1 Run (2x), 2 BB

- Appeared in 20 games starting four as the DP
- Had two hits, including a double at NC State (4/14)
- Tallied a two-RBI double vs. Mercer (3/8)
- Drew two walks at Michigan State (2/26)
- Recorded two RBI with a single against Ohio State (2/19)
- Tallied one RBI vs. Georgia State and one run vs. Kansas City
- Helped Westfield HS win four-straight Region and State Championships

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RACHEL GIBSON

So. • RHP • 5-9 • Ringgold, Ga. • Heritage HS

	ERA	W-L	APP	CG	SHO	IP	SO
2023	0.00	0-0	1	0	0/0	1.0	1
Career	21.00	0-0	2	0	0/0	1.0	1

Season Highs: 1 run scored (2x), 1 SO, 1 IP

- Made first appearance in the circle vs. Bryant with one strikeout (3/10)
- Was a pinch runner against Mercer and scored a run (3/8)
- Appeared as a pinch runner and scored against Northwestern (2/17)
- Appeared in the circle in one game – Akron (2/26/22)
- Threw 22 pitches and allowed one hit against the Zips
- One of the Top 75 Impact Freshmen named by D1Softball.com

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BROOKE McCUBBIN

So. • RHP/INF • 5-10 • Locust Grove, Ga. • Locust Grove HS

	ERA	W-L	APP	CG	SHO	IP	SO
2023	1.12	5-1	17	2	1/2	62.1	32
Career	1.63	10-3	35	2	1/8	107.2	56

Season Highs: 8 SO, 1 At Bat

- Appeared in 18 games in 2023 (one as a pinch hitter, 17 at pitcher)
- Struck out four batters in five innings of work at NC State (4/16)
- Threw first complete game solo shutout vs. Jacksonville (3/11)
- Tossed 6.2 hitless inning vs. Furman (4/6)
- Pitched a complete game with eight strikeouts against Michigan State (2/25)
- Picked up her first save in 2023 against Gardner-Webb (3/1)
- Had five wins on 18 appearances in the circle with six starts in 2022

3



REEDY DAVENPORT

+Gr. • INF • 5-8 • St. Johns, Fla. • FGCU (Bertram Trail HS)

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.298	124	13	37	39	9	1
Career	.293	598	86	175	114	50	11

Season Highs: 3 Hits, 2 2B, 1 Run (13x), 4 RBI (2x)

- Started every game at third base
- Finished with three hits and four RBIs against Mercer (3/8)
- Had two hits, four RBIs and one run, including a homer, at Georgia Tech (3/25)
- Tallied first homer as a Tiger against Northwestern (2/17)
- Went 2-for-2 with three RBIs and one homer at Boston College (4/2)
- 2021 ASUN Defensive Player of the Year and ASUN First Team
- Credited with only three errors in 150 total chances at shortstop (2022)

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ABY VIEIRA (VEE-AIR-UH)

So. • C/UTL • 5-9 • Mission Viejo, Calif. • Mission Viejo HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.326	86	11	28	17	8	0
Career	.308	195	25	60	34	15	0

Season Highs: 3 RBI, 11 Run, 3 Hits (2x), 1 HR (3x)

- Started in 33 games in 2023 at either catcher or designated player
- Went 3-for-4 with one run and one RBI vs. UNCG (3/11)
- Had two hits, one RBI and one run scored at Georgia Tech (3/26)
- Tallied two hits, one home run, three RBI vs. Boston College (3/31)
- Hit homers vs. Northwestern (2/17) & UNCG (3/10)
- ACC All-Freshman Team (2022) & ACC All-Academic (2022)
- Hit her first career home run that was a grand slam against Akron (2022)

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ANSLEY HOUSTON

Jr. • INF • 5-6 • Grantville, Ga. • Newnan HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.667	2	12	1	2	1	4
Career	.500	3	22	1	2	1	7

Season Highs: 1 BB, 1 Run (12x), 1 HR

- Appeared in 39 games this season
- Tallied first collegiate hit that was a home run vs. Bryant (3/10)
- Finished week three with three runs against USF, UIC and MSU
- Stolen first base of 2023 against Michigan State (2/25)
- Drew a walk against Kansas City (2/11)
- First collegiate stolen base against Virginia Tech (3/5/22)
- Scored her first collegiate run against Boston University (2/25/22)

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JULIA BOMHARDT (BOMB-HART)

Sr. • OF • 5-8 • Dagsboro, Del. • Newbury College (Indian River HS)

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.000	0	15	0	0	0	19
Career	.000	0	15	0	0	0	19

Season Highs: 1 Run (15x), 2 SB

- Appeared in 41 games this season
- Has scored 15 runs and stolen 19 bases this season
- Prior to Clemson
- Scored 43 runs and had six RBI during her time at Newbury College
- Finished with 29 stolen bases during the two seasons
- During the 2019 season, led the Southern Atlantic Conference in stolen bases with 21

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McKENZIE CLARK

Jr. • OF • 5-5 • Myakka City, Fla. • Lakewood Ranch HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.344	154	50	53	35	30	10
Career	.342	503	139	172	98	70	39

Season Highs: 4 Hits, 3 Runs (4x), 3 RBI (3x), 3 BB (2x), 3 SB

- Has tallied a leadoff home run in five games this season in the first inning
- Went 4-for-4 with three runs and two RBI vs. Georgia State (2/10)
- Had three hits with a 2B, a HR, three runs and two RBI vs. Northwestern (2/17)
- Scored two runs and drew two walks at South Carolina (4/11)
- Stole three bases against UIC to help tie program record seven
- ACC All-Tournament Team Selection (2021 & 2022)
- Second Team All-ACC (2022); First Team All-ACC (2021)

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GRACE HILLER

**Fr. • INF/OF • 5-9 • Macon, Ga. • Tattal Square Academy*

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.000	2	1	0	1	1	0
Career	.000	2	1	0	1	1	0

Season Highs: 1 AB (2x), 1 Run, 1 RBI, 1 BB

- Appeared in six games
- Scored her first collegiate run on Feb. 10 vs. Georgia State
- Tallied first collegiate RBI at Furman (2/14)
- Drew first collegiate walk vs. Mercer (3/8)
- **Prior to Clemson:**
- Led her HS in batting average, doubles and runs scored
- Set HS single season batting average record (.515) in 2020

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SARAH HOWELL

**So. • C/UTL • 5-4 • Oxford, Ala. • Oxford HS*

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.000	1	7	0	0	1	0
Career	.077	13	12	1	0	1	4

Season Highs: 1 Run (7x)

- Appeared in 22 games in 2023
- Drew a walk at Boston College (3/31)
- Scored one run vs. Georgia State (2/10), at Furman (2/14), vs. Michigan State (2/26), Syracuse (3/4), Mercer (3/8) and Charlotte (3/15)
- Missed 2022 season due to injury
- Appeared in 23 games in 2021

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CAROLINE JACOBSEN

+Gr. • OF • 5-8 • Tallahassee, Fla. • Duke (Lawton Chiles)

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.316	152	35	48	41	21	7
Career	.299	628	143	188	157	83	17

Season Highs: 3 RBI (4x), 2 Hits (12x), 3 Runs, 2 HR (2x)

- Started every game in right field
- Went 7-for-13 on opening weekend with a sac fly and three home runs
- Had two hits, three RBI and one run against Northwestern (2/17)
- Tallied two home runs vs. Georgia State and at Georgia Tech
- Hit two home runs at Georgia Tech (3/25)
- Had 140 career hits, including 33 home runs, 31 doubles and three triples with 116 RBI and 108 runs scored with the Blue Devils

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HAYLEE WHITESIDES

**Fr. • RHP/INF • 5-5 • Duncan, S.C. • Byrnes HS*

	ERA	W-L	APP	CG	SHO	IP	SO
2023							
Career	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Season Highs:

- Missing 2023 season due to injury
- **Prior to Clemson:**
- Two time South Carolina 5A State Champion (2017, 2021)
- Two time member of the Spartanburg Herald Journal All-Area Team (2018, 2019)

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ABI STUART

***So. • C/UTL • 5-9 • Snow Camp, N.C. • Southern Alamance HS*

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.167	18	1	3	1	2	0
Career	.232	125	16	29	20	11	0

Season Highs: 1 Hit (3x), 1 2B (2x), 1 BB (2x)

- Made an appearance in 16 games, starting three in 2023
- Tallied a double vs. Georgia State (2/10) and Northwestern (2/17)
- Scored her first run of 2023 vs. Bryant (3/10)
- Appeared in five games in 2022 (DP in 2, PR in 1, PH 2)
- Missed remainder of 2022 season due to injury
- Played in 36 games, starting in 31 in 2021
- Hit .259 in 85 at bats with 10 runs and a .447 slugging percentage

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MADISON MAY

**Jr. • INF/OF • 5-9 • Valdosta, Ga. • Lowndes HS*

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.100	10	0	1	1	1	0
Career	.136	44	2	6	5	11	0

Season Highs: 1 BB, 3 AB, 1 Hit, 1 RBI

- Started in 23 games and appeared in 36 in 2023
- Tallied first hit and RBI of 2023 vs. Michigan State (2/25)
- Drew a walk at FIU (2/9)
- Recorded first career hit and scored first run against LIU (Feb. 12)
- Tallied career-high 12 putouts against Boston University (Feb. 25)
- Went 2-for-3 against Wisconsin (Feb. 19)

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ALIA LOGOLEO (LO-GUH-LAY-oh)

*Jr. • INF/OF • 5-8 • Nashville, Tenn. • Hillsboro HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.293	147	29	43	46	14	10
Career	.291	468	89	136	129	43	26

Season Highs: 3 Hits (2x), 4 RBI (4x), 2 2B, 2 Runs (6x)

- Hit walkoff homer against Pitt to run-rule the Panthers (4/23)
- Went 3-for-4 with two RBI against Georgia State (2/10)
- Had two hits, four RBIs, one run and one stolen base vs. South Carolina (3/28)
- Hit first homer of the 2023 season at Furman (2/14)
- ACC All-Tournament Selection (2022)
- Third Team All-ACC (2022); Second Team All-ACC (2021)
- Led the team with 15 home runs including seven in ACC games in 2022

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ALLY MIKLESH (MICK-LESH)

+Gr. • OF • 5-6 • Stevens Point, Wis. • Wisconsin (Stevens Point Area HS)

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.331	118	37	39	11	24	18
Career	.289	536	116	155	47	77	58

Season Highs: 3 Hits, 1 HR, 3 RBI, 3 Runs (3x), 2 BB (4x)

- Started in 52 games in left field
- Batted .500 vs. Boston College with four hits, four RBI and one run
- Stole two bases against UIC to help set program record (2/24)
- Tallied three hits at Georgia Tech (3/25)
- 2022 Second Team All-Big Ten & 2022 NFCA Great Lake Region Third Team
- Started in 164 games for Wisconsin over four seasons
- Graduated with a degree in health equity with a certificate in sports comm.

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REGAN SPENCER

Jr. • RHP • 5-11 • Lexington, N.C. • North Davidson HS

	ERA	W-L	APP	CG	SHO	IP	SO
2023	1.62	5-0	16	1	1/3	30.1	18
Career	1.33	17-2	52	4	3/8	132.0	72

Season Highs: 5.0 IP, 5 SO

- Made 16 appearances in the circle this season with one save
- Threw a solo shutout with two strikeouts vs. Ohio State (2/18)
- Struck out five batters vs. Bryant in four innings (3/10)
- Pitched four innings with three strikeouts at VT to earn the victory (4/30)
- Held 1.07 ERA, ranking first in the ACC and ninth in NCAA in 2022
- Threw a combined no-hitter with Millie Thompson vs. Kent State (2/11/22)
- Pitched one solo shutout against St. Francis (2/25/22)

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JADEYN RUSZKOWSKI (RUSS-COW-SKI)

*Fr. • INF • 5-8 • Lithia, Fla. • Newsome HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.222	18	2	4	2	0	0
Career	.222	18	2	4	2	0	0

Season Highs: 4 AB, 1 Hit (4x), 1 HBP, 1 HR (2x)

- Appeared in 11 games, starting two
- Tallied her first collegiate hit against Georgia State (2/10)
- Got hit by a pitch vs. Mercer (3/8)
- Hit home runs in back-to-back games at Virginia Tech (4/29 & 4/30)
- **Prior to Clemson:**
- Member of the 9A First Team All-State as a designated player
- Had a batting average of .652 as a junior in HS

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JoJo HYATT

**Jr. • C • 5-8 • Buford, Ga. • Buford HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.370	73	2	27	16	11	1
Career	.273	286	18	78	43	29	1

Season Highs: 7 RBI, 3 Hits (2x), 1 2B (3x), 1 Run (2x)

- Appeared in 35 games, starting 32 in 2023
- Went 7-for-9 at the FIU Tournament with eight RBI and one run scored
- Tallied two RBI in win vs. Georgia
- Recorded the walkoff bunt against Pitt to take game one (4/21)
- Hit the walk-off triple to run-rule Texas Tech to finish with three RBIs (2/17/22)
- Brought in two runners in Clemson's 4-3 win over Tennessee (2/18/22)
- Tallied two hits in series opener at Duke (3/18/22)

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ARIELLE ODA (OH-DUH)

**Jr. • INF/OF • 5-4 • Buford, Ga. • Buford HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.250	72	14	18	11	12	7
Career	.218	142	53	31	18	38	20

Season Highs: 3 Hit, 2 RBI (3x), 2 Run (2x), 1 SB (7x), 3 BB

- Hit first homer of 2023 vs. Charlotte (3/15) to walkoff the game in five innings
- Clocked two RBIs off a triple vs. Syracuse (3/4)
- Finished with two hits, three runs and three RBIs at Boston College
- Went 3-for-4 with two runs scored vs. UNCG (3/11)
- Finished with a hit, RBI and diving catch vs. Gardner-Webb (3/1) - diving catch was SportsCenter Top 10 play
- Hit first career homer vs. Furman (4/6/22)

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MADDIE MOORE

So. • INF • 5-7 • Loomis, Calif. • Del Oro HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.273	150	45	41	31	29	14
Career	.240	250	70	60	42	42	24

Season Highs: 3 Hit, 2 HR, 5 RBI, 3 Run (3x), 1 SB (14x)

- Clocked two hits, three runs and three RBI with two homers vs. Mercer (3/8)
- Tallied one hit, two walks, one run and one stolen base against Georgia (2/21)
- Hit a grand slam against Pitt (4/23)
- Had two home runs against Mercer (3/8)
- Tallied 19 hits with seven doubles and two home runs in 2022
- Scored 25 runs with 11 RBIs (2022)
- Third on the team with 10 stolen bases (2022)

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MORGAN JOHNSON

**So. • OF • 6-1 • Evans, Ga. • Evans HS

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.333	12	1	4	1	3	0
Career	.297	64	10	19	19	11	4

Season Highs: 1 Hit (4x), 1 RBI, 1 BB (3x), 1 run

- Appeared as a pinch hitter in 15 games
- Tallied a hit and a RBI vs. Kansas City (2/11)
- Has four hits on the season
- Missed 2022 season due to injury
- Member of Clemson's inaugural POWER class - a Women's Leadership Academy
- Appeared in 30 games and started nine games, including five in right field and four as the designated player in 2021

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KYAH KELLER

*Jr. • INF • 6-0 • Hollywood, Ala. • Battle Ground Academy

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.182	22	4	4	6	4	0
Career	.227	163	12	37	32	15	0

Season Highs: 1 Hit (4x), 2 RBI (2x), 2 Runs, 2 BB, 1 SF (2x)

- Appeared in 21 games, starting six in 2023
- Scored two runs and has two RBI vs. Georgia State (2/11)
- Tabbed two RBI vs. Michigan State (2/26) to help run rule the Spartans
- Has two sac flies in 2023
- Finished 2022 with a .208 average, 10 hits, nine RBIs and one run scored
- Had a walk-off pinch hit single to bring in two runners vs. Liberty (3/13/22)
- Finished with two RBIs against Louisville (3/26/22)

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VALERIE CAGLE

*Jr. • RHP/UTL • 5-9 • Yorktown, Va. • Homeschooled

	AVG	AB	RUNS	HITS	RBI	BB	SB
2023	.468	156	46	73	53	27	5
Career	.386	590	149	228	178	77	10

Season Highs: 4 Hits, 2 2B, 2 HR, 3 Runs (2x), 3 RBI (7x)

	ERA	W-L	APP	CG	SHO	IP	SO
2023	1.22	22-5	32	19	7/3	161.0	165
Career	1.52	75-27	123	69	25/8	628.0	695

Season Highs: 11 SO, 8.0 IP

- Threw program's first perfect game against Mercer (3/8)
- Hit a three-run homer to give Clemson the 4-3 lead at South Carolina (4/11)
- Louisville Slugger/NFCA Player of the Week & D1Softball Player of the Week (3/28)
- Hit a HR in five consecutive games (GT 3/24 - BC 3/31)
- Hit a single-season program record 18th homer at NC State (4/16)
- Finished with 10 RBIs during week 10 action at South Carolina & NC State
- Tallied 11 strikeouts at FIU on 2/12
- NFCA First Team All-American (2022); Second Team All-American (2021)
- First Team All-ACC (2022 & 2021) ACC Player and Freshman of the Year (2021)

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MILLIE THOMPSON (MILL-EE)

Jr. • LHP/INF • 5-9 • Bedford, Va. • Liberty HS

	ERA	W-L	APP	CG	SHO	IP	SO
2023	1.68	13-2	18	7	5/2	83.1	68
Career	1.74	37-7	64	20	10/9	281.1	248

Season Highs: 7.0 IP (4x), 9 SO

- Appeared in 18 games, pitching 83.1 innings with 68 strikeouts
- Struck out a season-high nine batters at Boston College (3/31)
- Third Team All-ACC selection (2022)
- Threw her first career solo no-hitter against Furman (April 6, 2022) in five innings
- Threw a five-inning no-hitter against UNCW (May 20, 2022) in the Clemson NCAA Regional, with four strikeouts and no walks
- Had successful surgery to correct a left forearm compartment syndrome injury

QUICK FACTS

Nickname	Tigers
Location	Clemson, S.C. 29633
Colors	Clemson Orange & Regalia
Founded	1889
Enrollment	27,341
President	Dr. James P. Clements (Maryland-Baltimore County '85)
Director of Athletics	Graham Neff (Georgia Tech '06)
Conference	Atlantic Coast Conference
Facility (Capacity)	McWhorter Stadium (1,812)
Year Opened	2020
Dimensions	LF - 200, CF - 220, RF - 205
Record Crowd	1,616
Head Coach	John Rittman (New Mexico State '86)
Record at Clemson	150-41 (4th season)
Overall Record	900-342-3 (22 nd season)
Associate Head Coach	Kyle Jamieson (Brock '97 & Nipissing '98)
Assistant Coach	Courtney Breault (Nebraska '13, Clemson '21)
Vol. Assistant Coach	Jessie Harper (Arizona '20 & '22)
Director of Operations	Jeannie Murphy (Oklahoma '10, Concordia '14)
Graduate Assistant	Alyssa Bilodeau (Jacksonville '21)
Athletic Trainer	Katie Rovtar (Toledo '06 & Virginia Tech '08)
Strength Coach	Travis Koon (Oregon State '15)
Sport Administrator	Natalie G. Honnen (Florida '03 & '05)
First Year of Softball	2020
Season of Softball	Fourth

ACC STANDINGS

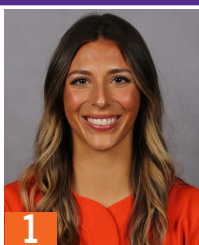
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Florida State	16-2	.889	40-8	.833	W6
Clemson	17-4	.810	44-6	.880	L1
Louisville	13-4	.765	30-14	.682	W5
Duke	16-5	.762	40-9	.816	L1
Virginia Tech	12-9	.571	33-16	.673	L4
North Carolina	11-9	.550	22-25	.468	W4
Notre Dame	11-9-1	.548	29-13-1	.686	W2
Virginia	8-13	.381	29-18	.617	L3
Georgia Tech	6-15	.286	24-24	.500	L4
NC State	6-15	.286	17-31	.354	W1
Syracuse	4-12-1	.265	15-22-1	.408	W1
Pitt	3-14	.176	21-22	.488	L3
Boston College	3-15	.167	21-25	.457	L3

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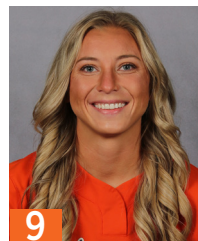
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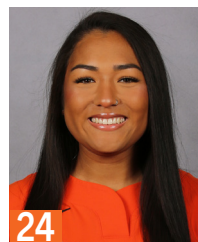
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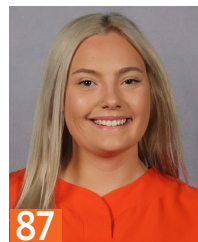
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PLAYER HIGHS

#00 MARENA KNOWLES

Career (Last)	Category	2023
1, 2x (Mercer 3/8/23)	Runs	1, 2x (Mercer 3/8)
2 (at NC State 4/14/23)	Hits	2 (at NC State 4/14)
2, 2x (Mercer 3/8/23)	RBI	2, 2x (Mercer 3/8)
1, 2x (at NC State 4/14/23)	Doubles	1, 2x (at NC State 4/14)
-	Triples	-
-	Home Runs	-
2 (vs. Michigan State 2/26/23)	Walks	2 (vs. Michigan State 2/26)
1 (vs. Michigan State 2/26/23)	HBP	1 (vs. Michigan State 2/26)
-	Stolen Bases	-

#1 RACHEL GIBSON

Career (Last)	Category	2023
1.0 (Bryant 3/10/23)	IP	1.0 (Bryant 3/10)
4 (Akron 2/26/22)	Runs Allowed	-
3 (Akron 2/26/22)	Earned Runs	-
1 (Bryant 3/10/23)	Walks Issued	1 (Bryant 3/10)
1 (Bryant 3/10/23)	Strikeouts	1 (Bryant 3/10)
1 (Akron 2/26/22)	Hits Allowed	-
-	Doubles Allowed	-
-	Triples Allowed	-
-	Homers Allowed	-

#2 BROOKE McCUBBIN

Career (Last)	Category	2023
7.0 (vs. Michigan State 2/25/23)	IP	7.0 (vs. Michigan State 2/25)
7 (vs Northwestern 2/19/22)	Runs Allowed	3, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
5 (at Duke 3/20/22)	Earned Runs	3, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
3 (at Boston College 3/31/23)	Walks Issued	3 (at Boston College 3/31)
8 (vs. Michigan State 2/25/23)	Strikeouts	8 (vs. Michigan State 2/25)
9 (vs Northwestern 2/19/22)	Hits Allowed	5 (Jacksonville 3/11)
1, 8x (Gardner-Webb 3/1/23)	Doubles Allowed	1, 3x (Gardner-Webb 3/1)
-	Triples Allowed	-
3 (at Pitt 4/10/22)	Homers Allowed	1, 3x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)

#3 REEDY DAVENPORT

Career (Last)	Category	2023
3, 3x (South Dakota 3/5/21)	Runs	1, 13x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
4 (South Dakota 3/5/21)	Hits	3 (Mercer 3/8)
4, 4x (at Georgia Tech 3/25/23)	RBI	4, 2x (at Georgia Tech 3/25)
2, 4x (at FIU 2/9/23)	Doubles	2 (at FIU 2/9)
1, 3x (Jacksonville 3/28/21)	Triples	-
1, 16x (at Virginia Tech 4/30/23)	Home Runs	1, 5x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
3, 2x (Liberty 4/16/22)	Walks	2 (at Georgia Tech 3/26)
1, 7x (Stetson University 4/9/22)	HBP	-
2 (Jacksonville 4/14/19)	Stolen Bases	1 (vs. Kansas City 2/11)

#4 ABY VIEIRA

Career (Last)	Category	2023
2, 2x (vs. Notre Dame 4/12/22)	Runs	1, 11x (at Boston College 4/2)
3, 3x (UNCG 3/11/23)	Hits	3, 2x (UNCG 3/11)
4 (Akron 2/26/22)	RBI	3 (at Boston College 3/31)
2 (at Florida State 4/21/22)	Doubles	1, 5x (at Georgia Tech 3/26)
-	Triples	-
1, 8x (at Boston College 3/31/23)	Home Runs	1, 3x (at Boston College 3/31)
2 (at Boston College 4/2/23)	Walks	2 (at Boston College 4/2)
1, 2x (at South Carolina 4/11/23)	HBP	1, 2x (at South Carolina 4/11)
-	Stolen Bases	-

#5 ANSLEY HOUSTON

Career (Last)	Category	2023
1, 22x (at Boston College 4/2/23)	Runs	1, 12x (at Boston College 4/2)
1 (Bryant 3/10/23)	Hits	1 (Bryant 3/10)
2 (Bryant 3/10/23)	RBI	2 (Bryant 3/10)
-	Doubles	-
-	Triples	-
1 (Bryant 3/10/23)	Home Runs	1 (Bryant 3/10)
1 (vs. Kansas City 2/11/23)	Walks	1 (vs. Kansas City 2/11)
-	HBP	-
1, 7x (at NC State 4/15/23)	Stolen Bases	1, 5x (at NC State 4/15)

#6 JULIA BOMHARDT

Career (Last)	Category	2023
1, 15x (at Virginia Tech 4/30/23)	Runs	1, 15x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
-	Hits	-
-	RBI	-
-	Doubles	-
-	Triples	-
-	Home Runs	-
-	Walks	-
-	HBP	-
2 (Ohio State 2/18/23)	Stolen Bases	2 (Ohio State 2/18)

#7 MCKENZIE CLARK

Career (Last)	Category	2023
4 (at FGCU 2/10)	Runs	3, 4x (Charlotte 3/15)
4, 3x (vs. Georgia State 2/10/23)	Hits	4 (vs. Georgia State 2/10)
4 (at Florida State 4/22/22)	RBI	3, 3x (at Boston College 3/31)
2, 4x (UNC Wilmington 5/20/22)	Doubles	1, 11x (at NC State 4/15)
1, 9x (Syracuse 3/4/23)	Triples	1 (Syracuse 3/4)
3 (at Florida State 4/22/22)	Home Runs	1, 11x (Pitt 4/23)
3, 2x (Michigan State 2/25/23)	Walks	3, 2x (Michigan State 2/25)
1, 13x (South Carolina 3/28/23)	HBP	1 (South Carolina 3/28)
3, 2x (vs. UIC 2/24/23)	Stolen Bases	3 (vs. UIC 2/24)

#8 GRACE HILLER

Career (Last)	Category	2023
1 (vs. Georgia State 2/10/23)	Runs	1 (vs. Georgia State 2/10)
-	Hits	-
1 (at Furman 2/14/23)	RBI	1 (at Furman 2/14)
-	Doubles	-
-	Triples	-
-	Home Runs	-
1 (Mercer 3/8/23)	Walks	1 (Mercer 3/8)
-	HBP	-
-	Stolen Bases	-

#9 SARAH HOWELL

Career (Last)	Category	2023
1, 12x (at Liberty 4/26/23)	Runs	1, 7x (at Liberty 4/26)
1 (at North Florida 2/12/21)	Hits	-
-	RBI	-
-	Doubles	-
-	Triples	-
-	Home Runs	-
1 (at Boston College 3/31)	Walks	1 (at Boston College 3/31)
-	HBP	-
2 (at Virginia 3/7/21)	Stolen Bases	-

#10 CAROLINE JACOBSEN

Career (Last)	Category	2023
3, 3x (Pitt 4/23/23)	Runs	3 (Pitt 4/23)
3 (James Madison 4/12/22)	Hits	2, 12x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
5 (Syracuse 3/20/21)	RBI	3, 4x (at NC State 4/15)
2, 3x (Charlotte 3/15/23)	Doubles	2 (Charlotte 3/15)
1, 3x (Pitt 5/6/22)	Triples	-
2, 5x (at Georgia Tech 3/25/23)	Home Runs	2, 2x (at Georgia Tech 3/25)
3 (Cal Baptist 2/11/22)	Walks	2, 3x (at Virginia Tech 4/28)
1, 5x (Florida State 4/7/23)	HBP	1, 2x (Florida State 4/7)
2 (Elon 3/6/19)	Stolen Bases	1, 7x (at NC State 4/14)

#11 HAYLEE WHITESIDES

Career (Last)	Category	2023
-	IP	-
-	Runs Allowed	-
-	Earned Runs	-
-	Walks Issued	-
-	Strikeouts	-
-	Hits Allowed	-
-	Doubles Allowed	-
-	Triples Allowed	-
-	Homers Allowed	-

#13 ABI STUART

Career (Last)	Category	2023
3 (vs St. John's 2/9/20)	Runs	1 (Bryant 3/10)
2, 6x (Boston College 4/16/21)	Hits	1, 3x (Bryant 3/10)
3, 3x (Winthrop 4/13/21)	RBI	1 (Northwestern 2/17)
2 (Furman 3/12/21)	Doubles	1, 2x (Northwestern 2/17)
-	Triples	-
1, 5x (North Carolina 4/2/21)	Home Runs	-
2 (Western Carolina 2/12/20)	Walks	1, 2x (at Furman 2/14)
1, 2x (Boston College 4/17/21)	HBP	-
-	Stolen Bases	-

#15 MADSION MAY

Career (Last)	Category	2023
1, 2x (vs Texas Tech 2/17/22)	Runs	-
2 (vs Wisconsin 2/19/22)	Hits	1 (vs. Michigan State 2/25)
2 (vs Texas Tech 2/17/22)	RBI	1 (vs. Michigan State 2/25)
1, 2x (at Charlotte 2/23/22)	Doubles	-
-	Triples	-
-	Home Runs	-
2, 2x (vs Tennessee 2/18/22)	Walks	1 (at FIU 2/9)
1 (vs Tennessee 2/18/22)	HBP	-
-	Stolen Bases	-

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#16 ALIA LOGOLEO

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
4 (at Syracuse 5/9/21)	Runs	2, 6x (Pitt 4/23)
4 (at Syracuse 5/9/21)	Hits	3, 2x (Virginia 3/19)
10 (at Syracuse 5/9/21)	RBI	4, 4x (South Carolina 3/28)
2, 3x (Syracuse 3/4/23)	Doubles	2 (Syracuse 3/4)
1, 2x (Morgan State 2/23/20)	Triples	-
3 (at Syracuse 5/9/21)	Home Runs	1, 8x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
2, 6x (Florida State 4/7/23)	Walks	2, 3x (Florida State 4/7)
1, 13x (at NC State 4/14/23)	HBP	1, 5x (at NC State 4/14)
2 (vs Virginia Tech 5/14/21)	Stolen Bases	1, 10x (Florida State 4/7)

#17 ALLY MIKLESH

Career (Last)	Category	2023
3, 3x (Pitt 4/23/23)	Runs	3, 3x (Pitt 4/23)
3, 3x (at Georgia Tech 3/25/23)	Hits	3 (at Georgia Tech 3/25)
5 (Michigan State 4/16/22)	RBI	3 (at Boston College 4/2)
1, 13x (at Virginia Tech 4/29/23)	Doubles	1, 4x (at Virginia Tech 4/29)
1, 3x (at Georgia Tech 3/25/23)	Triples	1 (at Georgia Tech 3/25)
1, 4x (at FIU 2/9/23)	Home Runs	1 (at FIU 2/9)
3 (Indiana 4/1/22)	Walks	2, 4x (at Boston College 3/31)
1, 10x (Pitt 4/23/23)	HBP	1, 6x (Pitt 4/23)
5 (Penn State 2/26/21)	Stolen Bases	2 (vs. UIC 2/24)

#19 REGAN SPENCER

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
7, 0, 2x (St. Francis 2/25/22)	IP	5.0 (Ohio State 2/19)
4, 2x (at NC State 4/16/23)	Runs Allowed	4 (at NC State 4/16)
4 (at NC State 4/16/23)	Earned Runs	4 (at NC State 4/16)
3, 4x (ETSU 4/27/22)	Walks Issued	2, 2x (vs. UIC 2/24)
8 (at Louisville 3/20/21)	Strikeouts	5 (Bryant 3/10)
7, 2x (at Florida State 4/23/22)	Hits Allowed	5 (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
2, 2x (at North Carolina 4/3/22)	Doubles Allowed	1, 3x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
-	Triples Allowed	-
2 (at NC State 4/16/23)	Homers Allowed	2 (at NC State 4/16)

#21 JADEYN RUSZKOWSKI

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
1, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/30/23)	Runs	1, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
1, 4x (at Virginia Tech 4/30/23)	Hits	1, 4x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
1, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/30/23)	RBI	1, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
-	Doubles	-
-	Triples	-
1, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/20/23)	Home Runs	1, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/30)
-	Walks	-
1 (Mercer 3/8/23)	HBP	1 (Mercer 3/8)
-	Stolen Bases	-

#23 JoJo HYATT

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
3 (Maryland 2/15/20)	Runs	1, 2x (Gardner-Webb 3/1)
3, 3x (vs. Georgia State 2/11/23)	Hits	3, 2x (vs. Georgia State 2/11)
7 (vs. Georgia State 2/11/23)	RBI	7 (vs. Georgia State 2/11)
1, 6x (Northwestern 2/17/23)	Doubles	1, 3x (Northwestern 2/17)
1, 3x (Georgia 2/21/23)	Triples	1 (Georgia 2/21)
1 (at Virginia 3/7/21)	Home Runs	-
2, 4x (Pitt 4/23/23)	Walks	2, 2x (Pitt 4/23)
1, 5x (vs. Georgia State 2/10/23)	HBP	1 (vs. Georgia State 2/10)
1 (vs. Kansas City 2/11/23)	Stolen Bases	1 (vs. Kansas City 2/11)

#24 ARIELLE ODA

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
2, 5x (at Boston College 4/2/23)	Runs	2, 2x (at Boston College 4/2)
3 (UNCG 3/11/22)	Hits	3 (UNCG 3/11)
2, 5x (at Boston College 4/2/23)	RBI	2, 3x (at Boston College 4/2)
1, 5x (at Boston College 3/31/23)	Doubles	1, 3x (at Boston College 3/31)
1, 2x (Syracuse 3/4/23)	Triples	1 (Syracuse 3/4)
1, 2x (Charlotte 3/15/23)	Home Runs	1 (Charlotte 3/15)
3 (Virginia 3/19/23)	Walks	3 (Virginia 3/19)
1, 4x (Florida State 4/6/23)	HBP	1 (Florida State 4/6)
1, 19x (at Georgia Tech 3/25/23)	Stolen Bases	1, 7x (at Georgia Tech 3/25)

#28 MADDIE MOORE

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
3, 3x (at Georgia Tech 3/24/23)	Runs	3, 3x (at Georgia Tech 3/24)
3 (Pitt 4/23/23)	Hits	3 (Pitt 4/23)
5 (Pitt 4/23/23)	RBI	5 (Pitt 4/23)
2 (at Georgia Tech 3/26/23)	Doubles	2 (at Georgia Tech 3/26)
-	Triples	-
2 (Mercer 3/8/23)	Home Runs	2 (Mercer 3/8)
2, 6x (Pitt 4/21/23)	Walks	2, 6x (Pitt 4/21)
1, 7x (at Boston College 3/31/23)	HBP	1, 5x (at Boston College 3/31)
1, 24x (at Virginia Tech 4/28/23)	Stolen Bases	1, 14x (at Virginia Tech 4/28)

#42 MORGAN JOHNSON

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
1, 10x (Mercer 3/8/23)	Runs	1 (Mercer 3/8)
2 (Virginia 3/6/21)	Hits	1, 4x (Bryant 3/10)
3 (Virginia 3/6/21)	RBI	1 (vs. Kansas City 2/11)
1, 4x (Bryant 3/10/23)	Doubles	1 (Bryant 3/10)
-	Triples	-
1, 4x (Boston College 4/16/21)	Home Runs	-
2 (Winthrop 4/13/21)	Walks	1, 3x (at Boston College 3/31)
1, 4x (Alabama 5/23/21)	HBP	-
1, 5x (Boston College 4/17/21)	Stolen Bases	-

#58 KYAH KELLER

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
3 (North Carolina 4/2/21)	Runs	2 (vs. Georgia State 2/11)
3 (North Carolina 4/2/21)	Hits	1, 4x (South Carolina 3/28)
4 (North Carolina 4/2/21)	RBI	2, 2x (vs. Michigan State 2/26)
1, 3x (Mercer 3/9/22)	Doubles	-
1 (NC State 4/23/21)	Triples	-
2 (North Carolina 4/2/21)	Home Runs	-
2 (vs. Georgia State 2/11/23)	Walks	2 (vs. Georgia State 2/11)
1, 6x (at South Carolina 4/11/23)	HBP	1, 2x (at South Carolina 4/11)
-	Stolen Bases	-

#72 VALERIE CAGLE

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
3, 4x (South Carolina 3/28/23)	Runs	3, 2x (at NC State 4/15)
4, 3x (Ohio State 2/19/23)	Hits	4 (Ohio State 2/19)
8 (Maryland 2/15/20)	RBI	3, 7x (at NC State 4/16)
2, 3x (Georgia State 2/11/23)	Doubles	2 (vs. Georgia State 2/11)
1, 3x (vs. Michigan State 2/26/23)	Triples	1 (vs. Michigan State 2/26)
2, 8x (at NC State 4/15)	Home Runs	2 (at NC State 4/15)
3, 3x (at NC State 4/15/23)	Walks	3 (at NC State 4/16)
1, 4x (at Georgia Tech 3/26/23)	HBP	1, 3x (at Georgia Tech 3/26)
1, 10x (at NC State 4/16/23)	Stolen Bases	1, 5x (at NC State 4/16)

11.0 (at Louisville 3/19/21)	IP	8.0 (at NC State 4/14)
10 (vs Duke 2/7/20)	Runs Allowed	7 (Florida State 4/6)
10 (vs Duke 2/7/20)	Earned Runs	5, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/28)
6, 2x (vs. Florida State 5/14)	Walks Issued	5 (Florida State 4/7)
14, 3x (vs Georgia Tech 5/13/21)	Strikeouts	11 (at FIU 2/12)
10, 2x (at Virginia Tech 4/28)	Hits Allowed	10 (at Virginia Tech 4/28)
3 (Virginia 2/28/20)	Doubles Allowed	1, 11x (at Liberty 4/26)
1, 3x (vs Tennessee 2/18/22)	Triples Allowed	-
2, 4x (at Virginia Tech 4/28/23)	Homers Allowed	2 (at Virginia Tech 4/28)

#87 MILLIE THOMPSON

CAREER (LAST)	CATEGORY	2023
7, 0, 11x (Pitt 4/22/23)	IP	7.0, 4x (Pitt 4/22)
5 (at Florida State 4/22/22)	Runs Allowed	3, 5x (at Virginia Tech 4/29)
4, 2x (at Florida State 4/22/22)	Earned Runs	3, 3x (at NC State 4/15)
3, 5x (Louisville 3/25/22)	Walks Issued	2, 3x (Virginia 3/18)
11 (Illinois 3/13/22)	Strikeouts	9 (at Boston College 3/31)
8, 6x (at NC State 4/15/23)	Hits Allowed	8 (at NC State 4/15)
4 (Notre Dame 4/15/22)	Doubles Allowed	2 (Northwestern 2/18)
-	Triples Allowed	-
2 (at Pitt 4/9/22)	Homers Allowed	1, 3x (at NC State 4/15)